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### Father John Kempf

CLEVELAND — The Rev. Fr. John D. Kempf, former pastor and teacher throughout the Columbus Diocese, including Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (Dec. 28, 1993) at Cleveland Metro-General Hospital.

Fr. Kempf has been a priest for nearly 40 years, serving as priest of St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown during the 1960's. While at Newcomerstown, he helped coach football and was involved with creating the area's youth baseball program. He assisted the community's drive for the purchase of the first emergency vehicle for the Newcomerstown Volunteer Fire Department. Fr. Kempf was guest speaker for the dedication of the new baseball fields behind Neighbor Street. He was pastor of Dresden St. Ann and its Mattingly St. Mary Mission in the 1970's and early 1980's. He was a teacher, coach and bus driver at the Chillicothe Catholic Central, Dennison St. Mary and Columbus Watterson high schools for many years. He was also involved with the Boy Scouts for more than 45 years as a Scoutmaster and in other capacities.

Fr. Kempf was a combat soldier in World War II in France and Germany, serving for four years with the 100th Infantry Division, and has been chaplain of their alumni group for over 30 years. He has also been a member of the American Legion, serving as national chaplain, state chaplain and in other positions; a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and he has been affiliated with the Disabled American Veterans. He has been active in the Knights of Columbus, serving as chaplain of the



FATHER JOHN KEMPF

Zanesville Msgr. Dury Council, Friar of Zanesville's Rosecrans Assembly and as state chaplain.

Most recently, he served as the resident Chaplain at the Light of Hearts Villa in Bedford, Ohio, until he left to live with his sister, Marion E. Schuckert, in Independence, Ohio. In addition to his sister, he leaves a brother, Stanley A. Kempf; two nephews, Frederick and Thomas; three nieces, Patricia, Ann and Kate; and 10 great-nieces and nephews.

Services were held Friday, Dec. 31, at the Holy Name Church in Cleveland with burial in Calvary Cemetery in Cleveland. Arrangements were handled by Rybicki & Son Funeral Home in Garfield Heights.

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## Betty L. King

Betty L. King, 53, of 15114 Pleasant Valley Road SE, Newcomerstown, died Monday (Dec. 27, 1993) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Newcomerstown on Aug. 1, 1940, daughter of the late John H. Wolff and the late Myrtle M. Randalls Wolff. She was a 1958 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was formerly an owner and employee of the former Coffee Cup Restaurant in Newcomerstown. She was a homemaker and a Lutheran. She enjoyed bingo and reading as leisure activities.

Mrs. King leaves her husband, Roger E. King Sr., whom she married May 28, 1966; a son, Roger E. King Jr. of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Dina M. King of Canal Winchester; a grandson, Thomas M. King; two sisters, Dorothy Kerr of Newcomerstown and Ruth Serrato of Gnadenuhuten; and a brother, Earl J. Wolff of New Mexico.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Francis Wolff, and two sisters, Mary Wilson and Anna Mae Sundberg.

Services were held Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Bourne officiating. Burial was to follow at the King's Family Cemetery in Oxford Twp. Memorials could be made to the American Cancer Society.

## Mabel I. Hamilton

GNADENHUTTEN — Mabel Irene Hamilton, 91, of 243 N. Cherry St., Gnadenuhuten, died Thursday (Dec. 30, 1993) at 8:57 a.m. in Morning View Care Center in New Philadelphia following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Freeport on May 4, 1902, the daughter of the late Franklin B. and Olive Tinsey Lawthers Ferrell. She was a 1921 graduate of Uhrichsville High School and was a member of the Gnadenuhuten United Methodist Church. She retired in 1960 from the Heller Brothers Tool Co. in Newcomerstown.

On June 8, 1921, she married Walter Herman Hamilton, who died June 7, 1937. Also deceased are two sons, Charles Glenn Hamilton and Herman Eugene Hamilton.

Mrs. Hamilton leaves two daughters, Mrs. Edwin (Doris) Troendly of Stone Creek and Mrs. Richard (Shirley) King of Amherst; a son, Mervin L. Hamilton of Louisville; eight grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services were Sunday, Jan. 2, at the Gnadenuhuten United Methodist Church with the Rev. Amy Shaw officiating. Burial was in the Gnadenuhuten Union Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Home.

## Arthur E. Rehard

SMITHVILLE — Arthur E. Rehard, 75, of 282 Fairlawn, Smithville, died Thursday (Dec. 30, 1993) in Wooster Community Hospital.

He was born June 2, 1918, in West Lafayette, son of Benjamin and Myrtle Shumaker Rehard. He served in the U.S. Army in the Pacific Theater during World War II and worked as a warehouse receiver for Rubbermaid, retiring in 1969 with 20 years of service. He then moved to Alaska where he owned and operated a recreational business for about 10 years before moving back to Smithville. He attended the West Hill Baptist Church in Wooster and was a member of the Jewel Lake Church of the Nazarene in Anchorage, Alaska. He was a life member of the VFW in Wasilla, Alaska.

Mr. Rehard leaves his wife, Margaret Miller, whom he married May 27, 1944, in Orange; two sons, Thomas E. Rehard of Wasilla, Alaska, and Theodore E. Rehard of Wooster; and four grandchildren, one great-granddaughter and one step-great-granddaughter. A sister, Thelma Overholt, is deceased.

Services were to be Jan. 3 at the Orange United Methodist Church with the Rev. Dean McElroy officiating. Burial was in Bakersville Cemetery. Custer Funeral Home in Wooster handled arrangements. Memorials may be made to the Wayne County Heart Branch, P.O. Box 267, Wooster, OH 44691, or the American Lung Assn. of Stark-Wayne, 1300 Christmas Seal Drive NW, Canton, OH 44709.

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### **Richard A. Cummings**

WEST LAFAYETTE — Richard A. Cummings, 79, a resident of the West Lafayette Care Center and formerly of Newcomerstown and Nordonia Hills, died early Wednesday evening (Dec. 29, 1993) at the Care Center after a short illness.

He was born in Rumney, New Hampshire on April 17, 1914, son of the late Albert and Eugene Cummings and the late Lela Pearl Crafts Cummings. He was a retired employee of the Horvitz Company in the Cleveland area, where he was a heavy construction and bridge superintendent. Mr. Cummings worked for Horvitz for over 35 years. He belonged to the Summit Lodge #213 F&AM in Twinsburg, the Northfield Presbyterian Church, the Operating Engineers Association and the AARP.

Mr. Cummings was preceded in death by his wife, Addis A. Jones Cummings, who died on Aug. 12, 1988. They had been married on Oct. 1, 1939. Also deceased are a brother, Albert Cummings, and two sisters, Dorothy McGray and Emma Munkittrick Hemeon.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Marilyn J.) Hershey of Northfield, Ohio; a step-son, Norman Grattan, of Las Vegas; a brother, Raymond A. Cummings of Ashland, New Hampshire; a sister, Mary Brewer of Ocala, Florida; and five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

The family has requested cremation and there will be no local services. Graveside services and burial were to follow at a later date in West Rumney, New Hampshire. The family said memorials could be made to any favorite charity. The Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled all the arrangements.

Jan. 12, 1994

### **Sherwood S. Urfer**

NEW PHILADELPHIA — Sherwood S. Urfer, 77, of 920 Prospect NW, New Philadelphia, died Tuesday (Jan. 4, 1994) in Union Hospital after a brief illness. A son, Lowell Urfer, lives in Newcomerstown.

He was born Feb. 4, 1916, in Dover, the son of the late Edward F. and Clara Garver Urfer. He retired from Gradall and was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Dover and the Tuscarawas County AARP.

In addition to his son, Mr. Urfer leaves his wife, the former Linda Bagaglia, whom he married in 1971; three other children, Dennis, Robert and Linn, all of New Philadelphia; two brothers, Niles Urfer of New Philadelphia and Daniel Urfer of Dover; three sisters, Mrs. Madalon Zoelm and Mrs. June DeHoff, both of Dover, and Mrs. Arthur (Dalene) Lahm of Bolivar; and six grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and four step-great-grandchildren. One sister and one stepson are deceased.

Private graveside services were Jan. 10 at Evergreen Burial Park in New Philadelphia with the Rev. William C. Haggis officiating. Naylor Funeral Home handled the arrangements. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County, 125 E. Second St., Dover, OH 44662, or the American Heart Fund.

### **Andrew M. Paton**

Andrew M. Paton, 79, of Phoenix, Ariz., died at his home on Dec. 1, 1993. His wife, Mary Rector Paton, was formerly of Newcomerstown.

Mr. Paton was born Dec. 4, 1913, in Duluth, Minn., and moved to Tucson, Ariz., in 1938. He retired from the Home Federal Savings and Loan Bank in 1979 and moved to Phoenix. He was a member of the Boy Scouts of America since 1944.

In addition to his wife, he leaves a daughter, Nancy Sparks of Phoenix; and a brother-in-law, Robert Mock of Guernsey.

Services were held in Tucson, Ariz.

## Kenneth E. Little

Kenneth E. Little, 42, of 5485 Beagle Club Road, S.W., died at 5:05 p.m. Saturday (Jan. 8, 1994) when a bulldozer fell on him at a work site in Ashtabula County.

Authorities said Mr. Little was pronounced dead at the scene in Harpersfield, according to the Ashtabula County coroner's office. Mr. Little, who owned and operated Little's Services, a company that maintained, hauled and operated large equipment, was loading the bulldozer when it slipped into gear. He managed to stop the equipment but

when he got off, the bulldozer tipped and fell on him.

Mr. Little was born Feb. 18, 1951, at Cambridge, son of Lester and Minnie McLaughlin Little of West Lafayette.

He was a mechanic for Newcomerstown Exempted School District for 15 years and was founder/owner of Little Services, an excavating and trucking business. Mr. Little was a member of Newcomerstown Elks Lodge 1555, Port Washington Masonic Lodge 202 and attended Wolf United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by a son, Ronald Little.

Mr. Little leaves his wife, Cathy Hammons Little, whom he married Oct. 22, 1971; two sons, Kevin and Scott Little, both of the home; four brothers, Gary Little of New Philadelphia and Tom, Duane and Dean Little, all of Newcomerstown; and two sisters, Patsy Little of West Lafayette and Pamela Conway of Pinson, Ala.

Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Addy Funeral Home, where services will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. with Gary Marlatt officiating. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's favorite charity.

## Mary Agnes Hartline

Mary Agnes Hartline, 81, a resident of the Country Club Retirement Center in Dover and a life-long resident of Newcomerstown, died Saturday afternoon (Jan. 1, 1994) at the Retirement Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Brechin, Ontario, Canada, on Aug. 21, 1912, a daughter of the late John and Catherine Muir McIntaggart. She was a graduate of the St. Joseph's Academy in Canada. After moving to Newcomerstown, she was secretary to the mayor for several years and was also employed in the shipping office of the former Heller Brothers Tool Co. For over 16 years, she was the Newcomerstown reporter for the Coshocton Tribune, retiring in 1980. She has been a member of St. Francis deSales Church since 1934, where she served as president and secretary of the Altar and Rosary Society. She was a charter member of the Newcomerstown Parmi Nous Club.

Mrs. Hartline was preceded in death by her husband, Ben F. Hartline, who died July 17, 1984. They had been married on Aug. 15, 1934. Also deceased is a son, Calvin Paul Hartline, who died on May 6, 1992, in Munroe Falls, Ohio; two daughters; six brothers; and two sisters.

She leaves two daughters and sons-in-law, Mrs. Alfred (Ruth Anne) Weatherford of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Mrs. Stephen (Catherine) Shalosky of Dover; a son and daughter-in-law, Michael and Patricia Hartline of Newcomerstown; a daughter-in-law, Rhonda Hartline of Munroe Falls; two sisters, Mrs. James (Cecelia) Medworth of Taylors, S.C., and Mrs. Murray (Rosella) Fraser of Parry Sound, Ontario; seven grandchildren and one great-grandson.

The family requested cremation and there were no calling hours. The memorial mass of Christian Burial was held Saturday, Jan. 8, at St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown with Father Edward Keck celebrating the mass. Burial of the cremains was to follow at the East State Street Cemetery in Newcomerstown. The family suggested memorials be made to St. Francis deSales Church. The Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled the arrangements.

## Charles Osler

SAN DIEGO, Calif. — Charles Osler, a former resident of Newcomerstown, died at Hospice in San Diego, California on Jan. 3, 1994.

He was born Sept. 14, 1908, near Linton Mills in Coshocton County, son of the late Harry and Mary Dean Osler. He attended Carr's School. He lived in Newcomerstown for many years and was a foreman at the Heller Brothers Tool Co. After moving to California, he was employed in the aircraft industry for 20 years.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. R.G. (Rosemary) Ownbey Jr., 5944 Stadium St., San Diego, CA 92122; a granddaughter, Jillian; two brothers, Carl Osler and Raymond Osler, both of Newcomerstown; and several nieces and nephews. Three brothers are deceased.

Burial was in La Vista Memorial Park in National City, California.

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## Mildred H. Rennard

WEST LAFAYETTE — Mildred H. Rennard, 79, of 709 E. Fourth St., West Lafayette, died Thursday (Dec. 30, 1993) at 10:20 p.m. at the Coshocton Health Care Center following an extended illness.

She was born in Coshocton County on Nov. 3, 1914, the daughter of the late Clyde and Erma Randles Hackenbracht. She graduated as valedictorian in 1934 from West Lafayette High School and attended Coshocton Business College for 15 months, majoring in bookkeeping. She was employed 24 years in area insurance offices, eight years each with Gray Insurance Co., Francis Batestin Insurance Co. and Ohio Hardware Insurance Co. She was the last charter member of the West Lafayette Church of the Nazarene and was a member of the 20th Century Club of West Lafayette.

Mrs. Rennard leaves her husband, Wayne C. Rennard, whom she married June 16, 1962; two step-daughters, Patricia A. Mathews of Easton, Pa., and Sharon Hall of Coshocton; four grandchildren; and eight nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by four brothers, Harold, Earl, Lester and Eugene; and one sister, Hazel.

Services were Monday, Jan. 3, at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Joe Pittinger and the Rev. Gregg Burris officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette. Contributions may be made to the memorial fund at the West Lafayette Church of the Nazarene.

## Ruby I. Robinson

Ruby I. Robinson, 85, a resident of the Cambridge Health Care Center, formerly of Newcomerstown, died late Monday morning (Jan. 3, 1994) at the Cambridge Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Marshall County, West Virginia, on April 29, 1908, a daughter of the late Theodore Baker and the late Margaret Cassady Baker Beal. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Women of the Moose, Chapter 29, for over 48 years. She was a homemaker all her adult life.

Mrs. Robinson was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Robinson, who died in Bensonville, Ill. on Feb. 7, 1971. They had been married on Dec. 24, 1948. She was also preceded in death by two sons, David Tidrick and E. Dean Tidrick, who died Dec. 28, 1988; a brother, Theodore Baker; and three sisters, Helen Klages, Margory Fisher and Dolly Ross.

She leaves a daughter, Doris Ann Tidrick Wilson of West Lafayette; a step-daughter, Mrs. C.H. (Doris) Hooker of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mabel Fisher of Cambridge; and five grandchildren, three step-grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and several step-great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, Jan. 6, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Kenneth W. Anderson officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Leona E. Stevens

JACKSON — Leona E. Stevens, 41, of 1035 Limerick Road, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (Jan. 5, 1994) at Southern Ohio Medical Center in Portsmouth.

She was born May 12, 1952, at Jackson, daughter of the late William Arthur and Martha Tomlinson Hughes. She was a homemaker and a member of the Liberty Volunteer Fire Department.

Mrs. Stevens leaves her husband, Paul Stevens; three daughters, Mareta Yates Ray of Coalton, Opal and Laura Stevens, both of the home; a son, James Stevens of the home; three step-daughters, Mary Kay Beckett and Paula and Martha Stevens, all of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Mary Hughes of Jackson, Sharon Bowen of Oak Hill and Sue Johnson of McArthur; four brothers, Denver Hughes of Jackson, Ronald and Donald Hughes, both of Cincinnati, and Ervin Hughes of Indiana; and four grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a sister and four brothers.

Services were Monday at the Eisnaugle-Lewis Funeral Home with the Rev. Pat Bailey officiating. Burial was in the Mt. Ridge Cemetery.

## George A. Umstott

WEST LAFAYETTE — George A. Umstott, 88, 53117 Hal-Kar Road, West Lafayette, died Wednesday (Jan. 5, 1994) at 10:40 a.m. at the West Lafayette Care Center following an extended illness.

He was born Aug. 3, 1905, in Linton Twp., Coshocton County, the son of the late Warren Samuel and Zella (Schweitzer) Umstott. He was a farmer and was employed by Heller Tool Company in Newcomerstown. He was also a carpenter for area contractors until his retirement in 1974. He was a member of Isleta United Methodist Church and was a member of Carpenter's Union Local 69.

Mr. Umstott leaves his wife, Elsie G. Pope Umstott, whom he married on Sept. 2, 1931; a son, Robert D. Umstott, 704 S. Ninth St., Coshocton; and two grandsons, 10 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one son, one grandson and one brother.

Services were Saturday, Jan. 8, at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. William J. Moran officiating. Burial was in the Plainfield Cemetery.

## William Ford and Thelma Ford

Memorial services for William R. Ford and Thelma Ford, former Newcomerstown residents, were held at Swigert's Funeral Home in Canal Fulton on Jan. 3.

William Ford was born April 11, 1905, and died Sept. 29, 1990. Thelma Ford was born Oct. 4, 1904, and died Dec. 29, 1993.

They were preceded in death by a son, Herschel R. Ford, and a great-grandson. They leave a son, Wendall Ford of Charleston, S.C.; two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Diane) Crosier of Akron and Mrs. Steven (Judy) Anspaugh of New Mexico; and nine grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

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## Mary E. Carr

Mary E. Carr, 81, of 814 Mill St., Apt. 9, Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (Jan. 12, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born March 5, 1912, at Pleasant City, daughter of the late William and Odessa Freil Hill. She was a homemaker and a member of Whosoever Will Ministries.

Mrs. Carr was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas William Carr, on Oct. 25, 1951. Also deceased are two brothers, three sisters, a half-sister, two stepbrothers and four grandchildren.

She leaves three sons, Robert Carr of Uhrichsville and Donald Carr and Stephen Carr, both of Newcomerstown; three daughters, Mrs. Rolland (Barbara) Snell and Mrs. Walter (Beverly) Brenneman, both of Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Carol Lucas of Lancaster; 18 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry Hanshaw officiating. Burial was in Plainfield Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Whosoever Will Ministries, 1124 W. State St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

## Joseph W. Miller

Joseph W. "Bill" Miller, 594 Chestnut St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Jan. 16, 1994) at 11:20 a.m. at the West Lafayette Care Center, where he had been a resident for three days.

He was born Sept. 12, 1932, in Oxford Twp., Coshocton County, son of the late Marshall and Dessie (Moore) Miller. He was a 1951 graduate of Newcomerstown High School. Before becoming disabled, he was a self-employed tree trimmer.

His wife, Shirley Lyons Miller, died in January, 1993. He was also preceded in death by a daughter and two brothers.

Mr. Miller leaves three sons, Michael Miller, Joseph Miller and Randy Miller, all of Newcomerstown; three daughters, Mrs. Rodney (Rebecca) Nelson and Mrs. Stephen (Evelyn) Elliott, both of Newcomerstown and Lorie Miller of Geneva; one brother, John Kelly of Newcomerstown; five sisters, Mrs. Harold (Thelma) Watson, Evelyn Belt, Blanche Miller and Rebecca Freetage, all of Newcomerstown, and Lena Ross of Elyria; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; five step-children; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were to be held Tuesday, Jan. 18, at 11 a.m. at the West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Seaward Shuman officiating. Arrangement were handled by Free Funeral Home in Coshocton.

## Carol J. Buckey

Carol J. Buckey, 46, of 620 Beaver St., Newcomerstown, died late Monday (Jan. 10, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge following a lengthy illness.

She was born Aug. 12, 1947, in Coshocton, daughter of the late Joseph B. Hootman and Pauline D. Fisher Hootman. She was a 1965 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was swimming pool manager at Cy Young Park for several years. She was a member of the American Red Cross and taught swimming and water safety classes. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church, where she was leader of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and served as secretary for the Mary Magdalene Circle. She also was a member of the Newcomerstown Business and Professional Women's Club.

Mrs. Buckey leaves her husband, John E. Buckey, whom she married Sept. 19, 1969; a daughter, Jacqueline S. Buckey of Newcomerstown; a son, John J. Buckey, a student at Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky.; her grandmother, Grace Fisher of Coshocton; a brother and sister-in-law, Dennis L. and Kathy Hootman of Coshocton; two half-brothers, Joseph Hootman and Jeffrey Hootman of Coshocton; a half-sister, Judy Hootman of Coshocton; two nephews and a niece, Todd Hootman, Andrew Hootman and Shawnette Hootman, all of Coshocton. She was preceded in death by a sister, Gloria Hootman Price.

Services were Thursday at Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Glenn Brunstetter and the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family suggested memorial contributions may be made to the Methodist Youth Fellowship at Christ United Methodist Church, 648 Oak St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

## Howard W. Schupp Sr.

Howard W. Schupp Sr., 75, of 121 N. Goodrich St., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (Jan. 11, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover.

He was born Aug. 14, 1918, at Gilmore, son of the late William and Helen Miller Schupp. He retired from Belden Brick, Port Washington, with 45 years of service, and was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens.

Mr. Schupp leaves his wife of 47 years, Dorothy Heskett Schupp; two daughters, Mrs. John (Pat) Ferrell of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Robert (Clara) Atkinson of Dover; one son, John T. Schupp of Newcomerstown; a stepson, Lester Garretson Jr. of Newcomerstown; two brothers, Edgar Schupp and Harold Schupp of Gnadenhutten; two grandchildren; and six step-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Howard W. Schupp Jr.; a stepson, Larry Garretson; and two sisters.

Private services were held Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Military graveside services were performed by the Newcomerstown Veterans Organizations in West Lawn Cemetery.

Jan. 19, 1994

## Lillian L. Dichler

Lillian L. Dichler, 78, of 11292 S.R. 36 SW, Port Washington, died early Wednesday afternoon at the Morning View Care Center in New Philadelphia following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Uhrichsville on March 1, 1915, a daughter of the late Frank Hooker and the late Cordelia Lash Hooker. A 1933 graduate of Uhrichsville High School, she assisted her husband with many farming duties throughout her adult life. She was also employed at Zelpha's Dress Shop in Uhrichsville for a few years and also worked at the Port Washington School cafeteria for a few years.

She was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington, where she was a member of the Builders Sunday School Class and served on the Board of Christian Education. She was a member of the Arbutus Chapter 288, Order of Eastern Star, Port Washington and was a past matron of the Arbutus Chapter. She was a member of the Tuscarawas County Farm Bureau and served on its Women's Committee. She enjoyed reading, doing crossword puzzles and harness racing.

Mrs. Dichler leaves her husband of 57 years, Edward M. Dichler, whom she married April 4, 1936; a son and daughter-in-law, Gary G. and Kay L. Dichler of Port Washington; a daughter and son-in-law, Connie A. and David A. Simmons of New Philadelphia; a sister, Zelpha Ginther of Uhrichsville; a brother, George Hooker of Uhrichsville; three grandchildren, Justin Dichler, Deanna Simmons and Tisha Simmons; and two great-grandchildren, Sarah and Hannah Dichler.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Jill Ann Dichler, on March 22, 1989; and seven brothers, including Clarence, Ralph, Doyle, Dean, Verne and Lloyd Hooker.

Funeral services were Saturday, Jan. 22, at St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington with the Rev. Robert Hildreth officiating. Burial was at Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Arrangements were handled by the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. The family suggested memorials could be made to the Rosa I. and Henry D. Glazer Endowment Fund, St. Paul United Church of Christ, P.O. Box 36, Port Washington, OH 43837.

## Enola Y. Stoffer

Enola Y. (McCormick) Stoffer, 87, of Broadview Heights, died Sunday (Jan. 16, 1994).

She was preceded in death by her husband, Melvin; a daughter, Ruth Louise; and six sisters and one brother. She leaves three sons, Warren, Robert and David; 10 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Services and burial were in Meadowlawn Memorial Gardens in Port Richey, Florida. Calling hours were held Jan. 19 at the Donald A. Faulhaber Funeral Home in Broadview Heights.

## Mrs. Charity Risher

Mrs. Charles (Charity) Risher, Kalamazoo, Mich., died Dec. 23, 1993, at Bronson Methodist Hospital in Kalamazoo. Survivors include her husband, Dr. Charles G. Risher, a 1939 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and the son of the late Charles A. and Helen Risher, formerly of 216 S. Goodrich St., Newcomerstown.

Born Nov. 27, 1922, in Middle Point, O., Mrs. Risher was the daughter of the Rev. Edward P. and Myrtle Graeber Conrad. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and the Esther-Mary Circle. She received her bachelor of science degree in education in 1944 from Bowling Green State University (Ohio) where she was a member of Beta Mu chapter of Delta Gamma Sorority. She earned her master of education degree at the University of Missouri (UMO) in 1953, and her doctor of education at UMO in 1955.

Mrs. Risher taught in the public schools of Leipsic and Cygnet, both in Ohio; at Christian College and the UMO; public schools in Buffalo, MO; the Business Education Department at East Carolina College, Greenville, NC; and Western Michigan University (WMU) in Kalamazoo. She also was interim foreign student advisor at WMU, and a member of Faculty Dames.

In addition to her husband, whom she married July 18, 1945, Mrs. Risher leaves a sister, Hope Knape, of Defiance; two nieces, Johanna Saunders of Reston, VA, and Carol Dawson of Arlington, VA; a nephew, Conrad Knape, of Bloomfield, MI; and 10 grandnieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a sister, Faith Pollock, in 1964.

Services were held Dec. 28 at Trinity Lutheran Church with Pastor Ronnie Peterson officiating. Interment services were held Dec. 29 at Ridge Cemetery in Van Wert, OH. Joldersma & Klein handled the funeral arrangements.

## Robert K. Hahn

Robert K. Hahn, 211 N. Spaulding St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Jan. 14, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born July 8, 1930, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Eugene Hahn and Eva Porcher Hahn of Newcomerstown. He was retired from Belden Brick Co. of Port Washington and the former Wentz Concrete Co. of Newcomerstown. He was a member of the Valley View Baptist Church.

Mr. Hahn leaves a son, Robert, of Bolivar; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Marshella) Ochsenbein of Newcomerstown; two sisters, Donna VanSickle of West Lafayette and Mrs. James (Phyllis) Hawk of New Philadelphia; a brother, Eugene Hahn of Tennessee; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a sister.

Services were Monday, Jan. 17, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William Ramsey officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 821 Anola Ave., Suite D, Dover, OH 44662.

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### **V. Tom Orr**

V. Tom Orr, 70, of 549 N. College St., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (Jan. 25, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born March 2, 1923, at Pittsburgh, Pa., son of Mrs. Loretta Smithyman Orr of Pittsburgh and the late Victor R. Orr. He was a retired employee of Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown and was a member of Newcomerstown Moose Lodge 1337.

Mr. Orr leaves his wife, Mary Schweitzer Orr, whom he married Oct. 30, 1953; a son, Jeffrey Orr of Newcomerstown; a stepson, Steve Myers of Newcomerstown; and three grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Tuscarawas County Division, P.O. Box 645, Sugarcreek, OH 44681.

### **Helen F. Lahmers**

Helen F. Lahmers, 86, of 12568 Stone Creek Road, Newcomerstown, died late Wednesday (Jan. 26, 1994) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born April 22, 1907, in Salem Twp., daughter of the late Franklin Palmer and the late Jennie Carney Palmer. She was a homemaker and assisted her late husband with many of the duties on their farm. She was a life member of the Buckhorn Grange 1445 in Salem Twp., belonging to the Grange for over 65 years. She held many Grange offices, including Past Matron. She was also a 4-H leader and advisor for several years. She was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church and was a member of the church's sewing circle. She enjoyed quilting as a favorite leisure activity.

Mrs. Lahmers was preceded in death by her husband of 60 years, C. Arthur Lahmers, who died Jan. 29, 1991. They had been married on Aug. 8, 1930. She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Mrs. Wayne (Bernice) Dorsey and Mable Palmer.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Gene (Rosemary) Baker of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mrs. Thurman (Jean) Rausch of West Lafayette; two grandchildren, Debra Baker and Dan Baker; and one great-granddaughter, Megan Baker.

Services were Saturday, Jan. 29, at the Ourant Funeral Home with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in Bethel Cemetery, Salem Twp.

### **S. Roy Bowman**

S. Roy Bowman, 80, of Phoenix, Ariz., died Tuesday (Jan. 25, 1994) at his home. A sister, Ila Bates, lives in West Lafayette.

Mr. Bowman was born Jan. 29, 1913, in Noble County, son of the late Frank and Lavarie Pryor Bowman. He was the former owner of Bowman's Gulf Service Station in Cambridge. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

In addition to Mrs. Bates, he leaves his wife, Geneva McKahan Bowman; two sons, William Bowman and Robert Bowman, both of Phoenix; a daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Martha) Starr of Cambridge; four brothers, John and Frank Bowman, both of Cambridge, and Lewis and Ross Bowman, both of Florida; another sister, Iris (Sally) Booth of Zanesville; and seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were Saturday at the Thorn Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Evangelist Philip Grear will officiate. Burial was in Guernsey Memorial Gardens.

Feb. 9, 1994

### Clifford Hosfelt

Clifford Hosfelt, 84, of the Coshocton Health Care Center, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Jan. 27, 1994) at the Center.

He was born Dec. 31, 1909, at Newcomerstown, son of the late David and Etta Wiandt Hosfelt. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools after 42 years of service and was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church and a life-long member of Newcomerstown Elks Lodge 1555 and American Legion Thomas E. Montgomery Post.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Lottie P. Kokenparger Hosfelt, on Sept. 15, 1982. A sister is also deceased.

Mr. Hosfelt leaves a brother, David Hosfelt, and a sister, Wilma Perkins, both of the Coshocton Health Care Center; and three nephews, two nieces and several cousins.

Services were Monday, Jan. 31, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

### Charles S. Foust Jr.

RAVENNA — Charles S. Foust Jr., 79, of 425 Madison St., Ravenna, died Tuesday (Jan. 25, 1994) after a year's illness.

He was born July 9, 1914, at Brookville, Ohio, to the late Rev. Charles S. and Lottie Horn Foust. He was a 1933 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and attended Wittenberg University and Bowling Green State University. He served four years in the U.S. Army in World War II in the Pacific Theater. He belonged to Carpenters' Local Union No. 639 and the Kent Coin Club. He was a member of the United Methodist Church of Ravenna and sang in the church choir for many years.

Mr. Foust leaves his wife, Margery (Baker) Foust. They had been married 48 years. He also leaves two sons, Charles E. Foust of Mantua and Samuel J. Foust of Hiram; three grandsons; and a brother, John L. Foust, of Newcomerstown. A sister, Mary Walrath, died in 1989.

Services were held at the Wood-Kortright Funeral Home with the Rev. Ronald Moury officiating. Burial was in the Maple Grove Cemetery in Ravenna. Memorials may be made to the Summit County Visiting Nurse Service in Kent.

Feb. 16, 1994

## Obituaries

### Roy C. Lawver

Roy Curt Lawver, 65, of 597 S. Chestnut St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Feb. 6, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover.

He was born Oct. 16, 1928, at Zoarville, son of the late Roy Curtis and Crystal McCormick Lawver. He was retired from Boltz Construction in Stone Creek and was owner of Curt's Engine Repair in Newcomerstown.

Mr. Lawver leaves his wife, Mary Coutts Lawver; three sons, George E. Lawver of Scio, Larry L. Lawver of Cadiz, and Roy Curtis Lawver III of Philo; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Kathleen) Sayre of Virginia; one stepson, Jeff Clum of Newcomerstown; a stepdaughter, Mrs. David (Jo Ann "Cookie") Schlarb of New Philadelphia; four brothers, John, Marvin and Carl Lawver, all of Newcomerstown, and Harold Lawver of West Lafayette; and 16 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by a sister.

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

Feb. 23, 1994

### **Lillie I. Durben**

Lillie I. Durben, 77, of 76872 Marlatt Run Road, Newcomerstown, died at Twin City Hospital in Dennison early Thursday morning after suffering an apparent heart attack at her home.

She was born in Coshocton County on Sept. 12, 1916, a daughter of the late Charles R. Marlatt and the late Anna Herbert Marlatt. She was a homemaker for all her adult life. She received a correspondence degree from the Indianapolis Art Institute and was a member of the former St. Jacob Lutheran Church in Oxford Twp. She enjoyed crocheting, painting, reading and doing crossword puzzles.

Mrs. Durben was preceded in death by her husband, Ermel Clifford Durben, who died June 30, 1957. They were married on Dec. 30, 1935. In addition to her husband and parents, she was also preceded in death by a brother, Chester Marlatt, and a sister, Mary Clemens.

Mrs. Durben leaves five daughters and two sons and their spouses, Mr. and Mrs. Rich (Peggy) Allen of Newcomerstown, Roberta L. Dunkle of Wadsworth, Karen L. Durben of Newcomerstown, Mr. and Mrs. Bud (Mary E.) Steed of Newcomerstown, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck (Dorothy) Edwards of Uhrichsville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Doris) Durben of Newcomerstown and Robert W. Durben of Newcomerstown; two sisters, Opal Lacey of New Philadelphia, Mrs. Paul (Georgia) Haver of Newcomerstown; a brother, Willard Marlatt of Walhonding; and six grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, one great-grandchild and two step-great-grandchildren.

Services were to be Monday, Feb. 21, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in St. Jacob's Cemetery in Oxford Twp., Tuscarawas County. The family suggested memorials be made to the American Heart Association.

### **Francis E. Hursey**

Francis E. Hursey, 67, of 16087 Pleasant Valley Road, SW, Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Feb. 13, 1994) at The Ohio State University Hospital in Columbus.

He was born Nov. 9, 1926, in Washington Twp., a son of the late Clarence and Salesta Groves Hursey. He retired from the Newcomerstown Post Office after 35 years of service and was owner/operator of Hursey's Garage. He was a graduate of Port Washington High School, a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and a member of Hartwood United Methodist Church near Newcomerstown.

Mr. Hursey leaves his wife, Helen Davis Hursey, whom he married July 9, 1956; two stepsons, Gary D. Page of Orlando, Fla., and Timothy W. Page of Trenton, Mich.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. James (Judith C.) Shaw of Parkland, Fla.; a brother, Marvin Hursey of Newcomerstown; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two nephews; a great-niece; and one great-nephew. One brother is deceased.

The body was cremated. Memorials may be made to Hartwood United Methodist Church in care of Mrs. David Brown, 1590 Sleepy Elm Road, SW, Newcomerstown, OH 43832. Addy Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

## Ruth E. Mullet

Ruth E. Mullet, 77, a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, and a lifelong Newcomerstown resident, died early Tuesday morning at the Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Newcomerstown on Oct. 17, 1916, a daughter of the late John A. Maloy and the late Gertrude Wendell Maloy. She was a homemaker all her adult life. She was a former member of the Newcomerstown Women of the Moose, Chapter 29, and was a member of the local TOPS Chapter. She enjoyed bingo, euchre and shopping for antiques.

Mrs. Mullet was preceded in death by her husband, Lister E. Mullet, who died Aug. 17, 1976. They were married on Oct. 7, 1935. In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by three brothers, Paul Maloy, Sylvester Maloy and Chester Anderson Maloy; five sisters, including Dorothy Mobley, Sharlene Dixon, Helen Maloy and Wilma Maloy; and a grandson, Eddie Dean Shull.

She leaves three daughters and two sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Sunday (Alicia Faye) Walker of Dover, Mr. and Mrs. Dale (Karen Jean) Mizer of Newcomerstown and Ms. Sheryl Lynn Berger of Newcomerstown; two sons, Donald Edmund Mullet of Fresno and Forrest Glenn Mullet of Port Washington; a step-daughter, Carmella Ricketts Garwood of Norwalk; two sisters, Clara Hawkins and Mildred Brobston, both of Newcomerstown; and 12 grandchildren, six step-grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren and step-great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, Feb. 24, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Elva I. Eckelberry

Elva I. Eckelberry, 82, of 10015 Camp Road, West Salem, formerly of West Lafayette, died in the Lodi Community Hospital Tuesday (Feb. 22, 1994) following a short illness.

She was born at Otsego on Jan. 13, 1912, a daughter of the late George Edward and Rose Floretta Conway Elliott. She was a member of Otsego Methodist Church at Otsego.

On July 27, 1937, she married Walter Eckelberry, who died Oct. 14, 1978.

Mrs. Eckelberry leaves a son, Raymond Eckelberry of Chandler, Ariz.; a daughter, Mrs. Roger (Rose) Boreman of West Salem; and seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. A daughter, Mary, and a brother are also deceased.

Services were Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Kenneth Anderson officiating. Burial was in Otsego Cemetery.

## L. Launda Hawthorne

Lulu Launda Hawthorne, 88, a resident of the Bell Nursing Home, Kimbolton, and formerly of Harrison County, Stone Creek and Mariposa, California, died late Wednesday night (Feb. 23, 1994) at the Bell Nursing Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Guernsey County on Oct. 2, 1905, a daughter of the late John Silas Street, who died in 1960, and the late Geneva Eldora Wilson Street, who died in 1917. She attended school in Moorefield and graduated from Holloway High School in Belmont County. She was also a graduate of the Normal School in Kent. She was a retired school teacher, having taught for many years in both Ohio and California. In Ohio, she taught in the Harrison County School System and also in Stone Creek. She was a member of the Retired Teachers Association and belonged to the Nottingham Presbyterian Church in Harrison County.

Mrs. Hawthorne was preceded in death by her husband, Wilmer Glen Hawthorne, who died in California in April of 1987. She was also preceded in death by a brother, John Wilson Street of Florida, and two sisters, Mrs. Milford (Maggie) Nichols of Kimbolton and E. Josephine Ripley of Newcomerstown.

She leaves two sisters, Hazel Street of Kimbolton and Rosie Beule of Talmadge; three step-children, Glen Hawthorne, Howard Hawthorne and Perle Vista Hawthorne, all of California; two step-grandchildren, Sarah Jane Hawthorne and David Hawthorne; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Nelson Miller officiating. Burial was at the Nottingham Church Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the Flat Ridge Mennonite Church, 17586 Carrol Road, SW, Newcomerstown, OH 43832; Guernsey County Hospice, P.O. Box 1537, Cambridge, OH 43832.

Mar. 2, 1994

## Isaac C. Dorsey

CALDWELL — Isaac C. Dorsey, 90, of Las Vegas, Nev., formerly of Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Feb. 19, 1994) in Las Vegas.

He was born Jan. 29, 1904, in Newcomerstown. He was a former painter/interior decorator and was a member of Painters Union Local 159.

Mr. Dorsey was preceded in death by his wife, Hilda Dorsey, in 1982. One daughter is also deceased. He leaves three daughters, Carolyn Thompson, Beverly Johnson, and Patsy Dorsey, all of Las Vegas; and seven grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at Union Cemetery in Port Washington with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Murphy-McCurdy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mar. 2, 1994

### Jen Evea M. Raine

Jen Evea M. Raine, 88, a resident of Riverside Apartments at Newcomerstown and a lifelong Newcomerstown resident, died Friday evening (Feb. 25, 1994) at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a one-year illness.

She was born in Columbus on March 31, 1905, a daughter of the late Charles Leazenby Raine and the late Evea Laura Miller Raine. She was a 1923 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and also attended Fairfax Hall in Waynesboro, Virginia. She was a retired employee of the former Reeves Bank in Newcomerstown, where she worked for over 30 years. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Newcomerstown, where she served as financial secretary. She was also a member of the Oriental Chapter 106, Newcomerstown Order of Eastern Star and the Thomas Montgomery Post 431 American Legion Auxiliary. She also belonged to the Garden Club, various bridge clubs and the Newcomerstown Business Women's Club. She enjoyed traveling, needlework, and collecting plates and Hummel keepsakes.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Charles D. Raine in 1978 and France M. Raine Sr. in 1989; and a nephew, France M. Raine Jr., who died in 1986.

She leaves her nephew and his wife, Charles E. and Joan Raine of Kettering, Ohio; another niece-in-law, Betsy Haldeman Raine of Rolling Hills, California; seven great-nieces and great-nephews; and four great-great nieces and nephews.

Services were to be Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Ourant Funeral Home with the Rev. Michael Sydnor officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made in her name to the donor's favorite charity.

### Bessie K. Casteel

Bessie Kendrick Casteel, 87, a resident of the Park Village Health Care Center in Dover and a lifelong resident of Newcomerstown, died Thursday evening (Feb. 24, 1994) at the Park Village Health Care Center following a long illness.

She was born in Kimbolton on Feb. 28, 1906, a daughter of the late George H. Clary and the late Carrie Triplett Clary. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Women of the Moose, Chapter 29, and was a homemaker all her adult life. For several years, she was a sales representative for Avon products and also worked as a representative for the Dutch Maid Company for many years.

Mrs. Casteel was preceded in death by her first husband, Chester T. Kendrick, who died Nov. 25, 1948, and by her second husband, Emerson "Doc" Casteel, who died Jan. 14, 1976. In addition to her husbands and parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Alva Clary, and two sisters, Nellie Gray and Lillie Miller.

She leaves a daughter, Virginia E. Akers of Graceville, Fla.; a son and daughter-in-law, James and Kris (Berg) Kendrick of Orlando, Fla.; a sister, Flora Stoffer of North Salem; five grandchildren, Toni Lynn Dunmire, Tina Ginnetti, Jim Brown, Jamie Parker and Katy Kendrick; and several great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday, Feb. 28, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the donor's favorite charity.

Mar. 9, 1994

### **Leah Thomas**

SANDUSKY — Leah M. Thomas, 82, of 507 48th St., Sandusky, died Wednesday (Feb. 23, 1994) at home following a one-year illness.

She was born April 1, 1911, in Newcomerstown, the daughter of the late Bert and Charlotte Graves Loader. She was a graduate of the Newcomerstown High School Class of 1928. She was employed as a teacher for 21 years in the Sandusky City Public Schools, retiring in 1976. She was a 50-year member of the First Baptist Church in Sandusky, where she served 32 years as an organist, taught Sunday School, served on the boards of trustees, deacons, Christian education and was the financial secretary for two years. She was also a member of the Erie County Retired Teachers Association.

Mrs. Thomas leaves two sons, Frank E. Thomas of Sandusky and James L. Thomas of Huron; and eight grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank E. Thomas, in 1948; one son, John Paul Thomas, in 1984; one granddaughter in 1984; and a sister, Olive MacQueen.

Services were Saturday, Feb. 26, at the First Baptist Church ABC in Sandusky, with the Rev. Larry G. Baldrige officiating. Burial was in Oakland Cemetery in Sandusky. Arrangements were handled by the Quick-Park & Nye Funeral Home in Sandusky. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church, Wayne and Monroe streets, Sandusky.

### **Donald E. Wingeier**

Donald E. Wingeier, 53, of 22375 Twp. Road 105, Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (March 1, 1994) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Oct. 5, 1940, at Frazeyburg, son of the late Noah and Margaret Everett Wingeier. He was owner of Grand Express Cartage Co. of Newcomerstown, a breeder of Percheon draft horses and a member of the Newcomerstown Elks Lodge 1555.

Mr. Wingeier leaves his wife, Eileen Marr Wingeier; two sons, Scott Bacon of Parma and Robert Wingeier of Cleveland; two daughters, Theresa Wingeier and Robin Wingeier, both of Cleveland; two stepsons, John Tylicki of Hudson and Don Tylicki of Northfield Village; a stepdaughter, Wendy Tylicki of Medina; one brother, Richard Wingeier of Port Washington; three sisters, Mrs. Esther Marlatt of Washington, Mrs. Avonelle Hinton of Wooster and Ruth Ann Scott of Riverside, Calif.; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers.

Services were Saturday at 1 p.m. at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to a favorite charity.

### **Doris N. Mardis**

Doris N. Mardis, 80, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center at Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (March 2, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born Feb. 4, 1914, at Warsaw, daughter of the late W. Everett and Lettie Mae Derringer Huston. She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene in Newcomerstown. She and her husband were former owners and operators of several service stations in Newcomerstown and the surrounding area.

Her husband, Vernon Mardis, died March 3, 1983. They had been married Oct. 14, 1942.

Mrs. Mardis leaves one niece, Mrs. Harry (Elsie Mae) Bracken of Canton. In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by one son, one brother and four sisters.

Graveside services were Saturday, March 5, at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Mark Lail officiating. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

Mar. 9, 1994

### Zelma C. Gray

Zelma C. Gray, 87, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, formerly of 499 Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, died at Riverside Manor late Thursday morning following an extended illness.

She was born in Holloway in Belmont County on Nov. 3, 1906, a daughter of the late Charles T. Mallarnee and Elvie Mae Moore Mallernee. She was a homemaker all her adult life and belonged to Buckhorn Grange 1445 in Salem Twp. She was also a member of Pomona Grange in Tuscarawas County and Christ United Methodist Church, where she belonged to the United Methodist Women, Rebekah Circle and the Fellowship Sunday School Class. She enjoyed making quilts, sewing and collecting thimbles.

Mrs. Gray leaves her husband, Vernal S. Gray, whom she married June 11, 1928, celebrating 65 years of marriage. She also leaves a daughter, Evelyn J. Rivers of Newcomerstown; a son and daughter-in-law, the Rev. Carl and Mrs. Dorothy Gray of Lakeside; three sisters and a brother-in-law, Lena Mehok of New Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis (Iva) Wayble of Londonderry and Ruth Stockdale of Londonderry; a brother, Glenn Mallarnee of Freeport; six grandchildren; Connie Sue Zang of Newark, Meri Rockaway of Scranton, Pa., Randy Bartholow of Gnadenuhnten, Carol J. Wigdorski and Brian E. Gray of Washington, Mich., and Charles C. Gray of Lakeside; and 10 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Delores Maxine Gray; a brother, Harvey Mallarnee; and a sister, Mrs. Leroy (Lois) Stine.

Services were Monday, March 7, at Christ United Methodist Church with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in Sunset View Cemetery, Londonderry Township, Guernsey County. Arrangements were handled by Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

### J. Glenn Stewart

J. Glenn Stewart, 84, of 16873 Johnson Hill Road, Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (March 2, 1994) at 5:50 p.m. in Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a long illness.

He was born Dec. 9, 1909, at Byesville in Guernsey County, son of the late Johnson G. and Lilla Dale Carpenter Stewart. He was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown and retired in 1970 from Goshen Brick Co. after 25 years of service. He was a 60-year member of the Newcomerstown Lone Star Masonic Lodge. He attended Taylor University in Upland, Ind., and graduated from a utility engineer course in refrigeration. He also worked for 13 years at the Heller Tool Co. in Newcomerstown.

Mr. Stewart leaves his wife, Mildred Johnson Stewart, whom he married Aug. 28, 1933, celebrating 60 years of marriage; three daughters, Mrs. Judith Hart of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Floyd (Marlene) Lautenschleger of Baltic and Shirley Welch of Athens, Tenn.; 11 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by a son, John Stewart, and one grandchild, one great-grandchild and one half-sister.

Services were Saturday, March 5, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army, Public Square, Dover, OH 44622.

Mar. 23, 1994

### **Jacob E. Stahl**

Jacob E. Stahl, 83, of 25855 Twp. Road 250, Newcomerstown, died Saturday (March 5, 1994) at his home.

He was born April 5, 1910, at Newcomerstown, a son of the late John and Sarah Zimmerman Stahl. He was a retired farmer and a member of St. Peter's United Church of Christ in Fiat.

Mr. Stahl leaves two brothers, Chester Stahl of Fresno and Kenneth Stahl of Bakersville; two sisters, Florence Olinger and Edith Griffith, both of West Lafayette; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one brother, Harry Stahl.

Services were Tuesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. William H. Stauffer officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery.

### **Mary E. Ross**

Mary Esther Ross, 70, of 13717 Meadowbrook Lane, died Wednesday (March 9, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital's Extended Care Unit in Coshocton.

She was born Dec. 31, 1923, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late Frank W. and Alice Kedigh Worthing. She was a homemaker and was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Ross leaves her husband, James Junior Ross, whom she married Dec. 6, 1941; a son, James Dennis Ross of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Mrs. Alvin (Carole) Fillman of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Paul Glenn (Connie) Frye of West Lafayette; a brother, Cecil A. Worthing of Columbus; five grandchildren; one granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Newcomerstown Lions Club, 623 S. River St., or Christ United Methodist Church, 648 Oak St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

### **Zelma L. McDaniel**

Zelma Lora McDaniel, 85, of 122 S. Sixth St., Dennison, died Monday (March 14, 1994) at Twin City Hospital following a stroke.

She was born April 10, 1908, in Philippi, W. Va., daughter of the late John Findley and Bessie Ketchum Findley Barrett. She attended the Uhrichville Church of Christ for 20 years.

Mrs. McDaniel was married May 10, 1923, to Ernest Herman McDaniel, who died Dec. 2, 1967. Two brothers, Bertzell Findley and Leonard Bartlett, are also deceased.

She leaves three sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Murl (Helen) McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Russell (Janet) McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. Jack (Ruth) McDaniel, all of Dennison; four daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Evadean) Shalosky of Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce (Madeline) Naylor of Lock Seventeen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Eva) Morris of Uhrichville, and Mr. and Mrs. John (Janet) Hunker of New Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Joe (Emma) Rotruck of Newcomerstown; and 33 grandchildren, 53 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Uhrich-Hostetler Funeral Home in Uhrichville with Tim Reeves officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Uhrichville.



## F. Dean Winrod

F. Dean Winrod, 69, of Fox Valley Road, Gnadenhutten, died Sunday (March 13, 1994) following a lengthy illness.

He was born Feb. 14, 1925, in Uhrichsville, son of the late Eldridge O. and Oresco M. Lewis Winrod. He was a lifelong resident of the area and owned and operated Winrod Appliances for 30 years. He was a member of the Christian Fellowship Church in Uhrichsville. A 1942 graduate of Uhrichsville High School, he was a Navy veteran of World War II and the Korean War.

He was active in Masonry, serving as past secretary and past master of Port Washington Lodge 202, secretary and past illustrious master of Gebal Council 56, past excellent high priest of Cyrus Chapter 114 and past commander of St. Bernard Commandery 51, all of Gnadenhutten, Eastern Star of Uhrichsville and Scottish Rite. He was distinguished as a knight of the York Cross of Honor and received the highest honor of York Rite, Knight of the Grand Cross of Honor. In 1986, he was honored to serve as grand commander of the Grand Commandery of Ohio.

Mr. Winrod leaves his wife, Claudia M. (Suz) Winrod, whom he married Aug. 20, 1966; two daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rick (Cynthia) Clifton of Muncie, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. David (Dorothy) Dearth of Canton; three sons and a daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis (Linda) Winrod of Westerville, Gilbert Lindsay of Canton and Terry Witham of Uhrichsville; a sister, Dorothy Harper of West Jefferson; and six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. One brother, Floyd E. Winrod, is deceased.

Services were Wednesday at the Gnadenhutten Moravian Church with Pastor Jim Johnson officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Park, New Philadelphia. Arrangements were handled by Gowins Funeral Home of Gnadenhutten. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County, 125 E. Second St., Dover.

## Sanford H. Steed

Sanford H. Steed, 76, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, formerly of Marlatt Run Road, Newcomerstown, died early Monday evening (March 14, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge following an extended illness.

He was born in Monroe County on Dec. 12, 1917, a son of the late Sanford Wesley Steed and the late Clara Aletha Kysor Steed. He was a retired bricklayer with Goshen Brick, where he was employed for 23 years. He also worked in the maintenance department of Ohio Fabricators in Coshocton for six years before retiring in 1978. Before that, he worked as a file cutter at Simonds Industries in Newcomerstown for several years. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served in Europe during World War II. He was a member of the Woodsfield Church of Christ, where he also taught Sunday School. He enjoyed farming, woodworking, gardening and working with automobile engines.

Mr. Sanford leaves his wife of 55 years, Mary Lu John Steed of Newcomerstown, whom he married Dec. 24, 1938. He also leaves two sons and daughters-in-law, Sanford "Bud" and Mary Steed of Newcomerstown and Arthur and Sandy Steed of New Philadelphia; three daughters and sons-in-law, Marcia and Lonnie Clarkston, Melanie and Jim Mathews and Kimberly and Bruce Lyons, all of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Frances Gray of Woodsfield, Elizabeth McCollum of Canton and Lorraine Steed of Louisville (OH); his mother-in-law, Sarah Alberta John of Newcomerstown; and 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. In addition to his parents, three sisters and a daughter-in-law, Mary A. Steed, are deceased.

Services were Thursday, March 17, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery, with the Newcomerstown Veterans Organizations performing military graveside services. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown.

## Lindsey Marie Booth

Lindsey Marie Booth, two-year-old daughter of Danny and Cheryl (Mirdala) Booth of Cleveland, died Feb. 16, 1994 in the Cleveland Clinic following complications.

She was born in Cleveland on Jan. 19, 1992, and was the twin sister of Sara Booth. She was the granddaughter of Jean Booth (formerly of Newcomerstown), the late Ellis Booth, and Joseph and Joan Mirdala. She was the niece of Pat Bottiglier, Vickie Colombo and Michael Mirdala; a great-niece of Eleanor Hobzek, Betty Hudak, Robert Schroll, James Tufford and Helen Hickman; and a great-great-niece of Alva Hannahs and Izola Fletcher.

Services were Feb. 19 at the Yurich Funeral Home in Parma with the Rev. Alston B. Hall officiating. Interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

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### Howard D. Atha

WORTHINGTON — Howard D. Atha, 73, a native of Newcomerstown, died Thursday (March 10, 1994) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus. He was well-known as an athlete in Newcomerstown, with one son playing football at Ohio State University and another playing football at West Point.

Mr. Atha was chief executive officer for Ohio Energy Assets, Inc., and was a member of the Worthington United Methodist Church. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II in the South Pacific as a fighter pilot aboard aircraft carriers. He was appointed by Gov. James Rhodes to the Ohio Commodores Assn. He was a member of the Presidents' Club at Ohio State University.

Mr. Atha leaves his wife, Yvonne Atha; five sons and daughters-in-law, David and Gay Atha, Richard and Irene Atha, William and Julia Atha, Thomas and Cindy Atha and Robert and Carol Atha; a daughter and son-in-law, Nancy and Steven Forward Sr.; 13 grandchildren; and three sisters, Jane Rice, Georgia Ward and Betty Atha.

Services were Monday, March 14, at the Worthington United Methodist Church with Dr. W. Edge Dixon officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Southwick-Good Funeral Chapel. Contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Central Ohio Diabetes Association or the National Kidney Foundation.

Mar. 30, 1994

### William R. Sagrilla

William R. Sagrilla, 79, of 101 N. High St., Port Washington, formerly of Hopedale, died early Tuesday morning (March 22, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover.

He was born in Witch Hazel, Ohio (Harrison County), on Oct. 16, 1914, a son of the late Charles Sagrilla and the late Emelia Scopel Sagrilla. He was a 1931 graduate of Hopedale High School and attended West Virginia University and Ohio University. He was a retired heavy equipment operator with the Boich Muskingum Mining Company in Zanesville, where he worked for several years before retiring in 1976. Prior to his employment there, he was employed for 17 years by the Consolidated Coal Co. He belonged to the Hopedale Presbyterian Church for 65 years and was a 25-year member of the Unionport Masonic Lodge 333. He also belonged to the United Mine Workers for 55 years. He enjoyed making stained glass windows, wood carvings and collecting Indian artifacts.

Mr. Sagrilla leaves his wife of 55 years, Magdalene "Madge" Roback Sagrilla of Port Washington, whom he married Dec. 24, 1938; two brothers, Ernest Sagrilla of Powell, Wy., and Donald Sagrilla of Columbus; three sisters, Jane Antram of Ottawa, Ill., Albina Virden of Wheeling, W. Va., and Medea Geanangel of Winter Haven, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, John Sagrilla, and two sisters, Madaland Haney and Rena Carson.

Calling hours were held at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown on March 24. Masonic Lodge services were held Friday, March 25, at the Blackburn Funeral Home in Hopedale, where services were held Saturday, March 26, with the Rev. Robert Hildreth officiating. Burial was in the Beach Spring Cemetery in Green Township, Harrison County. The family suggested memorials be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ, P.O. Box 36, Port Washington, OH 43837.

## Bessie I. Callihan

CAMBRIDGE — Bessie I. Callihan, 82, of the Cambridge Health Care Center, died at 11:05 a.m. Monday (March 21, 1994) at the Center.

She was born April 12, 1911, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late William "Bid" and Naomi Abigail Martin Alloway. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, the musicians' union and Ladies' Auxiliary for Eagles Aerie 386.

Mrs. Callihan leaves two sons, William E. Callihan and David L. Callihan, both of Cambridge; three daughters, Barbara Carpenter of Cambridge, Linda Messaros of Vermilion and Evelyn Wilfong of Mansfield; three sisters, Lela Forsythe of Granville, Lura Howell of West Lafayette and Inez Berry of Kimbolton; 20 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; and a sister-in-law, Margaret Reed of Cambridge.

Services were Thursday at the Scott Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Mark Smith officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery. The Eagles' Ladies Auxiliary had services Wednesday at the Scott Funeral Home.

## Darrell D. Davis

Darrell Dean Davis, 48, of 7414 Deersville Ave. Ext. SE, Uhrichsville, died Friday in Twin City Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born at Dennison on Aug. 8, 1945, a son of the late John "Bucky" and Florence Mae Goshorn Davis. He was a life-long resident of the area. He was a coal miner, disabled in 1978 at the Y&O Coal Co. He was a Navy veteran of the Vietnam War and was a member of the Uhrichsville Army-Navy Club.

Mr. Davis leaves a friend, Carla Abel of Dennison; three daughters, Mrs. Scott (Donna) Moody of Dennison, Mrs. Leroy (Tina) Page of the home, and Mariah H. Davis of Uhrichsville; a son, Darrell D. Davis Jr., of Bowerston; three brothers, James Davis and John Davis Jr. of Uhrichsville and Robert Davis of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Mrs. Larry (Mary) Ott of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Gary (Bonnie) Eberhart of Cadiz and Mrs. Raymond (Donnie) Jones of Peebles; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by three sisters and three brothers.

Services were to be Tuesday at the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Home in Dennison with the Rev. Ed Beale officiating. Burial was to be in Union Cemetery at Uhrichsville.

## Craig R. King

Craig R. King, 42, of 6272 Williams Road SW, Newcomerstown, died Sunday (March 20, 1994) following a brief illness.

He was born May 29, 1951, at Coshocton, son of Harry J. and Virginia Taylor King of Newcomerstown. He was a 1969 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Vietnam War. He was employed as a maintenance technician at Union Camp, Dover.

In addition to his parents, he leaves his wife, Beulah Keith King, whom he married Oct. 19, 1991; one daughter, Courtney King of West Lafayette; a son, Seth King of West Lafayette; a stepson, Jeff Keith of Newcomerstown; two sisters, Vickie King and Gina Bond, both of Newcomerstown; a brother, Terry A. King of Coshocton; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Hildreth officiating. Military graveside services were conducted by Newcomerstown veteran organizations at Kings Church Cemetery.

## Boyton E. Shearrow

WEST LAFAYETTE — Boyton E. Shearrow, 72, of 209 N. Kirk St., died Monday (March 21, 1994) at Bethesda Hospital in Zanesville following a brief illness.

He was born Feb. 12, 1922, at Cambridge, son of the late Glenn and Emma Smith Shearrow. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He worked at a naval gun factory in Washington D.C. before the war. From 1948-59, he worked with his father in the coal hauling business. He and his wife also dispatched calls for the West Lafayette police and fire departments for 17 years. He was a life member of the Disabled American Veterans and a member of the West Lafayette Post of the American Legion.

Mr. Shearrow leaves his wife, Catherine Shearrow, whom he married May 6, 1943; a son, Raymond E. Shearrow of West Lafayette; a daughter, Mrs. Ken (Ruth) Brenneman of West Lafayette; a brother, Raymond C. Shearrow of Las Vegas, Nev.; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Amy.

Services were Thursday at the First Baptist Church in West Lafayette with the Rev. Kregg Burris and the Rev. James Puz officiating. Military graveside services were conducted by the Coshocton County Veterans Council in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association. Arrangements were handled by the Given-Dawson Funeral Home.

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### **Charles L. Grove**

Charles L. Grove, 75, of Laurelville, formerly of the Newcomerstown area, died March 4, 1994, in Hocking Valley Hospital at Logan.

He was born March 29, 1918, in Bremen, a son of Cleason and Harriet Hodges Grove. He was an Air Force veteran of World War II and was retired from the Zayre Corp.

Mr. Grove leaves his wife, Eva Murphy Grove; a niece and her husband, Donna and Bill Drury of Carroll; and a great-nephew, Joe Drury.

Services were March 8 at Wellman Funeral Home in Laurelville with Pastor Dan Shepherd officiating. Graveside services were held at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's favorite charity.

### **Robert W. Miller**

Robert W. Miller, 89, of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, formerly of 16095 Kedigh Hollow Road, Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (March 23, 1994) in the emergency room at Coshocton Memorial Hospital.

He was born Feb. 2, 1905, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Porteus and Philessa Booth Miller. He retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in 1967.

Mr. Miller was preceded in death by his wife, Norma Eggleston Miller, on Feb. 3, 1981. They had been married on Sept. 8, 1928. Also deceased are a son, George Miller; a brother, Carl Miller; and a granddaughter.

Mr. Miller leaves six sons, The Rev. Fr. Wayne Miller of Columbus, Earl and Ben Miller, both of Stockton, Calif., Jim Miller of Montana, Ronny Miller of Uhrichsville and Patrick Miller of Newcomerstown; five daughters, Carol Roe of Cody, Wyo., Ann Willison of Bloomington, Ind., Sandra Pugh of Washington (state), Rita Massey of Joliet, Mont., and Stephanie Jo Miller of Newcomerstown; three brothers, Ellis Miller of Port Washington, Herb Miller of Newcomerstown and Art Miller of Reynoldsburg; and 23 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Fr. Wayne Miller officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Penny Zurcher-Tuscarawas County Division, 1822 Pleasant Valley Road, New Philadelphia, OH 44663; or to the American Diabetes Association, Region IV, 225 W. Exchange St., Akron, OH 44302-1793.

### **Ruthann Dixon Bassett**

Ruthann (Dixon) Bassett, 57, of 3120 Corkwood St., Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, died Saturday, March 12, 1994, due to complications from heart by-pass surgery.

She was formerly from Newcomerstown and was a 1955 graduate of Newcomerstown High School. She was an Auxiliary member of the VFW and the Eagles and a past volunteer at the Hobe Sound Manor Nursing Home in Florida.

Mrs. Bassett leaves her husband, Charles (Ed) Bassett, whom she married 33 years ago; a daughter, Conya, and granddaughter, Kelly Ann, both of Palm Beach Gardens; and two sisters, Elanor Flory and Marjorie Dixon, both of Troy, Ohio.

A memorial mass was held at St. Clare's Catholic Church in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida.

## C. Dale Arnold

UHRICHSVILLE — C. Dale Arnold, 63, of 3675 Watson Creek Road SE (Rush Township), Uhrichsville, died Saturday, April 9, at Twin City Hospital in Dennison of complications following a heart attack he suffered one week ago.

He was born July 19, 1930, the son of the late John W. Arnold and the late Clara Edwards Arnold. He was a retired part-owner of the former Arnold-Ferguson Timber Co. and was a former trustee for Rush Twp. He was an avid horse and pony puller for many years and was chairman for many years of the National Clay Week horse and pony pull.

Mr. Arnold leaves his wife, Doris J. West Arnold, whom he married May 6, 1948; two daughters, Mrs. Jerry (Patricia) Wilson of Newcomerstown and Mrs. David (Shirley) Beckett of Uhrichsville; five sons, Edward Arnold of Gnadenhutten and Roger D. Arnold, Glenn W. Arnold, Jerry L. Arnold and Paul L. Arnold, all of Uhrichsville; two sisters, Mrs. William (Edythe) Clarke and Mrs. Vona Kinsey, both of Uhrichsville; a brother, Floyd Arnold of Port Washington; and 16 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Jack L. Arnold, who died in 1983; a sister, Hazel White; and four brothers, Robert Arnold, Raymond Arnold, Gene Arnold and Earl Arnold. In addition, one brother and one sister died in infancy.

Services were to be Tuesday, April 12, at 1 p.m. at the Uhrich-Hostetler Funeral Home in Uhrichsville with the Rev. Blair Rorabaugh officiating. Burial was to be in Rush Cemetery in Rush Twp.

## Harold G. Schupp

Harold G. Schupp, 71, of 482 Lock Seventeen Road SW, Gnadenhutten, died Thursday (April 7, 1994) at his residence following a lengthy illness.

He was born at Gnadenhutten on Nov. 29, 1922, a son of the late William and Laura Miller Schupp. He was a lifelong resident of the area and retired from the former Belden Brick Plant at Port Washington in 1981 following 22 years of service. He served in the Army during World War II. An avid gardener, he loved working in his yard and taking long rides in the country.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, the former Beulah M. Miller, on Aug. 31, 1970. They had been married in August of 1944. Also deceased are a son, two sisters and a brother.

Mr. Schupp leaves three daughters, Mrs. Alva (Barbara) Cox and Marian Schupp of Lock Seventeen and Mrs. Rick (Connie) Bouscher Jr. of New Philadelphia; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, Edgar Schupp of Route 36, Gnadenhutten.

Services were Saturday at the Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenhutten with the Pastor Robert M. Gadfield officiating. Burial was in Gnadenhutten Cemetery. The family asked that any memorials be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County.

## Harvey A. Buker

Harvey A. Buker, 83, of Altamonte Springs, Fla., died Thursday, March 17, 1994, at a Florida hospital.

He was born Oct. 22, 1910, in West Lafayette, son of the late John Ross and Emma (Duff) Buker. He moved to Florida in 1975 after retiring as chief engineer at Jones Metal. He was a member of Masonic Lodge 602 in West Lafayette and was a 32nd Degree Mason in Cambridge. He was also a lifetime member of Skyway Gun Club and was a Rotarian.

Mr. Buker leaves a son, Harvey A. Buker Jr., two grandsons and four great-grandchildren, all of Newcomerstown; two nieces, Mrs. John (Mildred) King and Mrs. Harold (Betty) Haver, both of Newcomerstown. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lorna, one brother and two sisters.

The cremains were buried in Memorial Park Cemetery in St. Petersburg, Fla., on March 29. Memorial contributions may be made to the Cancer Fund.

## Florence Bowers

Mrs. Florence E. Bowers, 89, of 1202 E. Walnut St., Oglesby, and formerly of Tonica, Ill., died at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 22, 1994, at Illinois Valley Community Hospital in Peru, shortly after arrival.

She was born in Bakersville, Ohio, on Sept. 10, 1904, a daughter of Charles and Isabel (Davis) Lorenz. She married Charles Bowers on June 30, 1925. He died April 12, 1975. She was a member of the Tonica United Methodist Church and taught Sunday School for 25 years. She was a member of the Tonica Rebeccah Lodge and held many local and state offices.

Mrs. Bowers leaves a daughter, Mrs. Herman (Arlene) Gandolfi of Oglesby; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one brother, Raymond Lorenz of West Lafayette; and two sisters, Tessie Fair of Cleveland and Wilma Shaw of Newcomerstown.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Glenn Bowers.

Services were held in the Hurst Funeral Home in Tonica with Dr. Robert N. Sanders of the Tonica United Methodist Church officiating. Graveside services were held at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions may be made to the donor's choice.

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### June E. Coutts

June E. Coutts, 72, a resident of Buckhorn Village Apartments, Newcomerstown, died early Saturday morning (April 2, 1994) at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following a brief illness.

She was born in Dennison on Nov. 14, 1921, a daughter of the late James Shivers and the late Gladys Strain Shivers. She was a 1940 graduate of Coshocton High School. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown, Newcomerstown Women of the Moose Chapter 29, Newcomerstown Senior Citizens and the Tuscarawas County Humane Society. She was a homemaker all her life.

Mrs. Coutts was preceded in death by her husband, Woodrow W. Coutts, on May 25, 1972. They had been married on June 22, 1940.

Mrs. Coutts leaves two daughters, Linda R. Schwarzer of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Ed (Vickie) Bussard of West Lafayette; a son, Woody C. Coutts of Arlington, Va.; a brother, James Shivers Jr. of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mrs. Lorin (Dorothy) Brown of Newcomerstown; six grandchildren, Raymond Schwarzer of Newcomerstown, Loretta Kogelman of Jacksonville, Fla., Mark Schwarzer of Newcomerstown, Matthew Schwarzer with the U.S. Navy in San Francisco, Britt Bussard of West Lafayette and Amanda Bussard of West Lafayette; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services and burial were held Tuesday, April 5, at West Lawn Cemetery, Newcomerstown, with the Rev. Glenn Brunstetter officiating. The Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled the arrangements. The family suggested memorials be made to the Tuscarawas County Humane Society, P.O. Box 92, New Philadelphia, or the Coshocton County Humane Society, Morgan Run Road, Coshocton.

Apr. 20, 1994

### Anna May Hrometz

Anna May Hrometz, 81, of 6152 E. State Road, Newcomerstown, formerly of West Lafayette and Sandyville, died Sunday morning (April 10, 1994) at her home following an apparent heart attack.

She was born Jan. 5, 1913, at Sandyville, daughter of the late Charles L. Stahleker and the late Mary Elizabeth Siber Stahleker. She was a former inspector with Timken Roller Bearings in Canton and was a homemaker. She was a member of the Tuscarawas County Farm Bureau and was a former member of Grace Lutheran Church in Sandyville. She enjoyed collecting recipes, cooking and reading.

Mrs. Hrometz leaves her husband, George C. Hrometz, whom she married Aug. 30, 1937; a son, George C. Hrometz Jr., of Amarillo, Texas; two granddaughters, Nancy Bartlett of Eden, N.C., and Jennifer Hrometz of Stoneville, N.C.; and two great-granddaughters, Denise and Amanda Bartlett. She is the last member of the Charles and Mary Stahleker family, preceded in death by three sisters, Esther Becker, Florence McFeeders and Ruth Ellison; and two brothers, Monroe Stahleker and Calvin Stahleker.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at West Lawn Cemetery with the Rev. Frank Conley officiating. Ourant Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

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### Wesley Alan Porter

Wesley Alan Porter, 15, of 1679 Durango Court, Powell, Ohio, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Friday (April 8, 1994) at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus.

He was born June 23, 1978, at Dover, son of Thomas Alan Porter and Mrs. William (Donna Kohl) Willis of Powell. He was a freshman at Worthington Kilburne High School and a member of Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown. He was very active with the Boy Scouts and was a member of its Order of Arrow.

In addition to his parents, he leaves a brother and sister, Eric and Kristen Willis, both of the home; his grandparents, Donald and Janice Kohl of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Velma Porter of West Chester; great-grandparents, Mrs. Carma Rogers of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Gladys Kohl of West Lafayette. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, the Rev. James Porter.

Services were Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

### James Ross Sr.

James Ross Sr., 94, of 5711 Rustic Lane, Newcomerstown, died Thursday (April 7, 1994) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a short illness.

He was born Feb. 10, 1900, at Guernsey, son of the late Albert F. and Florence O. Smith Ross. He was a self-employed logger for many years and worked at the Tuscarawas County Landmark in Newcomerstown. He was a Methodist.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Goldie B. Gray Ross, who died March 12, 1990; a son, Wayne C. Ross; and two brothers and three sisters.

Mr. Ross leaves a son, James Ross of Newcomerstown; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wayne (Norma) Ross of Kimbolton; six grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Monday, April 11, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Newcomerstown Lions Club, 623 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832; or to Christ United Methodist Church, 648 Oak St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

### Marjorie T. Stone

KIMBOLTON — Marjorie T. Stone, 75, of 337 Main St., Kimbolton, died Monday (April 11, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge.

She was born Jan. 6, 1919, at Kimbolton, a daughter of the late Charles T. and Mildred Alloway Rose. She was a homemaker and attended Kimbolton United Methodist Church. She also was a former member of Liberty Grange.

Mrs. Stone leaves three sons, Kenneth W. Mathews of Cambridge, Donald Rose and Roger Stone, both of Newcomerstown; three brothers, Raymond Rose of Kimbolton, Charles L. Rose of Port Washington and William G. Rose of Cambridge; four sisters, Lela Ridens and Bessie Clarkston, both of Anchorage, Alaska, Carolyn Eckelberry of Newcomerstown and Mabel Montgomery of Cambridge; 10 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a brother and two sisters.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in Kimbolton Cemetery.

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### Margaret Wilson

Margaret O. Wilson, 84, formerly of Columbus, died Sunday (April 17, 1994) at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown. She had been a resident there since 1988.

She was born Nov. 28, 1909, in Ouray, Colorado, the daughter of the late Clayton and Cliffie O. Windom. She was a member of the Southeast Christian Church in Columbus, the Order of Eastern Star, Ladies of Oriental Shrine Thea Court and 5, Jolly Timers, Golden Leaf, the Ohio National Guard Officers.

Mrs. Wilson leaves a stepson, Chalmers R. Wilson III, his wife Jerri and their three children; a step-grandson, Ross Allen Wilson and his daughter, Jami Lynn; a step-grandson Mark Wilson, his wife Laura and their son, Aaron; a step-granddaughter, Pam Sommer, her husband Dick and their children, Mechelle and Christopher; a niece, Margaret M. (Bland) Croy and her husband, Sam, of Warsaw; a nephew, Walter C. Bland, his wife, Molly, and daughters Mechelle and Cathy of Columbus.

Services were at the Evans Funeral Home in Columbus on Thursday, April 21, with the Rev. Fred Ketner officiating. Burial was in Pataskala Cemetery in Pataskala. Local arrangements were handled by the Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

### Betty J. Morgan

Betty J. Williams Morgan, 69, of Buckhorn Village Apartments, died Tuesday (April 19, 1994) at Akron City Hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born Jan. 31, 1925, in Akron and lived in the Akron area most of her life. She lived in Newcomerstown for the past four years and was a member of the Newcomerstown Moose Club, the American Legion and VFW 2040 of Coshocton.

Mrs. Morgan was preceded in death by her husband, Duane; her parents, John and Ada Williams; and a sister, Marion Kosier.

She leaves a brother, Maurice Williams of Naples, Fla., and seven sisters, Arlene Larue, Jacqueline Reed, Mary Crawford and Gloria Magrell, all of Akron; Lois Myers and Laura Dewalt of Lake Worth, Fla.; and Frances Neal of Tallmadge.

Services were Friday at the Hopkins-Lawver Funeral Home in Akron with Pastor Joseph Serbin officiating. Burial was in the Ragersville Cemetery.

### E. Irene Mason

E. Irene Mason, 66, of 229 W. Railroad St., West Lafayette, died at 2:57 p.m. Friday (April 22, 1994) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient for four days.

She was born Aug. 30, 1927, in Bloomfield, Indiana, a daughter of the late Harvey and Eva Faye (Flory) Higgins. She was a member of the West Lafayette Church of Christ.

Mrs. Mason leaves her husband, Lee L. Mason, whom she married Nov. 29, 1944; a stepson, Paul Mason of Masury, Ohio; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Delores Porter of Bloomfield, Indiana, and Barbara Sullivan of Spencer, Indiana; and several nieces and nephews. A sister, Thelma McIntosh, is also deceased.

Services were to be Tuesday, April 26, at 1 p.m. at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with Evangelist Robert Main officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette.



Apr. 27, 1994

### **Helen H. Rogers**

Helen H. Rogers, 77, of Pinellas Park, Florida, died Tuesday (April 12, 1994) at her home.

She was born in East Liverpool and moved from Boardman to Florida in 1984. A homemaker, she was a member of the First Methodist Church of Pinellas Park, American Legion Post 104, and the Women's Club of Mainlands.

She leaves her husband of 51 years, James Rogers; a daughter, Linda S. Musselwhite of Lakewhales, Fla.; a son, James Terry Rogers of Wooster; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held at Memorial Park Funeral Home in St. Petersburg, Fla.

### **Eva Blair Walter**

Eva Blair Walter, 89, of Beegully Oaks, Ohio, died Wednesday (April 13, 1994) following a long illness.

She was born April 23, 1903, in Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Albert M. Blair and the late Frances E. Murphy Blair. She was a 1929 graduate of Kent State University and attended Westminster College. She was a member of the Methodist Women Society and Esther Circle of Board United Methodist Church, the Boardman Education Association, National Association of Teachers, Ohio Education Association, National Education Association, National Association of Retired Teachers and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Mrs. Walter leaves her husband, John F. Walter, whom she married July 28, 1929; a daughter, Mrs. Lavonne Roscoe of Columbus; a son, Jack Walter of Sherborn, Mass.; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a brother, Clifford Blair of Dover. Three sisters are deceased, Mrs. Clara Beal, Mrs. Forest Taylor and Mrs. Mary Carruthers.

Her parents were descendants of pioneer families, coming from Virginia and Pennsylvania in the early 1800's and served in the American Revolution.

Services were April 16 at the Davis Funeral Home in Youngstown with the Rev. John Buchanan officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the donor's choice.

### **John A. Olinger**

John A. Olinger, 58, of 839 Northview St., Coshocton, died Sunday (April 17, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born March 20, 1936, in New Bedford, the son of the late Harvey A. and Sarilla (McNabb) Olinger. He attended Coshocton High School and retired April 10, 1992, as a staff sergeant of the 214th Maintenance Company of the Army National Guard of Ohio, following 20 years of service. He was a 37-year employee of Pretty Products, a press operator for 34 years and an order assembler for three years until becoming disabled in October, 1993. He was a member of Park United Methodist Church and AmVets Post 36 in Coshocton.

Mr. Olinger leaves his wife, Mary K. Foster Olinger, whom he married June 29, 1957; a sister, Christena Mobley of Delaware; and four nephews and a niece.

Services were Wednesday, April 20, at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. William J. Moran officiating. Burial was in Prairie Chapel Cemetery, with military honors by the Ohio National Guard and the Coshocton County Veterans Council.

May 4, 1994

### Hazel G. Norman

Hazel G. Norman, 83, of 12749 Lick Run Road, Newcomerstown, died Thursday (April 28, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

She was born Dec. 28, 1910, at Newcomerstown, daughter of the late Ezra and Carry McPeak Huff. She was a 1927 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and a graduate of Coshocton Business College. She was a homemaker and a member of the Assembly of God at Coshocton.

Mrs. Norman was preceded in death by her husband, Albert M. Norman, on April 28, 1963. A brother, Robert Huff, is also deceased.

She leaves three sons, Robert Paul Norman of Newark, David R. Norman of Newcomerstown and Daniel L. Norman of Eugene, Oregon; a daughter, Mrs. Dale LaVon Ausherman of LaVern, Calif.; a sister, Ethel Hogue of North Salem; 10 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Damron officiating. Burial was in the East State Street Cemetery.

### Blanche J. Simmons

Blanche J. Simmons, 84, of Freeport R.D. 1, died Saturday (April 16, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born Feb. 12, 1910, at Spencer, W.Va., daughter of the late French and Cora Westfall Phillips. She was a homemaker and a Sunday School teacher for many years at Clearfork Baptist Church.

Mrs. Simmons leaves her husband, Ernest Simmons; a son, Ralph Simmons of Gnadenhutten; a daughter, Mrs. Levi (Lorrene) Fausnight of Birds Run; seven grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and a great-great-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by two brothers, two sisters, a granddaughter and a great-granddaughter.

Services were Tuesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jim Ohde and the Rev. Ralph Bichard officiating. Burial was in Clearfork Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Clearfork Baptist Church, 15121 Freedom Road, Kimbolton, OH 43749; or the Living Memorial Program at Guernsey Memorial Hospital, P.O. Box 610, Cambridge, OH 43725.

### Gerald E. Mardis

May 11, 1994

Gerald E. "Butch" Mardis, 50, of 16686 Johnson Hill Road SW, Newcomerstown, formerly of Coshocton, died Sunday (May 1, 1994) at his home following a brief illness. He was a former resident of Coshocton.

He was born June 14, 1943, in Oxford Twp., Tuscarawas County, a son of the late Muriel Mardis and Goldie Moore Mardis Markley. He was a self-employed roofer, painter, carpenter and plumber for many years and was a former employee of Valley Concrete, Coshocton. He enjoyed working on cars.

Mr. Mardis leaves his wife, Barbara A. Martin Mardis, whom he married Aug. 18, 1985; four sons and three daughters-in-law, Gary and Lisa Mardis, Vernon and Lynn Mardis and Robert Mardis, all of Coshocton, and Richard and Lynn Mardis of West Lafayette; four daughters and a son-in-law, Cheryl and Mark Walters, Mary Ann Hewison, Amanda Mardis and Nicki Mardis, all of Coshocton; three stepdaughters, Jennifer and Amy Jones, both of Newcomerstown, and Stephanie Eckelberry of West Lafayette; a stepson, Jason Guinther of Coshocton; three sisters, Bonnie Weingarth and Mrs. Irvin (Peggy) Bradford, both of West Lafayette, and Mrs. Hayden (Marie) Roahrig of Guernsey; a brother and his wife, Roy and Maureen Mardis of Fresno; 14 grandchildren; and one step-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, George, Muriel and Vernon Mardis; three sisters, Mary Markley, Martha Ousley and Jo Anne Mulford; and a stepbrother, Don Markley.

Services were at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Joe H. Hill officiating. Burial was to be held at the family's convenience in Everal's Cemetery, Coshocton County. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County, 125 E. Second St., Dover, OH 44622.

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## Mother passes away day after son's death

It was the week leading up to Mother's Day, but for the family of Althea B. Braniger, it was a week of sadness.

Mrs. Braniger, 90, 21858 Twp. Road 257, Newcomerstown, died Thursday, May 5, at 9:15 p.m. at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, just one day after the death of her son, Lewis "Bud" Braniger, 65, of 21746 Oxford Twp. Road 257, West Lafayette.

Mrs. Braniger was born Oct. 24, 1903, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late John Ira Schumaker and the late Sarah M. Lorenz Schumaker. She was a housewife and was a member of the Isleta United Methodist Church, the United Methodist Women, the Blue Ridge Grange and was a 50-year member of the Farm Bureau Council 3A.

In addition to her son, she was preceded in death by her husband, George Braniger, who died June 28, 1969. They had been married on Nov. 10, 1923. A great-granddaughter, Angela Hallet and one brother are also deceased.

Mrs. Braniger leaves a son, George Braniger Jr. of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Mrs. Harold (Kathleen) Swigert of Newcomerstown; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were Monday at the Isleta United Methodist Church with the Rev. Paul Gerycz officiating. Burial was in the Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette. The Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled the arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the Isleta United Methodist Church, 58608 Coshocton County Road 9, Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

**LEWIS F. "BUD" BRANIGER**, 65, of 21746 Oxford Twp. Road 257, died Wednesday (May 4, 1994) at his home at 4:45 a.m. after a lengthy illness.

He was born May 29, 1928, at New Philadelphia, son of Mrs. Althea Schumaker Braniger of Newcomerstown and the late George Braniger Sr. He was a 1946 graduate of West Lafayette High School and was a lifetime carpenter in Coshocton County. He was a member of Isleta United Methodist Church and the Carpenters Union. He was a past president of the West Lafayette Lions Club, the West Lafayette Chamber of Commerce, the Ridgewood Board of Education and was also a member of the Newcomerstown Elks Lodge and Blue Ridge Grange.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Harriett Ann Elliott Braniger, in 1980. They had been married in 1946.

Mr. Braniger leaves his wife, Evelyn Gehrke Salvage Braniger, whom he married in 1982; two sons, Randall Braniger of West Lafayette and Chad Braniger of Bradenton, Fla.; a daughter, Mrs. Willie (Brenda) Hayes of Cambridge; a stepson, Richard Salvage of Granville; three stepdaughters, Sue Salvage of Houston, Texas, Evelyn Richcreek of Roscoe and Pamela Salvage of Columbus; a brother, George Braniger Jr. of Newcomerstown; a sister, Kathleen Swigert of Newcomerstown; and seven grandchildren, four step-grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Services were Saturday at the Isleta United Methodist Church with the Rev. Paul Gerycz officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette. Memorial contributions may be made to Isleta United Methodist Church or Hospice of Coshocton County. Arrangements were handled by Given-Dawson Funeral Home.

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### John V. Harding

DOVER — John V. "Jake" Harding, 74, of 511 Evergreen Drive, Dover, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Monday (May 2, 1994) at the Hennis Care Center following a lengthy illness.

He was born Aug. 29, 1919, in Newcomerstown, a son of the late Harvey A. and Ethel Brown Harding. He retired Jan. 3, 1972, after 27 years with the Ohio Power Co. in Canton. He was a member of the Isleta United Methodist Church, the YOAC Sunday School Class and the Ohio Power Retirees. He was an Army veteran, serving during World War II, and was an avid golfer.

Mr. Harding leaves his wife, Grace E. Chapman Harding, whom he married Feb. 15, 1948; two sons and daughters-in-law, Jon and Sheila Harding of Dover and Wesley and Sarita Harding of Waverly, W.Va.; one daughter, Mrs. Bob (Amy) Haver, who is serving with the Peace Corps in Masera Lesotha, South Africa; two brothers, Orlan Harding of Newcomerstown and Paul Harding of New Philadelphia; five grandchildren, Ryan, Eric, Bryan and Heather Harding and Kimberly Gentry; and one great-granddaughter, Brittany Gentry. He was preceded in death by a brother, Lester Harding, and a sister, Hazel V. Harding.

Services were Thursday at the Toland-Herzig Funeral Home in Dover with the Rev. W. Eric Walch officiating. Burial was in the Dover Burial Park.

### Nora E. Hall

Nora E. Hall, 91, of 520 Atascocita Road H 20, Humble, Texas, formerly of West Lafayette, died Saturday (April 30, 1994) in the Northeast Medical Center in Humble following a long illness.

She was born April 4, 1903, in Washington County, Pa., the daughter of the late James J. and Sara M. McBride Walker. Her husband, Lester Hall, whom she married March 10, 1923, died on May 19, 1967.

Mrs. Hall leaves a son, Wayne Hall of Newcomerstown; a daughter, Joan Parsons of Humble, Texas; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by three sisters and five brothers.

Services were Wednesday, May 4, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Don Gilmore officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette.

### Frances L. Berry

Frances L. Berry, 85, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, formerly of 607 Mulvane Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (April 29, 1994) at Riverside Manor.

She was born April 7, 1909, in Wheeling Twp., Guernsey County, daughter of the late Wesley J. Moore and Mary Belle Rose Moore. She was a former employee of Heller Brothers Tool Co. and Judy Farms, both Newcomerstown. She was also involved in the meat processing and packaging business for several years. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene, the Lady's Bible Class and was active with the children's Bible Class. She was secretary of the Missionary Society for several years.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Berry was preceded in death by her husband, James Berry, on Nov. 18, 1975. They were married in September, 1943. A son-in-law, Roy H. Sweitzer, died in 1982, while also deceased are a great-granddaughter, Michelle Meek, and two stepsisters. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Charles (Jean Sweitzer) Marlatt of Newcomerstown and Mrs. John (Doris) Isaacson of Blaine, Minn.; a sister, Margaret Miskimen of New Brighton, Pa.; eight grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and eight great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown with Pastor Mark Lail officiating. Burial was in Earley's Cemetery, Guernsey County. Memorial contributions may be made to the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene, 363 Neighbor St., Newcomerstown, OH

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Georgette E. Noel Grewell, 69, a resident of the West Lafayette Care Center, formerly of 57745 Coshocton Co. Road 5, West Lafayette, died Sunday evening at the Care Center following a lengthy illness, but there are people who lived because of her efforts during World War II.

She was born in Liege, Belgium, on May 26, 1924, a daughter of the late Florimont Noel and the late Marie Ditieste Noel. She attended school in Belgium and received a citation from the King of Belgium for her work with the Belgium underground during World War II. She met her husband, Elmer W. Grewell, while he was in the service and they were married May 28, 1946.

As a teenager, Georgette Noel and her sister, Suzanne, spent two weeks in a Nazi holding camp before being released to work in a gun factory for the Nazi's. When they refused, they went into hiding for approximately two years, hiding in barns and with other families. During this time, Georgette also helped deliver food to Jewish families which were also in hiding.

After the war ended, Mr. Grewell was in Belgium with the U.S. Army and met his future wife on a blind date arranged by a friend who was dating Georgette's sister Suzanne. Mr. Grewell moved back to the West Lafayette area in August of 1946, with Georgette following in September. She was a homemaker for all her adult life and enjoyed crocheting, sewing, gardening and woodcrafts.

Mrs. Grewell leaves two sons and a daughter-in-law, Dan and Sue Grewell of Coshocton and David A. Grewell of Waterbury, Conn.; a daughter and son in law, Melody and George Sharrock of Coshocton; a sister, Suzanne Martins of Liege, Belgium; and five grandchildren. In addition to her parents, one half-sister is deceased.

Mrs. Grewell's daughter, Melody Sharrock, said her mother didn't talk very much about her war experiences.

"She talked about throwing a bucket of water on the feet of a German guard at the (holding camp)," Mrs. Sharrock said. "She said she saw a Jewish woman kicked to death in the street by German soldiers and said she saw a trainload of dead bodies going through Liege." While she was working with the Resistance movement and was on the run, she sometimes had to sleep in barns beside cows to keep warm.

Services for Mrs. Grewell were Wednesday, May 11, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. James M. Stuller officiating. Burial was at the Coshocton County Memory Gardens.



### WORKED FOR UNDERGROUND

Mrs. Elmer (Georgette Noel) Grewell, shown left above and in her wedding photograph at the right, was a Resistance fighter for the Belgium underground movement during World War II against the Nazis. Mrs. Grewell and her sister, Suzanne Martin (right in the photo above), were part of the underground for two years after refusing to work in a Nazi gun factory in Liege, Belgium.

**Area woman was part of Belgium underground**

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## Robert William Gray

Robert William Gray, 59, of 735 E. State St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (May 15, 1994) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison after collapsing while playing basketball at the Port Washington gymnasium.

He was born March 5, 1935, at Port Washington, son of the late J. William and Anola Welsch Gray. He was a 1953 graduate of Port Washington High School and attended Kent State University. He was a salesman at Chuck Nicholson Pontiac, Dover. He was a member of Christ United Methodist Church and sang in the church choir. An Eagle Scout, he was a former scoutmaster of Troop 429. He was an Army veteran.

Mr. Gray leaves his wife, Marion Brinkman Gray, whom he married Jan. 20, 1970; five sons, David Gray of New Philadelphia, John Gray of Cambridge, Joe Gray of New Philadelphia, Tom Gray of Newcomerstown and Nathan Gray of the home; a daughter, Jennine Gray of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Daniel (Evelyn) Mathias of New Philadelphia, Mrs. Russell (Betty) Groves of Canton and Mrs. Adrian (Janet) Endlich of Port Washington; five grandsons, Ben, Cody, Michael, Eric and Taylor; a sister-in-law, Doris Gray of Newcomerstown; and his former wife, Myra T. Gray of Newcomerstown.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Vernon, and a son, Robert. Services were Wednesday at Christ United Methodist Church in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in Ridgecrest Memory Gardens at Dover. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown. Memorial contributions may be made to the Schoenbrunn Valley Barbershop Chorus, Dover Chapter, in care of Floyd E. Lane, 971 Goshen Hill Road SE, New Philadelphia, OH 44663-7761.

## Flora Stoffer

Flora Stoffer, 94, of 71872 Old 21 Road, Kimbolton, died Monday (May 16, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge.

She was born Aug. 27, 1899, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late George Harmon and Carrie Triplett Clary. She was a member of Irish Ridge United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Stoffer was preceded in death by her husband, Clancy Stoffer, in 1982; a daughter, Ruth Fleming; and three sisters and a brother. She leaves a son, George Stoffer of North Salem; a daughter, Fay Imogene Shaw of Lakeside, Calif.; six grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; a great-great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Thursday at the Scott Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Ted Peters officiating. Burial was at the Irish Ridge Cemetery.

## Doris L. Glazier

Doris L. Glazier, 70, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, and a former resident of Gnadenhutten, died late Saturday morning at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge after a short illness.

She was born in Clay Township, Tuscarawas County on Oct. 13, 1923, a daughter of the late Roy Daniel and Myrtle Florence Wolf Glazier. She operated a leather shop in her Gnadenhutten home for many years and was a co-founder of "Our Masters" Braille Service Unit for Tuscarawas County. She was on the Tuscarawas County Welfare Advisory Board for several years. She was a member of the Birmingham United Methodist Church and attended the adult Sunday School class. She enjoyed crocheting, chair caning, writing and making Christmas wreaths.

Mrs. Glazier leaves an adopted daughter, Mrs. Frank (Nellie) Hursey of Newcomerstown; six grandchildren, Harold "Pete" Hunt of Newcomerstown, Gary Hunt of New Philadelphia, Bill Hunt of West Lafayette, Forest "Frosty" Hunt of Newcomerstown, Roxene Seevers of Newcomerstown and Kimberly Wenger of New Philadelphia; 10 great-grandchildren; an aunt, Mary Welsch of Newark; and several cousins, nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, two brothers and a great-grandson, Randy Hunt, are deceased.

Services were Tuesday, May 10, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Patricia Spriggel, the Rev. Ralph Bichard and the Rev. Linda Wilson officiating. Burial was in the Gnadenhutten Clay-Union Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the Newcomerstown Lions Club sight-saving fund.

## Norman Lerenman

Norman Lerenman, 86, of 1336 Bayview Drive, Clearwater, Florida, died April 10, 1994, in the Clearwater Health Care and Rehabilitation Center.

He started in business in Newcomerstown in 1924 and lived here for many years. He was a life member of the Newcomerstown Elks Lodge.

He was born in Columbus, Ohio, and moved to Clearwater from New Philadelphia, where he owned the former Norman's Clothing Store.

Mr. Lerenman leaves his wife of 22 years, the former Catherine Evans of New Philadelphia; a sister, Dorothy Lerenman of Erie, Pa.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were in Erie, Pa., with Rhodes Funeral Directors and Druid Chapel at Clearwater handling the arrangements.

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## Ruth G. Beal

Ruth G. Beal, 69, of 430 W. High Ave., New Philadelphia, formerly of Newcomerstown, died early Thursday evening at the Wade Park V.A. Hospital in Cleveland following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Coshocton County on Sept. 28, 1924, a daughter of the late Warner J. Mackey, who died in 1972, and the late Nettie M. Pope Mackey, who died in 1993. She was a 1942 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was a veteran of the U.S. Army Women's Corps, serving during World War II. She was employed at the former Luncheonette Restaurant in Newcomerstown for many years and was a member of the Newcomerstown election board.

Mrs. Beal was preceded in death by her husband, Claude H. Beal Sr., who died in 1985; and two sons, Claude H. Beal Jr. in 1953 and Jeffrey D. Beal.

She leaves two sons and their wives, Robert and Pamela Courtright of Gnadenhutten and James and Holly Beal of New Philadelphia; two daughters and one son-in-law, Carey and Pamela Jurin of Bellevue, Neb., and Ms. Penny Beal of New Philadelphia; a brother, Earl F. Mackey of Las Vegas, Nev.; a sister, Irene Martin, of Las Vegas; and 10 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Services were Monday, May 16, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Evangelist Charles Newell officiating. Burial was to be in Everal's Cemetery in Coshocton County. The family suggested memorials be made to the American Lung Association.

## Carl L. Covic

Carl L. Covic, 72, of 489 W. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (May 12, 1994) at his home.

He was born May 5, 1922, in Tuscarawas County, the son of the late Andrew H. and Mary Elizabeth Goettge Covic. He was a 1939 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and retired from Simonds Industries in Newcomerstown after 43 years of service. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Covic leaves two sisters, Kathryn Boyd of Newcomerstown and Jessie Hill of Coshocton, and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters.

Graveside services were held Sunday, May 15, at Union Cemetery in Port Washington, with military services by the Newcomerstown veterans organizations. Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled the arrangements.

## Gail M. Everhart

Mrs. Gail M. Everhart, 85, a resident of the West Lafayette Care Center and formerly of Wolf Road, Port Washington, died Saturday (May 14, 1994) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born in Port Washington on Jan. 15, 1909, a daughter of the late Neal Hammersley and the late Sophia Cornet Hammersley. She was a 1925 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and attended business college for two years. She retired as a federal employee of the U.S. Geological Survey office in New Philadelphia, receiving a silver medallion to recognize 30 years of service with the Department of the Interior. She was a member of the Arbutus Chapter of the Port Washington Oriental Eastern Star and was a member of the Wolf-Salem United Methodist Church. She enjoyed playing the piano, reading and raising cats.

Mrs. Everhart leaves a son, Douglas O. Everhart of Port Washington; a sister, Mabel L. Loudenslager of Largo, Fla.; and three nieces and two nephews. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Susan Elaine Everhart, who died in 1946; and two brothers, Dr. Eugene Hammersley of Tuscarawas and John Hammersley of Uhrichsville.

Services were Tuesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary Marlatt officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington. The family suggested memorial contributions be made to the Alzheimer's Disease Research Assn.

## Edna M. Burroughs

Edna M. Burroughs, 74, of 1354 Elm St., Cambridge, died Sunday (May 8, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born May 27, 1919, in West Virginia, daughter of the late Sherd and Rose Brown Earnest. She was a homemaker and a member of the Trinity Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Foster R. Burroughs, whom she married May 22, 1937; a son, Foster Eugene Burroughs; a brother, Eugene Earnest; and a sister, Helen Earnest.

Mrs. Burroughs leaves five daughters, Mrs. Fred Selby of Massillon, Mrs. Herschel (Juanita) Dodd of Quaker City, Mrs. Norvel (Doris) Nay of Peoli, Mrs. Charles (Peggy) Henry of Londonderry and Mrs. Carl (Janet) McCloskey of Birmingham; four sons, Ronald Burroughs of Parma, Roger Burroughs of Cambridge, Gary Burroughs of Winterset and Larry Burroughs of Birmingham; two sisters, Verena Norman of Newcomerstown and Mary Triplett of Akron; 28 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Tuesday at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with Dr. James Green officiating. Burial was in Clearfork Cemetery south of Birmingham. Memorial contributions may be made to the Trinity Baptist Church in Cambridge.

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### Roger D. Eveland

Roger D. Eveland, 57, of 433 West St., Newcomerstown, died at his home from an apparent heart attack on Monday (May 23, 1994).

He was born Jan. 24, 1937, at Crooksville, son of the late Noel L. and Edith M. Dilcher Eveland. He had worked for the former James Brothers Coal Co. at Mineral City and the former Natco Brick Yard at Magnolia. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church at Dover and the Tuscarawas County Handicapped Society.

He leaves a companion, Louise Hines of the home; a sister, Mrs. Merle (Karen) Beatty of Dover; two nieces, Michelle Beatty and Anna Kuykendall; a nephew, Stephen Beatty; and a great-nephew, Kyler Scott Hanlon. A brother is deceased.

Services were to be held at the First United Methodist Church in Dover with the Rev. James Scott officiating. Burial was to be in Iliff Cemetery at Crooksville. Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home at New Philadelphia handled arrangements. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County or Children's Hospital Medical Center at Akron.

### Robert A. McDonald

Robert Allen McDonald, 24, of 74152 Birmingham Road, Kimbolton, died Saturday (May 21, 1994) following a shooting at his home. The incident was under investigation by the Guernsey County Sheriff's Department.

Mr. McDonald was born June 6, 1969, at Point Pleasant, W.Va., son of Herbert R. and Shirley Black McDonald of the home. He was employed as a roofer. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, pitching horseshoes and country music.

In addition to his parents, he leaves a girlfriend, Lori Pollock of Akron; two brothers, Herbert McDonald Jr. and Nathan McDonald, both of Kimbolton; two sisters, Cheryl Ann Movsesian and Patricia Lynn Russell, both of Kimbolton; maternal grandmother, Virgia Batten of Akron; and several aunts and uncles. He was preceded in death by three sisters and a brother.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home at Newcomerstown. Burial was to be in the Irish Ridge Cemetery.

### Ada O. Gibson

Mrs. Ada O. Gibson, 90, of Tecumseh, Michigan, formerly of Joker in Calhoun County, W.Va., died Wednesday (May 18, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

She was born in Calhoun County, a daughter of the late Joseph and Sarah Husk Kirby. She was a charter member of the Tecumseh Free Will Baptist Church.

Mrs. Gibson leaves four sons, Edmond Gibson of Newcomerstown, Eugene Gibson of Xenia, Okey Gibson of Kent and Leon Gibson of Tecumseh, Mich.; three daughters, Doris Asbury of West Lafayette, Betty Williams of Cleveland and Estella Buckus of Rootstown; three sisters, Elah Gibson of Mt. Zion, Lucille Basnett of Big Bend and Helena Bennett of Elyria; two brothers, Holly Kirby of Mt. Zion and Fred Kirby of Grantville; and 24 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Snowden Gibson; a daughter, Edra Rogers; three sons, Vernon Gibson, Arlin Gibson and Donald Gibson; and three brothers.

Services were Saturday, May 21, at the Stump Funeral Home in Grantsville with the Rev. Glendon McKee officiating. Burial was in the Bryner Chapel Church Cemetery near Mt. Zion.



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### **Verlie D. Wilson**

Verlie D. Wilson, 73, of 141 Neighbor St., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (May 24, 1994) at 1:45 p.m. in Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

He was born June 17, 1920, at Newcomerstown, son of the late Andrew J. and Harriet Heskett Wilson. He was a 1938 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was an Army veteran of World War II. He attended both the Gospel Hill Church in Warsaw and First Baptist Church in Port Washington. He was former owner-operator of Wilson Communications Services from 1956 through 1974 and drove bus for the Ridgewood School District. He was also a farmer, retiring in 1986. He was a member of American Legion Post 65 and VFW Post 1330, both of Coshocton, the Newcomerstown Moose Lodge, Bethlehem Grange and several amateur radio clubs, including CO-CO-NET, AARL since 1936 and radio clubs in Zanesville and New Philadelphia.

Mr. Wilson leaves his wife, Gladys Opphile Wilson, whom he married May 18, 1940; two sons, Dale Wilson of West Lafayette and Gerald Wilson of London; two brothers, Phillip Wilson of Newcomerstown and Harry Wilson of Orlando, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Raymnd (Marie) Milligan of West Lafayette and Donna Eiden of Cambridge; five grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by four brothers, Wayne, Andrew, Larry and Bobby; one sister, Vivian Barker; and one grandchild.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor Paul W. Schwad officiating. Burial was in the Canal Lewisville Cemetery.

### **Catherine E. Lorenz**

Catherine Eugenie Lorenz, 82, of 53523 Twp. Road 155, West Lafayette, died Tuesday (May 24, 1994) at 2:41 p.m. at her home following a sudden illness. She was an artist and a retired teacher.

She was born at Columbus on Feb. 5, 1912, daughter of the late Roy W. and May Maxwell Gaddis. She was a graduate of North High School in Columbus, Junior College of Brownsville, Texas, and Ohio State University. She also attended Gordon Divinity of Boston. She was a member of West Lafayette United Methodist Church, 20th Century Club, Together Class, United Methodist Women's Society and OSU 1935 Alumni.

Mrs. Lorenz leaves her husband, the Rev. Thomas W. Lorenz Sr., whom she married June 22, 1935; two sons, David H. Lorenz of West Lafayette and Thomas W. Lorenz Jr. of Pataskala; two daughters, Bonnie Margaret McClure of Columbus and Rebecca M. Roszman of Angola, N.Y.; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Jeanne Gaddis Windsor of Columbus and Dorothy Gaddis Knox of Port Charlotte, Fla. Three brothers and one sister are deceased.

Services were Friday at the West Lafayette United Methodist Church with the Rev. Kenneth Anderson and the Rev. Orville Wilson officiating. The body was to be cremated, with burial at a later date in the Fairview Cemetery in Fresno. Arrangements were handled by the Given-Dawson Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to the West Lafayette United Methodist Church Memorial Fund.

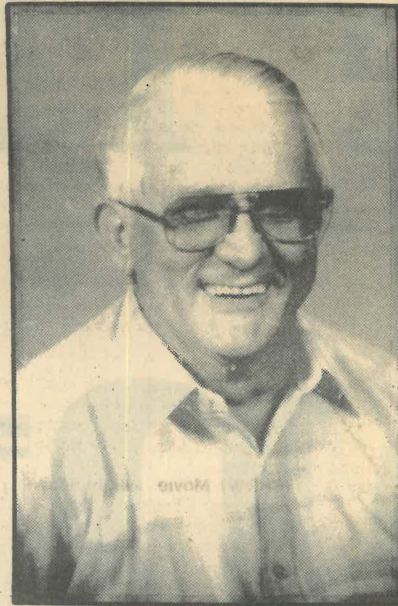
## George Leroy Hayes

George Leroy Hayes, 71, of 53100 White Eyes Twp. Road 170, Fresno, formerly of Newcomerstown, died early Thursday (June 2, 1994) at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Zanesville on July 29, 1922, a son of the late George E. Hayes and the late C. Bernice Bagent Hayes. He was a 1940 graduate of Newcomerstown High School. A World War II veteran of the U.S. Army, he served in Europe and received the Purple Heart with the 83rd Division. He was a life member of the Disabled American Veterans Post 74, Coshocton. He also belonged to the Darrell Beiter Post 3303, Newcomerstown Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He recently retired from Wackenhut Services after seven years of employment as a sergeant and a security officer. Prior to that he was employed at Goshen Brick for 17 years. He was also employed at the former Weather Seal Company in Newcomerstown for seven years and worked for Tayco Industries in West Lafayette for 12 years. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Newcomerstown and enjoyed gardening and raising dogs.

Mr. Hayes leaves his wife, Patricia A. Steurer Hayes of Fresno, whom he married on Nov. 2, 1985; four daughters and two sons-in-law, Donna and Paul Haver, Charlene and Marvin Garretson and Shirley Belt, all of Newcomerstown and Heather Sue Hayes of West Lafayette; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Thomas and Sharon Hayes of Columbus, George and Maribeth Hayes of Newcomerstown and Scott Lee Hayes of West Lafayette; an adopted son, Wilbert "Willie" Hayes of West Lafayette; a step-daughter,



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Tanya Sue Danley of Kimbolton; two sisters, Leota Dunn of Zanesville and Ruby Terril of Newark; and 14 grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Wilma Irene Wheeler Hayes, who died on Oct. 13, 1959. They had been married on April 6, 1946. Also deceased are a daughter, Julia Ann Hayes, and a sister, Louise Riggle.

Services were Saturday, June 4, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. S. Zane Wilson officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery with military graveside services by the Newcomerstown veterans organizations. The family suggested memorials be made to Hospice of Coshocton County or the First Baptist Church, 135 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

## Robb R. Martin

Robb R. Martin, 95, of 10881 McCleary Mill Road, Kimbolton, died at 11:55 p.m. on Wednesday (May 25, 1994) at Cambridge Health Care Center.

He was born May 24, 1899, in Jefferson Twp., Guernsey County, son of the late John R. and Lanna Rollstin Martin. He was a retired farmer, a member of the Farm Bureau and a Jefferson Twp. trustee for 22 years. He was a life member of the North Salem Presbyterian Church, where he served as elder, trustee, Sunday School superintendent and the session and council of the church. He was also a big supporter of the Guernsey County Fair, and as a former mule farmer, always visited the mule barn.

Mr. Martin leaves his wife, Ruth M. Allendar Martin, whom he married July 28, 1928; a son and daughter-in-law, Harold and Rosella F. Martin of Kimbolton; a daughter and son-in-law, Mary Lou and Jack Upton of Canton; a sister, Eula Duff of New Concord; seven grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday, May 28, at the Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with Dr. Herbert Thomson and Dr. Roy Hilliard officiating. Burial was in Guernsey Memory Gardens.

## Lillis Glazer

Lillis Palmer Pryor Glazer, 97, 340 S. River St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (May 27, 1994) in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

She was born Dec. 26, 1896, in Guernsey County, daughter of the late John W. Palmer and Phoebe Ley Palmer. She worked for the Heller Tool Co. for 18 years.

She married Ralph Pryor in November of 1931, and he died in December of 1933. She then married Clifford Glazer on Oct. 18, 1958, and he died Nov. 8, 1985. She was also preceded in death by four brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Glazer leaves two nieces, Carol Abbuhl of Newcomerstown and Jean Rauch of West Lafayette; and one nephew, William Palmer of Port Richey, Fla.

Services were Tuesday, May 31, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in the West Lawn Cemetery. Contributions may be made to the Christ United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, 648 Oak St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

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### Harry E. Brown Sr.

Harry E. Brown Sr., 70, of 376 Fifth St. NW, New Philadelphia, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (May 25, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover.

He was born Oct. 10, 1923, at Newcomerstown, a son of the late Henry Brown and Mary Minnie Moore Brown. A 1943 graduate of Newcomerstown High School, he was a member of the Goshen Nazarene Church, a route driver for eight years for The Times-Reporter of Dover-New Philadelphia, and a retired railroad conductor. He was a member of VFW Post 1445 in New Philadelphia, Moose Lodge 707 in Dover and the Dover Army-Navy.

Mr. Brown leaves his wife, Iris Miller Brown, whom he married Dec. 21, 1942; five sons and three daughters-in-law, Harry and Judy Brown II of New Philadelphia, David and Shirley Brown of Tuscarawas, Francis and Janet Brown of New Philadelphia, Thomas Brown of New Philadelphia and Gerald Brown of Dover; three daughters and their husbands, Dixie and Keith Page, Kay and Lawrence Ayers and Mary and Dan Chitti, all of New Philadelphia; 38 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren, including Shaylyn of the home.

He was preceded in death by one sister, Hilda Weaver; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Services were held Saturday, May 28, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Santi Basiletti officiating. Burial was in Everal's Cemetery at Newcomerstown.

### William H. Dorsey

William H. Dorsey, 76, of 410 N. Bridge St., Newcomerstown, died in the emergency room at Union Hospital in Dover on Thursday morning (June 2, 1994) after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Tuscarawas County on July 12, 1917, a son of the late James A. Dorsey and the late Minnie Irene Casteel Dorsey. He worked as a patrolman and dispatcher for the Newcomerstown Police Department for 12 years. Prior to that, he was employed at Goshen Brick for 19 years. He also worked at both the Belden Brick Company and Timken Roller Bearings in Canton for several years.

He was a veteran of the Ohio National Guard and served with the 37th Division of the Guard in the South Pacific during World War II. He was a member of the Darrell O. Beiter Post 3303 of the Newcomerstown Veterans of Foreign Wars and was past commander of the local Post. He was a former member of Thomas Montgomery Post 431 of the Newcomerstown American Legion and was a member of the Newcomerstown Elks Lodge and the AARP. He was a charter member of the Valley View Baptist Church in Newcomerstown and served as a deacon and trustee of the church.

Mr. Dorsey leaves his wife of 54 years, Jessie L. Corder Dorsey of Newcomerstown, whom he married Nov. 18, 1939; a daughter, Helen Irene Walker of Oceana, W. Va.; four grandchildren, James A. Walker, Jerry A. Walker, Joyce Lynn Walker and Joseph C. Walker, all of West Virginia; four great-grandchildren; three brothers and a sister and their spouses, E. Vernon and Rose Dorsey of Caldwell, James and Priscilla Dorsey of Newcomerstown, Norma and Allen Eddy of Kimbolton and W. Merle Dorsey of New Philadelphia.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, John Dorsey.

Graveside services and burial were to be on Monday, June 6, at West Lawn Cemetery with the Rev. William "Sonny" Ramsey officiating. The Thomas Ayers Post of the Dover VFW and the Newcomerstown veterans organizations were to conduct the military graveside services. Memorials can be made to the Valley View Baptist Church in Newcomerstown. Arrangements were handled by the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

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## Ruth L. Blind

Ruth L. Blind, 84, of Lexington, South Carolina, formerly of Allendale, South Carolina, and Port Washington, died early Friday morning (May 27, 1994) at the Alachua General Hospital in Gainesville, Florida, following a short illness.

She was born in Clay Twp., Tuscarawas County, on Jan. 8, 1910, a daughter of the late William Blind and the late Zetta L. Klaserner Blind. She was a 1928 graduate of Gnadenhutten High School. She retired as a Lt. Colonel with the United States Air Force, serving with the Air Force from 1943 to 1960. During her career, she served with a bomber squadron in Liberal, Kansas and did a tour of duty in Japan during the Korean War.

Following her military career, she attended Arizona State University in Tempe, Arizona. She was a member of the Arbutus Chapter 288 of the Oriental Order of Eastern Star in Port Washington and attended St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington. She was a member of the Retired Officers Association.

She leaves two sisters, Mary J. Veley of Dover and Mrs. Harold (Minnie) Baldwin of Phoenix, Arizona; two brothers, H. Dale Blind of Port Washington and Frank H. Blind of Fairfax, S.C.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Wednesday, June 1, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bob Hildreth officiating. Military graveside services were provided by the Newcomerstown veterans' organizations with burial at Union Cemetery in Port Washington. The family suggested memorials be made to an individual's favorite charity.

## Dan T. Davies

Dan T. Davies, 84, of 111 Bremer St., Port Washington, died early Saturday morning (May 28, 1994) at the Aultman General Hospital in Canton after a brief illness.

He was born in New Philadelphia on May 3, 1910, a son of the late Alta Haas Nussdorfer. He was also preceded in death by his step-father, Roy Nussdorfer. He was a 1928 graduate of Tuscarawas High School and retired in 1972 as a plant superintendent for the former Belden Brick Co. of Port Washington. He was employed there for over 30 years.

Mr. Davies served as mayor of Port Washington for a few years and was also a council member. He belonged to the Port Washington Masonic Lodge 202 F&AM, where he served as a past officer. He also belonged to the Nugen Chapter 124 of the Royal Arch Masons in Newcomerstown and was a past high priest. He belonged to the Sharon Moravian Church and also attended St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington. He enjoyed golfing, bowling and traveling.

In addition to his mother and step-father, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Blanche M. Wheeland Davis, who died on Feb. 9, 1991. They were married on Dec. 15, 1933. Also deceased are two daughters, Carol Sue Davies and Bonnie Jean Davies, who died in 1953; a sister, Irene Reichman; a half-sister, Lucille Laizure; a half-brother, Ervin Nussdorfer; and a step-brother, Millard Nussdorfer.

Mr. Davies leaves his second wife, Dorothy Klein Davies, whom he married Oct. 30, 1992; two sons and daughters-in-law, Jack and Paulette Davies of Alliance and Gary and Mary Davies of Sugarcreek; three grandchildren, Patti Dotts of Bowling Green (Ohio), Scott Davies of San Diego and Holly Diehl of Akron; four great-grandchildren, Megan Davies, Benjamin Diehl, Gregory Dotts and Holly Diehl; three stepsons and a stepdaughter, Albert G. Klein of Dover, Kenneth and Donita Klein of New Philadelphia, Leonard and Joyce Gossard of Elgin, S.C., and Halden Rosenberry of Dover; two step-grandaughters and five step-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, May 31, at St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington with the Rev. Bob Hildreth officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Arrangements were handled by the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County or St. Paul United Church of Christ in Port Washington.

## Wilbur Wilson

Wilbur "Beanie" Wilson, 78, of 817 River Hill Road, Port Washington, died at 11 a.m. Saturday (June 11, 1994) at Timken Mercy Hospital, Canton, after a brief illness.

He was born Aug. 25, 1915, in Guernsey, son of the late Lewis and Sarah Rose Wilson. He was a retired heavy equipment operator for Empire Coal Co. and a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Wilson leaves his wife, Susan Davis Wilson, whom he married June 17, 1935; a son, Ramon Wilson of Dennison; two daughters, Mrs. Ed (Carol Sue) Halsey of Dennison and Ramona Maple of Sandyville; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

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

## Jeannette S. Keith

Jeannette S. Keith, 76, of Pataskala, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Friday (June 10, 1994) in Licking Memorial Hospital in Newark following a long illness.

She was born in Zanesville on Nov. 24, 1916, daughter of the late LeRoy E. Sulcer and the late Mary G. McNally Sulcer. A 1934 graduate of Coshoc-ton High School, Mrs. Keith was former owner-operator of the Keith Saddle Shop and formerly operated the Keith Hotel in Newcomerstown for 20 years, with the site now the parking lot for the Senior Citizen Center.

Mrs. Keith leaves her husband, Herbert Paul Keith of Pataskala, whom she married Nov. 24, 1938; a daughter and son-in-law, Janice and Jim Holtsberry of Pataskala; a son and daughter-in-law, Alan Paul and Penni Keith of Pataskala; four grandchildren, Jeffrey Keith of Newcomerstown and Christina Keith, Carrie Keith and Tyler Keith, all of Pataskala; two sisters, Mrs. Paul (Betty) Blanchard of Medina and Mrs. Del (LeRoma) Henderson of Florida; a brother, James E. Sulcer of Wilmington; and several nieces and nephews. Two brothers and one sister are deceased.

Arrangements were handled by the Warren F. Kauber Funeral Home of Pataskala.

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## Leona M. Watson

Leona Marie Watson, 74, of Port Washington, died Monday (June 6, 1994) at Coshoc-ton County Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

She was born March 5, 1920, in Munday, W.Va., daughter of the late Wade Humpton and Sarah Harris McIntire. She was a lifelong homemaker.

Mrs. Watson leaves four sons, James E. Watson of Newcomerstown, Russell Paul Watson, Dallas C. Watson and Earl L. Watson, all of Port Washington; two daughters, Wilma L. Jackson and Mrs. Joseph (Norma J.) Poorman of Port Washington; 25 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and one sister, Janie Woodring of Loudonville. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jesse W. Watson, who died May 11, 1993; a daughter, Sylvia Watson; three brothers, Wade McIntire, Allen McIntire and Lee Harris; and three sisters, Margaret Metz, Flora Lewis and Ruby McIntire.

Services were Thursday at the Pine Twist Church in Wirt County, W.Va., with the Rev. James Ahart officiating. Arrangements were handled by the Leavitt Funeral Home in Parkersburg, W.Va.

## John D. Sorrell

John D. Sorrell, 50, of 404 Neighbor St., Newcomerstown, died in the emergency room at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge early Thursday afternoon (June 9, 1994).

He was born in Wellston (Jackson County), Ohio, on April 14, 1944, a son of the late Carl Douglas Sorrell and the late Mamie Marie Saultz Sorrell. He was a 1962 graduate of Wellston High School. He was a retired truck driver with Baker's Hi-Way Express in Dover for many years and also drove trucks for the former AlSCO Aluminum Co. in Gnadenhutten for many years. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown and was a former member of the Newcomerstown Lone Star Lodge 175 F&AM, the Coshoc-ton Shriners and the Scottish Rite in Columbus.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his first wife, Karolyn Sue Dorsey Sorrell, who died on Oct. 22, 1989. They were married on Nov. 21, 1964.

Mr. Sorrell leaves his second wife, Judith A. Corwin Staley Sorrell, whom he married Nov. 17, 1991; two daughters and a son, Karole N. Sorrell, Karla M. Sorrell and Kevin D. Sorrell, all of Columbus; a step-daughter, Tiffany Ann Staley; a step-son, John R. Staley, of Newcomerstown; a brother and his wife, Carl and Carolyn Sorrell of Hamden, Ohio; a nephew, Terry Sorrell of Texas; and a niece, Rhonda Sorrell of Hamden.

Services were to be Monday, June 13, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in Everal's Cemetery in Coshoc-ton County. The family suggested memorials be made to the Ohio Kidney Foundation, 1373 Grandview Ave., Columbus, OH 43212-2804.

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## D. Sam Lewis

COSHOCTON — David "Sam" Lewis, 85, formerly of Coshocton and West Lafayette Care Center, died Monday (June 13, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was born April 6, 1909, at Newcomerstown, son of the late Benjamin F. and Mary B. Parks Lewis. He was parts manager for 25 years at Olinger Chevrolet and service manager at Olinger Motor Sales in Coshocton, retiring in 1971. He then became a professional locksmith in the Coshocton area until 1988. He was a member of St. John's United Church of Christ in Coshocton, where he served on the board of deacons, board of trustees and was president of the church council. He was a former member of the Coshocton Campers' Club, National Campers and Hikers Association and Land O'Lakes of Ohio Unit of Wally Byam Caravan Club International.

Mr. Lewis was preceded in death by his first wife, Virginia M. Murrey, on Feb. 3, 1989. They had been married on Sept. 4, 1937. Also deceased are a son, a brother and three sisters.

He leaves three sons, Robert D. Lewis and Donald E. Lewis, both of Coshocton, and Kenneth N. Lewis of Shortsville, N.Y.; a daughter, Mrs. Vernon (Carolyn) Bradford of West Lafayette; a sister, Mrs. Thelma Smith of Sarasota, Fla.; six grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Services were Thursday at Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with burial in the Coshocton County Memory Gardens Mausoleum. Memorial contributions may be made to St. John's United Church of Christ Memorial Fund.

## Beatrice F. Sandberg

Beatrice Faye Sandberg, 64, of 4770 Castle Ave., San Diego, Calif., died Monday (June 7, 1994) at her home.

She was born Jan. 3, 1930, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late Floyd W. and Tacy Beatrice Baker Angle. She was a graduate of Plainfield High School, formerly employed at Novelty Advertising Co. in Coshocton and retired from the San Diego Marine Base. She was a member of the First Union Methodist Church in San Diego.

Mrs. Sandberg leaves her husband, Craig E. Sandberg, whom she married Sept. 6, 1964; her stepmother, Violet Logan Angle of Cambridge; a sister-in-law; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother, Floyd Darrel Angle.

Graveside services were held Thursday at Plainfield Cemetery with the Rev. Wayne Harmon officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812, or the Plainfield United Methodist Church, 101 Church St., Plainfield, OH 43836. The Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled the arrangements.

## Patricia A. Lafferty

Patricia A. Lafferty, 56, of 459 W. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (June 10, 1994) at Timken Mercy Hospital in Canton following a long illness.

She was born Sept. 9, 1937, in Urbana, daughter of the late Arthur Johnson and the late Alice Christian Johnson. She was a housewife and was a member of the Trinity Full Gospel Church in Zanesville.

Mrs. Lafferty leaves her husband, William Lafferty Sr.; two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Gladys) McComb of Port Washington and Patsy Lafferty of the home; a son, William Lafferty Jr. of Newcomerstown; four grandchildren, Dawn and Billy Lafferty and Kelly and Shannon McComb; six brothers, James Johnson of Urbana, Fred Johnson of Holmesville, Paul Johnson and Arthur Johnson Jr. of Killbuck, Tom Johnson of Athens, Georgia, and Alfred Johnson of Fredricksburg; and two sisters, Cora Thornsley of Canton and Mrs. Melvin (Marie) Lemon of Holmesville.

Services were Monday, June 13, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Terry Rowland officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Marion D. Oaklief

Marion D. Oaklief, 95, of 14026 Eastgate Ave., Newcomerstown, died Tuesday (June 14, 1994) at 8:15 p.m. in his home after a short illness.

He was born May 17, 1899, in Coshocton County, son of the late Edward J. and Edna Portz Oaklief. He was a Lutheran and attended Everals School and Newcomerstown High School. He was a coal miner for several years and retired from Heller Tool Co. after 42 years of employment.

Mr. Oaklief leaves his wife, Bernice Nelson Oaklief, whom he married Sept. 12, 1964; a son, Wayne Oaklief of Mesa, Arizona; an adopted daughter, Ina Parsons of Seattle, Washington; six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Dorothy Hootman of Newcomerstown; and two brothers, Lorin H. Oaklief of Newcomerstown and Paul L. Oaklief of Kenton.

Services were Saturday, June 18, at Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul Lutheran Church, 121 S. College St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

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### **Bertha A. Shalosky**

Bertha A. Shalosky, 84, of Park Village Health Care Center in Dover, and a lifelong resident of Tuscarawas and Coshocton counties, died late Saturday (June 11, 1994) at the Center.

She was born Oct. 2, 1909, at Plainfield, daughter of the late Frank S. Bordenkircher and the late Martha Amore Bordenkircher. She was a graduate of Plainfield High School and a homemaker. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Dover and a former member of St. Francis deSales Catholic Church in Newcomerstown and its Altar and Rosary Society. She was also a former member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Coshocton, where she served on the women's council.

Mrs. Shalosky leaves her husband of 64 years, Lawrence William Shalosky, who also lives at the Center; six sons and five daughters-in-law, Lawrence R. and Vicki Shalosky of Columbus, William S. and Betty Shalosky of Coshocton, Donald E. Jean Ann Shalosky of Tuscarawas, Richard J. Shalosky of Dover, Thomas D. and Sara Jean Shalosky of Reynoldsburg and Stephen L. and Catherine Shalosky of Dover; two daughters and their husbands, Eileen and Michael Somogye of Broomfield, Colo., and Christina and Robert Apple of Johnstown; a brother, Richard E. Bordenkircher of Coshocton; 25 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Ann Shalosky; a sister, Mrs. Frank (Mary) Robinson of Bakersville; and four brothers, Brother Sylvester Bordenkircher of the Holy Cross Order, Mark A. Bordenkircher of Coshocton, Leo Bordenkircher of Coshocton and Howard Bordenkircher of Coshocton.

Mass of Christian burial was celebrated Wednesday at St. Francis deSales Church with the Rev. Fr. Edward Keck as celebrant. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Francis deSales Church, 446 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832. Arrangements were handled by Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

### **Bernice L. Dakin**

Bernice L. Dakin, 68, of 3615 Post Boy Road, died Tuesday (June 14, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital.

She was born June 17, 1925, at Post Boy, son of the late Carlos and Mary Durben Myers. She was a homemaker and a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ.

Mrs. Dakin leaves her husband, Charles Dakin, whom she married Nov. 25, 1966; two sons, Everett Tennant and Larry Tennant, both of Guernsey; two daughters, Mary Tennant Sharier of West Lafayette and Edna Tennant Sharrock of Guernsey; a brother, Robert Myers of Newcomerstown; 14 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Charles Newell officiating. Burial was in Peoples Church Cemetery, Newcomerstown.

### **Majorie Shull**

Marjorie Shull, 778 S. Ogden Ave., Columbus, died Friday (June 17, 1994) following a lengthy illness.

She leaves two brothers who live in Missouri; two step-children, JoAnne Morris of Bloomington, Ill., and Larry Shull of New Philadelphia; a step-granddaughter, several step-grandsons; and two sisters-in-law, Mrs. H.G. Hewitt of Hubbard, Ohio, and Mrs. Robert Treat of Newcomerstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Shull.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete, with burial planned at West Lawn Cemetery.

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### **Thelma F. Thompson**

TROY — Thelma F. Thompson, 82, of Dorothy Love Retirement Community, Sidney, formerly of Troy, died Sunday (June 19, 1994) at her home.

She was born March 8, 1912, in Cambridge, daughter of the late Waldo and Mary Tribbie Thompson. She was a graduate of Cambridge High School and Muskingum College and earned a master's degree from Wittenberg University. She was an educator for 39 years, retiring as a teacher in the Troy City Schools in 1974 after 29 years of service. Her last position was as dean of girls for Troy.

She taught several years in the lower and upper grades at Newcomerstown with members of the Class of 1943 saying they remember her as "a beloved" home room teacher who has attended several of their class reunions.

Miss Thompson was a member of the First Presbyterian Church at Troy, the American University of Women, and the National and Ohio Retired Teacher Associations. She was a Stouder Memorial Hospital Auxiliary volunteer and was past president of the Altrusa Club of Troy.

Services were Wednesday at the First Presbyterian Church Chapel in Troy with the Rev. Edward Sensenbrenner officiating, and graveside services at Sunset View Cemetery in Londonderry on Thursday. Memorial contributions may be made to the Scholarship Fund of Troy High School. The Baird Funeral Home of Troy handled the arrangements.

### **Earl S. Reed**

Earl S. Reed, 66, of 235 Cross St., Newcomerstown, died Friday (June 17, 1994) at Good Samaritan Medical Center in Zanesville shortly after being admitted.

He was born March 13, 1928, in Blissfield, son of the late Everett Reed and Grace (Shepler) Reed. He was a 1946 graduate of Fresno High School and was a sergeant in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was a self-employed truck driver.

Mr. Reed leaves two sisters, Mrs. Jacob (Marie) Steiner of Louisville and Mrs. Benjamin (Betty) Lewis of S.R. 93, West Lafayette; several nieces and nephews and several great-nieces and nephews.

Services were Tuesday at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Fred Taylor officiating. Military honors were conducted graveside at the Coshocton County Memory Gardens.

### **Marie June Rogers**

Marie June Rogers, 72, of 232 S. Chestnut St., Gnadenhutten, died in her home Wednesday (June 22, 1994) at 5:45 p.m. following a four-month illness.

She was born Dec. 12, 1921 in Dennison, daughter of the late Otto and Mary Florence Leggett Malterer. A life-long resident of the area, she worked for 42 years as a stenciler for Tusco Mfg. of Gnadenhutten. She was a Protestant.

Mrs. Rogers leaves her husband, Ted N. Rogers, whom she married July 3, 1944; one daughter, Mrs. Randy (Marsha Ann) Rafael of Gnadenhutten; a brother and sister-in-law, Bud and Janice Malterer of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Mrs. Ray (Alice) Henry of Port Washington, Mrs. Ray (Gertrude) Ballentine of Riverside, and Mrs. E. Tom (Agnes) Edwards of Uhrichsville; a grandson, Ryan Michael Rafael; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, a sister, Jane Murphy, and a brother, Harold Malterer, are deceased.

Services were Saturday at the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Chapel in Dennison with Rev. Paul Schwab officiating. Burial was in Gnadenhutten-Clay Union Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County.



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### **Donald W. Engler**

Donald W. Engler, 74, of 60899 Oxford Twp. Road 104, Newcomerstown, formerly of Dover, died early Sunday evening at the Park Medical Center (St. Anthony's Hospital) in Columbus following a short illness.

He was born in Dover on Aug. 8, 1919, a son of the late Walter E. Engler and the late Lavina Malley Engler. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served with the 179th Infantry Division in Europe during World War II. He received a Purple Heart and two Bronze Stars while in Europe. He was a life member of the Thomas Ayers Post 3463 of the Dover VFW.

He was a retired employee of the Greer Steel Co. in Dover, where he was employed for over 40 years as a mill roller, retiring in 1980. He was a member of Everal's United Methodist Church, Coshocton County, where he served as a trustee and as treasurer of the Everal's Cemetery Board. He also belonged to the Dover Moose Lodge 707, AAA, the Tri-County Sportsmen's League, United Steelworkers Local 2996, and the Buckeye State Sheriffs' Association. He enjoyed hunting and fishing, operating his own bait shop, Gramp's Baits, for several years.

Mr. Engler leaves his wife, Ruth Silverthorne Engler, whom he married Feb. 5, 1960; a son and daughter-in-law, Rick and Sandra Engler of New Philadelphia; a daughter and son-in-law, Donna and Terry DiSiro of Dover; a brother, Dale Engler; and five grandchildren.

Services were Thursday, June 23, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Frank Conley officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Military graveside services were conducted by Thomas Ayers Post 3463 of the Dover VFW. The family suggested memorials be made to the building fund or cemetery fund of Everal's United Methodist Church, 5652 Sunset Lane, Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

### **Harold L. McNutt**

Harold L. McNutt, 55, of Reynoldsburg, died Wednesday (June 22, 1994) in Reynoldsburg.

He leaves his wife, Rose Marie; three sons, Harold L. Todd, Scott Pinkstock and Rick Beatty; two daughters, Tracy Fogle and Renee Beatty; two brothers and their wives, Robert and Sandy McNutt and Ben and Jesse McNutt of Mineral City; two sisters and their husbands, Lillian and Ruth Thompson of Newcomerstown and Dorothy and Paul Hite of Grand Prairie, Texas; and aunts, uncles and other family.

Services were to be June 27 at the Hill Funeral Home in Westerville with the Pastor Frank Carl officiating. Burial was in the Mifflin Twp. Cemetery in Gahanna.

## Vivian L. Hawkins

Vivian L. Hawkins, 65, of 4299 Beechlawn Road, Columbus, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Saturday (June 25, 1994) at Eastland Care Center after a lengthy illness.

She was born March 29, 1929, at East Liverpool, daughter of the late Herbert R. and Eleanor Brozka Hawkins. She earned a degree in 1964 from Wittenberg University and earned a master's degree of divinity and a doctorate of ministry from Vanderbilt University in Tennessee. She retired after many years as a grocery clerk, psychiatric medicine technician, purchasing agent and an amateur radio operator. She was a former member of St. Paul Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Hawkins leaves a son, J.R. "Russ" Hawkins of Columbus; an adopted daughter, Michelle A. Hawkins of New Orleans; a grandson; and numerous relatives and friends.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Fund of American Cancer Society.

## Helen Moore Wearsch

Helen Moore Wearsch, 86, of 325 E. Seventh St., West Lafayette, died in College Park Nursing Home at Coshocton on Sunday (June 26, 1994) at 8:45 p.m. following an extended illness.

She was born in Guernsey County on Feb. 19, 1908, a daughter of William P. and Jennie Wishart Kennedy. She was employed at Coshocton Memorial Hospital for 19½ years and retired in 1976. She was a member of the First Baptist Church at West Lafayette for 55 years and a member of the 55-Plus Class.

Her first husband, Charles Moore, died April 18, 1973. Her second husband, Gordon Wearsch, died July 11, 1977. Also deceased are two grandsons, one brother, one sister and one nephew.

Mrs. Wearsch leaves three sons, William Moore of West Lafayette, Clyde Moore of Port Washington and Robert Moore of Barnhill; three daughters, Mrs. Dan (June) Markley and Mrs. Jack (Margene) Miller of West Lafayette and Mrs. Robert (Mary) Shearrow of New Philadelphia; 16 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and one niece and two nephews.

Services were Wednesday, June 29, at Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Gregg Burris and the Rev. James Puz officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812 or to the First Baptist Church, West Lafayette.

## Lenora D. Lenzo

Lenora D. Lenzo, 69, of 203 E. Canal St., Newcomerstown, died at her home Friday (July 1, 1994) following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 27, 1924, at Midvale, daughter of the late Pio and Amelia Cerana.

She was a longtime member of the St. Francis De Sales Catholic Church and was very active in the Altar Society and many church functions. She was very fond of all sporting events and was co-owner of Lenzo Studio for 35 years.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Pete Cerana.

She leaves her husband, Carl J. Lenzo, whom she married Dec. 18, 1941; five daughters, Mrs. Bob (Nancy) Wineman of Barnesville, Mrs. Thomas (Sara Jean) Shalosky of Reynoldsburg, Me., Mrs. Michael (Pam) Rogers of Newark, Mrs. Brian (Karen) Biggs and Mrs. Randy (Janet) Addy, both of Newcomerstown; two sons, Carl J. Lenzo II of Presque Isle, Me., and Charles M. Lenzo of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Clara Paina of Alliance, Lena Cox of Dennison and Sara Metzger of Memphis, Tenn.; five brothers, Leo and Louis Cerana of Tuscarawas, Bob Cerana of Uhrichsville, John Cerana of New



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Jersey and Lester Cerana of Gnadenhutten; 15 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren.

Services were to be Monday, July 4, at St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown with Father Ed Keck as celebrant. The Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled the arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County, 125 E. 2nd St. Dover, OH 44622 or the St. Francis DeSales Church, 440 S. River St. Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

July 6, 1994

## Obituary

### Floyd M. Stocker

Floyd M. Stocker, 82, of 441 Oxford Ave., and formerly of Canton and Uniontown, died early Wednesday afternoon (July 13, 1994) at the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown after a short illness.

Floyd was born in Monroe Township, Guemsey County, on Oct. 31, 1911, son of the late Harry Austin Stocker and the later Ora Maud Harding Stocker. He was a graduate of Newcomerstown High School, Class of 1929. He also attended Bliss Business College in Columbus and Kent State University. He was an accountant with Goodyear Aerospace in Akron for 23 years and retired from Goodyear in 1972. Following his retirement, he also worked as an accountant and consultant. He was also a minister with Church of Christ in Stark County for more than 20 years.

At the time of his death, he was an active member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ. Floyd was preceded in death by his first wife, Verda Mae Clark Stocker, on Sept. 7, 1980. He was also preceded in death by his second wife, Carrie E. McFadden Burris Stocker, on Jan. 23, 1993. Also preceding him in death were three brothers, Alvin, Orlan and Willis Stocker.

He is survived by two daughters, Joan K. Stocker of Medford Lakes, N.J. and Cheryl (Mrs. Stanley) Strader of Alamogordo, N.M.; a son and a daughter-in-law, Eric F. and Mrs. Susan Stocker of Kennesaw, Ga.; a step-daughter, Mary (Mrs. Robert) Morgan of Newcomerstown; a sister, Esta Hart of Newcomerstown; a brother, Cecil Stocker of San Luis Obispo, Calif.; four grandchildren, Melissa Lovegrove, Jennifer Strader, Ethan Strader and Kathern Stocker; and two step grandchildren, Matthew R. Morgan and Michael A. Morgan.

Calling hours were Sunday (July 17) afternoon and evening at Ourant Funeral Home where services were at 11 a.m. Monday with Evangelist Glenn E. Hawkins officiating. Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Monday at Forest Hill Cemetery, Canton.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1994

No obits.

July 20, 1994

### Mary Margaret Dornhecker

Mary Margaret Dornhecker, 71, of 16978 Co. Road 410, Coshocton, died at her home at 5:14 a.m. on Thursday (June 30, 1994) following a short illness.

She was born Nov. 30, 1922, in Massillon, a daughter of the late William Jacob Schwartz and the late Ester Bresson Schwartz. She was a housewife and a member of St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown and its quilting group.

Mrs. Dornhecker leaves three daughters, Mrs. Thomas (Margaret) Hufler of Massillon, Mrs. Larry (Bonnie) Rogers of Cochocton and Mrs. Martin (Donna) Goldsmith of Canton; a brother, Leroy Schwartz of Canton; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Services were to be Tuesday, July 5, at St. Francis deSales Church with Father Ed Keck to speak. Burial was to be in the Our Lady of Lords Cemetery in Coshocton. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, 1501 Orange St., Coshocton, OH 43812. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

### Florence Eleanor Beaver

Florence Eleanor Beaver, 74, of Detroit, died Sunday (June 26, 1994).

She was born Nov. 20, 1919, the fourth of six children born to Charles and Eliza Coker in Anniston, Alabama. The Coker family moved to Newcomerstown when Florence was very young and she grew up and attended the Newcomerstown schools. She was baptized and became a member of the Trinity Baptist Church at an early age. She graduated from Newcomerstown High School in 1940. She married Vandy Beaver on Sept. 16, 1940. Mr. and Mrs. Beaver moved to Detroit in January of 1946 and were confirmed and became members of Berea Lutheran Church in 1955.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Beaver leaves four sons, Bernard, Leonard, Michael and Brian; three daughters, Rosemary, Carol and Cynthia; two nieces, Jacquelin Houser of Cleveland and Shirley Coker-Kerr of Newcomerstown; a nephew, Thomas Coker of Kansas City, Mo.; six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; a godson, Eric Robinson; and a host of friends and relatives.

Funeral services were Thursday, June 30.

July 6, 1994

## Harry F. Ackerman

Harry F. Ackerman, 73, of 1998 Buena Vista Drive, Coshocton, died Thursday (July 21, 1994) at 7:30 a.m. in his residence after an extended illness.

He was born at Wooster on Feb. 28, 1921, a son of the late Harry F. and Ida Mae Imhoff Ackerman. He came to Coshocton in 1953 as manager of Coshocton Automotive (NAPA), later becoming owner and president of the company. He was a member of St. John's United Church of Christ, all Masonic bodies, Coshocton Shrine Club and the Coshocton Elks. He was an Army veteran of World War II, serving with the Amphibious Engineers in the Pacific Theatre.

Mr. Ackerman leaves his wife, the former Thelma Hoover, whom he married Nov. 26, 1946; two sons and daughters-in-law, Barry and Merilee Sue Ackerman of Coshocton and H. Frank and Cheryl Ackerman III of Newcomertown; grandchildren, Malissa and Heidi Ackerman of Coshocton and H. Frank "Chip" IV and Jeffrey Scott Ackerman of Newcomerstown; and a sister, Dorothy Wissinger of Wooster. A brother, Richard Ackerman, is deceased.

Services were Monday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Richard Hoover officiating. Burial was in Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Contributions may be made to Coshocton County Hospice, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812.

## Rosemary Armstrong

Rosemary Armstrong, 58, of 6318 Williams Road, Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (July 20, 1994) at 6:25 p.m. in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital at Coshocton following a long illness.

She was born March 19, 1936, at Barberton, the daughter of the late Walter and Rosemary Parillo Ratay. A 1954 graduate of Barberton High School, she was a partner in Armstrong Heating & Cooling of Newcomerstown with her husband, Francis W. Armstrong, whom she married April 29, 1960. She was a member of the Business Women's Club and the Order of Eastern Star Oriental Chapter 106.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Armstrong leaves three daughters, Taulia DeMosley of Akron, Mrs. Tim (Rosemary) Drapcho of Dover and Mrs. Christopher (Karen) Dyer of Akron; a son and daughter-in-law, Roger and Regina Armstrong of Las Vegas; five grandchildren, Adam, Kayleigh and Ian Drapcho, Elizabeth Dyer and Bret and Sean Armstrong; and two brothers, Walter Ratay of Las Vegas and Francis Ratay of Barberton.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor Robert Hildreth officiating. Burial was at West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, 1501 Orange St., Coshocton, OH 43812.

## Glenn E. Brown

Glenn E. "Brownie" Brown, 72, of Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died early Wednesday evening at Guernsey Memorial Hospital in Cambridge following a brief illness.

He was born in Stone Creek on Jan. 10, 1922, a son of the late William H. Brown and the late Edith Troyer Brown. He was an Army veteran, serving in Europe during World War II with the 331st Infantry. He was a life member of VFW Post 7943 of Tuscarawas. He was a retired employee of Simonds Industries in Newcomerstown where he worked for many years. He was also a former employee of Belden Brick in Port Washington, where he was employed for many years. He enjoyed hunting and gardening.

Mr. Brown was preceded in death by his wife, Elsie Gladys Haver Brown, who died Jan. 20, 1990. They had been married on Jan. 27, 1961. In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Raymond, Carl and Ralph Brown; a sister, Faye Douds; a niece, Carolyn Helt; and a nephew, Marvin Brown.

Mr. Brown leaves two sisters, Sarah J. Ellwood of Stone Creek and Mrs. John (Mary) Helt of Waitsburg, Wash.; Mary Nelson of Canton, a close companion; and several nieces and nephews, William Douds of Columbus, Glenda Boitnott and Brenda Stocker of Stone Creek, Susan Myers of Port Washington, Lee Brown and Richard Brown of Gnadenuhthen, and Sanford Helt of Seattle.

Services were Saturday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Frank Conley officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery. The Newcomerstown military organizations participated in military graveside services. The family suggested memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.

## Raymond C. Neal

Raymond C. Neal, 84, a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, and a former resident of the area, died early Wednesday afternoon (July 20, 1994) at the Center following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Newcomerstown on Jan. 31, 1910, a son of the late Walter Neal and the late Ann Barthallow Neal. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he served in World War II. He was a retired employee of the AlSCO Aluminum Co. in Gnadenuhthen, where he worked for several years.

Mr. Neal was preceded in death by his wife, Irene I. Swauger Neal, who died Nov. 21, 1989. They were married on Aug. 16, 1949. In addition to his wife and parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Wilbur, Clarence and John Neal, and a sister, Lois Stewart.

He leaves two sisters, Goldie Stocker of Newcomerstown and Mary McCain of Canton; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews, including Mrs. Robert (Nola) Opphile of Newcomerstown (a great-niece).

There were no funeral services. Burial was at the West Lawn Cemetery, with the Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handling the arrangements.

July 27, 1994

## Lillian L. Davis Robuck

COLUMBIA STATION — Lillian L. Davis Robuck, 55, of Columbia Station, died June 24, 1994, at the EMH Regional Medical Center in Elyria.

She was born Oct. 23, 1939, in Knox Township, a daughter of the late Dale M. Davis, formerly of Marietta, and Mrs. Mildred I. Davis Lawrence, formerly of Marietta and now of Newcomerstown. She lived in Marietta until 1972 and was a member of the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Columbia Township.

In addition to her mother, Mrs. Robuck leaves her husband, John C. Robuck Jr.; a daughter, Angela L. Robuck of Elyria; four brothers, Donald D. Davis and Frank D. Davis of Marietta, Samuel Davis of Newcomerstown and Edward Davis of Alexandria, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Raymond (Iva) Schilling of Marietta, Mrs. Sue Bell of Coshocton and Mrs. Linda McCune of Uhrichsville. She was also preceded in death by a sister, June Snider. Services were June 27 in Cleveland.

## Kenneth Cutright

BYESVILLE — Kenneth Cutright, 65, of 2569 Watson Ave., Byesville, died Tuesday (July 19, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital. He was formerly from Newcomerstown.

He was born March 9, 1929, in West Virginia, a son of the late Otis Newton and Elva Rutherford Cutright. He was a Baptist.

Mr. Cutright was preceded in death by a sister, Wanda Lee Markel. He leaves five sons, Randy, Tim and Dan Cutright, all of Cambridge, Sam Cutright of Georgia, and Shannon Cutright of Florida; a daughter, Mrs. Jim (Lori)

Fox; four sisters, Regina Hughes, Eloise Cosner, Nina Marks and Ava Simpson; four brothers, Donzel, Ottis, Arden and Robert Cutright; and four grandchildren.

Services were Friday at Spurgeon-Ellyson Funeral Home of Glenville, W. Va., with burial in the family cemetery in Glenville. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

## Thelma G. Stoffer

Thelma G. Stoffer, 79, a native of Newcomerstown, died Saturday (July 16, 1994) as a resident of North Ridgeville, Ohio.

Mrs. Stoffer was born in Newcomerstown and resided in North Ridgeville since 1990, moving there from Cuyahoga Falls. She retired in 1973 as a department head of M. O'Neil Co. with 20 years of service and was a member of the First Christian Church of Cuyahoga Falls.

Mrs. Stoffer was preceded in death by her husband, Ronald Stoffer, and a sister, Clara Morrison.

She leaves three sons and daughters-in-law, Gary and Janet Stoffer of Bedford, Pa., Richard and Janet Stoffer of Elyria, and William and Elaine Stoffer of Akron; a brother, Paul Bliss of Stow; a sister, Ann Carnahan of Upland, Calif; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Clifford-Shoemaker Funeral Home in Cuyahoga Falls with Dr. Donald G. Baird officiating. Interment was in Chestnut Hill Memorial Park in Cuyahoga Falls. Memorials may be made to First Christian Church of Cuyahoga Falls.

## William J. Cole

William J. Cole, 39, of 24469 Twp. Road 251, Newcomerstown, died Friday (July 15, 1994) at 6 p.m. in his home following a three-week illness.

He was born Aug. 3, 1954, in Coshocton County, a son of Norma West Cole of Newcomerstown and the late Joseph F. Cole. He was employed by Jones Metal Corp. of West Lafayette for many years. He was a member of the Newcomerstown Moose Lodge and played with Neon Moon, a country music band.

In addition to his mother, he leaves his wife, the former Cheryl Kennedy, whom he married Dec. 18, 1974; a daughter, Jennifer Cole, of the home; and two sisters, Janice Elliott of Warsaw and Doris Durben of Newcomerstown. He was preceded in death by a brother, Thomas Cole.

Services were Tuesday, July 19, at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home with the Rev. James Lee officiating. Burial was in the Coshocton County Memory Gardens. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Guernsey County.

July 27, 1994

## Ruth L. Witwer Doll

STONE CREEK — Ruth Lucille Witwer Doll, 82, of Stone Creek, died Sunday (July 31, 1994) at the Country Club Retirement Center in Dover.

She was born on Christmas Day, 1911, in Stone Creek, the daughter of the late Charles Slayton and Daisey Pearl Murphy Witwer. She was a graduate of New Philadelphia High School and graduated as a registered nurse from the Massillon City Hospital School of Nursing. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church of Stone Creek and its Women's Group, Stone Creek Garden Club and Homemakers Club. She enjoyed reading, baking, quilting and gardening.

Her husband, Harrison Henry Doll, died in January of 1991. A son, Charles Edward Doll, is also deceased.

Mrs. Doll leaves two daughters, Mrs. Wilmer (Phyllis Nadine) Bryan of Pataskala and Mrs. Chuck (Judy Coreene) Scott of Stone Creek; a brother, S. David Witwer of Mentor; a sister, Mrs. Ida Christman of Navarre; and four grandchildren, Greg Scott, Kristie Scott, Rachel Doll Pew and Marybeth Doll Pew.

Services were Wednesday at the Zion Lutheran Church in Stone Creek with the Rev. Andy Riggs officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery. Donations may be made to the Zion Lutheran Church. The Naylor Funeral Home in New Philadelphia handled the arrangements.

## Rev. Charles O. Lieser

Rev. Charles O. Lieser, 64, of 214 S. Second St., North Baltimore, Ohio, died July 18, 1994, in the emergency room of Wood County Hospital, Bowling Green.

He was born June 23, 1930 in Newcomerstown to Charles E. and Kathryn Kuhns Lieser. A minister for 36 years, he retired in 1991 as pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church in Jeromesville. He was a member of St. Luke's Lutheran Church, North Baltimore.

Rev. Lieser leaves his wife, the former Rebecca Cummings, whom he married Nov. 16, 1959; a son, Carl Lieser of Toledo; two daughters, Mrs. Tom (Anita) Roberts, Dubois, Ind., and Carolyn Lieser, Harrisburg, Pa.; two grandchildren; a sister, Joanne Sherry, Bethlehem, Pa., and a cousin, Bill Regula of Newcomerstown.

Funeral services were held July 21 at St. Luke's Lutheran Church with Rev. Ralph Mineo officiating. Burial was in New Maplewood Cemetery, North Baltimore. Smith-Crates Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to St. Luke's Lutheran Church.

## Joseph Shawn Conlon

Joseph Shawn Conlon, son of James and Lori Smallwood Conlon, 701 W. State St., Newcomerstown, was stillborn Thursday (Aug. 4, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover.

In addition to his parents, he leaves a brother, John, of the home; grandparents, John and Rosezetti Conlon of Newcomerstown and John and Bonnie Smallwood of Newcomerstown; and great-grandparents, Margaret Longfellow of Barberton and Forrest and Opal Smallwood of Akron.

Graveside services were to be held at West Lawn Cemetery at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 9, with the Rev. Mark Lail officiating. Arrangements were handled by the Addy Funeral Home of Newcomerstown.

## Clyde Leiendecker

Clyde "Dutch" Leiendecker, 84, of 28824 Twp. Road 463, Fresno, died Monday (Aug. 1, 1994) at 10:44 a.m. in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

He was born in Crawford Twp., Coshocton County, on Aug. 18, 1909, a son of the late Henry and Mary Mae McClure Leiendecker. He was a sawmill operator for many years with his father and retired from Jones Metal of West Lafayette. He was a former member of Burkhart Lutheran Church in Coshocton County and was an avid hunter.

He was preceded in death by his wife on Dec. 7, 1991. They had been married on Aug. 17, 1932. He was also preceded in death by a daughter, Dorothy; three brothers; and two sisters.

Mr. Leiendecker leaves three sons, Lloyd Leiendecker of West Lafayette, Dean Leiendecker of Ashland and Marcus Leiendecker of Fresno; five daughters, Mrs. James (Margaret) Darr and Mrs. Walter (Janice) Sittel of Fresno, Mrs. Mary Bickel of Millersburg, Mrs. Wanda Johnson of West Lafayette, and Mrs. Dale (Beverly) Welker of Holmesville; 25 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; four brothers, Gilbert Leiendecker and Oscar Leiendecker of Sugarcreek; Kenneth Leiendecker of Baltic and Ralph Leiendecker of Fresno; and four sisters, Nellie Miller, Hazel Eick and Bessie Ames of Fresno and Ida Firster of West Lafayette.

Services were Thursday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home with Pastor Ron Davis officiating. Burial was in the Canal Lewisville Cemetery. Contributions may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1994

No obits.

Aug. 10, 1994

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### **Mrs. John Buss**

A memorial graveside service will be held for the late Mrs. John (Essie) Buss at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 13, at West Lawn Cemetery in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Mrs. Buss died Dec. 15, 1993, in Largo, Fla. She is formerly from Newcomerstown.

### **Earl B. Johnson Sr.**

Earl B. Johnson Sr., 69, of Cumberland, Ohio, died Monday (Aug. 1, 1994) at the home of his daughter, Lynn Copeland, in Malta, Ohio.

He was born May 28, 1925, at Akron, son of the late Floyd and Gladys Meffert Johnson, and was a retired body shop mechanic and a former member of the Merchant Marines.

In addition to his daughter, Mr. Johnson leaves his wife, Louise C. Bauer Johnson; four other daughters, Kathey Dulaney of Port Charlotte, Fla., Christine Knight of Dexter City, Kelly Parsons of Cambridge and Karen Johnson of Jackson Hole, Wyoming; five sons, Earl B. Johnson of Beallsville, Dennis Johnson and Mark Johnson, both of Newcomerstown, and Tim Johnson and Craig Johnson, both of Akron; 22 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; two sisters, Ellen Riley of Port Charlotte, Fla., and Mary Burkett of Akron; four brothers, Bill Johnson and Jeff Johnson of Akron, Steve Johnson of Arcadia, Fla., and Dave Johnson of Brandon, Fla.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Thomas Johnson, and a sister, Donna Bowers.

Services were Wednesday at the Miller-Huck Funeral Home in McConnellsville with the Rev. Earl Fields officiating.

### **Paul A. Dummermuth**

Paul A. Dummermuth, 26, of 526 Tuscarawas Ave., Newcomerstown, died Saturday morning (July 30, 1994) at his home.

He was born Jan. 26, 1968, a son of Frances Dummermuth of Coshocton and Albert J. Dummermuth of Tuscarawas. He was a lifelong resident of the area, was employed by the Blacksmith Logging Co. of Tippecanoe and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

Mr. Dummermuth leaves his wife, the former Mary A. Eagon, whom he married Feb. 17, 1989; three stepchildren, Veronica, Suzy and Gina, all of the home; his stepmother, Jane Dummermuth of Tuscarawas; and two brothers, Dave Dummermuth of New Matamoras and John Dummermuth of Tuscarawas.

Services were Monday at the Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenhutten with the Rev. Amy E. Shaw officiating. Burial was in West Union Cemetery at Gilmore.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 1994

No obits.

## Emerson C. Sullivan

NEWCOMERSTOWN — Emerson C. Sullivan, 80, of 301 W. Main St., Port Washington, a retired milk hauler, died Sunday morning, Aug. 21, 1994, at the Skilled Nursing Facility of Guernsey Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Sept. 9, 1913, in Tuscarawas, son of the late George and Rosa Purdue Sullivan.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, a member of American Legion Thomas Montgomery Post 431 and attended St. Paul United Church of Christ.

Mr. Sullivan was a self-employed milk hauler for 25 years, retiring in 1963. He then worked for the Tuscarawas County Road and Bridge Department for 15 years and served as a janitor for Truck Sales and Service in Midvale for several years. He retired in 1989.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Sue Darlene Sullivan, on Jan. 16, 1956; six brothers and three sisters.

Mr. Sullivan leaves his wife of 56 years, Erma M. Dichler Sullivan, whom he married June 24, 1938; a son, Terry D. Sullivan of Port Washington; two grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; several nieces and nephews.

Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Ourant Funeral Home, where services will be Wednesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Bob Hildreth officiating.

Military graveside services will be conducted by the Newcomerstown Veterans Organizations in Union Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul United Church of Christ Endowment Fund, 114 N. High St., Port Washington.

## Mildred V. Archer

NEWCOMERSTOWN — Mildred V. Archer, 88, of 1633 River Hill Road, S.W., Port Washington, died Sunday, Aug. 21, 1994, at her home.

She was born Oct. 18, 1905, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late Henry and Adella Tyson Apple.

She was a homemaker and a member of Faith Baptist Church, Port Washington.

Mrs. Archer was preceded in death by her husband, Nelson Archer, on June 2, 1980. Also deceased are two sons, two daughters, a grandchild, three brothers and three sisters.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Don (Norma) McCune of Port Washington; a sister, Mrs. Pauline Doup of Mt. Vernon; four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Addy Funeral Home, where services will be 1 p.m. Wednesday with the Rev. John Swaffer officiating. Burial will be in West Lawn Cemetery.

## E. Noel Gartrell

SHERRODSVILLE — Retired educator E. Noel Gartrell, 86, of 315 Green St., Leesville, died Thursday morning, Aug. 18, 1994, at the Sunny Slope Nursing Home, Bowerston, after a brief illness.

He retired in 1976 from Alliance City Schools after 47 years service, where he was a school teacher. He also served as principal at Sebring for 19 years.

Mr. Gartrell was born Sept. 28, 1907, in Orange Township, Carroll County, son of the late S.J. and Ora Edie Gartrell.

He was a member of Calvary United Methodist Church, Sherrodsville, a life member of the Ohio Teachers Association, a member of the Carroll County Retired Teachers Association and was a graduate of Kent State and Ohio universities.

He also was a house painter for many years.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Gertrude Walker Gartrell, in March 1978. Also deceased are two brothers, John and Edison "Ted" Gartrell.

Mr. Gartrell leaves his wife, Blanche Hines Welsch Gartrell, whom he married June 27, 1978; three daughters, Mrs. Howard (Marilyn Carman) Fouse of Beverly, Mrs. Bruce (Sue) Lower of Gainesville, Fla., and Mrs. Edgel (Shirley) Harper of Byesville; a son, Roger Gartrell of Beverly; a step-daughter, Mrs. Carol Watercutter of Heath; two stepsons, Frederick Welsch of Sugarcreek and Robert Welsch of Port Washington; a sister, Helen Miller of Columbus; three brothers, L.B. "Burdette" Gartrell of Leesville, Kenneth Gartrell of Westerville and Ralph Gartrell of New Philadelphia; 11 grandchildren, seven step-grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and three step-great-grandchildren.

Friends were received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 21, at Baxter-Gardner Funeral Home, Sherrodsville, and one hour prior to 11 a.m. services Monday, Aug. 22, at Calvary United Methodist Church. The Rev. Doug Mallernee officiated. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington.

Memorial contributions may be made to Calvary United Methodist Church, Sherrodsville.

Aug. 24, 1994



## Max E. Crouch

NEWCOMERSTOWN — Max E. Crouch, former guitar and banjo player of the Buckeye Four Band, died Wednesday, Aug. 17, 1994, at Coshocton Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Crouch was a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center and a life-long Newcomerstown resident.

He was born June 10, 1911, son of the late Grover C. and Eva Maud Stewart Crouch. He retired in 1968 as a file cutter for many years from Simonds Industries, Newcomerstown, and started and played music in his own band "The Buckeye Four." He was a member of Four Square Gospel Church, Newcomerstown.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary E. Clum Schaar Crouch, on Sept. 5, 1987. They were married Sept. 19, 1940. Also deceased are a daughter, Linda Jones, a sister, Ruth Jane Crouch, and a brother, Don E. Crouch.

Mr. Crouch leaves a stepson, Dale G. Schaar of Newcomerstown; two grandsons and a nephew.

Friends were received from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. services Friday, Aug. 19, at Ourant Funeral Home. The Rev. Dr. Timothy J. Crouch O.S.L. officiated. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Walter A. Clarke

Word has been received of the death of Walter A. Clarke, 79, who died July 29, 1994, at his home in El Cajon, Calif.

He was born Sept. 12, 1914, son of the late Samuel and Mary Clarke. He attended Newcomerstown schools, and retired in 1989 from the University of California.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Walter K. Clarke; and a twin brother, Willard S. Clarke.

Mr. Clarke leaves his wife, Ethel Akers Clarke of El Cajon; a brother Don Clarke of Bonita Springs, Fla.; a sister, Dortha Ferrell of Cape Coral, Fla.; a grandson, Jeffrey Clarke of Vista, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews.

The body was cremated and burial was at sea.

## Loy E. Wiggins

WEST LAFAYETTE — Loy E. Wiggins, 58, of 312 Fair St., West Lafayette, died at noon Thursday, Aug. 18, in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital, after a long illness.

He was born Sept. 16, 1935, at West Lafayette, son of the late Merrill and Ethel Richardson Wiggins. He was employed many years with West Lafayette Street Department and was at one time employed by the West Lafayette Police Department. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, West Lafayette.

He was preceded in death by three brothers.

Mr. Wiggins leaves his wife, Margaret Lindell, whom he married Sept. 16, 1956; a son, Loy E. Wiggins Jr. of West Lafayette; five daughters, Cindy Pelfrey, Christie Parks, Teresa Johnson and Dee Dee Gonter, all of West Lafayette, and Peggy Alexander of Plainfield; a sister, Bessie Prater of West Lafayette; and 17 grandchildren.

Friends were received from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, at Given-Dawson Funeral Home, West Lafayette, where services were at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 21, with the Revs. Kregg Burris and James Puz officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the hospice of Coshocton county or the First Baptist Church of West Lafayette.

## Walter W. Shull

GNADENHUTTEN — Walter W. Shull, 89, formerly of Gnadenuhuten, died Tuesday morning, Aug. 16, at the South Broadway Nursing Home, New Philadelphia, after a sudden illness.

He was born July 31, 1905, at Lock Seventeen, near Gnadenuhuten, son of the late William C. and Pauline K. Wentz Shull. He was a lifelong resident of the area and graduated from Gnadenuhuten High School, Class of 1923. He retired from the former Ross Clay Pipe Co., Lock Seventeen, after many years of working on the setting crew. He also was a retired farmer.

He was a member of the Eagles in Steubenville and Gnadenuhuten Moravian Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Florence M. Bricker Schull, on Dec. 26, 1980. They were married Dec. 25, 1926. Also preceding him in death was a sister, Pauline K. Tedrick.

Mr. Shull leaves two brothers and sisters-in-law, Sherman and Gerry Shull of Buffalo, N.Y., and William "Bill" and Dorothy Shull of Lock Seventeen; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, at Gowins Funeral Home, Gnadenuhuten, where services were at 11 a.m. Friday, Aug. 19, with the Rev. David D. Danneberger officiating. Burial was in Gnadenuhuten Cemetery.

Aug. 24, 1994

## Mervin H. Shetler

Mervin H. Shetler, 70, of 3349 Co. Road 70, Sugarcreek, died Tuesday (Aug. 23, 1994) at 3 a.m. in Aultman Hospital in Canton following an extended illness.

He was born Oct. 18, 1923, in Holmes County, son of the late Henry J. and Alma Kauffman Shetler. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Old Order Amish.

Mr. Shetler leaves his wife, Emma Raber Shetler, whom he married Nov. 29, 1949; four daughters, Mrs. Atlee (Esther) Miller, Mrs. Atlee (Alma) Yoder, Mrs. Jonas (Anna) Hershberger and Mrs. Mark (Mary) Troyer, all of Sugarcreek; six sons, Henry M. Shetler, Atlee M. Shetler and Wayne M. Shetler, all of Millersburg, Eli M. Shetler and Jacob M. Shetler of Sugarcreek, and Delbert M. Shetler of Wilnot; 44 grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Eli (Bena) Miller of Thomasville, N.C., and Mrs. John (Mary) Miller of Newcomerstown; and three brothers, Malva H. Shetler of Florida, Delbert H. Shetler of Sugarcreek and Paul H. Shetler of Fredericksburg.

Two daughters and a sister are deceased.

Services were Thursday at the Shetler residence, with Bishop Aden R. Miller officiating. Burial was in Shetler Cemetery in Clark Twp., Holmes County. Smith Funeral Home in Sugarcreek handled the arrangements.

## Myron J. Mulvane

Myron Joseph Mulvane, 85, of 713 W. State St., Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Aug. 25, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born May 23, 1909, at Newcomerstown, son of the late William and Helen Culbertson Mulvane. He retired after 45 years with Simonds Industries and was a member of Christ United Methodist Church and Elks Lodge B.P.O.E. 1555.

Mr. Mulvane leaves his wife, Luella Mizer Mulvane; two daughters, Mrs. Gary (Nancy) Gadd of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Harold (Darlene) Best Jr. of Copley; a son, Don Mulvane of Lawrenceville, Ga.; a sister, Mrs. Kenneth (Mary) Phillips of Newcomerstown; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Two sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in the East State Street Cemetery. The Elks Lodge had services on Friday at Addy Funeral Home.

## Freda M. Parker

MAGNOLIA — Freda Mae Parker, 74, of 262 Plum St., died Saturday, Aug. 13, 1994, at the Arbors of Canton after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Cambridge, daughter of the late Hershel and Norma McVey Sunnafrank. She had lived in Magnolia more than 40 years. She was a graduate of Cambridge High School and Canton Actual Business College.

Mrs. Parker retired from Ekco Housewares after 16½ years of service. She was a member of Magnolia United Methodist Church, Magnolia Historical Society and the AARP.

She leaves her husband of 40 years, Harry E. Parker; four daughters Mrs. Ben (Barbara) Sherman of Louisville; Mrs. Jim (Arlene) Beck of Canton; Mrs. William (Rebecca) McCollum of North Canton and Mrs. Roy (Norma) Johnson of Columbia, S.C.; a son, Neal Parker of Brecksville; four sisters, Verna Foster of Magnolia, Wanda Glass of Canal Fulton, Beverly Faiello of Cambridge and Rita Gwathney of Huntsville, Ala.; 10 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Friends were received from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 16, at Finefrock-Gordon Funeral Home. Services were Wednesday, Aug. 17, at 11 a.m. at Magnolia United Methodist Church with the Rev. Philip Jamieson officiating. Burial was in Magnolia Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Magnolia United Methodist Church.

## Joseph T. Fletcher

CADIZ — Joseph T. "Diamond Joe" Fletcher, 51, of Cadiz-Piedmont Road, died Monday, Aug. 15, 1994, at Ohio Valley Medical Center, Wheeling, W.Va.

He was born Dec. 25, 1942, at Rachael, W.Va., son of the late Warren and Ellen Beuglass Fletcher. He was a former truck driver for Nemo's Auto Body, and a Vietnam War veteran.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Dorothy Fletcher and Helen Hawthorne, and a brother, John Fletcher.

Mr. Fletcher leaves his wife, Sandra Hildreth Fletcher; three sons, Tom Fletcher of Indianapolis, Ind., Michael Fletcher of Beloit, and Jeff Fletcher of Reynoldsburg; three sisters, Charlotte Lapinsky and Betty Napalo, both of Rachael, W.Va., and Sara Watson of Newcomerstown; six brothers, Warren "Curt" Fletcher of New Athens, Bill and Jim Fletcher, both of Mannington, W.Va., Robert Fletcher of Warren, and Ed Fletcher of Erlanger, Ky.; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 18, at Clark-Kirkland Funeral Home where services were at 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 19, with the Rev. Paul Hamilton officiating. Burial was in Cadiz Union Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Cadiz Emergency Squad or the American Cancer Society.

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## C. Russell Burkey

Clarence Russell Burkey, 56, of 693 Beans Road SE, Sherrodsville, formerly of Fresno and Port Washington, died Monday (Aug. 22, 1994) at Coshocton Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

He was born Oct. 19, 1937, in Bucks Twp., Tuscarawas County, a son of the late Oscar and Eunice Marie Bock Burkey. He retired from AlSCO Aluminum Co. in Gnadenhutten where he worked in the smelting department for over 25 years of service and was a former employee at the former AlSCO facility in Sugar Creek. He was a member of the Mormon Church in New Philadelphia.

Mr. Burkey leaves his wife, Marilyn Kenney Burkey, whom he married Sept. 18, 1964; a son, Samuel C. Burkey of Sherrodsville; five brothers and four sisters-in-law, Boyd and Claudith Burkey of Ft. Wayne, Ind., Paul and Jerry Burkey of Munford, Tenn., Joseph and Marie Brush of Fresno, Harley "Junior" Brush of California, and George and Audrey Brush of Fremont; a sister and brother-in-law, Ed and Jessie Leveillee of Springfield, Oregon; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a son, Michael Russell Burkey, in 1966.

Services were Friday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Roger Bourne officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County.

## Carl C. Yeager

Carl C. Yeager, 75, of New Rumley, died Monday (Aug. 22, 1994) at Harrison Community Hospital in Cadiz.

He retired from R&F Coal Co. in Cadiz and was a member of Harrison Hills United Pentecostal Church.

He leaves his wife, Betty Yeager of New Rumley; two daughters, Bonnie Yeager Logsdon of Scio and Debbie Yeager Cunningham of Carrollton; three sons, Perry Yeager of Newcomerstown, Randy "Gary" Yeager of Jewett and Phillip Yeager of Bowerston; three sisters, Francis Nicholson of Florida, Belvia Spino of Tampa, Fla., and Violet Bartlett of Shinnston, W.Va.; 12 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Thomas Yeager and Eddy Yeager.

Services were Thursday at the Harrison Hills United Pentecostal Church with Rev. Hugh Rose and Rev. Russ Rodijvk officiating. Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery at Jewett. The Purviance Funeral Home in Scio handled the arrangements.

## Emerson C. Sullivan

Emerson C. Sullivan, 80, of 301 W. Main St., Port Washington, a retired milk hauler, died Sunday (Aug. 21, 1994) at the Skilled Nursing Facility of Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness.

He was born Sept. 9, 1913, in Tuscarawas, son of the late George and Rosa Purdue Sullivan. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, a member of American Legion Thomas Montgomery Post 431 and attended St. Paul United Church of Christ. He was a self-employed milk hauler for 43 years, retiring in 1963. He then worked for the Tuscarawas County Road and Bridge Department for 15 years and served as janitor for Truck Sales and Service in Midvale for several years. He retired in 1989.

Mr. Sullivan leaves his wife of 56 years, Erma M. Dichler Sullivan, whom he married June 24, 1938; a son, Terry D. Sullivan of Port Washington; two grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Sue Darlene Sullivan, on Jan. 16, 1956; six brothers; and three sisters.

Services were Wednesday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Hildreth officiating. Military graveside services were conducted by the Newcomerstown Veterans Organizations at Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Memorial contributions may be made the St. Paul United Church of Christ Endowment Fund, 114 N. High St., Port Washington.

## Mildred V. Archer

Mildred V. Archer, 88, of 1633 River Hill Road, SW, Port Washington, died Sunday (Aug. 21, 1994) at her home.

She was born Oct. 18, 1905, in Coshocton County, daughter of the late Henry and Adella Tyson Apple. She was a homemaker and a member of Faith Baptist Church in Port Washington.

Mrs. Archer was preceded in death by her husband, Nelson Archer, on June 2, 1980. Also deceased are two sons, two daughters, a grandchild, three brothers and three sisters.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Don (Norma) McCune of Port Washington; a sister, Mrs. Pauline Doup of Mt. Vernon; four grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

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

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## Bill Miller

Bill Miller, 89, of 16457 Crossover Road, SW, Newcomerstown, formerly of Logan County, West Virginia, died Tuesday evening at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

He was born in Wayne County, West Virginia, on Jan. 1, 1905, son of the late Andrew Miller and the late Martha Ramey Miller. He was a retired coal miner, working as a miner for over 40 years and retiring from the Westmoreland Coal Co. in 1966. HE belonged to the United Mine Workers and enjoyed hunting and looking for ginseng.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Miller was preceded in death by his wife, Opal Jeffrey Miller, who died in 1990; and two former wives, Reva Childress Miller and Ruby Sparks Miller. He was the last member of the Miller family, being preceded in death by 11 brothers and sisters.

Mr. Miller leaves a son and daughter-in-law, Charles E. and Juanita Miller of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Malda Jean Spencer and Mrs. Ronnie (Iva Lee) Hayden, both of Taylor, Michigan; 14 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; several great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services and burial were at the Highland Memorial Cemetery in Godby Heights, West Virginia, on Friday, Sept. 2, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Roscoe Chapin officiating. The Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown handled the local arrangements and the James Funeral Home in Logan, West Virginia, handled the arrangements in West Virginia.

## Washington I. Bloom

Washington Irving Bloom, 82, of 5347 Baker Rd. SW, Port Washington, died Thursday, Sept. 1 at 6:55 a.m. in Baltic Country Manor Nursing Home, where he had been a patient since June.

Born at St. Michael, Pa., on June 22, 1912, he was a son of the late Alpheus H. Bloom and Maggie H. Almond Bloom Dorsey. He resided in Ohio most of his life and was a heavy equipment operator for various construction companies, retiring in 1973. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, Port Washington.

He leaves his wife, Joanna Maxine Hull, whom he married July 2, 1950; his children and their spouses, Barbara Richards, Mrs. Edwin (Irma) Amore, Mrs. James (Jean) Baker, David Bloom and Sidney D. (Denise) Bloom, all of Coshocton, William (Marilyn) Bloom of Tacoma, Wash., Irvin W. (Connie) Bloom and Doris Burton of New Philadelphia, and Timothy Bloom and Mrs. Bryan (Pamela) Lanzer of Port Washington; a sister, Millie Price of Arkansas; a brother, Robert A. Bloom of New Philadelphia; four stepchildren; 27 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a daughter, Margaret Wells; brothers Lz, Chris and Harold Bloom, and sisters Ethel, Myrtle, Hazel, Peg, Marie and Lenora.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Sept. 4 at 2 p.m. at the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Home in Dennison with Rev. John D. Swaffer officiating. Burial was in Port Washington Union Cemetery.

## Gene R. Hart

PLAINFIELD — Gene R. Hart, 69, owner of Hart Excavating Co. in Plainfield for 35 years, died Wednesday (Aug. 17, 1994) at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born June 27, 1925, in Guernsey County, son of Mrs. Alice Booth Hart of Guernsey and the late Howard Hart. He attended the Newcomerstown schools and was a U.S. Marine veteran of World War II. He was a member of Plainfield United Methodist Church, several Masonic bodies and served as Linton Twp. trustee for 10 years.

Mr. Hart leaves his wife, Erna Derr Hart, whom he married Sept. 21, 1947; a son, Gordon C. Hart of Plainfield; a daughter, Mrs. Bruce (Kathy) Reid of Plainfield; six brothers. Lloyd, Milford, Donald, Clifford and Thomas Hart, all of Newcomerstown and John Hart of Coshocton; and two step-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son and a brother.

Services were Aug. 20 at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Paul Gerycz officiating. Burial was in Plainfield Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812.

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### Homer W. Burrier

Homer W. Burrier, 77, of 13992 Lincoln Ave., Newcomerstown, died in the emergency room of Coshocton Memorial Hospital Friday (Sept. 2, 1994).

He was born in Newcomerstown on Aug. 25, 1917, a son of the late William Burrier and the late Jenny Opphile Burrier. He was a veteran of the Army Air Corps, serving in Europe and Africa during World War II. He retired after working over 30 years at the Goshen Brick Co. in Newcomerstown and was also briefly employed as a security guard for Gennie Garage Doors in Baltic. He enjoyed gardening, fishing and camping as his favorite activities.

Mr. Burrier leaves his wife of 49 years, Pauline C. McCormick Burrier, whom he married July 28, 1945; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald William (Debbie) Burrier and Robert E. Burrier, both of Newcomerstown; three brothers and a sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Archie (Sylvia) Burrier of Newcomerstown and Harold Burrier and Woodrow Burrier, both of Dover; a half-brother, Robert Nugen of Port Washington; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Ruth Kay Burrier, who died in 1946.

Services were Monday, Sept. 5, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor Mark Lail officiating. Burial was in the Bakersville Cemetery in Coshocton County.

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### John D. Aldergate

John D. Aldergate, 73, of 458 Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, was killed in a traffic accident on Route 36 near Gnadenhutten at approximately 11 a.m. Friday (Sept. 16, 1994). Troopers said his vehicle went off the left side of the road, sideswiped a tree and went through a brush pile before hitting another tree.

He was born April 17, 1921, at Midvale, son of the late Joseph and Irene Bertolini Aldergate.

He was a 1941 graduate of Dennison High School and retired from George Hooker Trucking. He was a U.S. Coast Guard veteran of World War II, a member of the Tuscarawas VFW, Newcomerstown Elks 1555 and Dennison Eagles.

He leaves his wife, Doris Jean Widder Aldergate; three daughters, Mrs. Charles (Betty) Crites of Uhrichsville, Mrs. Audie (Marsha) Murphy of Pickerington and Mrs. Jim (Jeannie) Baker of Newcomerstown; two sons, Dan Aldergate of Canton and Rick Sharrock of West Mifflin, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. William (Clara) Hinig of New Philadelphia and Mrs. Richard (Dawna) Heston of Tuscarawas; two brothers, James "Jack" Aldergate of New Philadelphia and Louis Aldergate of Uhrichsville; nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. A.J. Johnson and the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

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### Ethel Hogue

Ethel Hogue, 89, of 9497 Bell Road, Cambridge, formerly of Heller Drive, Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Sept. 11, 1994) at the Red Carpet Nursing Center in Cambridge following a brief illness.

She was born July 11, 1905, a daughter of the late Ezra and Carrie McPeak Huff of Byesville. She was a homemaker and attended the First Baptist Church in Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Hogue was preceded in death by her husband, Elmer Hogue, a brother and a sister. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Florence Haines of Brunswick and Mrs. Roger (Mildred) Warden of Cambridge; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Dr. Richard Powers officiating. Burial was in Everal's Cemetery.

### Gladys L. Brick

Gladys L. Brick, 86, of Gnadenhutzen R.D. 1 (Lock Seventeen) died Saturday (Sept. 10, 1994) at Union Hospital in Dover following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 12, 1907, in Tennessee, a daughter of the late William Wesley and Alice Louise Cramer Crews. She was a homemaker and was affiliated with the Church of God at Midvale.

Her husband, John F. Brick, preceded her in death on Feb. 19, 1984. They had been married on Dec. 11, 1924. Also deceased are two daughters, two sons, one granddaughter, one grandson, one great-granddaughter and one brother.

Mrs. Brick leaves six daughters, Mrs. Ralph (Maxine) Page and Beverly A. Kopp of Midvale, Mrs. Raymond (Sylvia) McCartney of New Philadelphia, Mrs. Russell (Janet) McDaniel of Dennison, Mrs. William (Jane) Mardis of Newcomerstown and Mrs. William (Vicki) Davis of Newark; two sons, Paul R. "Doc" Brick and John R. Brick of Uhrichsville; 32 grandchildren; 60 great-grandchildren; seven step-great-grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter.

Services were Tuesday at the Uhrich-Hostettler Funeral Home in Uhrichsville with the Rev. Larry Wonderly and the Rev. Glen Shugars officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Memorial Park in New Philadelphia.

### Robert R. Mathew

DRESDEN — Robert R. Mathew, 71, of 616 Chestnut St., Dresden, a former village council member, died Sunday (Sept. 11, 1994) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown.

He was born Dec. 31, 1922, at Zanesville, a son of the late George David and Lora Opal Rose Mathew. He was former president of Mid-Ohio Mechanical in Granville and was a member of Coburn United Presbyterian Church in Zanesville, Charles M. Mitchell Post 399 American Legion in Dresden, the Plumbers and Pipefitters Union Local 189 (since 1951), Dresden Lodge 103 F&AM, Samaritan Chapter of R.A.M. 50 in Coshocton. He served on the Dresden council for 36 years. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of World War II, where he served with the 8th Air Force Chemical Warfare Division in England.

Mr. Mathew leaves his wife, Vivian Mitchell Mathew, whom he married Aug. 20, 1942; a son, David Mathew of Dresden; a daughter, B.J. McFadden of Newcomerstown; and four grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a son, Michael David Mathew.

Services were Tuesday at the Baughman-Vensil-Orr Funeral Home in Dresden. Military graveside services were performed by American Legion Post 399. Masonic services were held Monday at the funeral home.

Sept. 28, 1994

### **Rebecca Christine McClung**

Rebecca Christine McClung, two-month-old daughter of Chris and Jennifer Peebles McClung, 136 S. College St., Newcomerstown, died at her home Saturday (Sept. 17, 1994) of natural causes.

Rebecca was born in Cambridge on July 21, 1994. In addition to her parents, she leaves her paternal grandparents, Clarence and Edith McClung of Kimbolton, and her maternal grandparents, Richard and Linda Peebles of Wadsworth.

Services were held Sunday, Sept. 25, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Father Ed Keck officiating. Burial was in Irish Ridge Cemetery in Guernsey County.

### **Terry L. Ball**

CAMBRIDGE — Terry L. Ball, 39, of 64020 Slaughter Hill Road, died at 11:53 p.m. Saturday (Sept. 17, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital. Mr. Smith was a truck driver for Smith Concrete Co. A brother, Donald Ball, lives in Newcomerstown.

Services were Wednesday, Sept. 21, at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home with Evangelist Woody Biggs officiating. Burial was in Guernsey Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to the Terry L. Ball Memorial Fund in care of Stop Nine Church of Christ, Byesville.

### **Douglas Martin Stalley**

Douglas Martin Stalley, 24, of Tampa, Florida, died Friday (Sept. 9, 1994) in Florida of natural causes. His late great-grandparents, Richard and Carrie Peters Lyons, were former residents of Salem Township in Tuscarawas County.

Mr. Stalley leaves his father, Douglas B. Stalley of Brandon, Florida; his mother, Pamela Preston of Sylva, North Carolina; three brothers, Phillip Stalley and Adam Stalley of Brandon, Florida, and Aaron Stalley of Sylva, North Carolina; and two grandmothers, Cecille Troxell of Tampa, Florida, and Betty (Lyons) Martin of North Canton.

Graveside services and burial were held Saturday, Sept. 24, at the Bethel Cemetery in Salem Township with the Rev. Michael Sydnor officiating. The Ourant Funeral Home of Newcomerstown handled the Ohio arrangements.

### **Ralph Shipman**

BIRMINGHAM — Ralph "Jack" Shipman, 83, of 74181 Birmingham Road, Birmingham, died Wednesday (Sept. 21, 1994) at his home.

He was born May 27, 1911, son of the late Homer and Cleora Braniger Shipman. He retired after 31 years at Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown and was a Protestant.

Mr. Shipman was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Mae Myers Shipman, on Aug. 20, 1985; four sisters, Edith, Martha, Nina and Gladys; and a brother, Eugene.

He leaves four sons, Willard Shipman of Cambridge, Donald Shipman of Antrim, Kenneth Shipman of Columbus and Edward Shipman of Wapakoneta; four daughters, Mrs. Jerry (Audrey) Dyer of Byesville, Mrs. Roger (Clea Anna) Helmlinger of Columbus, Mrs. William (Naomi) Konicek of Clutier, Iowa, and Sandra Shipman of Byesville; 20 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday at the Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Dwight E. Lyons officiating. Burial was in the Clear Fork Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Antrim Volunteer Fire Department.

## David Greathouse Jr.

David F. Greathouse Jr., 29, of 479 Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (Sept. 14, 1994) at his home.

He was born Oct. 20, 1964, at Cambridge, son of David F. Greathouse Sr. and Bonnie Ashman Greathouse of Newcomerstown. He was a 1983 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and an employee at Pretty Products in Coshocton. He was a member of Moose Lodge 1337 in Newcomerstown.

He leaves his wife, Barbira Ballard Greathouse, whom he married June 6, 1944; a brother, Todd Greathouse; a sister, Melinda Woodworth; a grandmother, Frances Greathouse; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Services were Saturday, Sept. 17, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Michael Vierheller officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Eugene Tedrick

Eugene Tedrick, 73, of Las Vegas, Nevada, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Thursday (Sept. 15, 1994) at the University Medical Center in Las Vegas following a lengthy illness.

He was born March 6, 1921, in Newcomerstown, a son of the late Delbert C. Tedrick, who died in 1969, and the late Alberta Lindell Tedrick, who died in 1986. He was a U.S. Army veteran who served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II, and was awarded a Purple Heart.

Mr. Tedrick leaves eight brothers and sisters, Evelyn Watson of Newcomerstown, Janice Miller of Newcomerstown, Beverly Tedrick of Fairview Park, Doris Tedrick of West Lafayette, Delbert Tedrick Jr. of New Philadelphia, Robert Tedrick of La Harpe, Kansas, Melvin Tedrick of Port Washington, and George Tedrick; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two sisters, Marjorie Shaw and Mary Tedrick.

Services were Friday, Sept. 23, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Frank Conley officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The Newcomerstown Veterans organizations will conduct military graveside services.

## Julia M. Sokol

BUFFALO — Julia Mary Sokol, 92, of 11911 Clay Pike Road, died Saturday (Sept. 17, 1994) at Guernsey Memorial Hospital following a brief illness. She was a former employee at Cambridge Glass Co. and a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Byesville. A son, Martin Kamban, lives in West Lafayette.

Services were Tuesday at the McGaughy-Black Funeral Home in Byesville with Msgr. William C. Yontz officiating. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery in Pleasant City.

## Merle E. Kempf

Merle E. Kempf, 73, of 522 Oxford Ave., Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Sept. 17, 1994) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center following a brief illness.

He was born in Coshocton County on Dec. 31, 1920, son of the late Palmer Kempf and the late Mary Ann Klein Kempf. He was a brick setter with Belden Brick for 28 years, retiring in 1976. He was also an employee at the former Moore Enameling Co. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, a life member of Coshocton VFW Mohawk Post 2040 and the Briar Patch Beagle Club. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and gardening.

Mr. Kempf leaves his wife, Betty Jean Luce Kempf, whom he married July 12, 1947; a daughter, Mrs. Charles (Pamela) Haas of Uhrichsville; two sisters, Mrs. Stan (Orpha) Schworm of Coshocton and Mrs. Joe (Helen) McCrea of West Lafayette; two grandchildren, Heather Durben and Jean Ann Haas, both of Uhrichsville; and two step-grandsons, Charles Earl Haas and Derek Lee Haas, both of New Philadelphia. Mr. Kempf was preceded in death by a daughter, Lynn Ann Kempf; three sons, including Douglas Arthur Kempf; three brothers, Edgar Kempf, Walter Kempf and Carl Kempf; and three sisters, Leona Kempf, Mable Emerson and Elda Wiggins.

Services were Tuesday at the Ourant Funeral Home with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery with the Newcomerstown Veterans organizations conducting military graveside services. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association.

## Alice C. Hudgeons

Alice Cordillia Hudgeons, 75, of 113 Date Ave., Imperial Beach, California, died at 5:40 p.m. on Saturday (Sept. 17, 1994) at her home.

She was born Jan. 3, 1919, the daughter of the late Knight and Ella George Simmerman.

Mrs. Hudgeons leaves her husband, Carl R. Hudgeons, whom she married May 22, 1949; a daughter, Susan Marie Weldon of Imperial Beach, Calif.; three brothers, Elmer Simmerman of Newcomerstown, Clyde Simmerman of Kimbolton and Thomas Simmerman of Marrow; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a brother and two sisters.

Memorial services were at the United Methodist Church at Imperial Beach, Calif. Graveside services will be at a later date at the Peoli Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to San Diego Hospice, 4311 Third Ave., San Diego, CA 92103.

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Oct. 5, 1994

### **Rev. Raymond E. Lyons**

CAMBRIDGE — The Rev. Raymond E. Lyons, 88, of 1430 N. 12th St., Cambridge, died at 9 a.m. Saturday (Sept. 24, 1994) at his home. He was a longtime minister and a former Kimbolton postmaster.

He was born Aug. 23, 1906, in Guernsey County, son of the late James Wilson and Mary Harding Lyons. He was a pastor a Pleasant View Baptist Church near Newcomerstown for 40 years, retiring in 1973. He studied at the Practical Bible School in Binghamton, N.Y. He began his ministry at Salt Fork Baptist Church and worked with other nearby churches which were without ministers. He was ordained in October of 1943 by the Cambridge Baptist Association and pastored at Clear Fork Baptist Church for 10 years. He also pastored at Birds Run and Otsego Baptist churches. He also initiated the Calvary Chapel Church at Kimbolton.

Rev. Lyons was Postmaster in Kimbolton for 20 years.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Freda Calvert Lyons, in 1991. Also deceased are eight brothers and a great-grandchild.

Rev. Lyons leaves a daughter, Mrs. Harold (Dorothy) Gunn of Cambridge; three sons, Dwight E. Lyons of Kimbolton, Earnest W. Lyons of Cambridge and Donald R. Lyons of Newark; 11 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with Dr. Mark Mitchell officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery.

### **Eugene H. Heston**

Eugene H. Heston, 81, of Port Washington, died Wednesday (Sept. 28, 1994) at Union Hospital following a lengthy illness.

He was born at Blain on Nov. 18, 1912, the son of the late Henderson and Mary Blake Heston. Mr. Heston helped build the Faith Baptist Church at Port Washington and retired from Belden Brick in 1976 after 30 years of service. He had served as president of the Clay Workers Local for the plant's union membership. Mr. Heston was a volunteer firefighter for many years and had been a Scoutmaster for the former Port Washington Boy Scout Troop 29. A veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Army in the European Theatre.

Mr. Heston leaves his wife, the former Kathleen McCune, whom he married Aug. 25, 1940; four sons and three daughters-in-law, Keith and Joyce Heston of Port Washington, Matthew and Chris Heston of Port Washington, Richard and Dawna Heston of Tuscarawas, and Timothy Heston of West Lafayette; three daughters, Nancy O'Connor of New Philadelphia, Ann Marshall of Dover and Jane Heston of Dover; three sisters, Mrs. William (Thelma) Baker and Margaret Heston of Port Washington, and Mrs. Harry (Millicina) Gibb of Dover; 19 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Ellsworth Heston; and five sisters, Beulah, Orella, Grace, Naomi and Hazel; two grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services were Saturday at the Faith Baptist Church in Port Washington with Pastor John Swaffer officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery at Port Washington. Arrangements were handled by Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenhutten. The family said memorials can be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County.

Oct. 5, 1994

### **Carol M. Olday**

SCIO — Carol Marie Olday, 80, of Scio, died Sept. 21, 1994, at Harrison Community Hospital in Cadiz. She was born Sept. 19, 1914, in Trenton, Ontario, Canada. A daughter, Mrs. William (Robin) Corpman, lives in Port Washington. Services were Monday, Sept. 26, at the Carlton-Ulrich Funeral Home in Buffalo (Harrison County).

### **Evelyn I. Hiller**

NEW PHILADELPHIA — Evelyn I. Hiller, 79, of 2041 First St. SE, New Philadelphia, died Thursday (Sept. 22, 1994) at her home following an extended illness. She was born Sept. 12, 1915, the daughter of the late Harry and Lillie Hart Welsch. A son and daughter-in-law, Terry and Virginia Hiller, live in Newcomerstown. Services were Sept. 26 at the Toland-Herzig Funeral Home in Dover with the Rev. Richard Rothrock officiating.

### **Carl O. Parker**

UHRICHSVILLE — Carl Orin Parker, 68, of 115 S. Uhrich St., Uhrichsville, died Sunday (Sept. 25, 1994) at the Morning View Care Center at New Philadelphia. He was born at Dennison on Feb. 24, 1926, the son of the late Roy Layton and Mary Alice Maffitt Parker. A daughter, Mrs. Richard (Bonnie) Bond, lives in Newcomerstown.

### **Richard A. Cummings**

Graveside services and burial for Richard A. Cummings, formerly of Newcomerstown, were held Saturday, Oct. 1, at the Pleasant View Cemetery in Rumney, New Hampshire, with the Rev. John M. Fischer officiating.

Mr. Cummings, a former resident of 6107 Adam Street, died Dec. 29, 1993, at the West Lafayette Care Center. He and his late wife, Addis A. Jones Cummings, who died in 1988, were residents of Newcomerstown for several years.

The Sprague Funeral Home of Plymouth, New Hampshire, conducted the arrangements in New Hampshire while local arrangements were handled by the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown at the time of Mr. Cummings' death.

### **Alice C. Simmerman Hudgeons**

Memorial services for Alice C. Simmerman Hudgeons, who died at her home in Imperial Beach, California on Sept. 17 (1994) will be held Saturday, Oct. 8, at 1 p.m. in the Peoli Community Church with the Rev. Betty Brown officiating.

Burial will be at the Peoli Cemetery. Following the service, a meal will be served at the home of Clyde Simmerman. Memorials may be made to the San Diego Hospice, 4311 Third Ave., San Diego, CA 92103.

### **Correction**

The Newcomerstown News printed an incorrect date in an obituary for David Greathouse in the News dated Sept. 28. Mr. Greathouse married Barbara Ballard Greathouse on June 4, 1994, not on the date listed in the obituary. The News regrets the error.

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## J. Royal James

UHRICHSVILLE — J. ROyal James, 88, formerly of Uhrichsville and New Philadelphia, died Thursday (Oct. 6, 1994) at the Meadow View Care Center in Seville. A sister, Mrs. Margaret Jones, lives in Gnadenuhnten.

Services were Monday, Oct. 10, at the Uhrich-Hostetler Funeral Home in Uhrichsville with the Rev. H. Gilbert Stillwagon officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Uhrichsville.

## Margaret Wilson

FREEPORT — Margaret Wilson, 80, of 710 E. State St., Newcomerstown, formerly of Cuyahoga Falls, died Saturday (Oct. 8, 1994) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

She was born Oct. 19, 1913, at Moorefield, son of the late Paul and Lois Redd Wilson. Miss Wilson was a 1931 graduate of Freeport High School and attended Steubenville Business College. She served with the U.S. Navy WAVES during World War II and retired as a supervisor in 1977 from the Social Security Administration Office, Akron, with 40 years of service. She also taught genealogy at Cleveland State University and was well known for her work in genealogy nationwide. She was a member of numerous genealogy clubs, the Newcomerstown Presbyterian Church, Tuscarawas-Kent Branch Chestnut Club, Newcomerstown Parma Nous, Harrison County Historical Society and the Harrison County Daughters of the American Revolution.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Martha Ferrell, in 1981.

Miss Wilson leaves a brother, Bob Wilson of Peoli; several nieces and nephews.

Services were to be Tuesday at Koch Funeral Home in Freeport with the Revs. Linda Wilson and Michael Snyder officiating. Burial was to be in Moorefield Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Harrison County Historical Society, East Main Street, Cadiz, OH 43907.

## Edward C. Johns

Edward Curtis Johns, 74, of 5551 Sunset Lane SW, Newcomerstown, died Monday (Oct. 3, 1994) at 5:55 a.m. at his home.

He was born on the Fourth of July, 1920, in the Peoli Church, a son of the late Edward and Lillian Adams Johns. He was a former member of the Port Washington Moravian Church and was a 1938 graduate of Port Washington High School. He was retired journeyman sheet metal worker and a member of Local 70 at Akron. He was a member of Port Washington Masonic Lodge 202 and the Newcomerstown VFW, American Legion and DAV. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Johns leaves his wife, Mary Wardellen Irons Johns, whom he married Sept. 25, 1939. He also leaves two sons, E. Curtis Johns Jr. of Fort Worth, Texas, and Barry Johns of West Lafayette; one daughter, Elaine Hanson of New Philadelphia; one daughter-in-law, Renee Johns Andersen of Franklin, Wis.; one sister, Mrs. Herb (Ruth) Gates of Newcomerstown; and nine grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Tom Johns; one granddaughter; five brothers; and two sisters.

Services were Wednesday, Oct. 5, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with burial in Union Cemetery in Port Washington. Masonic services were held Tuesday. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 821 Anola Ave., Suite D, Dover, OH 44662.

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### **Dorothy M. Frank**

Dorothy M. Frank, 83, of Gnadenhutten, died Thursday afternoon (Oct. 6, 1994) in Massillon Community Hospital following a short illness.

She was born April 26, 1911, at Dennison, a daughter of the late Daniel and Anna E. Glazier Schreiner. A lifelong resident of the area, she was a 70-year member of the Gnadenhutten Moravian Church and the Evening Circle. She graduated from Gnadenhutten High School in 1929 and from the Canton Actual Business College of Canton in 1930. She worked for the Gnadenhutten Bank for several years and was a charter member of the Buckeye Senior Citizens of Gnadenhutten. She enjoyed working around the house, traveling, sewing, gardening and looking after her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Frank leaves her husband, Howard A. "Howdy" Frank, whom she married Oct. 31, 1936 at the former St. Paul's Evangelical Church in Port Washington. She also leaves two sons and their wives, John and Joyce Frank of New Philadelphia and Tom and Sharon Frank of Gnadenhutten; three daughters and their husbands, Patty and Jim Lower of Canal Fulton, Judy and Dennis Morgan of Grove City and Joan and Mike Johnson of New Philadelphia; a brother, William Schreiner of Hinckley; two sisters, Edith Begland and Mildred Clark of Gnadenhutten; 19 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. One sister and one brother preceded her in death.

Services were Monday at the Gnadenhutten Moravian Church with the Rev. David D. Danneberger officiating. Burial was in the Gnadenhutten Cemetery. The Gowins Funeral Home handled the arrangements. The family requested memorials be made to the Schreiner Scholarship Fund in care of the Gnadenhutten Moravian Church.

### **Willard R. Alexander**

Willard R. Alexander, 74, of 1120 53rd Ave. E. (Box 104), Bradenton, Florida, previously of Sebring, Florida, died Thursday, Sept. 22, 1994, at Manatee Memorial Hospital in Bradenton following a brief illness.

He was born June 22, 1920, at Plainfield, the son of the late Leonard and Loretta Loss Alexander. He was a truck driver and owner of Shadybend Florist and Greenhouse. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Mr. Alexander leaves his wife, Jane Bailey Alexander, whom he married Nov. 1, 1959; three daughters, Goldie Beitzel of West Lafayette, Mary Hahn of Coshocton and Shirley King of Zanesville; three sons, George Alexander, Harold Alexander of Logan and Robert Alexander of Hazelhurst, Georgia; a brother, Hubert Alexander of Summersville, W.Va.; a sister, Bessie Jean Knight of Newcomerstown; 10 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. One brother, Leonard Alexander, preceded him in death.

The National Crematory of Sarasota handled arrangements. Burial was in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Fla.

### **Mary Lucille McCullough**

Mary Lucille McCullough, 79, of Willingham Road, Chuluola, Florida, died Sunday, Sept. 4, 1994.

She was born in Newcomerstown on Jan. 2, 1915 and moved to central Florida in 1958. She was a legal secretary and was a member of the Order of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, Pioneer Chapter 99, Order of Eastern Star; the Women of the Moose, the Order of the Amaranth Court 59, Athallsh Temple 114, Daughters of the Nile, Winter Park Drove 86, Benevolent and Protective Order of Does, Kismet Court 86, Ladies Oriental Shrine of North America and Royal Neighbors 4510 of Columbus, Ohio. While in Newcomerstown, she was a nurse at Heller Bros. Tool Co.

Mrs. McCullough leaves a son, Kenneth G. Rice of Chuluola; a sister, Florence Denham of Newcomerstown; two grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were handled by Carey Hand Cox-Parker Funeral Home at Winter Park, Florida, with burial at the Woodlawn Memorial Park in Orlando, Florida.

## Roselyn Welton Best

BINGHAMTON, N.Y. — Roselyn Welton Best of Binghamton, N.Y., died Tuesday (Oct. 11, 1994) following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Shreveport, La., on Feb. 27, 1923, the daughter of the late Ezera Welton and Erin Garrett Welton. She was a 1940 graduate of the Columbus School for Girls, attended Ohio Wesleyan University and received a bachelor's degree from The Ohio State University and a master's degree from the University of New York-Binghamton. In addition to being a devoted wife and mother, she had a lifetime interest in Spanish literature and the Spanish language. She spent several summers studying and traveling in Spain. For more than 25 years, she was an active member of the Tri-Cities Opera Company and served as president of the Opera Guild. She also spent many years as a volunteer worker at the Susquehanna Valley Home and as a member of the choir at Trinity Memorial Church.

Mrs. Best leaves her husband, Robert M. Best; a daughter, Linda Best; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Eric and Axia Best and Grant Best; and one granddaughter, Marissa Rose Best. All are from Binghamton.

A memorial service will be held Oct. 21 at 3 p.m. at the Trinity Memorial Church, 44 Main St., Binghamton, N.Y. Immediately following the service, the family will receive friends in the Hoyt Room. Burial will be in Ohio at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the Roselyn Welton Best Scholarship Fund of the Tri-Cities Opera, 210 Clinton St., Binghamton, NY 13905. Arrangements were handled by the Prentice-Olsen Funeral Home in Binghamton and by the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

## Lillian M. Thomas

Lillian Mary Thomas, 89, of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Newcomerstown, died there on Wednesday (Oct. 12, 1994) at 9:22 a.m.

She was born May 19, 1905, in Fairview, W.Va., the daughter of the late Newton and Caroline Crow Magers. A housekeeper, she was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of the Nazarene and enjoyed crocheting.

Her first husband, John Kiste, died in 1951, and her second husband, William Thomas, died in March of 1962. A great-granddaughter, nine brothers and four sisters are also deceased.

Mrs. Thomas leaves a daughter and son-in-law, Faye and William Kenney of Newcomerstown; five grandchildren, Mrs. Robert (Mary) Cross, Danny Gadd and John Kenney, all of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Mike (Sue) Miller of Port Washington, and Roberta Greene of New Philadelphia; 15 great-grandchildren; 13 great-great-grandchildren; two sisters, Lucille Hartley of Neffs and Blanche Southerland of Tucson, Ariz.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Mark Lail officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial gifts may be made to the American Heart Association, Tuscarawas County Division, 1822 Pleasant Valley Road, New Philadelphia, OH 44663.

## Nancy A. Gress

WEST LAFAYETTE — Nancy A. Gress, 56, of 304 E. Main St., West Lafayette, died at 10:50 a.m. on Wednesday (Oct. 12, 1994) at her home following a long illness.

She was born in Lafayette Township, Coshocton County, on May 16, 1938, a daughter of the late Clarence and Roxa Palmer Smalley. She was a 1956 graduate of West Lafayette High School and had been a letter carrier with the West Lafayette Post Office for the past 21 years. She was a member of the Fresno United Methodist Church and was former secretary for the West Lafayette Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Gress leaves her husband, Floyd L. Gress, whom she married Nov. 22, 1956; two sons, Michael L. Gress and Jerry E. Gress, both of West Lafayette; a daughter, Mrs. William (Linda) McCoy of West Lafayette; two sisters, Lucille Carpenter of Coshocton and Mary Lou Hardesty of Mount Dora, Florida; and six grandchildren.

Two brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Helen Lewis officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette. Memorial contributions may be made to Coshocton County Hospice, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812.

## Richard Williams

NEW PHILADELPHIA — Richard "Willy" Williams Jr., 38, of 239½ First Drive NE, New Philadelphia, died Saturday (Oct. 8, 1994) at the Cleveland Clinic following a brief illness. An aunt, Mrs. Howard (Pauline) Groff, lives in Newcomerstown.

Services were Oct. 14 at the Naylor Funeral Home with the Rev. Lomas Shuman officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Burial Park. Memorials may be made to Sacred Heart School, 320 Fair Ave. NE, New Philadelphia, OH 44663.

## Violet Emslie Knox

Violet Emslie Knox, 84, born in Liverpool, England, and a former resident of Newcomerstown, died Sept. 28 at her home in San Diego, Calif.

Mrs. Knox leaves a daughter, Rosemary Osler Ownbey, and granddaughter, Jill Susan Ownbey, of San Deigo; two sisters, Joyce Miller of Columbus and Dolores Losego of Cambridge; and three brothers, Glenn Emslie and Roy Emslie of West Lafayette, and Don Emslie, Tucson. Two brothers are deceased.

Mrs. Knox's writing talents led her to be invited to membership in "The National League of American Pen Women," La Jolla Branch 1970. They honored her with the "Woman of Achievement Award, 1980." She also was a member of The International Institute of British Poetry, in "Who's Who of American Women 1980, and in "The World's Who's Who of Women, 1988." She won numerous awards for poetry and prose in several states and has been published in scores of magazines and newspapers.

Clairemont Mortuary of San Diego was in charge of arrangements.

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### **Martha M. Linard**

Martha M. "Mae" Linard, 91, a resident of Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown, formerly of Port Washington, died early Wednesday afternoon (Oct. 12, 1994) at the Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born in New Philadelphia on March 9, 1903, a daughter of the late Lewis Huston and the late Elvina Tidrick Huston. She was a homemaker all her adult life and worked as a grocery clerk for many years. She belonged to the First Baptist Church in Port Washington and was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Blue Star Mothers, Newcomerstown Senior Citizens, Port Washington Homemakers and the American Legion Auxiliary in Newcomerstown.

Mrs. Linard was preceded in death by her husband, Fred H. Linard, who died on Sept. 18, 1973. They were married on Nov. 6, 1919. Also deceased is a son, F. Henry "Hank" Linard, who died in 1992, four brothers and a sister.

She leaves a daughter, Helen Fisher of Newcomerstown; two sons and their wives, Clarence "Nip" and Selma Linard of Robinsville, N.J., and Fred "Tug" and Norma Linard of Ridgecrest, Calif.; a brother, George Huston of Uhrichsville; and 18 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Services were Monday at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Union Cemetery.

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### **Dianne 'Lani' Walker**

MINERAL CITY — Dianne "Lani" Walker, 57, of 8248 Bailey Road NE, Mineral City, died Sunday (Oct. 16, 1994) at 10:15 a.m. in Aultman Hospital in Canton after a brief illness. A sister, Debbie Nelson, lives in West Lafayette.

Services were to be held at a later date with calling hours at the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Home at Dennison. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tuscarawas County, 125 E. Second St., Dover, OH 44622.

### **Leona Thomas Higgins**

ST. LOUIS, Mo. — Leona Thomas Higgins, 87, of Delmar Gardens North Nursing Home in St. Louis, Mo., formerly of Coshocton, died Sunday (Oct. 16, 1994) at 12:35 a.m. at the nursing home.

She was born at Port Washington on Sept. 27, 1907, the daughter of the late Charles and Mary Wolf Thomas. She was a 1927 graduate of Port Washington High School and attended business school in Columbus. She was employed at Shaw-Barton from 1956 to 1972 and was a former member of St. John's United Church of Christ in Coshocton.

She was preceded in death by her husband, the Rev. Clarence M. Higgins, on Nov. 27, 1971. They had been married on March 6, 1938. Also deceased are three brothers, John, Howard and Charles; and a sister, Elizabeth Thomas.

Mrs. Higgins leaves three sons, the Rev. Clarence (Janice) Higgins of Lincoln, Neb., the Rev. Chales B. (Virginia) Higgins of Schenectady, N.Y., and the Rev. Thomas S. Higgins of St. Louis, Mo.; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at St. John's United Church of Christ in Coshocton with the Rev. Thomas S. Higgins officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery, Port Washington. Arrangements were handled by Given-Dawson Funeral Home at Coshocton. Memorial gifts may be made to the organ fund at St. John's United Church of Christ.

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### **Robert Nathan Grinstead**

Robert Nathan "Grinny" Grinstead, 48, of Parkersburg, W.Va., died Friday (Oct. 21, 1994) at his home following an extended illness.

He was born June 18, 1946, in New Haven, W.Va., a son of Ada Fay Miller of New Haven and the late Thomas Grinstead. He was a graduate of Wahama High School and was a 1968 graduate of Mountain State College in Parkersburg. An Army veteran of the Vietnam War, he was a member of the Ohio State Firefighters Association, the Eastern Ohio Quarterhorse Association and the Union Masonic Lodge in Marietta. He was a construction safety supervisor with Rapistan DMAG Corp in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

Services were to be Monday at the Spencer Funeral Home in Belpre with Pastor George C. Weirick officiating. Burial was in Graham Cemetery in New Haven, W.Va.

### **Leo K. Fondriest**

Leo K. Fondriest, 82, of 830 Center St., Dover, died Wednesday (Oct. 19, 1994) in Timken Mercy Medical Center at Canton following an extended illness. A daughter, Susan Ganz, lives in Newcomerstown.

A funeral Mass was held Saturday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dover with Father Mark Carter officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Toland-Herzig Funeral Home in Dover.

### **Robert H. Brown**

WEST LAFAYETTE — Robert H. Brown, 78, of 21185 Co. Road 151, West Lafayette, and the West Lafayette Care Center, died Tuesday (Oct. 18, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born March 14, 1916, in Dover, a son of the late Harvey and Bertha Hart Brown. He was a 1935 graduate of Stone Creek High School. He was a private first class in the Army, Battery C, 73rd Anti-Aircraft Gun Battalion, serving from June 26, 1942 to Oct. 10, 1945, in the European Theatre, where he was awarded five Bronze Stars and one Bronze Arrowhead. He retired March 1, 1979, from General Electric in Coshocton after 30 years of service.

Mr. Brown leaves his wife, Ethel M. Brown; a son, Robert E. Brown of San Diego, Calif.; one daughter, Mrs. Michael (Nancy E.) Richard of Twp. Road 152, West Lafayette; one brother, Leonard Brown of Newcomerstown; a sister, Mrs. Thomas (Marie) Lawler of New Philadelphia; one grandson; one great-grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were Friday, Oct. 21, at Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Wayne P. Harman officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery, West Lafayette, with military honors conducted by the Coshocton County Veterans Council. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association, Coshocton County Branch, in care of Betty Leech, 740 Sunset Terrace, Coshocton, OH 43812.

### **D. Lawson Bing**

D. Lawson Bing, 92, of Naples, Florida, died Monday (Oct. 17, 1994). He was formerly of Columbus and has relatives in the Newcomerstown area. He was the retired co-founder of the Federal Adjustment Bureau of Columbus.

He was a former member of the Glenwood United Methodist Church and had been a member of First United Methodist Church of Naples, Fla.

Mr. Bing was preceded in death by his wife of over 50 years, Wilma C. Bing. He leaves a daughter and son-in-law, Barbara and Eugene Jewell; a granddaughter and her husband, Jennifer and David Miller; two great-grandchildren, Cheryl Lynn Miller and David Eugene Miller, both of Columbus; and a nephew, Richard W. Bing of Toledo.

Graveside services were Oct. 19 at the Glen Rest Cemetery with Rev. John Ball officiating. Arrangements were handled by Schoedinger Hilltop Chapel in Columbus. Memorials may be made to World Vision, P.O. Box 0, Pasadena, CA 91131.

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### Ellis W. Miller

Ellis W. Miller, 81, of 8917 Tschudy Hill Road SW, Port Washington, died Sunday morning (Oct. 16, 1994) at the Timken Mercy Medical Center in Canton following a short illness.

He was born in Dover on April 6, 1913, a son of the late Robert P. Miller and the late Philessa H. Booth Miller. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II. He was a retired employee of the James B. Clow Co. in both Coshocton and Newcomerstown. He worked in the maintenance department for over 27 years before retiring in 1975. He was a member of St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown and a former Grand Knight with the Knights of Columbus. He was also a member of Tuscarawas County Chapter 67, Disabled American Veterans.

Mr. Miller leaves his wife of 50 years, Janice Carnes Miller, whom he married Feb. 19, 1944; six sons and three daughters-in-law, Michael and Sue Miller of Port Washington, Thomas and Karen Miller of Gnadenhutzen, Richard and Natalie Miller of Newcomerstown, Douglas J. Miller of Port Washington, John R. Miller of Monroe and Glenn J. Miller of Port Washington; two daughters and a son-in-law, Jeanne and Randy Stephen of Port Washington and Monica J. Haver of Newcomerstown; two brothers and their wives, Herbert and Edith Miller of Newcomerstown and Arthur and Jane Miller of Columbus; and 12 grandchildren, one step-grandchild, three step-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Ann Miller, and two brothers, Carl E. Miller and Robert Miller, both of Newcomerstown.

The funeral mass of Christian burial was held Wednesday, Oct. 19, at St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown with Father Ed Keck as celebrant. Burial was at Coshocton County Memory Gardens. The Ourant Funeral Home handled the arrangements. The family suggested memorials be made to St. Francis deSales Church, 444 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

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### Uarda I. Lint

Uarda I. Lint, 87, a resident of the College Park Nursing Center in Coshocton, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Wednesday (Oct. 26, 1994) at the Center following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Newcomerstown on Oct. 21, 1907, a daughter of the late B.W. VanSickle and the late Maggie Jones VanSickle. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Newcomerstown and a homemaker. She retired in 1973 as a member of the wrapping department after 34 years as an employee at Simonds Industries Inc.

Mrs. Lint was preceded in death by her husband, J. Alexander "Alex" Lint, who died in 1939. She was the last member of the VanSickle family, preceded in death by three sisters and a brother. She leaves two daughters, Jean Harstine of Newcomerstown and Betty Miller of Warsaw; five grandchildren, Jim and Sue Harstine of Newcomerstown and Sharon Smailes, Steven Miller and Sandra Moran, all of Warsaw; eight great-grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter.

Services were Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry Broschart officiating. Burial was in the E. State Street Cemetery. The family is suggesting memorials be made to the First Baptist Church, 135 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.



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## Larrison infant

Graveside services were held Wednesday at the Mt. Hermon Cemetery for Mitchell Lee Larrison, infant son of Timothy and Diana Pippin Larrison, 3530 Little Indian Road, Kimbolton, who was stillborn Friday (Oct. 21, 1994) at the Southeast Regional Medical Center. The Rev. Roy Grindstaff officiating.

In addition to his parents, the infant leaves three brothers, Timothy M. Larrison, Corey R. Larrison and Joseph M. Larrison, all of the home; a sister, Krystal D. Larrison of the home; paternal grandparents, Jim and Cheryl Larrison of Kimbolton; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pippin of New Concord; and great-grandmothers, Amanda Larrison of Cambridge and Clara Barrett of New Concord.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandmother, Helen Larrison. The Thorn Funeral Home in Cambridge handled the arrangements.

## Anna E. Hart

Anna E. Hart, 46, of 55100 Red Lane Road, Cumberland, died Friday (Oct. 28, 1994) at her home.

She was born Feb. 9, 1948, at Dennison, a daughter of the late Charles and Jessie White Hart. She was a member of the Victory Life Fellowship Church of Cambridge.

Mrs. Hart leaves a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Kandi) Smith of Cumberland; four sisters and four brothers, Margaret and Richard Hart of Newcomerstown, Mrs. Leonard (Mary) Carpenter of Dennison, Pauline Meek of Coshocton, Mrs. Clayton (Betty) Carpenter of Port Washington, David and Paul Hart, both of Uhrichsville, and James Hart of New Philadelphia. Two brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Services were Monday at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Jack Betts officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery.

## Harry C. Harper

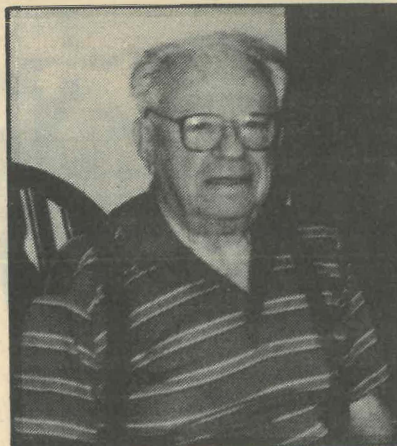
Harry Cecil Harper, 90, of 1100 E. State Road, Newcomerstown, died Saturday (Oct. 22, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born May 24, 1904, in Noble County, son of the late Henry and Mary Edna Hall Harper. He retired from U.S. Steel Corp. He was a member of the Methodist Church in Clairton, Pa., and attended the New Harmony Baptist Church in Caldwell. He was a member of Wilson Lodge 714 F&AM in Dravosburg, Pa., Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Valley of Pittsburgh and Syria Temple Aaonnis, Pittsburgh.

Mr. Harper was preceded in death by his wife, Mildred A. Selby Harper; a son, four brothers and four sisters.

He leaves several nieces and nephews, including Mrs. Betty Lyons and Clifford Powell, both of Kimbolton.

Mr. Harper was one of the earliest residents of the Riverside Apartments, living there since October of 1988. He was active as a resident there, going to Caldwell for church



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services and taking a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center for a drive once a week, in addition to driving to visit people every day after lunch. After surgery, he was unable to drive and Fred Clough came and took him on drives.

Services were Tuesday at the Bundy-Law Funeral Home in Cambridge with the Rev. Eric Cuenin officiating. Burial was in Northwood Cemetery in Cambridge.

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### **Viola Mae Morris**

Viola Mae Morris, 89, of the Cambridge Health Care Center, formerly of Kimbolton, died Monday (Oct. 24, 1994) at the Southeast Regional Medical Center in Cambridge.

She was born March 8, 1905, at Birds Run in Guernsey County, a daughter of the late Charles and Olive Nelson Kennedy. She was a member of the Kimbolton United Methodist Church and was a cook for Liberty School near North Salem. She was a member of Liberty Grange and Pomona Grange and was a former clerk of Liberty Township.

Mrs. Morris was first married to Bert Chambers, who died in 1955. Her second husband, Glen Morris, died in 1961. She was also preceded in death by a brother and two sisters.

She leaves a son, Charles Robert Chambers of Kimbolton; a daughter, Betty Bichard of Kimbolton; a sister, Mrs. Robert (Jane) Wearsch of Guernsey; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Kimbolton United Methodist Church with the Rev. Roy Hilliard and the Rev. Ernest Murphy officiating. Burial was in Kimbolton Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown. Contributions may be made to the Kimbolton United Methodist Church, 215 Main St., Kimbolton, OH 43749.

### **Virginia E. Wilson**

Virginia E. Wilson, 73, of 315 E. State St., Newcomerstown, died at 2:50 a.m. Sunday (Oct. 23, 1994) at the Southeast Regional Medical Center in Cambridge.

She was born Oct. 19, 1921, at Coshocton, daughter of the late Fred C. and Nina B. Phillips Ralph. She was a 1939 graduate of Coshocton High School and retired from Kurz-Kasch Inc. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church, Newcomerstown Senior Citizens, Joanna Circle and United Steel Workers of America District 27 Retiree Club.

Mrs. Wilson was preceded in death by her husband, John W. Wilson, on Dec. 21, 1981; and a half-sister, Marjorie Feiber.

She leaves a son, Richard S. Wilson of Akron; a daughter, Mrs. Richard (Debra) Hursey Jr. of Newcomerstown; and four grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George and the Rev. Glenn Brunstetter officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Christ United Methodist Church, 648 Oak St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832, or to the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens, 222 S. Bridge St., Newcomerstown.

### **Laura Romine**

Laura "Dottie" Romine, 56, of 14906 S.R. 258, Newcomerstown, died Monday (Oct. 24, 1994) at 4:20 p.m. at her home.

She was born Aug. 22, 1938, at Buchanan, W.Va., a daughter of the late Fred S. and Ruth M. Post Smith.

Mrs. Romine leaves her husband, Robert Romine, whom she married Aug. 28, 1956; two daughters, Mrs. Rick (Kathryn D.) Moore of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Randy (Patty Sue) Hyde of Akron; three sons and a daughter-in-law, Robert and Bonnie Romine of Kitzinger, Germany, Rick W. Romine and Fred J. Romine, both of Newcomerstown; a brother, George Smith of Newcomerstown; and seven grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one brother and one grandchild.

Services were Thursday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Mark Lail officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, 1501 Orange St., Coshocton, OH 43812.

## Hazel R. Worthington

Hazel R. Worthington, 86, a resident of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, and a lifelong Newcomerstown resident, died Wednesday evening (Nov. 2, 1994) at Riverside Manor following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Canal Lewisville on July 20, 1908, a daughter of the late Joseph Fortune and the late Elnora Dickerson Fortune. She was a member of the Newcomerstown Church of Christ and retired after being a seamstress for the Indianapolis Glove Co. in Coshocton for many years. She had also been employed at the former Heller Brothers Tool Co. in Newcomerstown and earned sales awards as a sales representative for Avon products.

Mrs. Worthington was preceded in death by her husband, Paul J. Worthington, who died June 17, 1985. They had been married on Feb. 2, 1929. In addition to her parents and husband, Mrs. Worthington was preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

She leaves a son and daughter-in-law, James and Arminda Worthington of Newcomerstown; three grandchildren, Rod Worthington, Randy Worthington and Robyn Worthington, all of Newcomerstown; two great-grandsons, Jim Worthington and Sam Worthington of Newcomerstown; two brothers and a sister-in-law, Joseph and Mary Fortune and Ernest Fortune, all of Coshocton; and three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Marie and Clifford Titus, Lola and David Matchett and Ethel Callentine, all of Coshocton.

Services were Saturday, Nov. 5, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Evangelist Charles Newell officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the Alzheimer's Disease Research Fund.

## Walter E. Jones

WEST LAFAYETTE — Walter E. Jones, 69, of 113 E. Grandview Ave., West Lafayette, died at 10:06 a.m. Thursday (Nov. 3, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born March 4, 1925, in West Lafayette, a son of the late Harry Jones and Agnes Fisher Jones of West Lafayette. He was an electrician at the former Penn-Michigan plant at West Lafayette. He was a Navy veteran of World War II.

Mr. Jones was preceded in death by his wife, Ann L. Hopkins Jones, who died May 12, 1991. They had been married on May 7, 1945.

He leaves a brother, Raymond Jones of West Lafayette, and a sister, Mrs. William (Betty) Humphrey of Columbus.

Services were to be Monday, Nov. 7, at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Wayne Harmon officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette.

## Alma D. McConnell

Alma D. McConnell, 85, of 462 Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Nov. 4, 1994) at 8:29 a.m. at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

She was born Nov. 23, 1908, in Tennessee, the daughter of the late Lemuel and Gypsy Dennis. She was a housewife and a member of Harrison Chapter 353 Order of the Eastern Star.

Her husband, Frank M. McConnell, died May 3, 1975. Mrs. McConnell leaves two brothers, Jim Dennis of Newport, Tenn., and Bob Dennis of Johnson City, Tenn.; a sister, Mrs. Mary Dennis Gorman of Donelson, Tenn. A brother and a sister also preceded her in death.

Services were to be Monday, Nov. 7, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with burial in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Max H. Corbett

Max H. Corbett, 79, of 14102 Washington Ave., Newcomerstown, died early Friday afternoon at his home following a short illness.

He was born in Bakersville, Coshocton County, on Oct. 27, 1915, a son of the late Samuel Corbett and the late Millie McCormick Corbett. He was a 1935 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and attended electrician's school in Chicago and a washer and dryer school as a repair technician. He retired from Goshen Brick in Newcomerstown and did service and repair work for the former Dennis Ott TV Shop in Newcomerstown. He also worked at Watt's True Value in Newcomerstown for many years and was president of the Clayworkers Union and a member of the United Steelworkers. He was a life member of the National Rifle Association and belonged to the Salt Fork Coon Hunters Club and the Newcomerstown-Muskingum Saddle Club. He was also a member and past president of the former Newcomerstown Eagles Lodge.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Corbett was preceded in death by three brothers and two daughters. He leaves two daughters, Mrs. Charles (Joyce) Frenton and Mrs. Fred (Margie) Nay, both of Newcomerstown; two sons, Hunter L. Corbett of Stone Creek and Wade Corbett of Cambridge; a sister, Mrs. Marvin (Lucille) Fry of Navarre; a close companion, Katherine L. Cotton of Newcomerstown; 18 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; a great-great-granddaughter; a step-grandson; and two step-great-grandchildren.

Services were to be Monday, Nov. 7, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Carl F. Keefer officiating. Burial was to be in the Bakersville Cemetery.

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## Rowena E. Apple

Rowena Ellen Apple, 68, of 621 E. Fourth St., West Lafayette, died Monday (Nov. 7, 1994) at her home.

She was born June 18, 1926, in Coshocton County, a daughter of the late Henry and Bernice Waggoner Ramsey. She was employed at the former Moore Enameling of West Lafayette during World War II.

Mrs. Apple was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Apple, on Dec. 7, 1967. They were married on Jan. 30, 1945. Also deceased are one son, Carl; one brother, Eugene; and a half-brother, Carl Poland. She leaves a son, Mike Apple of West Lafayette; a daughter, Mrs. Scott (Kay) Bowman of Coshocton; and a granddaughter.

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

## Helen A. Basiletti

Helen A. Basiletti, 81, of 442 Rear Beaver St. (Lot 5), Newcomerstown, died at her home late Tuesday morning following a short illness.

She was born in Newcomerstown on May 20, 1913, a daughter of the late Wendell J. Yanai, who died in 1946, and the late Rosalie Yanai, who died in 1968. She attended St. Francis deSales Church in Newcomerstown and was a homemaker for all her adult life.

Mrs. Basiletti was preceded in death by her husband, Max "Moxie" Basiletti, who died Nov. 21, 1984. They had been married on Sept. 25, 1934. Seven brothers are also deceased.

She leaves a daughter and son-in-law, Jo-Anne and Lee Clarke of Newcomerstown; three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Wendell J. Yanai of Newcomerstown, Andrew and Doris Yanai of Avon Park, Florida, Henry and Marjorie Yanai of Newcomerstown; three sisters and a brother-in-law, Ann Abbott of Coshocton, Irene Williams of Newcomerstown, and Rose and Tony Tomasina of Dennison.

Services were Saturday, Nov. 12, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Dwight Lyons officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery.

## Willard Atkins

Willard "Bill" Atkins, 71, of 57499 Co. Road 9, West Lafayette, died Sunday (Nov. 6, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born March 29, 1923, at East Brewton, Ala., son of the late Floyd and Lilly Wright Atkins. He was a retired pipefitter for Union Local 95. He graduated from a welding school in Mobile, Ala., and drove truck for the C.H. Hooker Co. He was also a boilermaker and a former employee of Peabody Coal Co.

Mr. Atkins leaves his wife, Rosalie Coifani Atkins, whom he married Nov. 7, 1957; and a brother, Marshal Atkins, of Olympia, Wash.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry Boschart officiating. Burial was in the Fresno Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army.

## Alma D. McConnell

Alma D. McConnell, 85, of 462 Spaulding Ave., Newcomerstown, died Friday (Nov. 4, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

She was born Nov. 23, 1908, in Tennessee, the daughter of the late Lemuel and Gypsy Dennis. She was a member of the Harrison Chapter 353 Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. McConnell was preceded in death by her husband, Frank M. McConnell, who died May 3, 1975; one brother; and one sister.

She leaves two brothers, Jim Dennis of Newport, Tenn., and Bob Dennis of Johnson City, Tenn.; and one sister, Mrs. Mary Dennis Gorman of Donelson, Tenn.

Services were Monday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the burial at West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial gifts can be sent to the Addy Funeral Home, 406 W. State St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

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## Leona B. Hicks

Leona B. Hicks, 71, of Laramie, Wyoming, died Friday (Nov. 11, 1994) in Ivinson Memorial Hospital following a brief illness. She was born in West Lafayette on Dec. 31, 1922, the daughter of the late Benjamin and Leona VanDusen. During World War II, she worked at Moore Enamel Co. in West Lafayette. Services were Thursday, Nov. 17, in Laramie Senior Housing.

## James Harold Clegg

GUERNSEY — James Harold Clegg, 78, of Guernsey, died Wednesday (Nov. 16, 1994) at the home of a daughter.

He was born at Belleville, W.Va., a son of the late James and Bertha Caltrider Clegg. He was a driver and salesman for Taystee Bread Co. of Akron. He was a Wheeling Township trustee in Guernsey County for 10 years.

Mr. Clegg leaves his wife, the former Neva Flinn; a son and daughter-in-law, Lee and Ruth Clegg of Newcomerstown; three daughters and two sons-in-law, Judy and Jim Cunningham of Akron, Phyllis and Larry Nase of Uniontown, and Belva Scritchfield of Newcomerstown; 11 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday at the Hecker Funeral Home in Uniontown with burial in Greenlawn Memorial Park in Akron. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Stark County, 1445 Harrison Ave., Canton, OH 44308.

## Ethel B. Lentz

GNADENHUTTEN — Ethel B. Lentz, 88, of the Gnadenuhuten area, died Tuesday (Nov. 15, 1994) at the Morning View Care Center at New Philadelphia following a lengthy illness.

She was born Oct. 16, 1906, at Port Washington R.D. 1, a daughter of the late Francis S. and Mary E. Keffer Kohler. A lifelong resident of the area, she attended the former Kohler School near Port Washington and was affiliated with the Full Gospel Pentecostal Church at Gnadenuhuten. She retired from the former AlSCO plant at Gnadenuhuten after 25 years of service and also helped mothers provide health care.

Mrs. Lentz leaves two sons and five daughters-in-law, Carlton "Carty" and Lucy Lentz of Phoenix, Ariz., Richard "Dick" and Sara Lentz of Uhrichsville, Mrs. Ruth Lentz Nemetz of Gnadenuhuten, Katherine Lentz of McKinney, Texas, and Veldora Lentz of Boise, Idaho; 19 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Goldie Mizer of Stone Creek; and four brothers, Russell Kohler of Gnadenuhuten, Lloyd Kohler of Dover, Wilbur Kohler of Port Washington R.D. 1 and Paul Kohler of Riviera, Ariz.

She was preceded in death by her husband, J. Lloyd Lentz, on March 14, 1955. They had been married in Wheeling, W.Va., on March 6, 1927. She was also preceded in death by three sons, Lloyd, William and Glenn; and four sisters, three brothers, one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

Services were Saturday at the Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenuhuten with the Rev. Robert M. Gadfield officiating. Burial was in the Gnadenuhuten Cemetery. The family requested memorials be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

## Roy R. Ruby Sr.

Roy R. Ruby Sr., 64, of 11660 Plainfield Road, New Concord, died Thursday (Nov. 3, 1994) at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

He was born May 10, 1930, son of the late John W. and Maude Ruby. He worked as a laborer for Willow Wood Industries in Isleta.

Mr. Ruby was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Sickles, on March 21, 1985; and by a sister. He leaves three sons, Harry Ruby of Kimbolton, Billy Joe Ruby of Otsego and Roy Richard Ruby of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Sandra Cornelius and Margaret Carroll, both of Otsego; two brothers, Harry Ruby and Nathan Ruby, both of Coshocton; and four grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

Services were Sunday at the Plainfield Cemetery with the Rev. John Neff officiating. Arrangements were handled by the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette.

## Frank S. Summers

Frank S. Summers, 98, of Newcomerstown R.D. 3, died Sunday (Nov. 6, 1994) at Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown following an extended illness.

He was born at Zanesville on Aug. 2, 1896, a son of Lewis and Rosa Mor-tine Summers. He worked 38 years as track foreman for the Pennsylvania Railroad and was also a lifelong farmer. He was a member of the Isleta Methodist Church.

Mr. Summers was preceded in death by his wife, Gladys M. Smith Sum-mers, on Nov. 14, 1983. They had been married on May 12, 1926. Three brothers and two sisters are also deceased.

He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Larry (Jane) Stahl of Bakersville, Jessie Marlatt-Russell of Gnadenuhuten, and Edna M. Emslie of West Lafayette; a sister, Mary Wolfe of Canal Lewisville; and nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Paul Gerycz officiating. Burial was in the Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette. Contributions may be made to the Isleta Methodist Church.

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## Frank A. Getchey

Frank A. Getchey, 73, of Buckhorn Village Apt. 10, 814 Mill St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Nov. 20, 1994) at his home.

He was born Oct. 14, 1921, in Stone Creek, a son of the late Andrew and Florence Johnston Getchey. He was a farmer and construction worker. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Getchey was preceded in death by his wife, Grace Barr Getchey; two brothers; and two sisters.

He leaves a son, Robert Andrew Getchey of Dundee; a daughter, Mrs. Irene Felgenhauer of Sherrodsville; a brother, Walter Getchey of Long Beach, Calif.; five sisters, Della Everhart and Margaret Galbraith of Newcomerstown, Pauline Smith of Uhrichsville, Alice Doolin of Stone Creek and Mary Meese of New Philadelphia; and several grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home at Newcomerstown with the Rev. Gary George officiating. Burial was at Bethel Cemetery at Newcomerstown with military graveside services by Newcomerstown veterans' organizations.

## Edward C. Gaumer Sr.

Edward C. Gaumer Sr., 73, of 55151 Twp. Road 176, Fresno, died in the intensive care unit of Coshocton County Memorial Hospital on Sunday (Nov. 20, 1994) following an extended illness.

He was born on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, 1920, at West Lafayette, the son of the late John and Jenny Emler Gaumer. A 1938 graduate of West Lafayette High School, he attended Muskingum College, Miami University and the Coshocton Business College. He served with the U.S. Army Air Corp during World War II as a flight officer in the E.T.O. with the 348th Bomb Squadron in the 99th Bomb Group.

Mr. Gaumer leaves his wife, Morna Matheson Gaumer, whom he married June 23, 1943; three sons, Edward C. Gaumer Jr. of Troy, Les Gaumer of Fresno and Luke Gaumer of Newcomerstown; two daughters, Kristine Hunter of Millersburg and Karen Miller of Honolulu, Hawaii; a brother, John Gaumer Sr. of Coshocton; two sisters, Nellie Turnbull of Keene and Betty Dean of Keene; and nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Given-Dawson Funeral Home in West Lafayette with the Rev. Chris Cutshall officiating. Burial was at Fairview Cemetery in Fresno with the Coshocton County Veterans Council conducting military graveside services. Contributions may be made to the donor's choice.

## William E. Murphy

William Earl Murphy, 91, of Newcomerstown R.D. 1, died Sunday (Nov. 20, 1994) at Woodsvie Nursing Home, Clyde.

He was born Jan. 4, 1903, in Washington Township, a son of the late John W. and Mary Phelps Murphy. He was a member of Hartwood Methodist Church, a 1922 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and a graduate of Kent Normal School and Muskingum College. He was a retired teacher in the Newcomerstown schools. He was a member of the Retired Teachers Association, Hartwood Cemetery Board, Washington and Buckhorn Granges and served as past county deputy of the grange for 36 years. He served on the Council for the Aging (Cambridge District) and was a former 4-H adviser.

Mr. Murphy leaves his wife, Mary E. McConnell Murphy; two daughters, Mrs. George (Marilyn) Huston of Clyde and Mrs. Frank (Jeanne) Pichel of Utica, Michigan; two sons, John A. Murphy of New Philadelphia and Walter Murphy of Newcomerstown; 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, Willis Murphy, and two sisters, Esta Hursey and Mary Ellen Lehman.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Betty Brown officiating. Burial was in Hartwood Cemetery. Grange services were held Tuesday. Memorial contributions may be made to Hartwood Methodist Church or Hartwood Cemetery Board of Trustees.

## Clifford E. Newby

Clifford E. Newby, 60, of Wooster, formerly of Newcomerstown, died early Saturday afternoon (Nov. 19, 1994) at Glendora Health Care Center at Wooster following a brief illness.

He was born May 18, 1934, in Newcomerstown, son of the late Benonia Helen Newby, who died in 1967. He attended Newcomerstown High School and was a veteran of U.S. Air Force, serving in Texas.

Mr. Newby leaves two sisters, Ann Portis of Wooster and Elsie Cross of Sunrisc, Fla.; a brother, Kenneth R. Newby of Newcomerstown; and one uncle, Adolphus H. Newby of Newcomerstown. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Delphine Newby, who died in 1967, and Juanita Newby, who died in 1973.

Graveside services were held Wednesday at West Lawn Cemetery with the Rev. Robert Sherrell officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Wayne County. Ourant Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

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### **Goldie M. Mizer**

STONE CREEK — Goldie M. Mizer, 96, of Stone Creek, died Tuesday (Nov. 22, 1994) at Morning View Care Center in New Philadelphia following a lengthy illness.

She was born Aug. 29, 1898, near Stone Creek, the daughter of the late Francis S. and Mary Keffer Kohler. She married Charles E. Mizer on Oct. 31, 1918, with him preceding her in death on March 16, 1971. She was a lifelong resident of the area and attended the former Kohler School near Port Washington. She was a member of Grace United Church of Christ in Stone Creek.

Mrs. Mizer leaves two sons and their wives, Gilbert and Sara Mizer of New Philadelphia and Wayne and Arlene Mizer of Stone Creek; six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; and four brothers, Russell Kohler of Gnadenhutten, Lloyd Kohler of New Philadelphia, Wilbur Kohler of Port Washington R.D. 1, and Paul Kohler of Riviera, Arizona. Three brothers and five sisters are deceased.

Services were Saturday, Nov. 26, at Grace United Church of Christ with Rev. Kirk Bruce officiating. Burial was in Stone Creek Cemetery. Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home handled arrangements. Memorial gifts may be made to the Grace United Church of Christ.

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### **Shirley L. Seevers**

Shirley L. Seevers, 63, of Jackson Township in Stark County, died Saturday (Nov. 26, 1994) at the Cleveland Clinic.

She was born July 5, 1931, in Loudonville, and grew up in the Newcomerstown area before moving to Massillon in 1966. She retired as an LPN from Massillon State Hospital in 1980.

Mrs. Seevers leaves five sons, Donald McCune of Newcomerstown, Patrick McCune of Massillon, Michael McCune and Shawn McCune of Port Washington, and James Seevers of the home; three sisters, Patricia McNeal of Florida, Barbara Reigle of Tennessee and Joanne Jones of Pennsylvania; a brother, Herbert Peters of North Carolina; 11 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James V. Seevers, and a sister, Devone Zugrave, both in 1978.

Services were Wednesday at the Paquelet Funeral Home at Massillon with Fr. Raymond Paul officiating. Interment was in the Calvary Cemetery.

### **Richard Steele**

KIMBOLTON — Richard Steele, 73, of 75893 Beal Road, Kimbolton, died at 8 a.m. Thursday (Dec. 1, 1994) at his home.

He was born July 20, 1921, in Iaeger, W.Va., a son of the late Leeander and Edith Auvile Steele. He was a member of the Church of God in Newcomerstown. He had been a coal miner.

Mr. Steele leaves two sisters, Mrs. Elmer (Martha) Blankenship and Bertha Bailey, both of Kimbolton; and several nieces and nephews. Three brothers and six sisters are deceased.

Services were Monday, Dec. 5, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Glen Shugars officiating. Burial was in the Center Cemetery near Cambridge.

## Wilma Wolf

Wilma Wolf, 84, of 357 West St., Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Nov. 27, 1994) at 10:45 p.m. in Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown.

She was born Oct. 18, 1910, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late George W. and Mary Belle Carr Rennard. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Newcomerstown and graduated in 1928 from Newcomerstown High School. She retired from Simonds Cutting Tools in Newcomerstown. She was a member and former president of the Alma Noble Circle and was a member of the Retired Steel Workers, the American Legion Auxiliary, the Republican Women's Club in Newcomerstown and Tuscarawas County, and the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens.

She leaves two granddaughters, Mrs. James (Paula) Doherty of Bloomington, Ill., and Mrs. Pamela Duggan of Dracut, Mass.; two grandsons, Randy Schlarb of Glendale Heights, Ill., and Ronald Schlarb of Dekalb, Ill.; a sister, Mrs. Helen Dull of Canton; one brother, Wayne Rennard of West Lafayette; eight great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. A daughter, Helen Jane Schlarb, is deceased.

Services were Wednesday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Jerry Boschart officiating. Burial was in the East State Street Cemetery at Newcomerstown. Memorial gifts may be made to the First Baptist Church Memorial Fund, 135 S. River St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832.

## Jack L. Shaw

WEST LAFAYETTE — Jack L. Shaw, 76, of 22008 County Road 124, West Lafayette, died at the West Lafayette Care Center at 3:20 p.m. on Wednesday (Nov. 30, 1994) following an extended illness.

He was born at West Lafayette, the son of the late Lucian and Ella Byers Shaw. He attended the Ohio State University College of Engineering and retired as a hydraulic engineer for the Denison Division of ABEX Corp. at Marysville after 34 years of service. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the West Lafayette United Methodist Church. He was a Paul Harris Fellow with the West Lafayette Rotary Club. He had traveled or worked in all 50 states and lived briefly in Weisbaden, Germany. His hobbies included woodworking, gardening and making stained glass.

Mr. Shaw leaves his wife, Gwen Buser Berlean Shaw, whom he married in 1982; three stepsons, Jeff Westfall of West Lafayette, Brad Berlean of Middletown and Phillip Berlean of Canton; two daughters, Charlene Hainer of Worthington and Linda Mililngton of Mount Gilead; three sisters, Dorothy Henderson of Cuyahoga Falls, Marian Powell of Apopka, Fla., and Madge Dunlap of Youngstown; five grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren; and nine step-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ellen Armstrong, in 1980; one brother, Robert Shaw; and two sisters, Lula and Nelle.

Services were Saturday, Dec. 3, at the West Lafayette United Methodist Church with the Rev. Kenneth Anderson officiating. The Given-Dawson Funeral Home of West Lafayette was in charge of arrangements. Contributions may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, OH 43812; or the West Lafayette United Methodist Church, Union Avenue, West Lafayette, OH 43845.

## Lucille Dawson Swogger

Lucille Dawson Swogger, 81, a resident of Moon Twp., Pa., formerly of Beaver Falls, Ohio, died Wednesday (Nov. 2, 1994) in the Golfview Nursing Home in Pennsylvania.

She was born April 7, 1913, in Guernsey, Ohio, a daughter of the late William H. and Sadie M. Gunn Dawson. She was a 1931 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was a member of New Bethlehem Church in Pennsylvania.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ross T. Swogger, on May 20, 1993.

Mrs. Swogger leaves three sons, Eugene Swogger of Monrovia, Calif., and Talbert R. Swogger and Bernard Lee Swogger, both of Canton; a nephew, Edward Groff of Newcomerstown; two nieces, Gladys Nadik of Pennsylvania and Janice Felice of Tennessee; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were at the Copeland Moon Twp. Funeral Home with the Rev. Harold Byers officiating. Burial was in New Bethlehem Cemetery. Contributions could be made to the New Bethlehem United Presbyterian Church, 183 New Bethlehem Church Road, Aliquippa, PA 15001.

Dec. 7, 1994



## Mary L. Galbraith

Mary L. Galbraith, 83, of 1801 Riverside Drive, Columbus, formerly of West Lafayette, died Sunday (Dec. 4, 1994) at First Community Village Health Care Center in Columbus.

She was born July 10, 1911, at Dundee, daughter of the late Michael and Elizabeth Gnagy Cooper. She was a homemaker and a former member of Peoli Methodist Church and the Farm Bureau.

Mrs. Galbraith was preceded in death by her husband, Howard Galbraith, on Aug. 18, 1980; a daughter, Bonnie Engstrom; a brother, Martin Cooper; a sister, Florence VanFossen; and two grandchildren, Kimberly and Terri Galbraith.

She leaves four sons, Franklin Galbraith of Columbus, Ga., Doyle Galbraith of Mount Vernon, Wilbur Galbraith of Newcomerstown, and Daniel Galbraith of Columbus; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) McDowell of Minneapolis, Minn.; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services were Wednesday at the Rush Community Church of the Nazarene with Dr. Blair Rorabaugh officiating. Burial was in Rush Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown.

## Harold L. Shingler

Harold L. Shingler, 68, of Bowerston, former superintendent of the Newcomerstown Schools, died Thursday (Dec. 1, 1994) at Timken Mercy Hospital following an extended illness.

He was born April 16, 1926, in New Boston, a son of the late Roy H. Shingler and Ina Catherine Harris Shingler. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and retired after 34 years in education. Throughout his career, he also taught in Westboro, Martinsville, Lucasville and North Ridgeville, Ohio; South Shore, Kentucky; and the University of Pocatello, Idaho, schools. He retired from administration at the schools in Strongsville, Ohio.

Mr. Shingler leaves three daughters, Candy Latham and Chris Tidrick of Newcomerstown and Cindy Neal of West Lafayette; two brothers, Don Shingler of Minford, Ohio, and Sam Shingler of Newcomerstown; three sisters, Virginia Fields and Betty Dowdy of South Shore, Kentucky, and Loretta Dixon of Brunswick, Ga.; five grandsons and one granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Roy H. Shingler Jr., and a sister, Pauline Shingler.

There were no public services. Memorial contributions could be made to the Leukemia Society of America Inc., 20525 Center Ridge Road, Cleveland, Ohio.

## Elda L. Goettge

Elda L. Goettge, 98, of Grandview Heights, formerly from the Gnadenhuetten and Port Washington area, died at the home of her daughter, Orpha Lewis, in Grandview Heights (Columbus) on Tuesday (Dec. 6, 1994) following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Port Washington on June 24, 1896, a daughter of the late Edwin Schreiner and the late Kathryn Goettge Schreiner. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Fred A. Goettge; two sons, Harold "Buddy" Goettge who died in 1984 and Leland Goettge; and a sister, Leota K. Miller of Port Washington, who died in 1985.

In addition to her daughter, Mrs. Goettge leaves a three granddaughters, Patricia Lewis of Columbus, Sandy Lewis of Grandview Heights and Mrs. Lawrence (Sharyn) Adelman of Canton; and a great-granddaughter, Lisa Adelman of Canton.

Services were Friday, Dec. 9, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Kirk Ramsour officiating. Burial was at Union Cemetery in Port Washington.

## Harry L. Wilson

Harry L. Wilson, 65, of Orlando, Fla., formerly of Newcomerstown and Sullivan, died Wednesday (Dec. 7, 1994) in Florida.

He was born in Akron on Nov. 5, 1929, a son of Andrew J. Wilson, who died in 1968, and Harriett M. Heskett Wilson, who died in 1966. He attended school in Newcomerstown before graduating from Cambridge High School in 1948. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War. He retired from the Federal Aviation Administration in 1981, where he was employed as an installation technician. He was also employed by the Bendix Corp. as a technician trainer on lighting airports in Saudi Arabia. He belonged to Lone Star Lodge 175 F&AM in Newcomerstown and the Scottish Rite of Chicago.

Mr. Wilson leaves his wife, Viola, of Orlando; a daughter, Laura Miller of Sullivan; stepdaughters, Becky McMillan of Huntington and Sue Hales of Wellington; two stepsons, Richard Hales of Mansfield and William Hales Jr. of Sullivan; seven grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Raymond (Marie) Milligan of West Lafayette and Donna Eidens of Cambridge; and a brother and sister-in-law, Phillip J. and Carolyn Wilson of Newcomerstown.

In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a sister, Vivian Barker; and five brothers, Andrew, Wayne, Robert, Larry and Verlie Wilson.

Services were Monday at the Norton Funeral Home in Wellington with burial in the Huntington Township Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the American Heart Association.

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## Mary Lu Steed

Mary Lu Steed, 73, of 751 S. River St., Newcomerstown, formerly of Marlatt's Run Road, died Monday (Dec. 5, 1994) at her home following a lengthy illness.

She was born Sept. 29, 1921, in Canton, a daughter of Sarah Alberta Carothers John of the Riverside Manor Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Newcomerstown and the late Lester E. John, who died Dec. 1, 1988. She was a member of the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown, the Friendly Welcome Club and the Newcomerstown Senior Citizens. She enjoyed painting, sewing and crafts.

Mrs. Steed was preceded in death by her husband, Sanford Harper Steed, whom she married Dec. 24, 1938. He died on March 14, 1994. A daughter-in-law, Mary A. Steed, died in 1981.

She leaves two sons, Sanford E. "Bud" Steed of Newcomerstown and Arthur W. Steed of New Philadelphia; three daughters, Mrs. Lonnie (Marcia A.) Clarkston, Mrs. Jim (Melanie R.) Mathews and Mrs. Bruce (Kimberly S.) Lyons, all of Newcomerstown; a brother and sister-in-law, Arthur M. and Ruth John of West Lafayette; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 7, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul Lutheran Church or Hospice of Tuscarawas County.

## Jean McCleary Brown

CANTON — Jean McCleary Brown, 91, of 5508 East Boulevard, Canton, formerly of Newcomerstown, died Monday afternoon (Dec. 5, 1994) in Doctors Hospital in Massillon after a lengthy illness.

She was born in Newcomerstown on Sept. 18, 1903, a daughter of the late John A. McCleary and the late Donna Thompson McCleary. She was a 1921 graduate of Newcomerstown High School and was a retired school teacher, having taught in both Tuscarawas and Stark counties for many years. She was a member of Christ United Presbyterian Church in Canton. She was a charter member of the Newcomerstown Music Club and belonged to the Massillon Women's Club.

Mrs. Brown was preceded in death by her husband, Harley E. "Buck" Brown, who died Oct. 2, 1980. She was the last member of the McCleary family, preceded in death by three brothers, Robert Allen McCleary, John T. McCleary and Donald McCleary; and a sister, Harriette McCleary. She leaves several nieces and nephews.

Services were Thursday, Dec. 8, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Bruce G. Boak officiating. Burial was in Fairfield Cemetery in West Lafayette.

## Marshall 'Mike' Jennings

COSHOCTON — Marshall E. "Mike" Jennings, 82, of 20453 Township Road 1184, Coshocton, died Thursday (Dec. 8, 1994) at 4:07 a.m. at Coshocton County Memorial Hospital, where he had been a patient for three days.

He was born July 7, 1912, in Coshocton, a son of the late David and Emma Louise Bookless Jennings. He was a metalsmith in the U.S. Navy during World War II and served on the USS Grand Canyon in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He was a stencil cutter at the former American Art Works in Coshocton and was a press operator at Yankee Wire Cloth Products in West Lafayette until retiring in 1966. He was a member of the Church of the Nazarene at Coshocton.

Mr. Jennings leaves his wife, the former Verna Lucille Wilson, whom he married July 21, 1934; two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Judith) Wright of Newcomerstown and Mrs. Betty Jo Holmes of Coshocton; five grandchildren, Vernanne Zimmer and Ben Wright of West Lafayette, Rick Wright and Jodi Bricker of Newcomerstown, Mike Holmes of Coshocton; seven great-grandchildren, Chad Zimmer, Jamie Zimmer, Tiffany Bell and Whitney Wright of West Lafayette, Caine Bricker and Andy Wright of Newcomerstown and Joseph Brown of Coshocton; a brother, Russell Jennings of Coshocton; three sisters, Mrs. Rollin (Norma) Hardesty and Mrs. Albert (Erma) Hook of Coshocton and Mrs. William (Helen) Murphy of Heath; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

Private services were held Saturday at the Free Funeral Home in Coshocton with the Rev. Stephen R. Ward officiating. Burial was in South Lawn Cemetery.

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## Margaret Saxe

Margaret Saxe, 83, of 75657 Martha Road, Port Washington, died Wednesday (Dec. 14, 1994) at the Southeastern Ohio Regional Medical Center in Cambridge.

She was born Feb. 10, 1911, in Steubenville, the daughter of the late Clark Wesley and Margaret Nesbitt Mathias. Her husband, Elmer W. Saxe, died in June, 1978. Mrs. Saxe attended the Birmingham United Methodist Church and taught special education in Springfield Township Schools for 41 years.

Mrs. Saxe leaves a sister, Genevra Elizabeth Mathias of Port Washington, and a brother, James N. Mathias of Wheaton, Ill.

Services were Saturday at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Betty Brown officiating. Burial was in Northfield Macedonia Cemetery at Northfield Center. Memorial gifts may be made to the donor's favorite charity.

## Clifford Earl Hothem

DOVER — Clifford Earl Hothem, 89, formerly of Stone Creek died Thursday (Dec. 15, 1994) at the Country Club Retirement Center in Dover following an extended illness.

He was born May 22, 1905, in Coshocton County, a son of the late Charles F. and Charlotte Warren Hothem. He retired in 1970 from the Ohio Department of Transportation and was a former trustee of the Bakersville Cemetery and Bucks Township. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church in Bakersville.

Mr. Hothem was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy, who died Dec. 9, 1993. One son and three brothers are also deceased.

Mr. Hothem leaves three daughters and their husbands, Rev. and Mrs. Robert (Florence) Griesinger of Powell, Ohio, Velma and Donald Poland of Sunbury, Ohio, and Dr. and Mrs. Jerry (Rita) Lahmers of Newcomerstown; four sons and their wives, Charles Russell and Claire Hothem of Park Ridge, N.J., Earl and Doris Hothem of Martinez, Ga., Bernard Hothem of Austin, Texas, and Robert and Elaine Hothem of Spring Valley, Ohio; three sisters, Audrey Mizer of West Lafayette, Cora Finton of Coshocton and Mrs. Art (Beulah) Lautensleger of Massillon; one brother and his wife, Dennis and Dorothy Hothem of West Lafayette; and 16 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services were Sunday at the Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home with the Rev. Michael Sydnor officiating. Burial was in the Bakersville Cemetery. The family requested memorials be made to the Bakersville Presbyterian Church or the Bakersville Cemetery Endowment Fund.

## Leonard H. Brown

Leonard H. Brown, 74, of 59337 Coshocton Co. Road 9, Newcomerstown, died Sunday (Dec. 11, 1994) at his home.

He was born Oct. 17, 1920, in Dover, the son of the late Harvey F. and Bertha Hart Brown. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Newcomerstown and retired Feb. 1, 1984 after 37 years with General Electric in Coshocton. He was a member and co-teacher of the Group of Disciples Sunday School Class at St. Paul Lutheran Church and historian for the congregation. He was secretary of the Tuscarawas County Genealogical Society for the past nine years and a former editor of the Ohio Archaeologist. He served with the Navy in the Pacific Theatre during World War II as a petty officer first class aboard the USS McCord.

Mr. Brown married Clara Mae Blind on May 24, 1943, and she died on May 8, 1973. He was also preceded in death by a brother, Robert Brown.

He leaves a son and daughter-in-law, Daniel and Karen Brown of West Lafayette; two daughters and their husbands, Jane and Ron Anderson of Elkhart, Ind., and Susan and Don Roberts of Barberton; six grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Thomas (Marie) Lawler of New Philadelphia.

Services were Thursday, Dec. 15, at the Addy Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with Pastor William C. Haggis II officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. Memorials may be made to St. Paul Lutheran Church, 121 S. College St., Newcomerstown, OH 43832; or the Tuscarawas County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 141, New Philadelphia, OH 44663.

## Frances F. Dansby

Mrs. Frances F. Dansby, 78, of 565 Martin Luther King Drive, Newcomerstown, died early Tuesday morning (Dec. 13, 1994) at Twin City Hospital in Dennison following a short illness.

She was born April 4, 1916, in Newcomerstown, a daughter of the late Jesse Clayton, who died in 1953, and the late Pearl Morton Clayton, who died in 1923. She was a homemaker all her adult life and provided janitorial services for the former offices of Dr. Murray, Dr. Hanson and Dr. Warren in Newcomerstown. She belonged to Trinity Baptist Church in Newcomerstown and was musical director there for many years.

Mrs. Dansby was preceded in death by her husband, Odis Dansby, Sr., who died on Jan. 31, 1977. They had been married May 29, 1933. In addition, she was preceded in death by a son, Larry R. Dansby, on Sept. 4, 1993; a great-granddaughter, Ashley K. Dansby, in 1984; a brother, Leroy "Buss" Clayton; and three sisters, Margaret Smith, Lillie Gardner and Minnie Clayton.

Mrs. Dansby leaves a son, Odis Dansby Jr. of Newcomerstown; a sister, Evelyn K. Black of Newcomerstown; a daughter-in-law, Carol A. Dansby of Newcomerstown; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Services were Friday, Dec. 16, at the Ourant Funeral Home in Newcomerstown with the Rev. Robert Sherrell officiating. Burial was in West Lawn Cemetery. The family suggested memorials be made to the donor's favorite charity in Mrs. Dansby's name.

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# Tragic fire claims area infant

Jacquallynn Glass, 14-month-old daughter of Katherine Glass, 21, of 11067 Wolf Station Road, Newcomerstown, died early this morning (Dec. 14) at Children's Hospital Medical Center in Akron as a result

of injuries from a fire at her home on Dec. 10.

Jacquallynn had been on a ventilator in serious condition with second and third degree burns on 30 percent of her body following the early

morning fire. A two-year-old sister, Jorden Glass, had been dismissed from Children's Hospital on Tuesday after being admitted in fair condition. Their mother had been treated at Coshocton Memorial Hos-

pital for burns to her fingers, arms and face. A son, four-year-old Justin Glass, was not injured.

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mately 7 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 10, at a duplex about four miles north of Newcomerstown. The fire has been ruled as accidental, apparently started by a child playing with a lighter in an upstairs bedroom.

Funeral arrangements had not been completed.

The Newcomerstown American Legion reported it was accepting donations of money, clothing and household items for the family. The children's sizes are 4T and 2T. For more information, call 254-9042 or 498-8402.

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Jacquallynn L. Glass, 14-months, of Newcomerstown, died Wednesday morning (Dec. 14, 1994) at Children's Hospital Medical Center at Akron following complications.

She was born Sept. 24, 1993, at Ruthwyler, Germany, a daughter of Richard L. and Kathryn L. Glass.

In addition to her parents, she leaves a brother, Justin, and a sister, Jorden, both of the home; maternal grandmother and step-grandfather, Mary and Richard Schworm of Newcomerstown; a maternal grandfather and step-grandmother, George and Terri Ryerson of Akron; maternal grandmother, Susie Poole of Virginia; maternal great-grandparents, Dean and Eileen Ryerson of Florida; and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Jean Glass of Virginia.

Services were in Gowins Funeral Home in Gnadenuhuten on Saturday, Dec. 17, with Fr. Richard Engle officiating. Burial was in the Gnadenuhuten Cemetery.

### **Della M. Swinderman**

Della Mae Swinderman, 72, formerly of Canton, died Wednesday (Dec. 21, 1994) at Timken Mercy Medical Center at Canton. She had been a resident at the Canton Health Care Center.

She was born at Logan on Sept. 16, 1922, a daughter of the late James F. and Lola B. Welch Morgan. She retired as a licensed practical nurse in 1987 from the Grayview Nursing Care Center at Canton. She was a 1942 graduate of Dennison High School and was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church at Dennison and the Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Swinderman leaves her husband, Donald L. Swinderman of Port Washington, whom she married in 1946; a daughter and son-in-law, Linda J. and Gerald Fansler Jr. of Newcomerstown; grandchildren, Cynthia Sue and Will Beavers of New Philadelphia, Kimerly Ann and Daniel Mizer of Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., Shaun William and Amy Fansler of Great Falls, Mont. and Nicole Fansler of Newcomerstown; three brothers, James A. Morgan of Stockton, Calif., John C. Morgan of Rialto, Calif., and Daniel R. Morgan of Dennison; a sister, Grace Besozzi of Wainwright; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a daughter, Jeanne M. Milligan; two brothers, Francis H. and Gerald G. Morgan; and four sisters, Rosalie Carlone, Regina Schlegel, Bernadette Gambel and Georgia Mann.

Services were Saturday at the Immaculate Conception Church in Dennison with Fr. Richar Engle officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Dennison. Arrangements were handled by the R.K. Lindsey Funeral Home in Dennison.

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