

Obituaries

Circa 1825-Present

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Ruth C. Oates

Ruth C. Oates of McDonald died March 20, 1998, in Mariner Health Care of West Hills, Moon Township. She was 94.

Born Sept. 29, 1903, in McDonald, she was the daughter of Ishmel and Bertha Behling Pensis.

She was a homemaker and the oldest member of Trinity Presbyterian Church of McDonald.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, William Jackson; and her second husband, Roy Oates.

She is survived by two daughters, Naomi Brockman and Lois Albertini, both of McDonald; three grandchildren, James and Barbara Brockman and Scott Albertini; three great-grandchildren, Jennifer Lynn Brockman, and Ashley and Nikki Alibertini; and a nephew, Robert Meute.

Friends were received March 22 in the Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. Services were held March 23 in the funeral home, the Rev. Robert Miller, pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be made in the name of the deceased to Trinity Presbyterian Church renovation fund, 119 Station St., McDonald, Pa. 15057.

Ruth C. Oates
September 29, 1903-March 20, 1998

Margaret Jo Oblock

1926 - 2018



Margaret Jo Oblock, 91, of Weirton, W.Va., formerly of Venice, died Saturday, June 30, 2018,

in Victorian Manor, Oakdale.

She was born December 5, 1926, in Kansas, a daughter of the late John and Lorraine Marker Kennedy.

She was a member of Venice Presbyterian Church. She enjoyed walking, exercising and dancing. She was a graduate of Braman High School in Oklahoma, where she played basketball.

She worked as a psychiatric aide for Woodville State Hospital.

Surviving are daughter Patty (Mickey) Morris of Longview, Texas; three grandchildren, Michael (Colleen) Morris of Seattle, Wash., Joshua Allas of North Carolina and Zachary Allas of Weirton; and daughter-in-law and caregiver Sheila Allas of Weirton.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Oblock; son Michael Allas; infant son James Allas; grandson Matthew Marker Allas; brother John "Jack" Kennedy; and sister Shirley Nash.

At her request, there will be no viewing. A private graveside service was held at Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory, with Pastor Gary Chorpenning officiating.

Contributions may be made to Gallagher Hospice, 1370 Washington Pike, 401-B, Bridgeville, PA 15017, or Victorian Manor Assisted Living, 100 Rose Court, Oakdale, PA 15071.

Arrangements are entrusted to Coleman-Taylor Funeral Services, Cecil.

Margaret Jo Oblock
December 5, 1926-June 30, 2018

Mary Speranza OBlock

Enjoyed traveling



Mary Speranza OBlock, 87, of McDonald, died Tuesday, March 1, 2016.

She was born September 3, 1928, a daughter of the late Antoinette and Anthony Speranza.

Mrs. OBlock was the sister of Dolores Iannarelli, Carl Speranza, JoAnn Forno, Gene Speranza and the late Inez Jones. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews.

She was a longtime member of Fidelity ISDA Lodge of

Carnegie.

Mrs. OBlock and worked at Bell Telephone Co. and also in retail sales. She enjoyed traveling and visiting her friends at the casino.

Arrangements entrusted to Warchol Funeral Home Inc., Bridgeville. Services are private.

Memorial donations may be made to Washington Area Humane Society, 1527 Route 136, Eighty Four, PA 15330, or American Cancer Society, 35 West Maiden Street, Washington, PA 15301.

View and share condolences at www.warcholfuneralhome.com.

Mary Speranza OBlock
September 3, 1928-March 1, 2016

Lee M. Oblom

Born in Cross Creek



Lee M. Oblom, 75, of Meadville, died Wednesday, August 23, 2006.

She was born in Cross Creek on November 10, 1930, a daughter of Wilson Randall and Mildred Pearl Findling McCarty.

She married Neil Oblom on April 2, 1955. He died December 23, 1993.

Mrs. Oblom worked as a secretary for various companies, including General Electric, WICU-TV and Tilo Inc., all of Erie, and Hold-E-Zee Corp. of Rochester, N.Y.

She was a graduate of Hickory High School and Penn Commercial College and was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Meadville.

She also was an avid golfer and a member of National Hole-In-One Association.

Surviving are twin daughters, Leslie Wolff and husband Denis of Meadville and Lauren Oblom and husband Shawn Witt of Phoenix, Ariz.; a brother, Dean McCarty of Cross Creek; a grandson, Ben Lee Wolff; and nieces and nephews.

Deceased are two brothers, Harry Clay McCarty and Alvin Dale McCarty; and an infant sister.

Visitation is from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Robert W. Waid Funeral Home Inc., 581 Chestnut Street, Meadville, where a memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 26, with the Rev. Dr. Brian K. Jensen, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Hill Cemetery, Erie. The family suggests memorials be made to First Presbyterian Church, 890 Liberty Street; Hospice of Crawford County, 448 Pine Street; or Meadville Public Library, 848 North Main Street, all of Meadville, PA 16335.

Lee M. Oblom

November 10, 1930-August 23, 2006

Charlotte Nogier Obreza



Charlotte Nogier Obreza, 83, of Mercer, passed away Saturday, January 12, 2019, at the

VNA Inpatient Hospice in Butler. Charlotte was born in Bulger, Washington County, to the late Joseph and Maria Favre Nogier.

She was a 1953 graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown. She found her greatest joy spending time with her seven grandchildren.

Charlotte was the loving wife of the late Paul Obreza; mother to Lori (Mark) Limbruner, Jay (Judy) Obreza, Taff (Jody) Obreza. Grandma to Chad, Beau, Hope, Faith, Joy, Jaime, Jared.

Charlotte is survived by a sister, Marie Josephine Antonetti of Bulger; sister-in-law, Grace Nogier of Valencia, Calif; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Charlotte was preceded in death by brother, Charles Nogier and sister, Rose Grimm.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Black Funeral Home of Stoneboro, 99 Franklin Street, Stoneboro, where family and friends are welcome from 2 to 7:45 p.m. Wednesday, January 16. A Memorial Service will follow visitation at 7:45 p.m. in the funeral home.

Interment will be private.

Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.BlackFuneralHomes.net

**Charlotte Nogier Obreza
Died-January 12, 2019**

FRANK OCEPEK

Frank Ocepek, 87, of Joffre, died at 1 p.m. Friday, April 27, 1962, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Regina Pompe.

He was born in Yugoslavia April 12, 1875, and lived in Joffre more than 50 years. He was a member of the SNPJ Lodge No. 226, Joffre. His wife, Mary, died February 12, 1950.

Surviving are one son, John, McDonald; four daughters, Mrs. Frances Murphy, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Mary Gilbert and Mrs. Regina Pompe, both of Joffre, and Mrs. Joan Tricarico, Ossining, N. Y.; 12 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Frank Ocepek
April 12, 1875-April 27, 1962

Sophia C. Ocepek

Sophia C. Ocepek, 67, of Burgettstown, died Wednesday, March 30, 1994, in Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center.

She was born April 17, 1926, in Slovan, a daughter of Joseph and Melva Tepsic Evans.

Mrs. Ocepek was retired from Pappas Lumber Company of Burgettstown, where she was employed as a kitchen designer.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Sondra) Rupnik of Brownsville and Mrs. Mark (JoAnn) Betlem of Burgettstown; four grandchildren; a brother, George E. Evans of Cocoa, Fla.; and a sister, Mary Jeanne Hanna of Burgettstown.

Her husband, John Ocepek, died Nov. 28, 1989.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where a blessing service was held Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. Interment was in Grandview Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Sophia C. Ocepek
April 17, 1926-March 30, 1994

Mary Louise O'Connell

Mary Louise Shilen O'Connell, 67, of Hanover Township, died Thursday, June 8, 1995, in her home.

She was born June 1, 1928, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Dr. Joseph and Irene Sevier Shilen.

Mrs. O'Connell was a pharmacist and manager of Treasure Island Pharmacy in Stubenville, Ohio, for 15 years prior to her retirement in 1990. She also had worked as a pharmacist at O'Connell Pharmacy Inc., Crafton.

She was a 1950 summa cum laude graduate of the University of Pittsburgh School of Pharmacy.

Mrs. O'Connell was former president of Jefferson County Academy of Pharmacy, Crafton Civic Club and Catholic Daughters of America of St. Phillip's Church, Crafton.

As an accomplished bridge player, she earned gold points towards her master's in bridge.

With 12 years of piano playing, Mrs. O'Connell was an excellent accompanist.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown.

Surviving are one son, Michael J. O'Connell of Columbus, Ohio; eight daughters, Mrs. Shawn (Kathleen) Fisher of Hanover Township; Gerry O'Connell-Campbell of Georgetown; Mrs. Jay (Aileen) Potter of Wellsburg, W.Va.; Corinne O'Connell, at home; Mrs. James (Jeanine) Keenan of Toronto, Ohio; Mrs. Richard (Christine) Matvey of Penn Hills; Irene O'Connell of Castle Shannon; and Maureen O'Connell, at home; one brother, Dr. Thomas S. Shilen of North Carolina; one sister, Thelma Shilen of New Orleans, La.; and 19 grandchildren, Brendan, Megan and Sharon Fisher, Robert, Colleen and Chrissy Campbell, Stephen Cox, Jay, John and Jaymee Potter, Joanna, Brian and Shawn Keenan, Stephen Matvey, Monica and Elizabeth Lewellen, Taylor Shea, and Ezekiel and Kathleen O'Connell.

Deceased are her husband, J.F. Regis O'Connell, who died in 1983, and one son, J.F. Regis Jr., who died in 1959.

Friends were received in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Monday at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, McMurray.

Mary Louise O'Connell
June 1, 1928-June 8, 1995

RUTH O'CONNOR

Ruth O'Connor, 67, of Steubenville, Ohio, formerly of Weirton, W.Va., died Saturday, Jan. 2, 1988, in the Ohio Valley Hospital, Steubenville.

She was born Feb. 28, 1921, in Hollidays Cove, a daughter of the late Charles and Lena Breen Jackson.

She was a member of the Covenant Presbyterian Church, and was a former police detective with the Miami Police Department in Florida.

Surviving are her husband, James O'Connor; two daughters, Mrs. Robin Virtue of Carrollton, Ohio, and Mrs. Jill Lash of Steubenville; one son, Charles Montgomery of Wintersville, Ohio; three brothers, William Jackson of Eldersville; Kenneth Kerr of Youngstown, Ohio; and Earl Breen of Follansbee, W.Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Steve (Evelyn) Muldovan of Carrollton and Mrs. Steve (Maxine) Dolnak of Daytona Beach, Fla.; and eight grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, Daniel H. O'Connor, May 26, 1976.

Friends were received in the Steel and Wolfe Funeral Home, Weirton, where services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Edwin Fontaine officiating. Interment was in Fort Steuben Burial Estates, Wintersville.

Ruth O'Connor
February 28, 1921-January 2, 1988

Thelma Oden

*Member of First Baptist
Church of McDonald*

Thelma Oden, 86, of Bridgeville, formerly of McDonald, died Monday, November 26, 2007, in Country Meadows of South Hills, South Fayette Township.

She was born May 3, 1921, in McKees Rocks, a daughter of Matthew and Mildred Bell Hall.

Mrs. Oden was a homemaker.

She originally was a member of Caldwell AME Zion Church, McDonald, but later became a member of First Baptist Church of McDonald, where she served as past vice president of the Missionary Society, a member of Willing Workers and Pastors Aid Society.

A past daughter ruler and member of Rising Star Temple 177, Mrs. Oden also was past worthy matron and a member of Mary Chapter 24 Order of Eastern Star PHA.

She was married to Charles Oden, who died August 19, 1989.

Surviving are three daughters, Bernadine (Vinson) Jones of Coraopolis, Daisy Joyce Rose of Rochester and Michelle Oden of Arlington Heights, Ill.; a son, Norman (Diane) Oden of Bridgeville; six grandchildren, Stephen, Maurice, Shawnda, Kimberly, Kevin and Rachel; and seven great-grandchildren.

Deceased is a daughter, Mildred Cathy Oden.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 1, in First Baptist Church, McDonald, with the Rev. Keith Clark, officiating. Burial will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Thelma Oden

May 3, 1921-November 26, 2007

Hazel Tuttle O'Donnell

1920-2013



Hazel Marie Tuttle O'Donnell, 93, a lifelong resident of Cross Creek Village, passed away Thursday evening, April 4, 2013, after a brief illness, in Washington County Health Center, Chartiers Township.

She was born March 22, 1920, and recently celebrated her 93rd birthday with pizza and cake with her family members.

A graduate of Hickory High School, Mrs. O'Donnell was a very active member of Cross Creek United Presbyterian Church and served in nearly all capacities of Cross Creek Cemetery for most of her adult life. She was also active within Cross Creek Township, serving as an auditor and on the election board. She was a member of Cross Creek Village Grange and Rebekah Lodge of Burgettstown.

Mrs. O'Donnell enjoyed traveling with her husband and organizing bus trips.

Her husband of 64 years, James E. O'Donnell, preceded her in death December 7, 2003.

Surviving are children, James B. "O.D." O'Donnell and wife Kim of Burgettstown and Linda O'Donnell Taylor of Columbus, Ohio; three granddaughters, Kelli O'Donnell Alvarez and husband Bob of Langeloth, Jamie O'Donnell of Burgettstown and Tiffany Taylor Himmelreich and husband Eric of Westerville, Ohio; two great-granddaughters, Alyssa Alvarez of Langeloth and Taylor Himmelreich of Westerville; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are her parents, Brice Blair and Mae White Tuttle; a son, who died in infancy; a daughter-in-law, Sheran O'Donnell; a son-in-law, Frank Taylor; and a brother, Lawrence "Bud" Tuttle.

Friends will be received from noon to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, April 8, in Cross Creek United Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown. Everyone is kindly asked to go directly to the church Monday morning. Interment will follow in Cross Creek Cemetery. If so desired, memorial donations may be made in her memory to Autism Speaks, Greater Pittsburgh Chapter, 8035 McKnight Road, Suite 301, Pittsburgh, PA 15237, www.autismspeaks.org.

Hazel Tuttle O'Donnell
March 22, 1920-April 4, 2013

JAMES F. O'DONNELL

James Francis O'Donnell, 71, of Burgettstown, R. D. 2, died Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1955, at 4:40 p.m., in Washington hospital, where he had been a patient for four days.

He was born July 11, 1883, in Wheeling, W. Va., a son of the late David and Annie O'Connell O'Donnell, and was a farmer in the Cross Creek-Rea community for the past 60 years.

Mr. O'Donnell was a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church of Avella.

He is survived by his wife, Mame McWreath O'Donnell; a brother, Hugh J. O'Donnell, of Rea; two nieces and three nephews; a step-daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Stenger, of Montibelle, Calif.; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends are being received after 6 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 19, at the Thompson Funeral home, Avella. Requiem mass will be conducted Friday, at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's Catholic church, Avella, by Rev. Joseph F. Battung. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

James F. O'Donnell
July 11, 1883-January 18, 1955

Emily Jean Oest

*Canonsburg Senior
Citizens Center member*

Emily Jean "Jeanne B." Oest, 80, of Burgettstown, formerly of Canonsburg, died Wednesday, June 17, 2015.

She was born July 25, 1934, in Canonsburg, a daughter of Samuel and Harriet Durand Bondi.

She was Roman Catholic.

Ms. Oest served as a past national president for La Femmes of Forty & Eight. She was also a member of Loyal Order of Moose, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Fraternal Order of Eagles and Canonsburg Senior Citizens Center.

Prior to her retirement, she worked in real estate sales for Anthony L. Colaizzo agency.

Surviving are her son, Dan (Sherilyn) Barfield of Burgettstown; sister Harriet (Frank) Varchulik of Las Vegas, Nev.; three grandchildren, Michelle (Kyle Palmer) Barfield, Danielle (Derek Dolan) Barfield and Joseph (Whitney Dryer) Barfield; three great-grandchildren, Jordan, Jenna and Kaiden; nephew Samuel Lauricia Jr.; and three nieces, Andrea (Troy) Martin, Tawnie (Wayne) Lawrence and Tiffanie Kaliz.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her husband, Raymond F. Oest; sister Sara J. Lauricia; and nephew Mark Anthony Varchulik.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Sollon Funeral Home Ltd., 30 East College Street, Canonsburg, J. David Sollon, supervisor, Phillip L. Sollon, director, 724-746-1000, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 20. Entombment will follow in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Peters Township.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly suggests memorial contributions be made in her name to Alzheimer's Foundation at www.alzfdn.org.

Please visit www.sollon.com to leave condolences.

Emily Jean (Jeanne B) Oest
July 25, 1934-June 17, 2015

ALEXANDER OGRODOWSKI

Alexander Ogrodowski, 68, of 226 Hart Avenue, Houston, died in Washington Hospital Saturday, February 18, 1978.

He was born February 16, 1910, in Carnegie, a son of Thomas and Mary Pruss Ogrodowski, and spent most of his life in the Canonsburg and Houston areas.

He was a member of St. Genevieve Roman Catholic Church and was a former employee of the Fort Pitt Bridge Works.

Surviving are his wife, Catherine Lupka Ogrodowski; one son, Ronald, of Washington; two daughters, Sandy Sprowls, at home, and Arlene, wife of Frank Pastor, of Eldersville; 5 grandchildren; two sisters, Elizabeth Yanosik, of Southview, and Veronica Serwatka, of Pittsburgh; and one brother, Victor, Canonsburg.

Four brothers, Frank, Sylvester, Joseph and Michael, and one sister, Cecelia, are deceased.

Friends were received in the Yoney Funeral Home, Canonsburg. Mass of Christian Burial was said at 10 a.m. Tuesday in St. Genevieve Roman Catholic Church by the Rev. Paul Pindel. Burial was in St. Patrick Cemetery.

Alexander Ogrodowski
February 16, 1910- February 18, 1978

Jack E. O'Hara

Jack E. O'Hara of Burgettstown, died Nov. 1, 1993, in Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center. He was 84.

Born Aug. 24, 1909, in Burgettstown, he was a son of Dennis and Amanda Kenneweg O'Hara.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church and Knights of Columbus Council 3440, Burgettstown.

He retired in 1972 after 42 years as a lead lineman for the West Penn Power Company. He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

He was married to Hazel Brown O'Hara, who survives.

He was preceded in death by five sisters, Lillian Mortrey, Rose Howard, Nora Yolton, Mildred Branna and Frederieka Howard, and three brothers, Chauncy, Kenny and Dennis O'Hara.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Jacquelyn Bianchi, Scarlett Yacoviello and Patricia Lauff, all of Burgettstown; a son, John E. O'Hara Jr. of Burgettstown; two sisters, Margaret Taucher of Burgettstown and Hilda Quinn of Windsor Heights, W.Va.; and five grandchildren, Scott Yacoviello, Donald Bianchi, Heather Yacoviello, John E. O'Hara III and Morgan Lauff.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Nov. 4 in Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Burial was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Jack E. O'Hara
August 24, 1909–November 1, 1993

JOHN LAWRENCE OKAVITCH

John Lawrence Okavitch, 15, of Langeloth, died Thursday, May 31, 1979, in the Weirton Medical Center.

He was born October 19, 1963, in Washington, the son of Rudolph and Zyphy Cobb Okavitch.

He was an eighth grade student at Burgettstown Area Junior - Senior High School.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are three brothers, James Floyd, Robert and Rudolph, Jr., all at home; a sister, Betty, wife of Leonard Withers, of Langeloth; and his maternal grandfather, Lawrence Cobb, of Buckhannon, West Virginia.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home. Services were held Sunday at 1 p.m., conducted by Rev. Barney Snowden. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery.

John Lawrence Okavitch
October 19, 1963-May 31, 1979

Rudolph Okavitch Sr.

Langeloth man worked many positions in Smith Township

Rudolph "Rudy" Okavitch Sr., 92, of Langeloth, passed away Wednesday, May 30, 2018.

He was born November 25, 1925.

Surviving are daughter Betty Rose Withers; sons Rudy Okavitch, James Okavitch and Robert Okavitch Sr.; and grandchildren Robert Okavitch Jr. and Matthew Withers.

Rudolph's nicknames were "Rudy" and "Bear."

He worked in many positions in Smith Township, including in public works.

Bear loved spending time with his family, a good bet and gunsmokes.

Funeral arrangements are unavailable at this time.

Rudolph Okavitch Sr.
November 25, 1925-May 30, 2018

Francis W. Ola

*Avella teacher coached
football and wrestling*



Francis W. Ola, 67, of Avella, died at 4:05 p.m. Wednesday, May 7, 2014, in his home.

He was born February 17, 1947, in Avella, a son of the late Frank and Mary Hlavac Ola.

Mr. Ola was a 1965 graduate of Avella High School. He was also a graduate of Sterling College in Kansas and California University of Pennsylvania.

He was employed as an elementary and secondary teacher for Avella Area School District for 33 years. He was a former assistant varsity football and wrestling coach and also coached little league football in Avella.

Mr. Ola was a member of Sons of the American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643, Avella Sportsmen's Club, where he was vice president, Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society, where he was a former president, Athletics Inc. and SNPJ Lodge 292, all of Avella.

He was a lifelong resident of Avella and was an avid hunter and fisherman.

Surviving are a sister, Sharon Ola of Avella; a brother, Warren (Katie) Ola of Williamsville, N.Y.; a niece, Crystal Ola; two nephews, Kevin (Erica) Ola and Stephen Ola and fiancée Sarah; two great-nieces, Aubrey and Gwyneth Ola; and a great-nephew, Brady.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, May 12, with the Rev. Douglas Reinard officiating. Burial will be in West Point Cemetery, Avella.

Memorial contributions can be made to Avella Volunteer Fire Department, American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643 of Avella or Avella Sportsmen's Club.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Francis W. Ola

February 17, 1947-May 7, 2014

JULIUS. OLDAKOWSKI

Julius Oldakowski, 72, of Atlasburg, died in Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, Friday, Dec. 29, 1950, after a lingering illness.

Mr. Oldakowski was born in Poland, June 14, 1878, and had been a resident of Atlasburg for a number of years. He was a coal miner.

He is survived by his wife, Anna, and the following step-children: John and Joseph Churpak, at home; Mrs. George Harvey and Mike and George Churpak, all of Atlasburg; and Mrs. Andy Drzazynski, Mrs. Stanley Hajduk, Andrew Churpak and Mrs. Stanley Konopka, all of Pittsburgh; three brothers and 11-step-children.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1951 from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church in charge of Rev. W. J. McCashin. Interment was in West Point Cemetery, Pattersons Mills.

Julius Oldakowski
June 14, 1878-December 29, 1950

MRS. MARY O'LEARY

Mrs. Mary O'Leary, 54, of Elco and mother of Mrs. W. J. Whalen, Jr., of Burgettstown, died in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, December 28. Funeral services were held from the residence on Tuesday at 10 a. m., and burial was in the Calvary cemetery at Coal Center. She is survived by her husband George O'Leary, and one daughter, Mrs. Whalen.

Mary O'Leary
Died-December 28, 1940

Gus Oliver

Gus Oliver, 75, of Valley Road, Canonsburg, died Saturday, July 2, 1994, in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh.

Born July 6, 1918, in Avelia, he was a son of Harry and Lena Bolden Oliver.

He retired as a coal miner and later retired from the Canon-McMillan School District, where he worked in the maintenance department.

Mr. Oliver was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army.

On Feb. 28, 1946, he married Florence Rose, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Harold Douglas Rose of San Diego, Calif.; two grandchildren, Lisa and Douglas Rose; three great-grandchildren; one sister, Eleanor Harris of Washington; and two brothers, Eugene Oliver of Houston and LeRoy Oliver of Houston.

Deceased are three brothers.

Friends were received in the McIlvaine-Speakman Funeral Home, Houston, where services were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Michael Thomas and the Rev. Willis Hickerson officiating. Interment was in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

Gus Oliver
July 6, 1918-July 2, 1994

**Josephine Bonus
Oliverio**

1909 - 2010



Josephine Bonus Oliverio, in her 101st year, formerly of Sheraden, died peacefully Wednesday, July 28, 2010.

Surviving are a son, Bill Oliverio; grandchildren Joanne (Bob) Rossi, Patty (Rich) Horvatic and Billy (Cathy) Oliverio; great-grandchildren Rob Rossi, Lisa Rossi, Sal Oliverio and Katie Oliverio; daughter-in-law Jean Oliverio; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Deceased are her parents, Mary Marra and Frank Bonasso Bonus; her husband, Salvatore "Jake" Oliverio; a son, Pfc. Joseph Oliverio; and brothers and sisters Dominic, Mary, Frank, Samuel, Rose, Sarty, Joseph and John.

Friends are welcome from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday in William Slater II Funeral Service, 1650 Greentree Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15220 (Scott Township), and 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., the time of Mass of Christian Burial, Friday, July 30, in Marian Manor's chapel. Interment will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Washington.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in her honor to Marian Manor, 2695 Winchester Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15220.

Visit www.slaterfuneral.com.

Josephine Bonus Oliverio
1909-July 21, 2010

Samuel Oliverio

Owner of Oliverio Insurance

Agency for over 20 years



Samuel Oliverio, 81, of Washington, died Saturday, December 22, 2018.

He was born March 23, 1937, in Washington, a son of the late Pietro and Saletto Gallo Oliverio.

Mr. Oliverio graduated from Trinity High School in 1954.

An insurance salesman and certified life underwriter, he owned Oliverio Insurance Agency for over 20 years.

Mr. Oliverio was an active member of Fourth Presbyterian Church. He was also a member of Kiwanis and the Alpine Club.

He coached Brownson House basketball and Washington Bronco, Pony and Colt baseball. Mr. Oliverio was an avid golfer and a member of Washington Country Club for nearly three decades.

On June 22, 1957, he married Mary Lou Eckland, who died May 31, 2009.

Surviving are three sons, Samuel M. (Tawnya) Oliverio of Morgantown, W.Va., Scott E. (Kathy) Oliverio of Washington and Steve (Lee) Oliverio of Wilson, N.C.; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; several nieces; and his long time companion, Helen Wright.

Deceased are brothers Pete and Tony, who both died in childhood, and John and Joe Oliverio.

A gathering of family and friends will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, December 28, at Redstone Court Condominiums Community Room, 820 South Main Street, Washington. Memorial contributions may be made to Fourth Presbyterian Church, 1000 Jefferson Avenue, Washington, PA 15301. Additional information and a guest book are available at www.Neal-FuneralHome.com.

Samuel Oliverio

March 23, 1937-December 22, 2018

William Oliverio

Founder of Oliverio Buick



William "Bill" Oliverio, 89, died peacefully Sunday, July 30, 2017, with his family and loving companion, Marilou Ritchie, at his side, following a brief and courageous battle with cancer.

He was founder of Oliverio Buick, a World War II veteran and an avid golfer, having two holes-in-one.

Deceased are his parents, Salvatore "Jake" and Josephine Oliverio; a brother, Joseph Oliverio; and his wife, Jean May Flynn Oliverio.

Surviving are his children, Joanne (Bob) Rossi, Patty (Rich) Horvatic and Bill (Cathy) Oliverio; four grandchildren, Rob Rossi, Lisa (Janel) Gregory, Sal Oliverio and Katie Oliverio; and a great-grandchild, Austin Gregory.

A visitation will be held from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in William Slater II Funeral Services, 1650 Greentree Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15220. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, August 2, in SS. Simon and Jude Catholic Parish, 1607 Greentree Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15220. Interment will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, South Strabane Township.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in his honor be made to American Cancer Society.

**William "Bill" Oliverio
Died-July 30, 2017**

Ethel Olshinsky



Ethel Olshinsky, 82, of Sturgeon, died Tuesday, July 5, 2005, in Sunrise Assisted Living, Green Tree.

She was born March 31, 1923, in Elm Grove, W.Va., a daughter of William and Edna Shook.

Mrs. Olshinsky was a member of Noblestown United Presbyterian Church and was an avid gardener.

Her husband, Louis Olshinsky, died August 10, 1983.

Surviving are a daughter, Donna Parko and husband John of South Carolina; a son, Leo Olshinsky and wife Lisa of Scott Township; two grandchildren, Heather Ting of Illinois and Robin Parko of South Carolina; and a brother, Delmar Shook of Michigan.

Deceased are four sisters, Nellie Shook, Martha Rothwell and Mable and Virginia Shook; and three brothers, Paul, John and Clarence Shook.

Friends will be received from noon to 9 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. until 1 p.m., the time of service, Saturday, July 9, in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, with the Rev. Patricia Giles-Petrosky, pastor of Noblestown United Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Gardens Cemetery, McMurray.

Ethel Olshinsky
March 31, 1923-July 5, 2005

Frank M. Olshinsky

Frank M. Olshinsky of McDonald died June 29, 1996, in Veterans Hospital in Oakland. He was 76.

Born Oct. 31, 1919, in McDonald, he was the son of Martin and Josephine Wayne Olshinsky.

He was a graduate of North Fayette High School, class of 1937, and attended one year at Waynesburg College on a football scholarship.

He served in the U.S. Army infantry during World War II.

He was a retired bar mill worker at Universal Cyclops, where he worked 30 years before retiring in 1974.

Prior to that, he had worked as a miner in Sunny Hill Mine, Bavington, for 10 years.

He was a member of McDonald Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 567, Houston American Legion Post 902 and the United Steelworkers of America.

On Nov. 21, 1945, he married Sophie V. Katalasky.

He was preceded in death by five brothers, Albert, Louis, Anthony, Joseph and Michael Olshinsky.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by four daughters, Carolyn Woodburn of Avella, Jean Jankowski of Washington, Barbara Wolfe of Pittsburgh and Denise Olshinsky of Boynton Beach, Fla.; a son, David M. of McDonald; a sister, Helen Behne of Carnegie; five grandchildren, William and Shelly Woodburn, Michael and Mark Jankowski and David Olshinsky; and one great-granddaughter.

Friends were received July 1 and 2 in the Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. A blessing service was held July 3 in the funeral home. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Frank Olshinsky
October 31, 1919-June 29, 1996

Sophie V. Olshinsky

*Houston resident enjoyed
flea markets*

Sophie V. Olshinsky, 85, of Houston, died Wednesday, March 15, 2006, in Canonsburg General Hospital.

She was born January 12, 1921, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Mike and Pauline Katalasky.

Mrs. Olshinsky was a member of American Legion in Houston and Senior Citizens Center in Canonsburg.

She enjoyed flea markets and playing bingo.

On November 28, 1946, in St. Patrick Church, Noblestown, she married Frank Olshinsky, who is deceased.

Surviving are five children, Carolin Petka of Avella, Jean Jankowski of Canonsburg, Barbara Wolfe of Carrick, Denise Olshinsky of Boynton Beach, Fla., and David Olshinsky of McDonald; a sister, Frances Dorisio of McDonald; seven grandchildren, David, Scott and Audrey Olshinsky, William F. and Shelly Woodburn and Michael and Mark Jankowski; four great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

A brother, Steve Katalasky, is deceased.

Arrangements are private and being handled by DeAngelo Funeral Home.

Sophie V. Olshinsky
January 12, 1921-March 15, 2006

Mary A. Olson

Mary A. Olson of Maple Grove Trailer Court, Bulger, died March 4, 1997, in the Weirton Medical Center. She was 75.

Born May 14, 1921, in Pitcarin, she was the daughter of Daniel and Arbutus Margaret Burns.

She is survived by her husband, William G.; two daughters, Mary (Pegge) Chestnut of Monaca and Sandi Vance of Weirton; and two grandsons, William R. Chestnut and Robert D. Vance.

Services were held at the convenience of the family.

Mary A. Olson
May 14, 1921-March 4, 1997

William Olson

Served in Army Air Corps
during World War II

William Olson, 80, formerly of
Bulger, died Tuesday, February
29, 2000, in Mercy Hospital,
Pittsburgh.

He was born March 3, 1919, in
Wilkesburg.

Mr. Olson served in the Army
Air Corps during World War II.

He worked as a laborer for
Mock Seed Co. for 30 years.

Surviving are two daughters,
Mary Chestnut of Monaca and
Sandra Vance of Weirton, W. Va.;
and two grandsons, William
Chestnut and Robert Vance.

Deceased are his parents; his
wife, Mary Olson, who died in
1997; and a brother.

Services will be held at the
convenience of the family.
Arrangements are being handled
by Lee and Martin Funeral
Home, Burgettstown.

William Olson
March 3, 1919-February 29, 2000

MICHAEL ONDAYKO

Michael Ondayko, of Cherry Valley died at his home on Thursday, June 3. He is survived by his wife, Anna and the following children: John, of Russellton; Paul, Midway; George of Deroit; Michael, Powhatan, W. Va.; Susan and Mary, Pittsburgh.

Funeral services were held Sunday a 2 p. m. from the late home. Burial in was in Mt. Prospect cemetery.

Michael Ondayko
Died-June 3, 1943

Wanda L. Ondreako

Girard resident born
in Langeloth

Wanda Louise Steele
Ondreako, 75, of Gudgeonville
Road, Girard, died Tuesday,
February 22, 2000, in her home.

She was born September 7, 1924,
in Langeloth, a daughter of John
William and Ruby Conrad Steele.

Mrs. Ondreako worked for
Ervite Corp. in Erie for 33 years
as an assembler.

She was a member of Sts. Cyril
and Methodius Church, Girard,
and Altar Society.

Surviving are her husband of
31 years, Joseph Ondreako; a
daughter, Diana Gyenes of
Girard; a brother, Andrew Steele
of Las Vegas, Nev.; three sisters,
Cynthia Steele of Langeloth,
Dorothy Camp and Doris
Bedillion, both of Washington;
and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are three brothers,
William, John and Edward Steele.

ONDREAKO - Friends of Wanda Louise
Steele Ondreako of Gudgeonville Road, Gi-
rard, who died Tuesday, February 22, 2000,
will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday
in Robert A. Jaworowicz Funeral Home, 309
Main Street East, Girard, where services
will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, February 25,
with the Rev. Dennis Logue, S.V.D., offi-
ciating. Burial will be in Girard Cemetery.

Wanda L. Ondreako
September 7, 1924-February 22, 2000

GEORGE ONDRICK

George Ondrick, of Avella, died at 5:45 a. m. Tuesday, April 10, 1956, at his home following a lingering illness.

He was born in Czechoslovakia May 1, 1878, and came to the United States in 1903. He lived in Ohio and West Virginia before moving to Avella in 1926.

Mr. Ondrick was a retired retired miner.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Harris Ondrick; four daughters and four sons: Mary, wife of John Myers; Helen, wife of Alfred Myers; Elizabeth, wife of Emedio Campanelli; Anna, wife of Joseph Cruny; Joseph, George, and Michael, all of Avella, and John, at home; 11 grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Kovaly, of Warnock, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Friday, April 13 at 9 a.m. in St. John The Baptist Greek Catholic church, Avella with Rev. John R. Martin in charge. Burial was in St. Michaels cemetery.

George Ondrick
May 1, 1878-April 10, 1956

Jennie Ann O'Neill

Jennie Ann O'Neill, 70, of 131 Denese Drive, Weirton, W.Va., died Tuesday, April 25, 1995, at her home.

She was born Jan. 9, 1925, in Joffre, a daughter of the late Salvatore and Sebastiana

Farinelli Dellaria.

Surviving are one son, William, of Weirton; one brother, James Dellaria of Paris; one sister, Pearl Anzalone of Weirton; and two grandchildren.

Two brothers, Joseph and Frank Dellaria, preceded him in death.

Private services and burial were held at the convenience of the family. Arrangements were handled by the Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton.

Jennie Ann O'Neill
January 9, 1925-April 25, 1995

Mark A. Onopiuk

*Enjoyed riding
motorcycles*

Mark A. Onopiuk, 57, of McDonald, died Thursday, November 6, 2014, in his home.

He was born in Washington March 7, 1957, a son of Paul Onopiuk of Port Angeles, Wash., and the late Katherine Martin Onopiuk.

He was a 1975 graduate of Trinity High School.

Mr. Onopiuk was self-employed for many years, owning KOA campground in Pancake. After selling KOA, he went on to work for West Penn Power, from where he retired in 2012.

He enjoyed riding motorcycles throughout his life.

Mr. Onopiuk was a former active member of South Strabane Volunteer Fire Department No. 1 in Pancake.

In 1983, he married Holly Onopiuk, with whom he shared more than 31 years of marriage.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, is a sister, Carla Hull.

At the request of the deceased, all services will be private and handled by Nichol Funeral Home, 1873 East Maiden Street, Washington PA 15301.

A guest book may be signed at www.nicholfuneralhome.com. Memorial donations may be made to South Strabane Volunteer Fire Department, 1696 East Maiden Street, Washington, PA 15301.

Mark A. Onopink
March 7, 1957-November 6, 2014

Charles W. Onstott

Charles W. (Chuck) Onstott, 76, a former resident of Langeloth, currently residing at 87455 Plum Run Road, Uhrchsville, Ohio, died Sunday, Feb. 26, 1995, in his home following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Onstott was born Aug. 21, 1918, in Pittsburgh, a son of Charles W. Onstott and Hazel Gertrude Thornberg.

He was a self-employed carpenter and a World War II veteran.

Mr. Onstott had been a resident of Uhrchsville, Ohio, since 1965.

On Feb. 25, 1937, he married Gertrude Mae Andrews, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Robert W. Onstott of East Hartford, Conn., and Richard H. Onstott of Delroy, Ohio; one sister, Doris Moran of Westlake, Ohio; a brother, Carl Onstott of Weirton, W.Va.; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

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

Friends were received in the Lindsay Funeral Home, New Philadelphia, Ohio, where services were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. Interment was in Upper Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Tappan, Ohio.

Charles W. (Chuck) Onstott
August 21, 1918-February 26, 1995

Charles W. Onstott

Charles W. (Chuck) Onstott, 76, a former resident of Langeloth, currently residing at 87455 Plum Run Road, Uhrchville, Ohio, died Sunday, Feb. 26, 1995, in his home following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Onstott was born Aug. 21, 1918, in Pittsburgh, a son of Charles W. Onstott and Hazel Gertrude Thornberg.

He was a self-employed carpenter and a World War II veteran.

Mr. Onstott had been a resident of Uhrchville, Ohio, since 1965.

On Feb. 25, 1937, he married Gertrude Mae Andrews, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons, Robert W. Onstott of East Hartford, Conn., and Richard H. Onstott of Delroy, Ohio; one sister, Doris Moran of Westlake, Ohio; a brother, Carl Onstott of Weirton, W.Va.; six grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

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

Friends were received in the Lindsay Funeral Home, New Philadelphia, Ohio, where services were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. Interment was in Upper Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Tappan, Ohio.

Charles W. "Chuck" Onstott
August 21, 1918-February 25, 1995

Mary Lou Openbrier

*Midway woman was
Stylette Plastics retiree*

Mary Lou "Beeza" Openbrier, 88, of Midway, died Sunday, January 11, 2015, in St. Clair Hospital, Mt. Lebanon.

She was born July 6, 1926, in Midway.

Mrs. Openbrier was retired as a clerk at Midway Uni-Mart. She previously worked at Stylette Plastics, from where she retired after 30 years.

She was a member of Midway United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three children, Sheryl (Sam) Miglioretti of Plum Borough, Linda (Pat) Allese of South Carolina and Peggy Chichester of Carnegie; three grandchildren, Kim Pennine of Scott Township, Joshua Chichester of North Hills and Severo Miglioretti of Gibsonia; and a great-grandchild, Brookly Chichester.

Deceased are her husband, William Openbrier, who died in 1987; a son, William Openbrier Jr., who died in 2010; and several brothers and sisters.

Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway, 724-796-3301. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 14, in Midway United Methodist Church, 104 Jefferson Street, Midway. Anyone wishing to attend the service is asked to meet at the church.

A guest book may be signed at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Mary Lou Openbrier
July 6, 1926-January 11, 2015

John N. Oravetz

McDonald resident

John N. Oravetz, 47, of McDonald, died unexpectedly Sunday, January 9, 2000, in Canonsburg Hospital.

He was born August 12, 1952, in Uniontown, a son of Marcella Huart Oravetz of McDonald and the late William Oravetz.

On August 15, 1991, he married Jaymie Devos, who survives.

Also surviving are five sons, John Oravetz of Bridgeville, Michael and Max Oravetz, both of Canonsburg, and William and Joshua Oravetz, both at home; a daughter, Shana; a brother, the Rev. Daniel Oravetz of Clinton; and paternal grandmother, Ann Oravetz of Imperial.

A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, January 15, in Havelach Common Community Room, McDonald. Arrangements were made by Wharton-Herrick Funeral Home, 951 Cliff Mine Road, Imperial.

John N. Oravetz
August 12, 1952-January 9, 2000

John Orenchuk Jr.

*WWII veteran
was Weirton Steel retiree*

John Orenchuk Jr., 88, of Burgettstown, passed away Friday, November 27, 2009, in Brightwood Center, Follansbee, W.Va.

He was born July 1, 1921, in Avella, a son of the late John Sr. and Mary Kasurak Orenchuk.

Mr. Orenchuk was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

A member of St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church in Weirton, W.Va., Mr. Orenchuk was retired from the maintenance department of Weirton Steel Corp.

Surviving are a brother, Harry Orenchuk of Houston, and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are his wife, Jennie Macgoski Orenchuk; a daughter, Linda Diane Orenchuk; five brothers, Steve, Russell, Daniel, Mike and Pat Orenchuk; a sister, Kathryn Kansius; and a nephew, John Kansius.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in James Funeral Home, 1245 Main Street, Follansbee. Additional visitation will be held from noon to 1 p.m., the time of burial services, Wednesday, December 2, in St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church, 608 Colliers Way, Weirton, with Father Theodore Shomsky, as celebrant. Interment will follow in St. John's Cemetery, Colliers, W.Va. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church, 608 Colliers Way, Weirton, WV 26062, or a charity of one's choice. Condolences may be sent to www.chambersandjames.com.

John Orenchuk Jr.
July 1, 1921-November 27, 2009

Julia Orenchuk

Member of seniors group

Julia "Jay" Orenchuk, 79, of Eldersville, died Saturday, February 5, 2000, in Weirton (W. Va.) Medical Center.

She was born January 31, 1921, in Cuddy, a daughter of Nicholas and Susan Gulla Litvak.

Prior to retirement, Mrs. Orenchuk worked in the cafeteria at Eldersville Elementary School.

She was a member of St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Church in Carnegie.

Mrs. Orenchuk was a member of the senior citizens group in Burgettstown and Cross Creek and Jefferson Township Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary.

Surviving are her husband, Russell Orenchuk; a son, Russell J. Orenchuk of Burgettstown; a daughter, Dorothy Walsh of Amston, Conn.; two sisters, Mary Krek of Bridgeville and Helen Hall of Cecil; two grandchildren, Kimberlee Sabo and Bryan Orenchuk; and a great-granddaughter.

Deceased are three brothers, John, Pete and Mike Litvak.

ORENCHUK Friends of Julia "Jay" Orenchuk of Eldersville, who died Saturday, February 5, 2000, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 9 p.m. Monday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23, Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, February 8, in St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Church, Carnegie, with the Rev. Steve Repa officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Parastas service will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the funeral home.

Julia "Jay" Orenchuk
January 31, 1921-February 5, 2000

Steve Orenchuk

Worked for Weirton Steel

Steve Orenchuk, 85, of Burgettstown, died Sunday, December 12, 1999, in Country Meadows Nursing Center, Bridgeville.

He was born August 2, 1914, in Cross Creek Township, a son of John and Mary Kasurak Orenchuk.

Mr. Orenchuk was employed by Weirton Steel Corp. until his retirement.

He was a member of the Church of Christ in Langeloth.

Surviving are three sons, Steven and David Orenchuk, both of Burgettstown, and John Orenchuk of Paris, Ohio; three daughters, Patty Orenchuk of Hartville, Ohio, Jean Frollini of Canton, Ohio, and Mary Conklin of Burgettstown; four brothers, Russell, John and Harry Orenchuk, all of Burgettstown, and Mike Orenchuk of Steubenville, Ohio; a sister, Kate Kanzius of Washington; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Deceased are his wife, Theresa Egyhazi Orenchuk; and two brothers, Pete and Dan Orenchuk.

ORENCHUK ← Friends of Steve Orenchuk of Burgettstown, who died Sunday, December 12, 1999, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, December 14, in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, December 15, with Jim Smith officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Steve Orenchuk

August 2, 1914-December 12, 1999

Jennie F. Orenchuk

Eldersville homemaker

Jennie F. Orenchuk, 73, of Eldersville, died Monday, April 29, 2002, in Washington Hospital.

She was born December 13, 1928, in Hanlin Station, a daughter of Joseph and Antonina Mysiur Macugoski.

Mrs. Orenchuk was a homemaker.

She was a member of St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church in Weirton, W.Va.

On November 15, 1947, she married John Orenchuk, who survives.

Also surviving are a brother, Steve Macugoski of Avella; and three sisters, Stella Bertovich and Clara Ivanac, both of Avella, and Mary Orenchuk of Eldersville.

Deceased are a daughter, Linda Diane Orenchuk, who died March 6, 1990; and two brothers, Edward and Joseph Macugoski.

ORENCHUK - Friends of Jennie F. Orenchuk of Eldersville, who died Monday, April 29, 2002, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 2, with the Rev. Theodore Shomsky officiating. Interment will follow in St. John's Cemetery, Follansbee, W.Va.

Jennie F. Orenchuk
December 13, 1928-April 29, 2002

JOHN ORENCHUK, SR.

John Orenchuk, Sr., 75, of Burgettstown, R. D. 4, died Wednesday, March 24, 1965, at 7 a.m. in the West Allegheny hospital.

He was born June 28, 1889, in Austria-Hungary, and came to this country in 1909. He was a retired coal miner and farmer, last working in the Atlasburg Mine.

Mr. Orenchuk was a member of St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church, Weirton, West Virginia, and the Ukranian National League, of Pittsburgh.

His wife, Mary Orenchuk, died May 10, 1957.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Katherine Kanzius, Washington; seven sons, Stephen, Burgettstown, R.D.2; Russell, John, Jr., and Pete, all of Burgettstown, R.D.4; Michael, Steubenville, Ohio; Harry and Daniel, both at home; 21 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the James Funeral Home, Follansbee, West Virginia. Divine Liturgy was held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, March 27, in St. Nicholas Russian Orthodox Church, in charge of Rev. Michael Hutnyan. Burial was in St. Nicholas Cemetery.

John Orenchuck Sr.
June 28, 1889-March 24, 1965

Mary Orenchuk

*Enjoyed flower gardening,
baking and cooking*

Mary Orenchuk, 83, of Eldersville, died Wednesday, November 30, 2016.

She was born June 8, 1933, in Washington County, a daughter of the late John and Antonia Macugoski.

Mrs. Orenchuk was a homemaker who enjoyed flower gardening, baking and cooking.

She was a member of St. Nicholas Orthodox Church, Weirton, W.Va., where her amazing faith saw her through many difficult times.

On November 3, 1956, she married Daniel Orenchuk, who died September 25, 1994.

Surviving are two daughters, Maryann (Jeff) Milnarcik of McKees Rocks and Rosemarie (Pat Hamilton) Orenchuk of St. Augustine, Fla.; two grandsons, Jeffrey and Zachary Milnarcik; and a sister, Clara Ivanac of Eldersville.

Deceased, in addition to her parents and husband, are two sisters, Stella Bertovich and Jennie Orenchuk, and three brothers, Edward, Joe and Steve Macugoski.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A divine liturgy will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday, December 5, in St. Nicholas Orthodox Church, 608 Colliers Way, Weirton. Anyone attending the service is asked to meet at the church. Interment will follow in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Weirton.

To access additional information or leave condolences, visit www.taucherfuneral-home.com.

Mary Orenchuk
June 8, 1933-November 30, 2016

Patty Orenchuk

*Former Burgettstown
resident*

Patty Orenchuk, 75, passed peacefully in her sleep Tuesday, April 18, 2017, in Alter Care of Hartville, Ohio, where she was lovingly cared for by a wonderful staff.

She was born December 31, 1941, one of six children born to the late Theresa and Steve Orenchuk of Burgettstown.

Surviving are brother Steven Orenchuk and wife Helen of Burgettstown; sister Jeanne Frollini and departed husband George of Canton, Ohio; Mary Conklin and husband Glenn of Langeloth; John Orenchuk and wife Darla of Paris, Ohio; David Orenchuk and wife Gina of Brownsville; and five nieces, two nephews and two great-nephews.

Final arrangements will remain private.

The family requests, in lieu of cards or flowers, donations be made in her memory to Alter Care of Hartville, 1420 Smith-Kramer Street Northeast, Hartville, OH 44632.

Patty Orenchuk
December 31, 1941-April 18, 2017

Russell Orenchuk

Burgettstown man retired
from Wheeling-Pitt Steel

Russell Orenchuk, 85, of
Burgettstown, died Friday, July
13, 2001, in Washington
Hospital.

He was born March 1, 1916, in
Independence, a son of John and
Mary Kserik Orenchuk.

Prior to retirement in 1977,
Mr. Orenchuk was employed by
Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp.

He was a member of St. Peter
and St. Paul Ukrainian
Orthodox Church of Carnegie,
Senior Citizens of Burgettstown
and Slovenian Club of
Burgettstown.

On November 1, 1941, he
married Julia Litvak, who died
February 5, 2000.

Surviving are a son, Russell
J. Orenchuk of Burgettstown; a
daughter, Dorothy Walsh of
Amston, Conn.; two brothers,
John and Harry Orenchuk, both
of Burgettstown; a sister,
Katherine Kanzius of
Washington; two grandchildren,
Kimberlee Sabo and Bryan
Orenchuk; and a great-
granddaughter.

Deceased are four brothers,
Steve, Mike, Pete and Dan
Orenchuk.

ORENCHUK - Friends of Russell
Orenchuk of Burgettstown, who died Fri-
day, July 13, 2001, will be received from
7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 9 p.m. Mon-
day in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23
Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Divine
Liturgy will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tues-
day, July 17, in St. Peter and St. Paul
Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Carnegie,
with the Rev. Steve Repa as celebrant.
Interment will follow in the church
cemetery.

Russell Orenchuk
March 1, 1916-July 13, 2001

WWII vet, oldest Medal of Honor recipient, dies

CRESSKILL, N.J. (AP) – A World War II veteran and the nation's oldest living Medal of Honor recipient died in New Jersey.

Nicholas Oresko, an Army master sergeant who was badly wounded as he single-handedly took out two enemy bunkers during the Battle of the Bulge in 1945, died Friday night at Englewood Hospital and Medical Center, hospital officials announced Saturday. He was 96.

Oresko had been hospitalized after injuring himself in a fall at an assisted living center in Cresskill. He died of complications from surgery for a broken right femur. A November 2011 article on the Department of Defense website described Oresko as the oldest living Medal of Honor recipient.

ADOLF ORGA

Adolf Orga died on Saturday, March 27, 1976.

He was a brother of the late Christ Orga, of Cherry Valley.

Surviving are his wife, Pearl Louise Rice Orga; and two sons, James A. and Regis A. Orga.

Friends were received in the Brusco Funeral Home, Mt. Washington. Funeral Mass was held Wednesday at 10 a.m. in St. Mary of the Mount Church.

Adolph Orga
Died-March 27, 1976

Sara R. Orga

Active in Bulger
VFW Auxiliary

Sara R. "Sadie" Orga, 89, of Cherry Valley, died Thursday, July 16, 1998, in Weirton (W. Va.) Medical Center.

She was born August 5, 1908, in Crabtree, a daughter of Thomas and Margaret McKay Sheridan.

Prior to retirement, Mrs. Orga operated Ergan's Tavern in Cherry Valley for 26 years.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown.

Mrs. Orga was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary in Bulger, where she served as past president of Skinner-Braun Post, president of Washington-Greene County Council and past district president.

She was an avid card player.

Surviving are a son, Anselmo "Sam" Orga of Cherry Valley; three daughters, Patricia J. Keating of Eldersville, Mary Margaret McDonald of Carrick and Rita R. Long of Beaver; 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are her husband, Christ Orga, who died November 20, 1972; two daughters, Kathleen Bland and Ann Rosensteel; a brother, John Sheridan; five sisters, Ann Egan, Susan Schulteis, Katherine Borland, Margaret Wetmore and Loretta Getz; and a grandson, James Armstrong. Mrs. Orga was the last of her immediate family.

Funeral Notices

ORGA - Friends of Sara R. "Sadie" Orga of Cherry Valley, who died Thursday, July 16, 1998, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday, July 20, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky and the Rev. James McKay as concelebrants. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery, Pittsburgh. The Rev. Tusky will conduct a wake service at 3:30 p.m. Sunday in the funeral home. The family suggests memorial contributions to Burgettstown Community Library, 2 Kerr Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Sara R. "Sadie" Orga
August 5, 1908-July 16, 1998

Mary S. Organ

Mary S. Organ, 81, of 44 Linden Avenue, Burgettstown, died Thursday, Sept. 24, 1992, in Washington Hospital.

She was born Sept. 26, 1910, in Allensville, Ky., a daughter of Edward and Addie Ayers Smith.

Mrs. Organ was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church of Burgettstown.

She was past executive director of Southwestern Heart Association and was past president of the Soroptomist Club and the Business and Professional Women Club of Burgettstown.

On March 21, 1940, in Burgettstown, she married Ralph H. Organ, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, David Organ of Newport News, Va.; a daughter, Jo-Anne Copland of Plum Boro; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. David A. Dobi officiating. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

Mary S. Organ
September 26, 1910-September 24, 1992

MILDRED MAXINE BARBER ORGAN

Mrs. Mildred Maxine Organ, wife of Ralph H. Organ, died Sunday, March 31, at 1:27 P. M. in the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, after a short illness. Besides her husband Ralph H. Organ, she is survived by one son, David 2½ years old, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Barber of Unionport, O., and one sister, Mrs. Robert Kalkreuth, of Highland avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Organ have resided on Highland avenue since February, Mr. Organ being an employee of the Harmon Creek Coal Company. Mrs. Organ was 28 years of age. The body was removed to the Crider funeral home in Elm Grove, W. Va., where services was held Wednesday, April 3, at one o'clock. Burial was in Unionport, O.

**Mildred Maxine Organ
Died-March 31, 1935**

ANDREW ORGOVAN

Andrew Orgovan, 60, of Joffre, near Burgettstown, who has five sons in service, died suddenly of a heart attack Saturday while at work in the Pittsburgh plant of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation. He seemingly had been in his good health.

Mr. Orgovan was born in Austria Sept. 8 1885, coming to the United States 41 years ago. He had resided at Joffre for the last 18 years.

His wife, Mrs. Rose Orgovan, survives with seven sons and four daughters: Pfc. Joseph, in Oregon; Sgt. Steve, in South Pacific; Sgt. Frank, in South Pacific; Cpl. Andrew, Jr., at home; Louis, in France; Pfc. James in South Pacific; Ernest, of Slovan; Mrs. John Barish and Mrs. Ceresa, Burgettstown and Irene and Anna at home.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 4 o'clock from the residence in charge of the Rev. Wm. Flurkey. Burial was in Fairview

Andrew Orgovan

September 8, 1885- August 25, 1945

Clara Orgovan

Formerly of Bulger

Clara Orgovan, 85, of Westminister, Colo., died Thursday, April 6, 2000, in her home.

She was born February 23, 1915, in Reggio Calabria, Italy, a daughter of Frank and Catherine Luci Miceli of Bulger.

Mrs. Orgovan had resided in the U.S. since the age of 6.

She enjoyed crafts, playing cards and bingo.

She was Catholic.

On November 15, 1941, she married Erno "Babe" Orgovan, who died December 15, 1991.

Surviving are a son, Erno Orgovan Jr. of San Antonio, Texas; two daughters, Jennifer Mares of Thornton, Colo., and Kathi Davis of Aurora, Colo.; five brothers, Patsy Mitchell and Charles Micle, both of Bulger, Frank Micelo Jr. of Atlasburg, Dominick Mitchell of Schenectady, N.Y., and Louis Mitchell of Granite City, Ill.; three sisters, Jeanette Dvorsak and Mary Alvarez, both of Burgettstown, and Elizabeth Skarupa of Bulger; four grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a brother, Joseph Mitchell; and two sisters, Angeline Tornabene and a sister who died in infancy.

Cremation was held in Littleton, Colo., with Gordon Funeral and Cremation Service in charge of arrangements.

Clara Orgovan
February 23, 1915-April 6, 2000

James A. Orgovan

James A. Orgovan, 68, died Thursday, March 16, 1995, in Covina, Calif.

He was the son of the late Andrew and Rose Orgovan of Joffre.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle Mull Orgovan; two sons, Dennis and Donald; three daughters, Diane Phillips, Donna Carr and Debra Meyer; 10 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren, all of California.

Also surviving are two brothers, Andrew of Las Vegas, Nev., and Steve of Schenectady, N.Y.; and three sisters, Irene Russell of Weirton, W.Va.; Ann Wilkins of Joffre; and Helen Ceresa of Burgettstown.

James A. Orgovan
Died-March 16, 1995

Kenneth Orgovon Sr.

Kenneth S. Orgovon Sr. of Burgettstown died March 31, 1998, at his home after a lengthy illness. He was 57.

Born May 3, 1940, in Francis Mine, he was the son of the late Frank and Esther Orison Boyer Orgovon.

He had been employed by Swindell-Dressler Co. of Coraopolis since March of 1989.

He was a member of, and active player for, Burgettstown Area Fast Pitch Softball League for more than 30 years. He was lifetime member of the Bur-Lang Club of Burgettstown, where he hunted and fished. He was a member of the National Rifle Association.

He is survived by his wife, Agnes (Reed); a daughter, Patricia Sandridge of Aurora, Colo.; two sons, James of Langeloth and Kenneth S. Jr. of Burgettstown; five sisters, Margaret Ann Orgovon of Canonsburg, Darlene Smith of Library, Rosetta Williamson and Rosemarie Boyer, both of Burgettstown and Norma Faye Orgovon of Florida; seven brothers, Frank of New York, Steve of Chester, W.Va., Donald of Ellwood City, Bobby, Richard, Buddy and William, all of Burgettstown; and three grandchildren, Brian Paul, Joshua Steel and Brock Allen Sandridge.

Friends were received April 2 and 3 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A service was held April 4 in the funeral home, the Rev. Tracy Ogdon Johnson officiating. Interment was in Mill Creek Cemetery, Hookstown.

Kenneth Orgovon Sr.
May 3, 1940-March 31, 1998

Nora Oriskovich

*Steel Valley Bowling
League member*



Nora Oriskovich, 69, of Bulger, died Friday, August 7, 2015, in Donnell House, Washington.

She was born March 31, 1946, a daughter of the late Ferdinando and Elizabeth Fratini.

Mrs. Oriskovich was a 1964 graduate of Union High School in Burgettstown.

She worked in the meat department of Petrucci Market in Burgettstown for 30 years before working for Dollar General in McDonald.

Mrs. Oriskovich was a member of Steel Valley Bowling League in Weirton, W. Va., and also enjoyed traveling to different casinos.

Surviving are her husband of 30 years, Michael William Oriskovich; a son, Keith Gilles of Cecil; two daughters, Tammy Gilles and Amy (Michael) Dhans, both of Bulger; two stepdaughters, Melissa Law and Tammy Oriskovich, both of Aliquippa; a sister, Ruth (Pete) Hanley of Bethel Park; nine grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m., the time of a blessing service, Tuesday, August 11, in Nation Funeral Home, 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are requested to Nation Funeral Home on behalf of the Oriskovich family. Condolences, photos and more information may be found at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Nora Oriskovich
March 31, 1946-August 7, 2015

Eleanor Margaret Orison

1967-2015



Eleanor Margaret "Sissy" Orison, 48, of Burgettstown, passed away Wednesday, December 2, 2015, after a hard-fought lengthy illness in UPMC-Montefiore hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born January 17, 1967, in Washington, a daughter of Anne Angelo Orison of Burgettstown and the late Hughie Orison.

A 1985 graduate of Burgettstown High School, she worked for Giant Eagle in Robinson, Sarvey's Grocery Store in Weirton, W.Va., and tended bars in various locations in Weirton. She enjoyed working on her computer.

Surviving, in addition to her mother, are two brothers, Mark Allen Orison of Burgettstown and Archie Orison of Florence; several aunts, uncles and nephews; a special niece, Alayne Orison; and a sister-in-law, Lori Latshaw Orison.

Deceased, in addition to her father, is a brother, Christopher Orison.

Friends will be received from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., the time of services, Saturday, December 5, in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Joyce A. Morra officiating. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Eleanor Margaret Orison
January 17, 1967-December 2, 2015

Hughie Orison

Served in the U.S. Army
during World War II

Hughie Orison, 67, of Burgettstown, died Wednesday, May 1, 1996, in Washington Hospital.

He was born July 27, 1928, in Burgettstown, a son of Arch and Margaret Link Orison.

Mr. Orison served with the U.S. Army during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Anne Angelo Orison; four sons, Criss of Slovan, Mark and Arche, at home and Hughie Scott of Florence; a daughter, Eleanor, at home; four grandchildren; and two sisters, Eleanor Boyer of Burgettstown and Laura Chrislus of Parma, Ohio.

Deceased are two brothers, William and Louis Orison; and five sisters, Margaret Butler, Esther Boyer, Marie and Loretta Orison and Mary Chappel.

ORISON — Friends of Hughie Orison of Burgettstown, who died Wednesday, May 1, 1996, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 4. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Hughie Orison
July 27, 1928-May 1, 1996

John Orison

John (Legs) Orison, 66, of Burgettstown, died Monday, May 8, 1995, in Washington Hospital.

Born Dec. 2, 1928, in Bertha Mine, he was a son of Jesse A. and Mary Smith Orison.

Mr. Orison served in the U.S. Army in Korea.

On Aug. 10, 1957, he married Virginia Mooney, who survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Annie Orison Dicks of Claysville; two sons, John Orison Jr. of Slovan and Jessie Orison of Bulger; three grandchildren; one brother, Robert Orison of California; and three sisters, Lucille Harmon and Sarah Boyce, both of Joffre, and Patricia Noble of Huntington, W.Va.

Deceased are two sisters, Esther Elizabeth Winland and Lillian Hanlin.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Mason Johnson officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

John "Legs" Orison
December 2, 1928-May 8, 1995

Orison

Louis H. Orison, 76, of 360 South Main Street, Burgettstown, died Monday, May 11, 1981, in Washington Hospital.

He was born July 29, 1904, in Smith Township, and resided all his life in the Burgettstown area.

A retired employee of Jones and Laughlin Steel Co., he formerly was employed by Greensburg-Connellsville Coal and Coke Co.

Surviving are his wife, Nettie Harshey Orison; five daughters, Esther Williams, Mae Roseberry, Elsie Boyer and Minnie Weigner, all of Burgettstown and Jennie Weigner of McKees Rocks; three sons, Lewis Orison of Langeloth, James Orison, Burgettstown, and Joseph Nayock, Greensburg; a brother, Jess Orison, Francis Mine; 35 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

A son and three grandchildren are deceased.

ORISON — Friends of Louis H. Orison, 360 South Main Street, Burgettstown, who died Monday, May 11, 1981, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in the Lee Funeral Home, Burgettstown, where services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday, May 14, by the Rev. Texas Strothers. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Louis H. Orison
July 29, 1904-May 11, 1981

NETTIE ORISON

Nettie Orison, 78, of 360 South Main Street, Burgettstown, died Monday, March 21, 1988, in the Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center.

She was born July 29, 1909, in Presto, a daughter of Oliver and Minnie Belle Cook Harshey.

Surviving are five daughters, Esther Williams of Langeloth, Mae Roseberry of Burgettstown, Elsie Boyer of Aliquippa, Minnie Weigner of Carnegie and Jennie Weigner, also of Carnegie; three sons, Lewis Orison of Langeloth, James Orison of Atlasburg and Joe Nayock of Greensburg; a brother, Frank Harshey of Atlasburg; and a sister, Minnie Noga of Washington. Also surviving are 32 grandchildren and 42 great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Louis H. Orison, died May 11, 1981.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Friday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. James Boyer officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Nettie Orison
July 29, 1909-March 21, 1988

Pamela Orison

1956 – 2018



Pamela
"Sue" Orison,
61, of Lange-
loth, passed
away peace-
fully Satur-
day morning,
November

17, 2018, in Heritage Valley
Beaver Medical Center.

She was born November
28, 1956, a daughter of the
late William F. Orison Sr. and
Helen Link Orison.

A 1976 graduate of Union
High School in Burgett-
stown, she worked briefly
at Star Lake Ampitheatre in
Burgettstown.

She was a loving mother,
daughter, wife, sister, aunt,
grandmother and friend. She
was stubborn and strong-
willed, but always made time
to help anyone who needed
help. She enjoyed going to
bingo, canning and spending
time her great-nieces and
great-nephews, taking them
to the park, getting ice cream,
teaching them silly riddles
and showing them how to do
things. She always made sure
her family had everything
they needed and would give a
person the shirt off her back.

She will always be remem-
bered by her daughter, Sarah
Jane Myers McCarrell and
husband Patrick; her hus-
band, Gerald "Jerry" My-
ers; and her grandchildren,
Madison, Bonnie, Jesse and
Mason. She is also survived
by her sister, Annette Ben-
nett; her brother, William F.
Orison Jr. and wife Sis; her
nephews, Jerry, Cliff and
William III; and great-nieces
and great-nephews Kylee,
Jared, Karissa and Chance.

She also loved her dog,
Chico, and cat, Lucy.

Sue requested she be re-
membered for the person
she was, the good and the bad.

To honor her wishes, there
will be no public visitation
and a memorial service is be-
ing planned for a later date.

If so desired, memorial do-
nations may be made in her
memory to Washington Area
Humane Society, 1527 PA-136,
Eighty Four, PA 15330, www.washingtonpashelter.org.

Arrangements are under
the direction of Lee & Martin
Funeral Home, 73 Highland
Avenue, Burgettstown, PA
15021.

Pamela "Sue" Orison

November 25, 1956-November 17, 2018

WILLIAM F. ORISON

William Franklin Orison, 60, of Jewett, Ohio, formerly of Burgettstown, died Wednesday, January 10, 1968, in the Martins Ferry, Ohio, hospital.

He was born August 2, 1907, in Burgettstown. A veteran of World War II. Mr. Orison attended the Presbyterian church.

He is survived by his wife, Alice Charlier Orison; two daughters, Mrs. Kathryn Risdon, of New Alexandria, Ohio, and Mrs. Gorrine Bonaventura, of Wheeling, West Virginia; three brothers, James and Louis, both of Slovan, and Jesse, of Francis Mine; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Gorse, of Avella; one half-brother, John Mooney, of Francis Mine; and two grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 13. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

William Franklin Orison
August 2, 1907-January 10, 1968

Robert K. Orndoff

Word has been received of the death of Robert K. Orndoff, 84, of Fort Myers, Fla., formerly of Washington, who died Sunday, Dec. 6, 1992, at Beacon-Donnegal Manor in Fort Myers.

He was born Feb. 27, 1908, in Waynesburg, the son of Jesse Orndoff and Olive Boyd Orndoff Younken.

After graduating from Waynesburg College in 1929, Mr. Orndoff served as a teacher for 10 years at Avella High School and one year at Mt. Lebanon High School.

Later, he was employed as a metallurgical supervisor with Vanadium Corporation of America in Bridgeville. He relocated with that company to Cambridge, Ohio, in 1953. Following retirement, he moved to Fort Myers in 1973.

Mr. Orndoff was active in the Cambridge Singers and the Seven Lakes Chorus. He had been a member of the Cambridge Elks and Country Club and the Masonic Temple in Washington. He was also a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder.

Surviving are his wife, Dorothy Knestruck Orndoff, formerly of Washington, whom he married in 1934; a son, Dr. Robert K. Orndoff of Cambridge, Ohio; and three grandchildren.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are a brother and a sister.

Memorial services will be observed at a later date at the Greene County Memorial Gardens in Waynesburg.

Robert K. Orndoff
February 27, 1908-December 6, 1992

JOHN O'ROURKE KILLED BY FALL FROM BARN

While working on the large new barn on the Gibson Leech farm one and one-half mile east of Cherry Valley, John O'Rourke, a well-known carpenter of Burgettstown, fell from a scaffold last Thursday afternoon, November 17, about 3 o'clock, and sustained injuries from which he died about eight hours later.

Mr. O'Rourke was employed by Contractor T. F. Nicholls on the Leech barn, which is an immense affair. Thursday was a bad day, a light snow having fallen the night before, and everything was in a slippery condition. Mr. Nicholls had suggested that it would be better for them to go home and not work that day, but O'Rourke said he thought it would be safe for them to finish the work they were on. They were working on the same scaffold. Nicholls says he does not know just how the accident happened, but that he was raising a plank to the cornice of the barn and he supposed O'Rourke had reached out to get the end and help him, when he became overbalanced and fell. He struck a stone wall projecting out from the barn head foremost and dropped from there to the ground on a pile of loose stones. The entire distance which O'Rourke fell was about 30 feet.

He was picked up as quickly as possible and carried into the Leech home. Physicians were hastily summoned, and it was discovered that he had suffered a severe fracture at the base of the brain, his upper and lower jaws were broken and he had sustained other injuries. He was taken to the Mercy hospital in the evening, and at 11 o'clock that night he died, without having regained consciousness.

John O'Rourke was born and raised between Primrose and Hickory. He left home when quite young, and before coming to Burgettstown spent some time in the Klondike regions. About seven years ago he was united in marriage to Della Work, the only surviving daughter of Maxwell Work. She, with two small children, survives him. He is also survived by two sisters. Both parents are dead.

Mr. O'Rourke was 30 years of age, having been born December 11, 1880. He was a young man of excellent character, and although of a quiet and retiring disposition, had many friends here. He lived in the Dal. Garrison property, just over the borough line, which he purchased last summer and had fitted up in modern condition. He united with the Westminister Presbyterian church of Burgettstown about three

years ago, and was also a member of the Richard Vaux Lodge No. 4 F & AM (Masonic) of the Burgettstown Lodge No. 1145 IOOF (Odd Fellows)

John O'Rourke
December 11, 1880-November 18, 1910

MRS. CHARLOTTE ORR

Mrs. Charlotte Bell Orr, a former resident of Burgettstown, and daughter of the late R. T. C. Stephenson died at her home in Jackson, Mich., on November 8th, after a long illness. Funeral services and burial were held at Wisconsin Memorial Park at Milwaukee, Wis., on November 11.

Mrs. Orr was born in Burgettstown and lived here until after her marriage in 1914.

She is survived by her husband, Lawrence G. Orr and one brother, Robert O. Stephenson of Milwaukee, Wis.

The R. T. C. Stephenson family was once prominent in this community through their connection with the Burgettstown Post Office. Mr. Stephenson served as postmaster during Cleveland's second administration during which time a daughter, Sara (afterwards Mrs. Stannard) acted as his assistant. Later, Charlotte Bell Orr acted in the same capacity during the postmasterships of B. Kerr McFarland and J. T. Patterson.

**Charlotte Bell Orr
Died-November 8, 1941**

SUSAN ORSINI

Susan Orsini, 80, of 33 Sea Foam Avenue, Linden, New Jersey, formerly of Burgettstown, died Monday, May 12, 1986, in the Memorial General Hospital, Union, New Jersey.

Mrs. Orsini was born Sept. 1, 1905, in Erie Mine, a daughter of Paul and Susan Krynak Pcsolinski.

Surviving are one daughter, Shirley Falzarano of Linden, New Jersey; one brother, Mike Pcsolinski of Wilkes-Barre; one sister, Helen Ihnot of Endicott, New York; and one grandson, Dean Falzarano of Linden, New Jersey.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home, where blessing services were held Thursday at 10 a.m. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Susan Orsini
September 1, 1905-May 12, 1986

JOHN ORTSKI

John Orstski, 76, died at his home in Cross Creek township, Friday, August 11, 1950 at 4:30 p. m. A retired coal miner, he was born in Austria-Hungary, Nov 21, 1873, but had been in the United States 44 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rosie Orstski.

Funeral services were held Sunday, August 13, 1950 from the St. Michael's R. C. church, Avella at 2 p.m., with Rev. Father F. J. Wivell, pastor, officiating. Interment was in St. Michael's cemetery, Avella.

John Orstski
November 21, 1873-August 11, 1950

Marjorie K. Osbourne

Marjorie K. Osbourne of Hickory died Aug. 19, 1998 in Washington Hospital. She was 77.

Born March 29, 1921 in Boone, Iowa, she was the daughter of Bernard C. and Lillian McMahon Kelley.

She was a member of Hickory United Presbyterian Church and was a homemaker.

She was a 1939 graduate of Mt. Lebanon High School.

On Oct. 3, 1942, she married Alvan D. Osbourne, who survives.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Susan Osbourne McCarthy of Columbus, Ga.; a son, Alvan D. "Bud" Jr. of Hickory; five grandchildren, Alexander A.D. Osbourne, Brandon K. Stewart, Cara S. Lawton, Brian, Emilie D. and Elizabeth M. McCarthy; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Aug. 21 in the Piatt & Barnhill Funeral Home, Washington. Services were private. Interment was in Washington Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Hospice Care of Washington Hospital or Hickory United Presbyterian Church.

Marjorie K. Osbourne
March 29, 1921-August 19, 1998

Sarah O. Osburn

Sarah O. Osburn, 79, of McDonald, died Monday, November 22, 1982, in St. Clair Hospital.

She was born June 22, 1903, in McDonald, the daughter of Dwight and Sarah Brown Orwig.

Surviving are a sister, Julia Krek of Bridgeville; a nephew, Ralph I. Krek Jr. of McMurray, and a great-niece, Angela Krek, of McMurray.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 24, in the Trinity United Presbyterian Church, 119 Station Street, McDonald.

Sarah O. Osburn
June 22, 1903-November 22, 1982

Aelethea O'Shanka

*Member of Burgettstown
Presbyterian Church*

Aelethea O'Shanka, 81, of Burgettstown, died Friday, October 1, 2004, in Washington Hospital.

She was born January 25, 1923, in Washington, a daughter of Frank Bailey and Dorothy George Worlyn.

Mrs. O'Shanka was a Chartiers-Houston High School graduate.

She worked as a licensed practical nurse in the 1960s. She also was a homemaker and a member of Burgettstown Presbyterian Church.

On January 31, 1942, she married George O'Shanka, who died April 11, 1993.

Surviving are three daughters, Dorothy Morris and husband Charles of Houston, Ruth Ann Vallina and husband Jon of Langeloth and Patricia Jane O'Shanka of Burgettstown; a son, George R. O'Shanka and wife Sandy of Langeloth; five grandchildren, Chuck Morris, Scott and Brandon Vallina, Tonya McElroy (Reno) and Rebecca O'Shanka (Michael Schaedel); three great-grandchildren, Shaunna Morris, Nicole McElroy and Brooke Schaedel; and two sisters, Erma Slopek of Burgettstown and Louise Newton of Mobile, Ala..

Deceased are a sister, Mildred Milonovich; and a brother, Richard Kiss.

Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Monday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, October 5, with the Rev. Robert Turrill, pastor of Burgettstown Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Burgettstown Presbyterian Church Flood Relief Fund, Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Aelethea O'Shanka
January 25, 1923-October 1, 2004

James E. O'Shanka

Worked for LTV Steel, Aliquippa

James E. O'Shanka, 68, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, December 7, 2004, in his home.

He was born February 8, 1936, in Francis Mine, a son of John and Anna O'Shanka.

Prior to retirement, Mr. O'Shanka worked for LTV Steel in Aliquippa for 30 years and later for Giant Eagle in Robinson Township and Cornerstone Care in Atlasburg.

He was a U.S. Army veteran and served during the Korean War.

He was an avid hunter and fisherman.

On June 5, 1959, he married Inez Evans, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Kandy, and a son-in-law, Charlie Webb of Follansbee, W.Va.; a special niece, Brianna Marziale; and two sisters, Josephine Cornell of Houston and Helen Plazerine of Tampa, Fla.

Deceased are four brothers, John, Joseph, George and Charles O'Shanka; and three sisters, Katy Dunn and Sophia and Mary O'Shanka.

At the request of the deceased, there will be no visitation. Other arrangements will be held at the convenience of the family. Arrangements by Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown.

James E. O'Shanka
February 8, 1936-December 7, 2004

Joseph O'Shanka

Burgettstown resident was
Wheeling-Pitt retiree

Joseph O'Shanka, 87,
formerly of Burgettstown, died
Thursday, April 29, 1999, in
Country Meadows of South
Hills, Bridgeville.

He was born January 17,
1912, in Poland, a son of John
and Anna O'Shanka.

Mr. O'Shanka was a member
of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman
Catholic Church, Burgettstown.

He was retired from
Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel
Corp.

Surviving are a daughter,
Flora Doumont of
Burgettstown; a son; Joseph Jr.
of Winter Park, Fla.; four
grandchildren; a great-
grandchild; two brothers, John
of Eldersville and James of
Burgettstown; and three sisters,
Josephine Cornell of
Canonsburg, Helen Plazern of
Tampa, Fla., and Catherine
Dunn of Burgettstown.

Deceased are his wife, Helen
Cipranic O'Shanka, who died in
1987; two brothers, George and
Charles; and a sister, Mary
O'Shanka.

Services will be held at the
convenience of the family.

Joseph O'Shanka
January 17, 1912-April 29, 1999

Margaret Ostop

Employed by Bovalina
Meat Packing Co.

Margaret Ostop, 80, of
Atlasburg, died Wednesday,
March 15, 2000, in Manor Care
Nursing Home, McMurray.

She was born December 26,
1919, in Atlasburg, a daughter of
Domenick and Rose Breen
Nicola.

Prior to her retirement, Mrs.
Ostop was employed by Bovalina
Meat Packing Co. in Slovan and
then Delfrate Meat Packing Co.
in Atlasburg.

Surviving are two sons,
Stephen Ostop of Pewaukee,
Wis., and Timothy Ostop of
Robinson Township; and a
granddaughter, Chelsea Ostop.

Deceased are her husband,
Steve Ostop, who died February
28, 1975; twin daughters, who
died in infancy; two brothers,
George and William Nicola; and
three sisters, Thelma Progar,
Rose Dragnett and Helen
Zablocki.

OSTOP. Friends of Margaret Ostop of Atlasburg, who died Wednesday, March 15, 2000, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 18, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment in St. John's Cemetery, Avella.

Margaret Ostop
December 26, 1919-March 15, 2000

PETE OSTRICH

Pete Ostrich, 54, of Burgettstown, R. D. 4, died unexpectedly Thursday, Jan. 3, 1985, in his home.

Born July 24, 1930, in Apex, Ohio, he was a son of Andrew and Jelena Ostrich.

Mr. Ostrich was a retired employee of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation and a member of United Steel Workers Local 1211. He also was a member of the Burgettstown Italian Club and the National Council of Senior Citizens.

He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a member of American Legion Post 698 and VFW Post 6955.

Surviving are his wife, Leanna Lyons Ostrich; one son, Andrew Ostrich, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Harry (Connie) Mecannic of Burgettstown, R. D. 1, and Donna Ostrich, at home; and one brother, Mike Ponich of Austin, Texas.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Dr. Elwin Vanderland, pastor of the Paris Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial was in Paris Cemetery.

Pete Ostrich
July 24, 1930-January 3, 1985

SANTINA OTTENGA

Santina Ottenga, 90, of Highland Avenue, Avella, died in her home at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 4, 1985.

She was born Oct. 29, 1894, in Pordenone Provincia di Udine, Italy, a daughter of Pietro and Domenica Bartolin.

Mrs. Ottenga came to the United States in 1921.

She was a member of St. Michael Church of Avella and the Christian Mothers and Altar Society of the church.

Mrs. Ottenga was a lifetime member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Avella Volunteer Fire Department.

On Feb. 14, 1921, she married Defendente Ottenga, who died in 1928. In 1930, she married Louis Ottenga, who died Sept. 1, 1936.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Raymond (Dena) Fioroni of Avella and Mrs. Raymond (Nellie) Donelli of Upper St. Clair; one son, Edward Ottenga of Zanesville, Ohio; six grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and one nephew in Italy.

Five sisters and one brother are deceased.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Wednesday at 10 a.m. in St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, Avella, with the Rev. Fr. Alvin Gutierrez as the celebrant. Burial was in West Point Cemetery.

Santina Ottenga
October 29, 1894-August 4, 1985

Edna E. Otwell

Edna E. Otwell of Steubenville, Ohio, died Feb. 3, 1997, at Trinity Medical Center West. She was 97.

Born Sept. 13, 1899, in Bulger, she was the daughter of the late James S. and Alice H. Evans

Martin.

She was a retired head maid at the former Fort Steuben Hotel and was Protestant by faith.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Robert; a son, Robert D. Martin; two sisters, Laura Virtue and Leona Ralston; and three brothers, Stanley, William and John Martin.

She is survived by a daughter, Alice Reggets of Steubenville; a son, Francis R. Martin of Steubenville; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Feb. 4 in Mosti Funeral Home, Steubenville. Services were held Feb. 5 in the funeral home, the Rev. Robert Shearer officiating. Burial was in Union Cemetery.

Edna E. Otwell
September 13, 1899-February 3, 1997

John L. Ovington

John L. Ovington of Purdy Road, Burgettstown, died April 21, 1997, at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, Md. He was 72.

Born March 25, 1925, in Cambridge, he was the son of the late John and Adelaide Lafferty Ovington.

He was retired after 30 years as an industrial engineer from Weirton Steel Corp.

He was a member of the St. Paul Roman Catholic Church, Weirton; the Weirton Steel Corp 25-Year Club, Knights of Columbus Council 3734, St. Paul Holy Name Society and was past exalted ruler and current trustee for BPOE Lodge 1801.

He was a World War II Army veteran.

On Aug. 15, 1956, he married Mary Ellen Klein Ovington of Burgettstown, who survives.

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

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Mary Jude Patterson of Burgettstown; two sons, Timothy of Warrenton, Va., and Christopher of Pittsburgh; two brothers, Robert Ovington of Cincinnati and Gordon Ovington of Rockville, Md.; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received April 23 in the Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton. A rosary was recited and Elks Memorial Services were held April 23. Funeral services were held April 24 in St. Paul Roman Catholic Church, Weirton. Burial in St. Paul Cemetery, Weirton.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to St. Paul Roman Catholic Church Memorial Fund, 140 Walnut St., Weirton, W.Va. 26062.

John L. Ovington
March 25, 1925-April 21, 1997

Susan Kay Owens

Susan Kay Owens, 46, of Waterford Park Road, New Cumberland, W.Va., R.D.2, died Sunday, Feb. 6, 1994, at Presbyterian University Hospital, Pittsburgh, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

She was born May 13, 1947, in Steubenville, Ohio, a daughter of Jeanette (Cumberlidge) Baxter of Burgettstown R.D.1 and the late William Louis Yorko.

She was an employee at Video Country, New Cumberland, and was a member of New Manchester Christian Church and the New Cumberland VFW Post 3526 Ladies Auxiliary.

In addition to her mother, survivors include her husband, Denzel (Buck) Owens; two daughters, Laverne Thaman of Glenshaw and Larena Owens of New Cumberland; a sister, Yvonne Virden of New Cumberland; and one grandson, Clayton Guy Thaman.

Friends were received in the Turley Funeral Home, New Cumberland, where services were held Thursday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Sherrill Fritts officiating. Interment was in New Cumberland.

Susan Kay Owens
May 13, 1947-February 6, 1994

Bobby Jack Owings

*Self-employed truck driver,
car enthusiast*

Bobby Jack Owings, 78, of Burgettstown, went riding over the hills Friday morning, March 30, 2018, in Premier Health Center, Washington.

He was born August 19, 1939, in Michigan, a son of the late R. Donald and Thelma May Melvin Owings.

An avid car enthusiast, he enjoyed his hot rods, NASCAR, stock cars and racing at Clinton Motor Speedway.

Mr. Owings was a self-employed, over-the-road truck driver for over 50 years.

His wife, Helen L. Holland Owings, whom he married in 1958 and 2004, survives.

Also surviving are four children, Rose Marie White, wife of the late Paul of Kittaning, Robert M. Owings and wife Jean of Slovan and twins Jackie Crewl and husband Scott of Carnegie and Jody Itzel of Houston; eight grandchildren, Jennifer Rose White, Danielle Skulalek, Paul Andrew White, Holly Johnson, Nicole Monroe, Shelbe Nixon and Logan and Zachary Crewl; several great-grandchildren; a sister, Shirley Abbott and husband Lee of Hanover Township; a brother-in-law, Dave Hook of Hanover Township; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are his second wife, Joann Shimon Owings, who passed away in 1995; and a sister, Wanda Hook.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 3, with the Rev. Kern Jacobs officiating. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Hanover Township (Paris).

Due to Bobby's love of animals, memorial donations may be made in his memory to Washington Area Humane Society, 1527 PA-136, Eighty Four, PA 15330.

Bobby Jack Owings
August 19, 1939-March 30, 2018

Thelma M. Owings

Thelma M. Owings, 75, of Burgettstown, died Sunday, May 1, 1994, in Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center.

She was born Dec. 23, 1918, in Smith Township, a daughter of John and Iva Louise Bonner Melvin.

She was married to Ray Donald Owings, who died Oct. 28, 1970.

Surviving are one son, Bob Owings of Burgettstown; two daughters, Wanda Hook and Shirley Abbott, both of Burgettstown; one brother, Donald Melvin of Michigan; two sisters, Dorothy Nunn and Hettie Ruth Ballard, both of Michigan; 11 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. James Boyer officiating. Interment was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Thelma M. Owings
December 23, 1918-May 1, 1994

Janet Marie Ozenbaugh

Avid reader enjoyed shopping



Janet Marie Ozenbaugh, 72, of Hickory, died Tuesday, August 23, 2016, in her home.

She was born August 15, 1944, in Atlasburg, a daughter of the late John Patrick and Geneva Provenson Casey.

Prior to retirement, she was employed by Community Medical Center (Cornerstone Care) in Atlasburg.

Mrs. Ozenbaugh was an avid reader and enjoyed shopping.

Surviving are a son, Robert Ozenbaugh of Hickory; grandchildren Anthony and Erica Ozenbaugh, both of Monaca, and Ryan Ozenbaugh of Georgetown; siblings John (Millie) Casey of Avella, Kathleen (Tom) Robinson of Joffre, Mary (Rich) Bayless of Bethany and Michael (Barb) Casey of Bethel Park; and many nieces and nephews.

In 1964, she married Carter Ordell Ozenbaugh, who died in 2002.

Also deceased is a son, Vincent Ozenbaugh, who died in 2000.

Friends will be received from 10 a.m. to noon, the time of a blessing service, Saturday, August 27, in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Bob Staszewski officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations be made to Burgettstown Community Library, 2 Kerr Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

For further information or to leave a condolence, please visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Janet Marie Ozenbaugh
August 15, 1944-August 23, 2016

WILLIAM J. OZENBAUGH

William J. Ozenbaugh, 66, of McDonald, R. D. 4, died in Washington hospital at 8:30 a. m., Thursday, March 1, 1962, after an illness of two months.

He was born in Blaine Township March 10, 1895, a son of George F. and Mattie Grimes Ozenbaugh. An operating engineer, he was last employed by the Jefferson Coal and Construction Company. He was a member of the First Christian Church, Canonsburg.

Surviving are his wife, Sylvia Gary Ozenbaugh; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Wallo, Houston, and Mrs. Martha Pollachak, Hammond, Ind.; three sons, John, Whitehall; Wayne, Cross Creek, and Carter Ordell, in the U. S. Army at Fort Eustis, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Welch and Mrs. Pearl Moss, both of Shelburn, Ind., one brother, Ivan, Chicago, Ill.; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Speakman Funeral home in Houston, where services were held Sunday, March 4, at 2:30 p. m., by Rev. John R. Rankin. Interment in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

William J. Ozenbaugh
March 10, 1895-March 1, 1962

Sara C. Ozimek

*Member of St. Ann R.C. Church,
Bulger*

Sara C. Ozimek, 90, of Bulger, died Tuesday, December 14, 2004, in her home.

She was born June 27, 1914, in Bulger, a daughter of John and Mary Dorochowicz Kaezyk.

Mrs. Ozimek was a 1933 Union High School graduate in Burgettstown.

Prior to retirement, Mrs. Ozimek was employed by Gladioux Food Services at Pittsburgh International Airport.

She was a member of St. Ann Roman Catholic Church in Bulger, where she was a member of the ladies auxiliary and ladies pierogi makers.

She was a member of Burgettstown Senior Citizens.

Surviving are three sons, John Ozimek of Arlington Heights, Ill., Dan Ozimek of Langeloth and James Ozimek of Lansdale; eight grandchildren, Therese Heinrich of St. Charles, Minn., Laura Olejnik of Eden Prairie, Minn., Greg Ozimek of Pittsburgh, Brian Ozimek of Austin, Texas, Mark Ozimek of Fayetteville, Ark., Jeff Ozimek of Arlington Heights, Ill., Michelle Burda of Weirton, W. Va., and Kristen Korèy of Pittsburgh; and six great-grandchildren, Emily Burda, Kevin and Grace Heinrich, Lyndsey and Erin Olejnik and Jacob Ozimek.

Deceased are her husband, Bennie Ozimek, who died October 20, 1985; a son, William Ozimek, who died March 20, 1998; two brothers, Charles and John Kaezyk; and a sister, Helen Farkas.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, December 17, in St. Ann Church in Bulger, with the Rev. Bob Staszewski, pastor, as celebrant. Interment in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Sara C. Ozimek

June 27, 1914-December 14, 2004

SYLVESTER OZIMEK

Sylvester Ozimek, 63, died in his home at 310 Third Avenue East Langeloth, Monday at 2 p. m., following an extended illness.

Born in Poland, the deceased came to this country many years ago and had been a resident of Langeloth for the past 27 years. He was formerly employed by the American Zinc and Chemical Company but had been retired for several years due to poor health. He was a member of the Greek Catholic Lodge of Burgettstown.

Surviving are two sons and three daughters: Bennie, Langeloth; Walter, U. S. Naval Cadet, Lockhaven; Helen at home; Josephine, Pittsburg and Mrs. Sofia Helm, Wheeling, W. Va.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday at 8:30 a. m. at the late residence followed by requiem high mass at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church, Burgettstown, in charge of the Rev. Father W. J. McCashin. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

**Sylvester Ozimek
Died-July 19, 1943**

Two Young Men Die In Blast At St. Joseph's Lead Co.

An explosion at St. Joseph's Lead Company near Monaca last Thursday evening about 9 o'clock took the lives of two community young men.

Walter Edward (Pudgey) Ozimek of Bulger died shortly after the accident as he was enroute to the Rochester hospital. John William Finney 23, of Langeloth, his co-worker was burned so terribly in the blast that he died in the hospital Friday evening at 6:28 o'clock.

The young men were employed on brickwork at the plant, and had worked their regular day shift and were working overtime when the blast occurred.

Ozimek was born in Langeloth, December 30, 1921, a son of the late Sylvester and Frances Kaminiski Ozimek. He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church, and the Holy Name Society. He was a graduate of Union high school, class of 1940 and attended West Liberty State Teachers' college. He served in the United States Navy in World War II as an aviation machinist mate, third class.

He is survived by 3 sisters: Josephine Ozimek, Detroit; Mrs. Helen Wonsevicz, Langeloth; Mrs. Sophia Helm, Wheeling and one brother, Bennie of Bulger.

Funeral services were held from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church with Requiem mass by Rev. W. J. McCashin, Monday, March 27 at 9 a.m. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Military rites were conducted by members of the Kucher-Saska V. F. W. No. 6955 and the American Legion Post 698 of Burgettstown.

Mr. Finney was born on April 7, 1926 in Colorado, the son of John and Edna Finney. He was married to Eleanor Slack Finney. He served in the United States Navy during World War II. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Monday, March 27 in the First United Presbyterian church. Military rites were conducted by Kucher-Saska V. F. W. and the Burgettstown American Legion Post. Interment was in Mt. Prospect cemetery.

He is survived by his widow and parents, and one son, Vaughn; 3 sisters, Mrs. Betty Hoback, Frankfort, Ky., Mrs. Ila Jean Welshans, Colliers, W. Va., and Mrs. Norene Diamond of Burgettstown.

William F. Ozimek

William F. Ozimek of Porter, Ind., formerly of Bulger, died March 10, 1998, in Porter. He was 57.

Born June 5, 1940, in Washington, he was the son of Sara Kaezy Ozimek of Bulger and the late Bennie J. Ozimek, who died Oct. 20, 1985.

He was an employee of Bethlehem Steel Co. of Porter.

He was a member of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church and the Knights of Columbus of Porter. He enjoyed sports.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by three brothers, John of Arlington Heights, Ill., Jim of Landisville and Daniel of Langeloth; several nieces and nephews; and two great-nieces and two great-nephews.

Friends were received March 12 and 13 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held March 14 in St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, the Rev. Rudolph M. Silvers as celebrant.

Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

William F. Ozimek
June 5, 1940-March 10, 1998

Man Killed In Farm Accident

Henry Francis Pacyna, Sr., 40, of Hickory, R.D. 1, was killed Wednesday, September 1, when a bulldozer fell on him on an area farm. State Police said Pacyna was unloading the bulldozer from the bed of a truck when the machine slid off the side of the truck, crushing him.

The accident occurred about 6 p.m. on the farm of Joseph Bongiorno, on Route 18, about six miles south of Burgettstown. Earl Davidson, 36, of Washington, RD 1, who was helping Pacyna, suffered a hand injury in the mishap and was treated at Washington hospital and released.

Pacyna, father of three sons, operated a grading and ditching service in the area. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Deputy Coroner, Ralph Piatt.

He was born September 27, 1924, in Pittsburgh, a son of the late Henry Pacyna and Rose Taylor Luzer, who survives. He lived in the Hickory area since 1947. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella.

Surviving are his wife, Louise Gross Pacyna; three sons, Henry, John and Dennis, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Joseph Luzer, Houston; one sister, Lois, wife of Harold Ragar, of Johnstown; and a half brother, Richard Luzer, of Canonsburg.

Friends were received at the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella. Requiem Mass was said Saturday, September 4, at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's Church, with Rev. George A. Benton, officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Henry Francis Pacyna
September 24, 1924-September 1, 1965

HENRY F. PACYNA, JR.
Henry Francis Pacyna, Jr., 17, of Hickory, R.D. 1, died at 12:15 a.m. Saturday, March 26, 1966, in Washington hospital.

He was born December 11, 1948, in Canonsburg, and spent his entire life at Hickory, R. D. 1. He was a senior class member at Avella high school.

He was a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella.

Surviving are his mother, Louise Gross Pacyna; two brothers, John David Pacyna and Dennis James Pacyna, both at home; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gross, Avella; and his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Luzer, of Houston. His father died September 1, 1965.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella. Requiem High Mass was sung Tuesday, March 29, at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's R. C. Church, Avella, in charge of Rev. George A. Benton. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Henry Francis Pacyna
December 11, 1948-March 26, 1966

Stanley Pagano Jr.

*Member of Tri County
Thoroughbred Mustang Club*

Stanley Pagano Jr., 64, of McDonald, died Monday, December 14, 2009.

He was born November 16, 1945, in Pittsburgh, a son of Stanley and Ann Murdaca Pagano.

He was the beloved husband for eight years to Lura J. Pagano; stepfather of Charles Rettinger and wife Lori and Michael Rettinger and his late wife Chasity; stepgrandfather of four; and brother of Joseph A. Pagano and wife Sallie, Gary S. Pagano and wife Roxanne, and the late Barbara Fuentes and Christopher Michael Pagano. Many nieces and nephews also survive.

Mr. Pagano worked for ECM and was a member of the Tri County Thoroughbred Mustang Club.

A gathering to celebrate his life will be held from noon until the time of his memorial service at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 24, 2010, in Beinhauer Funeral Home, 2828 Washington Road, Peters Township, 724-941-3211. Please add tributes at www.beinhauer.com.

Stanley Pagano Jr.
November 16, 1945-December 14, 2009

JULIA PAGASKY

Mrs. Julia Pagasky, 79, of Burgettstown R.D. 3, died Sunday, December 3, 1961, at 5:15 p.m. in Washington hospital.

She was born in Hungary May 24, 1882, and lived in

Smith Township more than 55 years. She was the widow of John Pagasky, Sr.

Surviving are one son, John, Jr., Burgettstown, R. D. 3; three daughters, Miss Margaret Pagasky, New York City; Mrs. Irene Ingler, Follansbee, W. Va.; and Mrs. Yolán Sahey, Weirton, W. Va.; one sister, Mrs. Justine Racy, Flint, Mich.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral home where services were held Wednesday, December 6, at 3:30 p.m. Interment was in Grandview cemetery, Florence.

Julia Pagasky
May 24, 1882-December 3, 1961

Clifford Asa McClane Painter

*U.S. Army colonel was
decorated WWII veteran*



Clifford Asa McClane Painter, 85, of Washington, formerly of Independence, died at 1:05 a.m. Sunday, September 16, 2007, in Donnell House, Washington.

He was born July 27, 1922, in Independence, a son of Asa Manchester and Mamie Brierly Painter.

Mr. Painter was a graduate of Trinity High School and a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War II in Northern France, Rhineland, Central Europe and Ardennes. He was awarded a Silver Star, European African Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, American Campaign Medal, World War II Victory Medal, a Purple Heart with three oak leaf clusters and Distinguished Unit Badge. At the time of his retirement from the U.S. Army, he held the rank of colonel.

Mr. Painter was an agricultural educator/consultant for Pennsylvania until his retirement.

He was a member of Church of the Covenant, Ninth Division of the Veterans Association and Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation.

He loved to read.

On July 4, 1944, he married Rosalie Edds, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, William (Joan) Painter of Pittsburgh and John Patrick Painter of Dallas, Texas; two daughters, Jaclyne (Harvey) Shor of San Pietro, Calif., and Roslyn (Ernie) Goffi of Strongsville, Ohio; a brother, Eugene (Rita) Painter of Washington; eight grandchildren, Daniel, Cynthia, Kimberly, Deborah, Natalie, Ross, Tyler and Austin; three great-grandchildren, Noah, Emma and Brayden; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a brother and four sisters.

Friends will be received from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Church of the Covenant, 267 East Beau Street, Washington, where services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, September 19, with the Rev. David Turner officiating. Interment will be private in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township, with full military rites accorded by the U.S. Army.

Memorial contributions may be made to Memorial Fund of the Church of the Covenant, 267 East Beau Street, Washington, PA 15301; or Habitat for Humanity, 54 West Wheeling Street, Washington, PA 15301-6916.

All floral arrangements are to be delivered to Church of the Covenant on Tuesday. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Warco-Falvo Funeral Home Inc., Wilson at East Katherine avenues, Washington, S. Timothy Warco, supervisor/director, Susan Falvo Warco, director, S. Timothy Warco II, director. Online condolences may be expressed at www.WarcoFalvo-FuneralHome.com.

Clifford Asa McClane Painter
July 27, 1922- September 16, 2007

Herbert M. Painter

Herbert Manchester Painter, 65, of 1585 Highway 212, Conyers, Ga., formerly of Independence, died unexpectedly at 7:30 a.m. Monday, December 6, 1982, in his home.

He was born March 3, 1917, in Independence, the son of A.M. (Chester) and Mamie Brierley Painter.

A graduate of Avella High School and Penn Commercial School in Washington, Mr. Painter was a member of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church of Independence. For a number of years he operated a food distribution business and at the time of his death he was the owner-operator of Oakleaf Enterprises, Conyers, Ga.

During World War II he served three years in the U.S. Army-Air Force. He was a member of the Pythagoris Lodge No. 66 of Decatur, Ga.

Mr. Painter was a direct descendant of two persons prominent in the history of the tri-state area. His paternal great-grandfather, Col. Asa Manchester, was a farmer and civic leader who was active in Washington County militia during the latter half of the 1800s. His maternal great-grandfather was Sgt. Patrick Gass, the last surviving member of the Lewis and Clark expedition who lived most of his life in Brooke Co., W. Va.

Surviving are his wife, Gwendolyn Bone Painter of Atlanta, Ga., whom he married in 1940; three sisters, Mrs. Mildred Morrow of Independence, Mrs. Gertrude (Judy) Martin of Desert Hot Springs, Calif., and Mrs. James (Mary Louise) Wiegmann of Monroeville; two brothers, Eugene G. Painter of Avella R.D.1, and Clifford M. Painter of Washington.

Deceased are two sisters, Lillian Painter and Marjorie Myer, and a brother who died in infancy.

Masonic graveside services will be conducted Wednesday, December 8, in Arlington Cemetery, Atlanta, Ga.

Herbert Manchester Painter
March 17, 1917-December 6, 1982

J.M. (MAC) PAINTER

J.M. (Mac) Painter, 84, of Avella, R.D.1 died Thursday, February 16, 1966, in Washington hospital, after a lingering illness.

He was born July 23, 1881, in Knox, Clarion County, a son of J.B. and Phoebe Manchester Painter.

He attended the Manchester School at Independence and Independence high school, the second rural high school in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Painter was a member of the Lower Buffalo Church, Independence.

He was a skilled sheepman and engaged in farming all his life with a brother, S.H. Painter, at Avella, R.D. 1.

He served as a township auditor and was an assistant rural mail carrier for several years.

Surviving are two brothers, Stanley H., Avella, R. D., and Clarence R., Lewisville, North Carolina. An older brother, A. M. Painter, is deceased.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, February 20, by Rev. Bertram H. Saunders, pastor of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church.

J.M. (Mac) Painter
July 23, 1881-February 16, 1966

NETTIE FLORENCE PAINTER

Nettie Florence Painter of Avella, R. D. 1, died in Washington hospital at 11:50 p.m. Monday, March 24, 1958, after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Painter was born March 10, 1890, in Northeast, a daughter of Willis and Ella Godwin Burgess.

She married Stanley H. Painter July 29, 1925, and has lived in the Avella-Independence area, since then. Mrs. Painter was a member of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian church of Independence, and Independence Grange No. 179. She was the assistant 4-H Leader of the Independence Club and had been secretary-treasurer of the Independence Cemetery Association for 30 years.

Surviving besides her husband are one foster daughter, Naomi, wife of James Bails, Avella, R. D. 1; a brother, Ralph Burgess, Northeast; two nieces, Mary, wife of Tony Chresit, Northeast; and Winifred, wife of Sherman Travis, Northeast.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Lower Buffalo church, Independence, Rev. K. L. Slater, in charge. Burial was in Independence cemetery.

Nettie Florence Painter
March 10, 1890-March 24, 1958

Rita Miller Painter

Music was her passion

Rita Miller Painter, 93, of Washington, passed away Friday, September 12, 2014, in Southmont of Presbyterian SeniorCare, Washington.

A daughter of Frances and Oliver Floom, she was born October 13, 1920, in Canton, Ohio, and educated at Mount Marie Academy for Girls, Canton, as well as Geneva College, Beaver Falls. She served in WAVES during World War II, and was a secretary and office manager for legal firms and businesses throughout her life.

Music was her passion. She served churches and organizations, and taught piano students almost her entire life.

Mrs. Painter was a former member of Park Presbyterian Church, Beaver, and a member of Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church, Independence. She also belonged to numerous historical societies, including Pittsburgh History and Landmarks Foundation.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are all three of her younger sisters, Genevieve Hanna, Mary Pfouts and Roseanne White; husband Frank McVay in 1966; and husband Albert Miller in 1999.

Surviving are her husband, Eugene Painter and his family; daughter Gail Rackley and husband John; daughter Lynn Lawlor and husband John; grandchildren Daniel Crowley and wife Tammy, Jane Schlenke and husband Daniel, Kathryn Romig and husband Christopher, Anne Berenbrok and husband John, Colleen Warne and husband John and Emily Dugan and husband Christopher; and seven great-grandchildren, Daniel and Joseph Crowley, Clara Schlenke, Mary, John and Charles Berenbrok and Valerie Warne.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, September 19, in Church of the Covenant, 267 East Beau Street, Washington. Friends will be received at the conclusion of the service. Interment in Beaver Cemetery will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra at 600 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222. William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., Washington, is handling arrangements. Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Rita Miller Painter

October 13, 1920-September 12, 2014

Shirley F. Painter

Shirley F. Painter of Avella died March 16, 1999, in Washington Hospital after a brief illness. She was 83.

Born July 9, 1915, in Cincinnati, Ohio, she was a daughter of John A. and Hazel C. Flaherty.

She was a long-time member of Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church of Independence, a former 4-H leader, a member of Eastern Star and a 50-year member of Independence Grange 179.

On Feb. 25, 1939, she married Eugene G. Painter, who survives.

She was preceded in death by a son, Stanley C.; four brothers; and two sisters.

In addition, she is survived by two daughters, Sue P. Strunk of McKees Rocks and Nancy C. Painter, at home; a son, Eugene G. Jr. of Avella; two sisters, LaJean Ager of Cincinnati and Mary Ann Hansen of Hagerstown, Md.; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received March 20 in the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church, Independence. Services were held March 20 in the church, the Rev. Nathaniel C. Roe officiating. Private burial was in Independence Cemetery. The family requests that no flowers be sent. Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church or Hospice Care of Washington Hospital.

Shirley F. Painter
July 9, 1915-March 16, 1999

Stanley C. Painter

Stanley C. Painter, 46, of Avella, died in an automobile accident Sunday, May 14, 1995.

He was born June 29, 1948, in Washington, a son of Eugene G. and Shirley Flaherty Painter of Avella.

Mr. Painter lived all his life in Avella, Independence Township, where he was a dairy and beef farmer.

He was a 1967 graduate of Avella High School.

Mr. Painter was a member of Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church and attended Immaculate Conception Church of Washington.

He was member of the American Angus Association, the Washington County Cattleman's Association and Independence Grange 179.

Mr. Painter served in the Army during the Vietnam era.

On Oct. 11, 1986, he married Rebecca Grusenmeyer, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Katie and Rachel, both at home; one brother, Eugene Painter Jr. of Avella; and two sisters, Mrs. James (Sue) Strank of McKees Rocks and Nancy Painter of Avella.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Wednesday at 10 a.m. in Immaculate Conception Church, Washington, with the Rev. Frank Kurimsky as celebrant. Burial was in Independence Cemetery. *

Stanley C Painter
June 29, 1948-May 14, 1995

PAUL PAKISZ

Paul Pakisz, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pakisz of Slovan, died in the Washington hospital, Friday, August 11 at 3 a.m. The child was born August 10 in the Washington hospital.

Paul Pakisz
Died-August 10, 1950

Ruth June Pakisz

*Member of Our Lady
of Lourdes Church*



Ruth June Pakisz, 87, of Slovan, died Tuesday, March 1, 2016, in Donnell House, Washington.

She was born June 5, 1928, in Hickory, a daughter of the late Verner and Alice Ayers Moore.

Mrs. Pakisz was a homemaker and had been employed by Iceland Pizza in Slovan.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown and Slovan Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary and was a Girl Scout leader for many years.

Mrs. Pakisz enjoyed knitting, baking and doing crafts.

On August 28, 1948, she married Paul Anthony Pakisz, who died July 12, 2008.

Surviving are daughters Patricia A. (John) Stritzinger of Burgettstown, Paula S. (Daniel) Basinger of Hookstown and Lori K. Asti of Ingram; grandchildren Paul and Kevin Stritzinger and Brenton, Chelsey and Blake Asti; great-grandchildren William and Beatrice Stritzinger; and siblings Richard Moore of Joffre, Virginia McKinney of Washington, Ralph Moore of Oakdale, James Moore of Washington and Nancy Vizyak of Weirton, W.Va.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are a son, Paul Pakisz Jr.; two sisters, Helen Strike and Irene Carter; and a brother, Eugene Moore.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 4, with the Rev. George Moneck officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

To leave a condolence, visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Ruth June Pakisz
June 5, 1928-March 1, 2016

Zita Pakisz

1918 - 2007

Zita Pakisz, 87, of Slovan, died Wednesday afternoon, November 21, 2007, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born July 2, 1920, in Eldersville, a daughter of Frank and Angelina Lucisano.

Mrs. Pakisz was a graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown, and a parishioner of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, where she was a member of its Catholic Daughters and Christian Mothers.

She enjoyed playing cards with her friends of the 500 Club and enjoyed cooking for her family and friends.

On February 11, 1946, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, she married Casimir Pakisz, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Richard Pakisz and wife Linda of Washington; a daughter, Charleen Grey and husband Richard of Paris; three granddaughters, Blair Grey, Angela and Todd Niederriter and Katrina Zdanys and husband Dave; and three great-grandsons, Ryan, Henry and Greyden Niederriter.

In addition to her parents, deceased are three sisters, Antoinette Lucisano, Dorothy D'Urso and Victoria Cieslak; and a brother, Carl Lucisano.

Friends will be received from 1 to 8 p.m. Friday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at noon Saturday, November 24, with the Rev. Robert Connolly officiating. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Zita Pakisz

July 2, 1920- November 21, 2007

John R. (Jack) Palin

John R. (Jack) Palin, 78, of St. Clairsville, Ohio, died Friday, Dec. 2, 1994, in Wheeling Hospital.

Mr. Palin was born in Wehrum, Pa., Oct. 9, 1916, a son of the late John S. and Anna Shaw Palin.

A Protestant by faith, he was a member of First Presbyterian Church in St. Clairsville, Ohio.

A retired mining engineer for Consolidated & Y & O coal companies, he was a World War II veteran of the Air Force and a member of the Richard Vaux Lodge F. & A.M. No. 454 of

Burgettstown.

Survivors include his wife, Jane Darras Palin; four sons, John R. of Cleveland, Ohio; Robert D. of Honolulu; Gregg S. of Santa Cruz, Calif.; and Joel P. of Dallas, Texas; three daughters, Anne E. Palin and Ruth Graham, both of St. Clairsville, Ohio, and Joyce F. Palin of Dallas, Texas; a brother, Dr. William E. Palin of Bedford; two sisters, Ethel Malone of Eldersville and Lois Wilkinson of Bedford; and six grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Beck Funeral Home, St. Clairsville, Ohio. Graveside services were held Tuesday at Grandview Cemetery, Florence, with Pastor William Popa officiating.



John R. (Jack) Palin
Oct 19, 1916-Dec 2, 1994

Frank Palmer

Frank Palmer, aged 48, well known coal miner and a resident of Studa for the past 10 years, died in his home Wednesday morning, January 13th, at 5:10 o'clock of influenza. A son of Joseph and Minnie Dunkle Palmer, he was born at New Philadelphia, O., July 7, 1888, and had spent most of his life in this community. He came to Studa from Midway. He leaves his wife, Margaret Daugherty Palmer, his mother, who lives at Midway; two brothers and two sisters, John and Joseph Palmer, Midway; Mrs. Charles Smith, Valley Grove, W. Va., and Mrs. Richard Campbell, Midway. Funeral services were held in the home Saturday afternoon in charge of the Rev. N. E. Koehler, pastor of the Avella Presbyterian church. Burial was in the Midway cemetery.

Frank Palmer
July 7, 1888-January 20, 1937

MRS. MINNIE PALMER

Mrs. Minnie Palmer, 90, of Midway, wife of the late Joseph Palmer, died at 2:10 p.m. Saturday, November 17, 1962, in Canonsburg General hospital.

Mrs. Palmer was born February 3, 1872, in Lorain, Ohio, daughter of the late Charles and Mary Riggles Dunkle. She had resided in Midway for the past 60 years. Her husband died in 1933.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mary E. Smith, West Alexander, and Emma, wife of Richard Campbell, Bulger, RD 1; one son, Joseph, McDonald, RD 1; one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Wincel, Burgettstown; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Wilson Funeral Home, Midway, where services were held at 2 p.m. in charge of the Rev. Robert Veydt, pastor of the Midway Methodist Church. Burial was in Center Cemetery, Midway.

Minnie Palmer
February 3, 1872-November 17, 1962

ROSE PALMER

Rose Palmer, 76, of Studa Street, Burgettstown, died on Tuesday, January 20, 1976, in the Washington Hospital.

She was born December 25, 1899, in Italy, a daughter of Samuel and Louise Sposto Castellano.

A resident of Burgettstown for the past 58 years, Mrs. Palmer was an original member of the Christian Assembly Church of Burgettstown for 40 years.

She is survived by a son, James Palmer, of Pittsburgh; three daughters: Mrs. Frances Allison, of Joffre; Mrs. Louise Burziachiello, of Trenton, New Jersey; and Mrs. Kay Bruce, of Burgettstown; three brothers, Samuel, August and John Castellano, all of Pittsburgh; two sisters, Mrs. Pompey Alouise, of Alhambra, California, and Mrs. Virginia Catizone, of Pittsburgh; 11 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Samuel Palmer, died in December of 1971.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home, where services were held Friday at 12 noon in charge of the Rev. Stewart Pier, pastor of the Christian Assembly Church of Burgettstown. Interment was in Grandview Cemetery.

Rose Castellano Palmer
December 25, 1899-January 20, 1976

Anne S. Palone

Anne Sauer Palone of Carmichaels died Aug. 23, 1996, in Washington Hospital. She was 80.

Born Aug. 29, 1915, in Primrose, she was the daughter of Andrew and Anna Drutar Sauer.

She graduated from Burgettstown High School in 1934. She retired from Parke-Davis in 1974 after 22 years of service as a union machinist.

She played the tambouritza and enjoyed cooking and baking.

She was a member of St. Hugh Roman Catholic Church of Carmichaels.

She was the last of her immediate family.

She is survived by her husband, Steve; three daughters, Charlotte Riddell of Waynesburg, Kathleen Ash of Live Oak, Fla.; and Cynthia Prochaska of Dexter, Mich.; a son, Wayne of Bennett, Colo.; 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Aug. 25 and 26 in Paul M. Lesako Funeral Home Inc., Carmichaels. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Aug. 27 in St. Hugh Roman Catholic Church, Carmichaels, by the Rev. Francis A. Nazimek. Interment was in Greene County Memorial Park.

Anne S. Palone
Aug 29, 1915-Aug 23, 1996

Michael D. Palumbo

Washington man was
manager for Bayer Corp.

Michael Dominic Palumbo, 43,
of Washington, died Wednesday,
June 18, 1997, in Fairview
University Medical Center,
Minneapolis, Minn.

He was born January 11, 1954,
in Weirton, W. Va., a son of
Dominic and Rose Rinella
Palumbo, both of Burgettstown.

Mr. Palumbo was a member of
Immaculate Conception Roman
Catholic Church, where he was
also a member of the Knights of
Columbus.

He was the manager of
financial analysis for Bayer Corp.
in Pittsburgh.

He graduated from
Burgettstown High School in 1972
and from West Liberty State
College, West Liberty, W. Va. He
received his masters in business
administration from Robert
Morris College, Pittsburgh.

On July 12, 1980, he married
Francine L. Lipnicky, who
survives.

Also surviving are three
daughters, Michele, Marla and
Angela Palumbo, all at home; and
one sister, Rosemary P. Foster of
Weirton.

PALUMBO - Friends of Michael Dominic Palumbo of Washington, who died Wednesday, June 18, 1997, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Warco Funeral Home Inc., Wilson at East Katherine avenuea, S. Timothy Warco, supervisor; Susan Falco Warco, director. A Mass of Christian Burial will be said at 11 a.m. Monday, June 23, in Immaculate Conception Church Washington. Burial in Washington Cemetery.

Michael D. Palumbo
January 11, 1954-June 18, 1997

Mary L. Panconi

Member of Our Lady of
Lourdes Catholic Church

Mary L. Panconi, 84, of
Burgettstown, died Monday,
March 16, 1998, in Weirton
(W. Va.) Medical Center.

She was born August 8, 1913, in
Monroe, Ohio, a daughter of
Walenty and Nell Breska.

Mrs. Panconi was a member of
Our Lady of Lourdes Roman
Catholic Church of Burgettstown
and the Christian Mothers of the
church.

Surviving are a son, Robert
Panconi of Burgettstown; and
three sisters, Cecila Hillard of
North Carolina, Ann Durko of
Florida and Julia Pazer of Mt.
Pleasant.

A Mass of Christian Burial
was celebrated Wednesday,
March 18, in Our Lady of
Lourdes, Burgettstown.

Mary L. Panconi
August 8, 1913-March 16, 1998

Margaret Paniaha

Member of St. Ann's Roman
Catholic Church

Margaret Paniaha, 74, of
Joffre, died Thursday, January
27, 2000, in Mercy Hospital,
Pittsburgh.

She was born May 28, 1925, in
Findlay, Ohio, a daughter of
John and Susan Kovach Kvak.

Mrs. Paniaha was a member of
St. Ann's Roman Catholic
Church in Bulger.

Surviving are a daughter,
Kathryn Schembechler of Ann
Arbor, Mich.; two sons, Robert
Paniaha of Cherry Valley and
William Paniaha of Joffre; six
grandchildren; five great-
grandchildren; and three sisters,
Sue Kovak and Mary Lauro, both
of Joffre and Gayle Barber of
Arlington, Va.

Deceased are her husband,
John Paniaha, who died July 16,
1977; a sister, Ann Kvak; and four
brothers, George, John, Paul and
Mike Kvak.

PANIAHA - Friends of Margaret Paniaha of
Joffre, who died Thursday, January 27,
2000, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7
to 9 p.m. Friday, in Lee & Martin Funeral
Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Bur-
gettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial
will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, Janu-
ary 29, in St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church,
Bulger, with the Rev. Rudolph Silvers as cel-
ebrant. The Rosary will be said at 9:30 a.m.
in church, prior to the funeral. Interment will
be in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Bur-
gettstown.

Margaret Paniaha
May 28, 1925-January 27, 2000

CHARLES PANJUSCSEK, SR.

Charles Panjuscsek, Sr., 74, of Avella R. D. 1, died Monday, May 21, 1962, at 11 a.m. in Washington Hospital. He had been ill the past four years and hospitalized since Good Friday.

He was born February 4, 1888, in Czechoslovakia, a son of George and Anna Panjuscsek. He came to Avella in 1913 and was employed at area coal mines before retiring. He was a member of St. John the Baptist Greek Catholic Church, Avella; the Russian Brotherhood Organization, Pittsburgh, and the UMWA.

His wife, Anna Firszak Panjuscsek, died July 9, 1956.

Surviving are one daughter, Ann, wife of Paul Seaman, Weirton, W. Va.; three sons, Charles, Peter and Michael, all of Avella; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A brother is deceased.

Friends were received at the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where Parastas were chanted at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Services were held Thursday, May 24, at St. John the Baptist Church by Rev. Paul Bovankovich. Burial in St. Post Cemetery, Weirton, W. Va.

Charles Panjuscsek, Sr.
February 4, 1888-May 21, 1962

**X Maria A. Patrick
Pankiewicz**

*Worked in Mayview State
Hospital dietary department*

Maria A. Patrick Pankiewicz, 93, of McDonald, formerly of Grace Avenue, Canonsburg, died Tuesday, November 29, 2005.

She was born July 19, 1912, in Star Junction, a daughter of William and Maria Novak Patrick.

Mrs. Pankiewicz spent most of her life in Canonsburg and was a member of St. Genevieve Church, KSKJ Lodge, Slovenian Ladies and Women of the Moose. She worked in the dietary department at Mayview State Hospital from 1959 until her retirement in 1975.

Surviving are a son, Jack Pankiewicz of Ponta Vedra Beach, Fla.; two daughters, Joan Drosdick of McDonald and Geraldine Wilson of Monroeville; a brother, Mike Patrick of Canonsburg; two sisters, Helen Lesso of Strabane and Julia Dill of Sparta, Ill.; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

Deceased are her husband, John G. Pankiewicz, who died September 26, 2000; two brothers, Joseph and Edward Patrick; and a sister, Anna Hostinsky.

Friends will be received from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Friday, December 2, in Sollon Funeral Home Ltd., 30 East College Street, Canonsburg, followed by Mass at noon in St. Genevieve Church, Canonsburg. Interment in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Peters Township. Personal condolences may be given and additional information is available at www.sollon.com.

**Maria A. Patrick Pankiewicz
July 19, 1912- November 29, 2005**

Ronald C. Pant

Retired driver
for TTI Trucking

Ronald C. Pant, 63, of Langeloth, died Sunday, October 1, 2000, in Horizon Senior Care, Canonsburg.

He was born June 22, 1937, in Michigan, a son of the late Harold Pant and Dorothea Pant Demery of Michigan.

Mr. Pant was an avid hunter and fisherman and was a retired truck driver for TTI Trucking.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are his wife, Eleanor Kotouch Pant; his step-mother, Ione Pant; three daughters, Darla Stevens of Langeloth, Tanya Paont of Pittsburgh and Melissa Stoops of New Castle; a son, Ken McLain of Langeloth; two sisters, Tammy Preston of Langeloth and Jackie Sterle of Michigan; five brothers, Vernon, Timmy, Robert and Steve Pant, all of Michigan and Mark Turcotte of Wisconsin; and five grandchildren, Samantha and Kenny Stevens, Cayla Stoops and Kenny and Chad McLain.

PANT - Friends of Ronald C. Pant of Langeloth, who died Sunday, October 1, 2000, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Ave., Burgettstown, where services will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Ronald C. Pant
June 22, 1937-October 1, 2000

PETE PANTNER

Peter Pantner, of Avella, died unexpectedly Sunday, Jan. 26, 1958, in Bridgeville of a heart ailment.

He was born July 19, 1899, in Czechoslovakia, a son of Frank and Mary Bresko Pantner and lived in the Avella community for 48 years.

He was a member of the United Mine Workers and the Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society, Avella.

There are no immediate survivors.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in the Thompson funeral home, Avella, in charge of the Rev. F. Sarle Brown, pastor of the Avella Presbyterian church. Burial was in West Point cemetery, Avella.

Pete Pantner
July 19, 1899-January 26, 1958

Phyllis Pantuso

St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church member

Phyllis Pantuso, 86, of Midway, died Wednesday, July 27, 2016, in her home.

She was born December 30, 1929, a daughter of the late Lawrence P. and Mary June Newman Misklow.

Mrs. Pantuso was a homemaker.

She was a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald.

Surviving are three children, Joanne (David) Carlton of Midway, Joseph (Diane) Pantuso of South Park and Larry (Sue) Pantuso of Whitehall; eight grandchildren, Bruce and David Carlton and Philip, Megan, Alex, Greg, Vinnie and Brittany Pantuso; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her husband,

Joseph B. Pantuso, who died in 2012, and a sister, Margaret May Utz.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 12:30 p.m. Monday, August 1, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald. Interment will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

To sign a guest book, visit thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Phyllis Pantuso

December 30, 1929-July 27, 2016

BENNY PAOLO

Benny Paolo, 76, of 217 Pross Street, Weirton, W.Va., died Sunday, Oct. 16, 1988, at home.

He was born Dec. 23, 1911, in Gallo, Italy, a son of the late Angelo and Angela Rocchio Paolo.

He was a member of St. Joseph the Worker Roman Catholic Church of Weirton, retired from the coke plant at the Weirton Steel Corporation and was a member of the 25-Year Club and Four Seasons.

Surviving are his wife, Angeline Orecchio Paolo; two sons, Angelo of Weirton and John of Imperial; four daughters, Mrs. Richard (Mary Ann) Bucci of Weirton; Mrs. Timothy (Betty) McGillen of Paris; Mrs. Daniel (Rose Marie) Coakley of Long Island, N.Y.; and Mrs. Jeffery (Debra) Hohman of Columbus; three brothers, Dominic of Cleveland, Ohio, and Anthony and Joseph, both of Weirton; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton. A Mass of Christian Burial was said Wednesday at 11 a.m. in St. Joseph the Worker Church by the Rev. Charles Schneider. Entombment was in St. Paul Mausoleum.

Benny Paolo
December 23, 1911-October 16, 1988

Patsy Fred Papa

*Avella miner fostered more than
80 children*

Patsy Fred Papa, 72, of Avella, died at 3:50 p.m. Monday, January 10, 2005, in Washington Hospital.

He was born March 14, 1932, in Power, W.Va., a son of Patsy and Josephine Capp Papa.

Mr. Papa served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and was a coal miner for Starvaggi Mine for 20 years, retiring in 1976.

He was a member of Keystone Baptist Temple of Washington and Bert C. Siders American Legion Post 643 of Avella.

Mr. Papa was a 29-year resident of the Avella area, where he was a foster parent who cared for more than 80 children.

On December 12, 1975, he married Patricia Adams, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Gary Pike of Utica, N.Y.; 11 daughters, Parnela Snyder of Charleston, W.Va., Patricia Bowman of Elm Grove, W.Va., Paula Galeta of Canonsburg, Michelle Kelvington of Avella and Chelsea, Jessica, Tonya, Tiffany, Jasman, Iesha and Elexis Papa, all of Avella; a sister, Lucille Smith of North Carolina; 13 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

A brother, Robert Papa, is deceased.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, where services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, January 13, with Pastor Chad Wesley officiating. Burial will follow in Independence Cemetery, Avella.

Patsy Fred Papa
March 14, 1932-January 10, 2005

Margaret Pape

Margaret S. Pape of Lawrence died July 22, 1997, in her home. She was 83.

Born March 19, 1914, in Bavington, she was the daughter of Charles and Stella Simmons Garren.

She was a lifetime member of the SNPJ Lodge No. 245 of Lawrence. She had lived in Lawrence for more than 50 years, and was an avid bingo player.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Carl W. on July 19, 1975; and a son, Robert.

She is survived by two daughters, Mary Lou Leiber of Charleston, S.C. and Peggy Ann White of Claysville; two sons, Ronald "Bucky" of Lawrence and Leroy Kenneth of Cecil; three sisters, Mary Pape of Clinton, Wilma Williams of Moon Township and Shirley Spiker of Imperial; two brothers, Jim and Charles Garren, both of Georgetown; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received July 24 in the Eugene C. Coleman Funeral Home, Cecil. Services were held July 25 in the funeral home, the Rev. James O'Brian officiating. Interment was in Jefferson Memorial Park.

Margaret Pape
March 19, 1914-July 22, 1997

Argero Pappas

Argero Pappas of Burgettstown, Hanover Township, died Dec. 5, 1995 in Presbyterian Medical Center, Washington. She was 86.

Born July 15, 1909 in Crete, Greece, she was the daughter of John and Angelique Makridakis.

She was a member of All Saints Greek Orthodox Church, Weirton, W.Va.; where she was a member of the Daughters of Penelope. She also was a member of the Pan Cretan Association of America.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Steve Stavroulakis, who died in 1943; her second husband, George E. Pappas, who died May 16, 1979; a son, Stavros Stavroulakis; a sister and three brothers.

She is survived by two daughters, JoAnn Thomas of Washington and Josephine Estel of Sacramento, Calif.; two sons, George Stanley of Sacramento, Calif. and John Stavroulakis of Hanover Township; 13 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Dec. 7 and 8 in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. The body lay in state for an hour before the Dec. 8 service in All Saints Greek Orthodox Church, Weirton, W.Va., the Rev. Terry Linos officiating. A Trisagion service was held Dec. 7 in the funeral home. Internment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Paris.

Argero Pappas
July 15, 1909-December 5, 1995

Charles Pappas Sr.

Retired from Frank Pappas
& Sons Lumber Co.

Charles Pappas Sr., 76, of Englewood, Fla., formerly of Burgettstown, died Thursday, March 15, 2001, in Bonsecours Nursing Home, Venice, Fla.

He was born February 8, 1925, in Burgettstown, a son of Frank Sr. and Bessie Pappas.

Mr. Pappas was a graduate of Burgettstown High School. Following graduation, he went into business with his father and partnership with his brothers in Frank Pappas & Sons Lumber Co. in Burgettstown. He was president of Quaker Maid Kitchens of Washington.

He had been retired in Englewood the past 20 years.

Mr. Pappas was a charter member and oldest member of Burgettstown Lions Club, was past president of Burgettstown Area School Board, a member of Englewood Order of Elks Club, and was past recipient of Elks of the year award.

He served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Jean Kalamas Pappas; three sons, Charles Pappas Jr. of Burgettstown, Tim Pappas of Atlanta, Ga., and Dan Pappas of Charlotte N.C.; a daughter, Leslie Miller of Marathon, Fla.; three stepchildren, Debra Kimball, David and Don Kalamas, all of Columbus, Ohio; four brothers, Dr. George Pappas of Littleton, Colo., Frank Pappas Jr. of Irving, Texas, and William and Harry Pappas, both of Burgettstown; two sisters, Helen Marcus of Tampa, Fla., and Sophie Pavan of Burgettstown; and four grandchildren, Lauren and Erika Miller and Marissa and Tony Pappas.

Deceased is a brother, Tony Pappas.

PAPPAS - Friends of Charles Pappas Sr. of Englewood, Fla., formerly of Burgettstown, who died Thursday, March 15, 2001, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, March 20, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Burgettstown. Memorial contributions may be made to Charles Pappas Sr. Scholarship Fund, Burgettstown Area High School.

Charles Pappas, Sr.

February 8 1925-March 15, 2001

Michele Pappas

Michele Pappas, 58, of Burgettstown, passed away Wednesday morning, August 18, 2010, in her home.

She was born October 5, 1951, in Elmira, N.Y., the only child of the late Mark Cannan and Virginia Johnston.

Mrs. Pappas was a parishioner of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown. She was very active in the former Our Lady of Lourdes School, especially fundraising.

She was a 1969 graduate of West Allegheny High School.

Mrs. Pappas worked with her husband at Charles Pappas Jr. Remodeling in Burgettstown, was former owner and groomer of Bath and Doggy Works in Florence and worked for Pottery Barn.

She enjoyed the outdoors, especially walking and gardening, and most of all, spending time with her grandchildren.

On September 22, 1973, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, she married Charles Pappas Jr., who survives.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are a daughter, Marissa Pappas Kotouch and husband Ronald of Jupiter, Fla.; a son, Anthony (Tony) Pappas and wife Kearsten of Jupiter; three grandsons, Zakkary, Alexzander and Krystopher Pappas; stepmother Patricia Cannan of St. Petersburg; mother-in-law Jean Castellino and husband Michael William of Burgettstown; and three nieces.

Friends will be received from 1 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where prayers of transfer will begin at 10:30 a.m. Monday, August 23, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky presiding and the Rev. Robert Connolly as con-celebrant. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Memorial donations may be made in her memory to Michele Pappas Scholarship Fund, 723 South Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Michelle Pappas
October 5, 1951-August 18, 2010

TONY PAPPAS

Tony Pappas, 51, of Hunt - cliff Terrace, Atlanta, Georgia, died Saturday, January 28, 1978, in Tampa, Florida.

He was born April 20, 1927, in Burgettstown, a son of Frank and Vaslinko Pavlakis Pappas.

He was division manager of Champion Building Products of U. S. Plywood Company, where he had been employed for 27 years.

Surviving are his wife, Marcel Casstevens Pappas; four daughters, Toni Marie, of San Francisco, California; Fran Telese, Alice Taylayne and Tara Amelia, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Vaslinko Pappas, of Burgettstown; five brothers, Charles, of Washington; Dr. George, of Denver, Colorado; and Bill, Frank and Harry, all of Burgettstown; and two sisters, Sophie Pavan, of Burgettstown, and Helen Marcus, of Tampa, Florida.

His father, Frank, died in 1958.

Services were held Monday in Tampa, Florida. The family suggests contributions be made to the Heart Fund or a favorite charity.

Tony Pappas
April 20, 1927-January 28, 1978

EVA YOUNG PARHAM

Mrs. Eva Young Parham, 76, of 1929 17th Street, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, died February 19, 1969, at the Akron City Hospital, Akron, Ohio.

She was born in Robertson County, Tennessee. A member of the Pilgrim United Church of Christ, Cuyahoga Falls, she was a widow of J. W. Parham.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Leo G. Vonfield, of Flushing, New York; a son, Junius W. Parham, of Memphis, Tennessee; four grandchildren; two brothers, John U. Young, of Pittsburgh, and Robert S. Young, of Edinboro; and three sisters, Mrs. Katherine Durst, of Boston, Massachusetts, and Mrs. Minnie Gill and Mrs. Frances Farner, both of Langeloth.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Friday in the Billow Falls Chapel, Cuyahoga Falls, in charge of Rev. Dr. George D. Alley. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

**Eva Young Parham
Died February 19, 1969**

JUNIUS PARHAM DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Junius W. Parham, Sr., 61, died suddenly Monday, April 6, 1953, at 11:15 a.m., in his home at 511 Fifth avenue, east, Langeloth. Death was attributed to a heart ailment.

He was born June 18, 1891, in Robinson County, Tenn., a son of the late Thomas P. and Ola Barnes Parham. He was a resident of Langeloth for the past 37 years.

Mr. Parham was employed as a bookkeeper for the American Zinc and Chemical Company at Langeloth for 31 years. At the time of his death he was employed by the Scott Service Company of Burgettstown.

He was a member of the United Presbyterian church of Langeloth.

He is survived by his wife, Eva Young Parham; a son, J. W. Parham, Jr., of Memphis, Tenn.; a daughter, Mrs. L. G. Vonfeld, of Cuyahoga Falls, O.; three grandchildren, two sisters, Mrs. R. L. Sholtus, of Jordan, Mont.; Mrs. Mary E. Hillard, of Pratt, Kan.; a brother, Harry M. Parham, of Lorain, Ohio.

Friends are being received at the Lee & Wilson Funeral home until 1 p.m., Thursday, April 9. Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m., from the Langeloth church in charge of his pastor, Rev. James L. Thome. Interment will be in Mt. Prospect cemetery.

Junius W. Parham
June 18, 1891-April 6, 1953

Carrie Wood Paris

Avella woman active in community



Carrie Wood Paris, 80, of Avella, died at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, August 28, 2014, in her Cross

Creek Township home.

She was born January 31, 1934, in Waynesburg, daughter of the late Carl L. and Nellie V. Roupe Wood. She was a 1952 graduate of Washington High School and, in her youth, was employed by Bell Telephone as an operator.

Mrs. Paris was a member of St. Michael Roman Catholic Church in Avella, Avella Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary, Avella Area Community Association and A.D. White Research Society of Avella.

She was an avid antique collector, who loved horses and gardening.

On October 25, 1958, she married Emanuel A. Paris Jr., who died November 21, 1989.

Surviving are three sons, E. Alex Paris III and his wife Valerie of Avella, Eric Paris and his wife Lisa of Cross Creek

and Tim Paris of Avella; five grandsons, Eric, Austin, Alexander, Emanuel and Santino Paris; and two sisters, Alberta Crispin of Washington and Norma South and her husband Tom of Woodsfield, Ohio.

Deceased, in addition to her husband and parents, is an infant grandson, Elijah Paris.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Monday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 2, in St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, 97 Highland Avenue, Avella, with the Rev. Robert M. Staszewski officiating. Burial will be in St. Michael Cemetery, Avella.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Avella Volunteer Fire Department at P.O. Box G, Avella, PA 15312, A.D. White Research Society at P.O. Box 562, Avella, PA 15312, or Avella Area Community Association at P.O. Box 184, Avella, PA 15312. Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Carrie Wood Paris
January 31, 1934-August 28, 2014

ORLANDO PARIS

Orlando Paris of Atlasburg died Monday, April 22 at 10 a. m. in the Wheeling Hospital following a short illness.

Mr. Paris was born at Bishop, Pa. in 1917.

Surviving are his wife, Elinore Brower Paris, Atlasburg; one son, Robert Louis Paris, aged four months, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paris, Beechbottom, W. Va.; and one sister, Mrs. Raymond Vello, Beechbottom, W. Va.

Funeral services were held at the Holy Family Church of Power, W. Va., at 9 o'clock with the Rev. Schwartz in charge of the service. Burial was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Orlando Paris
1917-April 22, 1940

Robert L. Paris Sr.

U.S. Navy veteran loved spending time with family

Robert L. Paris Sr., 73, of Atlasburg, passed away Monday, May 27, 2013, after a brief illness, at home with his loving wife by his side.

He was born December 3, 1939, in Beech Bottom, W.Va, son of the late Orlando and Eleanor Paris.

On April 27, 1963, he married Patricia McKee, who survives. They recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Paris was a U.S. Navy veteran who served on the USS Norfolk.

He had been employed at Testa Machine, Joy Manufacturing and Paris Contracting and assisted his wife with Paris Catering.

Mr. Paris had a special place in his heart for his daughter-in-law, Anita, who became his loving caregiver. He also enjoyed road trip vacations and casino outings with his son, Robert.

He loved his faithful dogs, Lemon, Harley and Nurse Thelma, and spending time with family at his pool.

He was the beloved father of Lisa (Bobby) Burris of Peters Township, Robert L. Paris Jr. of Slovan, Jeffrey (Anita) Paris of

Atlasburg, with whom he lived, and Monica (James) Punday of Canonsburg; dear brother of Karen and Thomas; he raised his wife's siblings, Trece (Gerald) Kovach of Oakdale, Anne Marie (Raymond) Dubich of Houston and Timothy (Tina) McKee of Wellsburg, WV; cherished grandfather of Paige Burris and Gino, Marco and Angelo Colavecchia; and loving uncle of J.C. McKee III, Ryan Kovach, Erin and Amy Dubich and Timothy McKee Jr.

Arrangements are private and have been entrusted to Cremation & Funeral Care by Danielle Andy Belusko, 3287 Washington Road, McMurray, 724-260-5546.

A private service and interment will be held at the convenience of the family in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Amedysis Hospice, Christen Foundation, 5959 Sherwood Forest Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70816.

Please view and sign the family's guest book at www.cremationfuneralcare.com.

Robert L. Paris
December 3, 1939-May 27, 2013

RUSSELL PARK DEAD.

Matthew Russell Park, one of the best-known residents of Burgettstown, died at his home on Tuesday morning, February 25, 1908, after a lingering illness with lung trouble. Deceased was in the 71st year of his age. His illness had confined him to the house for the past three months or more.

Mr. Park was born at Paris, this county, and spent most of his life there until coming to Burgettstown about 1872. Shortly after coming here he was united in marriage to Miss Rouena Wilson, also a native of Paris, who died December 29, 1907, preceding her husband to the grave by a little less than two months. Mr. Park followed the carpenter trade after coming to Burgettstown, but after a few years gave that up and entered the lumber business, owning and running a sawmill until a few years ago, when ill health compelled him to give it up.

Mr. Park was one of our most influential citizens, and he had a host of friends throughout the community. In politics he was a staunch Democrat, and he always took an active interest in the affairs of our town. He was a member of Richard Vaux Lodge, No. 454, F. & A. M., joining shortly after the lodge was instituted, and was Worshipful Master in 1884.

He is survived by two daughters—Mrs. James P. Shillito, of Burgettstown, and Miss Flora Park, at home. He was the last member of his family.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:15 from his late residence. The interment will be made beside his wife and daughter in Fairview cemetery.

Matthew Russell Park
Died February 25, 1908

JAMES O. PARKER

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 17 at the Ritchie and Piatt funeral home in Washington for James Oscar Parker, 80, a life long resident of the Washington district. Mr. Parker died Saturday, June 14 at 3:45 p. m., in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Guy E. Pryor, Rea, R. D. 1, Cross Creek Township, following an illness of about two months.

Mr. Parker was born in Amwell Township, August 21, 1866, a son of Albert G. and Martha Mounts Parker, and was one of a family of five children.

He was united in marriage March 28, 1901 to Flora VanDyke, and to this union six children were born. Mrs. Parker died February 16, 1943.

Surviving are two daughters and four sons: Shirley A. Parker, Novato, Calif; Arthur V. and J. Leroy Parker, Washington; Edith M. wife of Guy E. Pryor, Rea, R. D. 1; Russell G. Parker, Leicester, N. Y., and Ralph W. Parker, of Washington; nine grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Gamble and Mrs. Mae Moninger, Washington.

Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

James O. Parker
August 21, 1866-June 17, 1947

Rosemerie R. Parker

*Active in Washington
Community Theatre*



Rosemerie R. Parker, 84, lifelong resident of Avella, died Friday, April 17, 2015, in Presbyterian Southmont SeniorCare, Washington.

She was born June 14, 1930, in Avella, a daughter of the late Joseph W. and Veronica Brozier Rector.

Prior to retirement, she was secretary to the principal at Avella High School for 27 years.

Mrs. Parker was a 1948 graduate of Avella High School.

On December 30, 1950, she married her high school sweetheart, Hugh Elliot Parker, who died in 1984, in St. Paul's Cathedral, Pittsburgh.

She was a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church in Avella, where she served as a soloist. She was past president of Cross Creek Senior Center and was active in Washington Community Theatre for many years.

Mrs. Parker was a founding member of Avella Aires, a choral group who entertained at nursing homes and senior centers.

Surviving are daughters, Monica (Joseph) Parker-Farrell of Avella and Holly Onopiuk of McDonald, and sister Rita France of Wintersville, Ohio.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are sisters, Mercedes Robertson and Bertha Fincke, and brothers, Charles, Edward, Leonard, Floyd and Raymond Rector.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at noon Tuesday, April 21, in St. Michael's Church, Avella. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

Arrangements in the care of Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. For further information or to leave a condolence, please visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Rosemarie R. Parker
June 14, 1930-April 17, 2015

MISS ALTA PARKISON

Miss Alta Parkison, 69, of R. D. 2, Burgettstown, died Wednesday, November 8, 1961, at 7:40 p.m. in Ohio Valley hospital, Steubenville, O., after being confined in the hospital for three days.

Miss Parkison was a former Burgettstown resident and a member of the McDonald Presbyterian church.

She leaves a brother, David F. Parkison of Steubenville; a niece, Mrs. George Kraeer of Burgettstown, R. D. 2, and four nephews, Sherwood Griffith of Saxonburg, Pa., Kenneth Parkison of Ithica, N. Y., and David and Ray Parkison, both of Steubenville. She was preceded in death by two sisters, Margaret Parkison and Clara Parkison Griffith.

She was born in Carnegie, April 18, 1892, a daughter of the late Elmer E. and Anna Walker Parkison.

Friends were received in the James Funeral home, Follansbee, W. Va., where services were held Saturday, Nov. 11, at 2 p.m. The Rev. Mr. John B. Taylor, pastor of the LaBelle View Methodist church, Steubenville, officiated. Burial was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Alta Parkison
April 18, 1892-November 8, 1961

David Parkinson Jr.

David F. "Dudley" Parkinson Jr. of Wintersville, Ohio, died Sept. 15, 1996, in Trinity Medical Center West. He was 70.

Born May 14, 1926, in Burgettstown, he was the son of the late David and Mary Kehm Parkinson Sr.

He was a retired teamster, belonging to Local 428.

He was preceded in death by an infant sister.

He is survived by his wife, Marie (Poole), whom he married April 25, 1951; a son, Charles of Smithfield, Ohio; two brothers, Kenneth of Cape Coral, Fla., and Raymond of Steubenville, Ohio; a grandson; a granddaughter, Torre Parkinson of Wintersville, whom he raised; and two great-grandsons.

Friends were received Sept. 17 in McClave-Chandler-Mills Funeral Home, Steubenville. Services were held Sept. 18 in the funeral home, the Rev. Tommy Mills officiating.

David Parkinson, Jr.
May 14, 1926-September 15, 1996

HOMER E. PARKINSON

Homer E. Parkinson, 229 West Main street, Carnegie, died at 3:40 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 18, 1959, in St. Clair Memorial hospital.

He was born in Midway, Nov. 11, 1896, a son of Henry and Olivia Lescalette Parkinson, and lived in that community until about 25 years ago when he moved to Carnegie. He was employed as an engineer by the Pennsylvania Railroad until his retirement on March 15, 1953.

His wife, Mary Gallagher, died in August, 1958.

Surviving are two daughters, Anna Mae, wife of Sigmund Ginosky, Burgettstown, R. D. 3, and Betty Jean, wife of Francis Vermeulen, Langeloth; eight grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Roy Yargar and Mrs. Hattie Bibie, both of East Sparta, Ohio; and two brothers, William Parkinson, Moon Run, and John Parkinson, East Sparta, Ohio.

Friends were received at the Wilson Funeral home, Midway, where services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 21, in charge of Rev. Norman L. Mathias.

Homer E. Parkinson
November 11, 1896-January 18, 1959

Homer Earl Parkison

*Enjoyed hunting
and fishing*



H o m e r
Earl Parki-
son, 78, of
McDonald,
died Tuesday,
November 8,
2016, in his
home.

He was born November 20, 1937, in Pittsburgh, a son of the late Ernest and Grace Frazier Parkison.

Mr. Parkison worked on the docks for U.S. Steel and then became an inspector for Quality Rolls Steel Mill. He also worked with his brother-in-law laying brick.

He loved spending time with his grandchildren and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

On June 4, 1960, he married Bette J. Parkison, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Randy Lee Parkison of McDonald; three sisters, Lois (the late Jack) Dempe of McDonald, Dorothy (Floyd) Alfred of Midway and Terri (Denny) Terensky of Sturgeon; a brother, Robert (Jill) Parkison of McDonald; and two grandchildren, Ashli B. (J.J.) Foster and Connor J. Parkison.

Deceased is a brother, Carl Parkison.

All services are private and under the direction of Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to Washington Area Humane Society, P.O. Box 66, Eighty Four, PA 15330.

Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Homer Earl Parkison
November 20, 1937-November 8, 2016

Marilyn B. Parkison

McDonald homemaker

Marilyn B. Parkison, 62, of McDonald, died Sunday, April 22, 2001, in her home.

She was born October 18, 1938, in Allegheny County, a daughter of the late Joseph and Effie Rychlick Tokarski.

Mrs. Parkison was a graduate of West Allegheny High School and a homemaker.

On August 14, 1956, she married Carl Roy Parkison, who died April 1, 1995.

Surviving are a son, Robert Earl Parkison of Aurora, Colo.; a daughter, Tammy Bistarkey of McDonald; two brothers, Jacob Tokarski of Burgettstown and Edward Joseph Tokarski of Delmont; two sisters, Dolores Porta of Murrysville and Susan Tokarski of Penn Hills; two grandchildren, Ronald L. and Nina Marie Elias; a great-grandson; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased is a daughter, Pamela Marie Parkison, who died in 1975.

PARKISON - Friends of Marilyn B. Parkison of McDonald, who died Sunday, April 22, 2001, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 26, with the Rev. John Harvey, pastor of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald, officiating. Interment in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald. The family suggests memorial contributions to American Heart Association.

Marilyn B. Parkison
October 18, 1938-April 22, 2001

Roy E. Parkinson

*Midway resident was
retired railroad conductor*

Roy E. Parkinson, 73, of Midway, died Sunday, November 18, 2007, in his home.

He was born September 15, 1934, a son of Clarence C. and Josephine C. Garen Parkinson.

Mr. Parkinson was a retired railroad conductor.

Surviving are several family members.

At the request of the deceased, all arrangements are private and are entrusted to Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway (724-796-3301).

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to a charity of one's choice. Please sign the guest book at www.thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Roy E. Parkinson
September 25, 1934- November 18, 2007

Carl R. Parkison

Carl R. Parkison, 60, of McDonald, died Saturday, April 1, 1995, in Aliquippa Hospital.

He was born Feb. 27, 1935, in McDonald, a son of the late Ernest William and Grace Marie Frazier Parkison.

Mr. Parkison attended McDonald High School and was a retired steelworker from the blooming mill of LTV Steel Corporation, Aliquippa Works.

He was a member of Calvary Presbyterian Church of McDonald, a life member of the McDonald Volunteer Fire Department and a member of United Steelworkers of America Local 1211. For many years, he was a key figure in the McDonald youth league baseball program.

On Aug. 14, 1956, he married Marilyn B. Tokarski, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Robert E. Parkison of Aurora, Colo.; a daughter, Tammy R. Bistarkey of McDonald; two brothers, Earl H. and W. Robert Parkison, both of McDonald; three sisters, Lois A. Dempe of McDonald, Dorothy M. Alfred of Midway and Terry L. Terensky of Sturgeon; and two grandchildren, Ronald L. and Nina M. Elias.

Deceased is a daughter, Pamela M. Parkison, who died in 1975.

Friends were received in the Nation Funeral Home, McDonald, where services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Robert J. McGill, pastor of Independent Bible Presbyterian Church of McDonald, officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Carl R. Parkison
February 27, 1935-April 1, 1995

Robert Parkison

Robert Parkison, aged 68 years, died April 12th in his home at Langeloth. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Parkison, of McDonald, where he was born and reared. He was employed by the American Zinc & Chemical Co., and had been a resident of Langeloth for the past 13 years. He was a member of the McDonald Methodist Episcopal church. He leaves his wife, who was Sarah Emma Barker; a daughter, Mrs. A. Zelinsky; a nephew, Elmer Cain; a niece, Viola McKenzie; four brothers, E. E. Parkison, Burgettstown; H. G. Parkison, Carnegie; Isaac Parkison, and James Parkison, both of Canton, Ohio. Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. G. U. Martin, pastor of the Langeloth Community church, were held in his late home Friday afternoon. Interment was made in the Robinson Run cemetery, McDonald.

Robert Parkison
Died-April 12, 1932

John Frank Parko

*Former employee of
Starvaggi Industries, Weirton*

John Frank Parko, 79, of Bulger, died Sunday, March 14, 2004, in Weirton (W.Va.) Geriatric Center.

He was born January 14, 1925, in Avella, a son of John and Katrina Parko.

Prior to his retirement, Mr. Parko was employed by Starvaggi Industries in Weirton and worked as a carpenter for Union Local 2274.

He was a member of St. Ann Roman Catholic Church in Bulger, American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, both of Burgettstown, Owls Club of Raccoon, Burgettstown Senior Citizens, United Mine Workers of America and National Rifle Association.

Mr. Parko was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Martha Kophazi Parko; two sons, James A. Parko of Cecil and John J. Parko of Fort Mill, S.C.; a daughter, Veronica Barnum of Amarillo, Texas; a sister, Caroline Black of Burgettstown; six grandchildren, Jamie Maga, Marcy, Heather and Robin Renee Parko, Jonelle Dufur and Jason Berton; and a great-grandson.

Deceased is a sister, Angeline Farren.

PARKO - Friends of John Frank Parko of Bulger, who died Sunday, March 14, 2004, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Member of Covered Bridge Independent Funeral Homes, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 17, in St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, with the Rev. Bob Staszewski as celebrant. Interment will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

John Frank Parko
January 14, 1925-March 14, 2004

Jesse Parks

Jesse Parks, aged 77 years, retired blacksmith, died Wednesday morning, December 23rd, in the home of his sister, Mrs Susan Ferguson, Shady avenue. His death resulted from injuries and shock received when he fell from a porch a week ago. Mr. Parks was born in Hanover township May 11, 1859. For a half century he had followed the trade of blacksmithing retiring only a few years ago. When he retired he came to Burgettstown to make his home with his sister. He was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian church. He is survived by his sister, a brother, Joseph Parks, of Coraopolis, and two nieces, Mrs. Clara Rommes of Racoon and Mrs. Beulah Andrews, of Burgettstown. Funeral services conducted by the Rev. Charles D. Castle, pastor of Westminster church, were held in the Ferguson home Saturday afternoon. Burial was in Frankfort cemetery.

Jesse Parks
May 11, 1859-December 23, 1936

Robert T. Parks Sr.

*WWII Army Air Forces vet
retired from Westinghouse*

Robert T. Parks Sr., 88, of McDonald, Cecil Township, died Wednesday, April 23, 2008, in St. Clair Hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born August 24, 1919, in McDonald, a son of Cecil and Audrey Taylor Parks.

Mr. Parks was a World War II Army Air Forces veteran who served as a navigator of a B24 Liberator and was a Carpetbagger. He was a retired lieutenant colonel in the Air Force Reserve.

A graduate of McDonald High School, he attended Washington & Jefferson College and Pittsburgh Diesel School. He retired as a nuclear technician at Westinghouse.

His wife, Florence M. (Molly) Parks, died June 28, 2003.

Surviving are his children, Robert T. Parks of North Canton, Ohio, Patricia Smida of Carnegie, Sandra Tornabene of McDonald and Dave Parks of Venetia; 14 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received from 10 to 11 a.m., the time of service, Saturday, April 26, in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald (724-926-2800). Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Humane Society, 1680 Fallen Timber Road, Elizabeth, PA 15037.

Please sign the online guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Robert T. Parks Sr.
August 24, 1919-April 23, 2008

PARNABY – Friends of John K. "Youx" Parnaby of Midway, who died Tuesday, April 10, 2001, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 14. Interment will be in Center Cemetery, Midway. Military services will be provided by an honor guard from American Legion Post 902 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 191.

**John K. "Youx" Parnaby
Died April 10, 2001**

John Parnaby, Sr.

John Parnaby, Sr., died at his home at Midway Monday morning, after a lingering illness. He was born November 6, 1858, in Durham County, England. He had been a resident of Midway for 57 years. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Violet Clark, of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Irene Ludwick and William Parnaby, of Lansing, Mich.; Mrs. Paul Ondayko, John Parnaby, Jr., and Roger Parnaby, of Midway. Funeral services were held at the home on Wednesday afternoon in charge of Rev. John F. Pry. Burial was in Center cemetery.

John Parnaby Sr.
November 6, 1858-August 3, 1936

MRS. GEORGE A. PARR

Mrs. Ella I. Parr, 72, wife of George A. Parr, died suddenly at midnight, Saturday night, in her home at Eldersville.

Mrs. Parr was a resident of Steubenville, O., for 26 years and moved to Eldersville three years ago. She was a member of the Christian church at Steubenville and at Eldersville became a member of the Methodist church.

She was a daughter of Sarah and Richard Wright and was born September 20, 1869, at Eldersville.

She was married 47 years ago to George A. Parr, who survives, with one daughter, Lenora M. Hughes, of Melvindale, Mich., and one grandson, George W. Hughes. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. E. M. Barber of Hanlin Station and Mrs. Anna Brownell of Royal Oak, Mich., and one brother, George A. Wright of Colliers, W. Va.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 3, at 1:30 o'clock, in the Eldersville Methodist Church, in charge of the Rev. C. H. Beck and the Rev. D. Packard. Burial was in the cemetery at Smithfield, Ohio.

Ella I. Parr

September 20, 1869-November 29, 1941

Robert W. Parris

Korean War veteran



Robert W. Parris, 80, of Collier Township, died Tuesday, September 30, 2014, in St. Clair Hospital,

Mt. Lebanon.

He was born August 14, 1934, in McDonald, a son of the late Fred and Elva LeGrand Parris.

Mr. Parris served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War.

He worked as an auto body man for Opeka's Auto Repair in McMurray, until he retired in 1996.

Mr. Parris was a volunteer for the Allegheny Department of Aging Ombudsman Program and a member of McDonald Sportsmen and Korean War Veterans Association.

On April 28, 1962, he married Patricia Allen, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Adrienne Parris (Jeff) of Pittsburgh and Allison (Russ) Timco of McDonald; two grandchildren, Abby and Allen Timco; and two sisters-in-law, Toni Allen of Carnegie and Ida Mae Parris of Crafton.

Deceased are a brother, Arthur Parris, and a sister, Dorothy Altieri.

Friends will be received from noon to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 E. Lincoln Ave., McDonald, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, October 6, with Dave Carver, pastor of Crafton Heights United Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Animal Friends of Pittsburgh, 562 Camp Home Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15237. Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Robert W. Parris

August 14, 1934-September 30, 2014

Albert W. Partozoti

World War II Army veteran

Albert W. Partozoti, 92, of McDonald, Mount Pleasant Township, passed away Thursday, July 19, 2018, in Concordia Hospice of Washington.

He was born June 5, 1926, in Cherry Valley, a son of the late Albert and Mary Konia Partozoti.

Mr. Partozoti was a heavy equipment operator with Operating Engineers Local 66 and was a member of McDonald Methodist Church. He was a World War II U.S. Army veteran, serving under President Eisenhower in his personal guard unit. He enjoyed gardening and watching baseball and football games.

Surviving are his children, Gary (Patricia) Partozoti of Espyville, Ramona (Barry) Galbraith of McDonald, Robert Fye of Waterford and Kenneth (Deborah) Fye of North Carolina; sisters Cecilia Fedinetz of Primrose, Evelyn Bish of McDonald; and brother Carl Partozoti of Finleyville. Also surviving are 16 grandchildren, several great- and great-great-grandchildren and his long-time friend, Helen Smith.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ethel "Sis" Gardner Partozoti; sister Gloria Mattallino; and brothers Alden and James Partozoti.

Friends will be received 2 to 8 p.m. Monday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 24, in McDonald Methodist Church, 232 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. Interment will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to McDonald Methodist Church.

Sign a guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Albert W. Partozoti
June 5, 1926-July 19, 2018

Alden O. Partozoti

**Mechanic for Local 66
Pittsburgh Operators Union**

Alden O. Partozoti, 68, of Southview, Mt. Pleasant Township, died Sunday, January 12, 2003, in Canonsburg General Hospital.

He was born May 3, 1934, in Primrose, a son of Albert and Mary Konya Partozoti.

Mr. Partozoti was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and member of McDonald Veterans of Foreign Wars and SNPJ Lodge 265 in Southview.

He was an avid gardener and a mechanic for Local 66 Pittsburgh Operators Union.

His wife, Leora Spotti Partozoti, survives.

Also surviving are five sons, Damon Partozoti of Southview, Dana Partozoti of Washington, Darrell Partozoti of Colorado, Derek Partozoti of Southview and Deno Partozoti of Eighty Four; two stepdaughters, Jackie Wilson of Monongahela and Lorie Rossi of the state of California; three grandchildren, Darren, Kaitlin and Devon Partozoti; three stepgrandchildren, Holly Wilson, Dena Wilson and Nicholas Rossi; two great-grandchildren; three brothers, Albert Partozoti of McDonald, James Partozoti of the state of Indiana and Carl Partozoti of Finleyville; three sisters, Evelyn Bish of McDonald, Gloria Mattaliano of Bridgeville and Cecelia Fedinetz of McDonald; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased is his wife, Catherine Baughman Partozoti.

At the request of the deceased, there will be no visitation. All services will be private.

Arrangements are being made by Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., McDonald.

Alden O. Partozoti
May 3, 1934-January 12, 2003

Joseph Pascarella

*WWII vet was 52-year
Cunningham Welding employee*

Joseph Pascarella, 89, of St. Marys, W.Va., formerly of Burgettstown, died Sunday, September 18, 2005, in St. Marys.

He was born November 3, 1915, in Banning, a son of Anthony and Josephine Pascarella.

Prior to retirement, Mr. Pascarella was employed by Cunningham Welding Co. in Burgettstown for 52 years.

He was a U.S. Army veteran, having served during World War II.

Mr. Pascarella was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, where he served as an usher.

Surviving are two sons, Joseph Pascarella of St. Marys and Anthony Pascarella of Paris; three daughters, Mary Noreen Koon of Weirton, W.Va., Donna Marie Harrison of Greshen, Ore., and Rosalia Bianchi Whitt of Grace-son, Ky.; two sisters, Mary Kepes of Weirton and Ann Albarano of Bridgeville; 12 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Deceased are his wife, Sara De-Bassi Pascarella, who died April 16, 2002; and two sisters, Sara Rizzo and Frances Bundy.

Friends will be received from noon to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday, September 21, in Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Robert Connolly, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will be held in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Joseph Pascarella
November 3, 1915- September 18, 2005

Sara Pascarella

Member of Our Lady
of Lourdes Church

Sara Pascarella, 84, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, April 16, 2002, in Marietta Memorial Hospital, Marietta, Ohio.

She was born July 10, 1917, in Sturgeon, a daughter of Samuel and Carola Buffington DeBassi.

Mrs. Pascarella was a homemaker.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown and its Christian Mothers.

Her husband, Joseph P. Pascarella, survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Joseph Pascarella of St. Marys, W. Va., and Anthony Pascarella of Paris; three daughters, Mary Noreen Koon of Weirton, W. Va.; Donna Marie Harrison of Greshen, Ore., and Rosalia Bianchi Whitt of Graceson, Ky.; 12 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Deceased is a sister, Eva Handerhan.

PASCARELLA - Friends of Sara Pascarella of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, April 16, 2002, will be received from noon to 9 p.m. Thursday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Friday, April 19, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will follow at Grandview Cemetery, Florence. The Rev. Tusky will conduct a wake service at 8:45 p.m. Thursday in the funeral home.

Sara Pascarella

July 10, 1917-April 16, 2002

In Loving
Remembrance of

Elizabeth Paschal

Died Dec. 10, 1882.

Aged 70 Years.

"One less at home!
The charmed circle broken—a dear face
Missed day by day from its usual place,
But cleansed, saved, perfected by grace,
One more in heaven!"

"One less on earth!
Its pain, its sorrow and its toil to share,
One less the pilgrim's daily cross to bear,
One more the crown of the blessed to wear,
At home in heaven!"

Elizabeth Pry Paschal
July 22, 1819-December 10, 1892

Married to
Samuel Larimore Paschal
1818-November 21, 1865

Anna Mae Pascoe

U.S. Air Force veteran



Anna Mae Pascoe, 78, passed peacefully and returned home to her Lord Monday, November 30,

2015.

She was a daughter of the late Michael and Julia Komec.

Mrs. Pascoe was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force. She was honorably discharged in May 1959.

She was retired from Washington Steel.

Mrs. Pascoe was a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church in McDonald.

She was the beloved wife of the late James Pascoe, and loving sister of Julie McGowan and the late Sue Goob, Betty Jones, Dorothy Corrick, Peggy Zarnick, Mary Trapuzano and John, Michael and Joseph Komec.

Also surviving are many nieces and nephews, and Wilma Lehto, loving aunt of her husband.

Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, December 4, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, 219 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory. Full military rites will be accorded by Canonsburg Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 191 and Houston American Legion 901.

The entire staff of Golden Living in Mt. Lebanon provided her with years of care and love.

Please sign a guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Anna Mae Pascoe
Died-November 30, 2015

Catherine R. Pascoe

Catherine R. Pascoe of Donnan Avenue, Washington, died Jan. 3, 1997, in her home. She was 90.

Born Nov. 9, 1906, in Burgettstown, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Caroline Lutz Cumer.

She had lived in Washington since 1985 and attended St. Hilary Roman Catholic Church in Washington. She had previously lived for 40 years in Ann Arbor, Mich.

She served with the U.S. Army during World War II and later worked in civil service, serving in both as a medical technician. She

Catherine R. Pascoe
November 9, 1906-January 3, 1997

John W. Pascoe

**U.S. Navy veteran of
World War II**

John W. Pascoe, 77, of Midway, died Tuesday, April 14, 1998, in his home.

Born June 15, 1920, in McDonald, he was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pascoe.

Mr. Pascoe was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of McDonald VFW and the American Legion.

Surviving are his wife, Elvira Mae Pascoe; a daughter, Amy Bishop of Reading; two granddaughters; a sister; two brothers; a stepdaughter, Vanessa Lee of Dallas, Texas; three stepsons, James VanGorder of Jacksonville, N.C., Fred VanGorder of Haulock, N.C., and Lester VanGorder of Langeloth; and 12 step-grandchildren.

PASCOE - Friends of John W. Pascoe of Midway, who died Tuesday, April 14, 1998, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at the Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 18. Memorial contributions may be made to the McDonald Heritage Public Library. *

John W. Pascoe
June 15, 1920-April 14, 1998

NELLIE PASCOE

Mrs. Nellie Pascoe, 67, widow of
Alek Pascoe, formerly of Sloan,
died at the Brake Nursing Home,
Follansbee, W. Va., Tuesday, Nov.
11, 1952, at 2:30 p. m.

Surviving are the following
children: Alek, Chicago, Ill.; Luke
J., Washington; William, Oregon;
Joseph R., Wilkinsburg; John E.
Detroit, Mich.; Louis D., Weirton,
W. Va.; and Mrs. Martin Ekberg,
Pasadena, Calif.

Funeral services will be held
Friday, Nov. 14, 1952, at 11 a. m.
from the Lee & Wilson Funeral
Home. Interment in Fairview
cemetery, Burgettstown.

Nellie Pasco
Died-November 11, 1952

Joe Pascuzzi Sr.

Former Avella resident

Joe Pascuzzi Sr., 94, of St. Clair, Mich., formerly of Avella, died Wednesday, March 14, 2001, in Port Huron Hospital in Michigan.

He was born November 21, 1906, in Avella, a son of Frank and Elizabeth Berardi Pascuzzi.

His wife, Jennie Pascuzzi, is deceased.

Surviving are a daughter, Betty Long; two sons, Ronald Pascuzzi and Joe Pascuzzi Jr.; and 11 grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, March 19, in St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, Avella, with the Rev. Pierre Sodini pastor, as celebrant. Burial will follow in St. Michael Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association.

Joe Pascuzzi Sr
November 21, 1906-March 14, 2001

John P. Pasquale

Retired barber



John P. Pasquale, 79, of Pine Log Road, Warrentville, S.C., died Friday, June 14, 2013.

Deceased are two sisters and three brothers.

He was born in Burgettstown, a son of the late Joseph and Marianna Loveratta Pasquale.

Mr. Pasquale and his family moved to Warrentville in 2000.

He was a U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean War.

Mr. Pasquale was a retired barber with Pasquale's Barber Shop in Burgettstown.

He was a member of Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church and enjoyed watching wrestling.

Surviving are the mother of his children, Virginia B. Pasquale of Warrentville; three children, Johnna Gregory (Keith Sr.) and Janet Murphy, all of Warrentville, and Frank Pasquale (Fonzell) of Hampshire, Ill.; and five grandchildren.

A celebration of life service will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, June 18, in Hatcher Funeral Home and Cremation Service, U.S. Highway No. 1, Langley, S.C.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021. Please visit www.hatcherfuneralhome.com to leave a note of condolence for the family.

**John P. Pasquale
Died June 14, 2013**

Joseph D. Pasquale

Joseph D. Pasquale of Joffre died March 8, 1996, in Weirton Medical Center. He was 69.

Born Jan. 22, 1927, in Francis Mine, a son of Joseph and Marianna Lavarata Pasquale.

He was a retired employee of LTV Steel Co., Aliquippa.

He was a member of American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Italian Club and SNPJ, all of Burgettstown.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Rose Boni, and a brother, Frank Pasquale.

He is survived by his wife, Catherine Scople Pasquale; two sons, Glenn of Burgettstown and David A., at home; a sister, Mary Pasqualine of Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, Mike and John Pasquale, both of Burgettstown; three grandchildren, Ryan, Michale and Sarah.

Friends were received March 9 and 10 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held March 11 in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant.

Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Joseph D. Pasquale
January 22, 1927-March 8, 1996

Michael A. Pasquale Sr.

Michael A. Pasquale Sr. of Burgettstown died Oct. 26, 1997, in his home. He was 72.

Born Jan. 11, 1925, he was the son of Joseph and Marianna (Lavarata) Pasquale of Francis Mine.

He served with the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a member of the American Legion Post 698, the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 987 and a life member of Burgettstown Volunteer Fire Department.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Rose Boni; and two brothers, Frank and Joseph.

He is survived by his wife, Shirley (Thomas); two sons, Michael A. Jr. of Avella and Mark of Burgettstown; a sister, Mary Pasqualini of Michigan; a brother, John of Burgettstown; and two grandsons, Derek and Stephen Pasquale.

Friends were received Oct. 30 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A memorial service was held Oct. 30 in the funeral home. Other arrangements were be handled at the family's convenience.



Michael A. Pasquale Sr.
January 11, 1925-October 26, 1997

Shirley Ann Pasquale

*Burgettstown resident
and homemaker*

Shirley Ann Thomas Pasquale, 69, of Burgettstown, died Sunday, November 14, 2004, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born October 23, 1935, in Indiana, a daughter of Wilbur and Rose Forester Thomas.

She was a Midway High School graduate and a homemaker.

On November 17, 1954, she married Michael Pasquale Sr., who died October 26, 1997.

Surviving are two sons, Michael Pasquale Jr. and wife Mary of Avella and Mark Pasquale of Burgettstown; three grandsons, Derek, Stephen and Michael Pasquale; a stepgrandson, Devan Miles; a great-grandson, Zachary Pasquale; a sister, Janis Krawchyk of Cherry Valley; and two brothers, Jay Thomas of Florida and Don Thomas of Oregon.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are a sister, Rosalie Balius; and three brothers, Gene, Rex and Roland Thomas.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m., the hour of service, Wednesday, November 17, in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, with Rev. Jayne Verner officiating.

Shirley Ann Pasquale
October 23, 1935-November 14, 2004

Mary Pasqualini

Formerly of Burgettstown

Mary Pasqualini, 78, of Westland, Mich., formerly of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, December 4, 2001, in Westland.

She was born August 19, 1923, in Burgettstown, a daughter of Joseph and Marianna Lavarata Pasquale.

Mrs. Pasqualini was a homemaker.

Surviving are her husband, David Pasqualini; two sons, David Pasqualini Jr. of Michigan and Don Pasqualini of Illinois; two grandsons, Aaron and Michael Pasqualini; and a brother, John Pasquale of Burgettstown.

Deceased are three brothers, Mike, Frank and Joseph Pasquale; and a sister, Rose Boni.

Services will be held in Westland.

Mary Pasqualini
August 19, 1923-December 4, 2001

PASQUALE PASSA

Pasquale Passa, 62, of Joffre, died Thursday, October 3, at 10 a.m., in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, after a short illness of several days.

He was born in Italy and lived in Cherry Valley and Joffre for the past 30 years. He was a member of the Owls Club Nest 1294, Joffre, and a bricklayer by trade.

Besides his wife, he leaves one daughter, Mrs. Mary Putkovich; two grandchildren: Rudy and Kenneth; and one sister, Mrs. Joseph Argenta, all of Raccoon.

Funeral services were held Sunday, October 6, at 3 p.m. Interment was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Pasquale Passa
Died-October 3, 1946

ARIES

Former owner of Angelo's, Patricia Passalacqua, dies

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When Silvio Passalacqua first saw Patricia L. Hixson, he had a friend ask her if she would marry him. She looked at the stage, where

Mr. Passalacqua was performing with the Johnny Cimino Orchestra, and nodded, yes.

Two years later, on July 1, 1951, they wed, beginning a life together that would include children, a thriving business in Angelo's restaurant, and many good times.

"I knew right away she was the one for me," Mr. Passalacqua said Sunday evening. "My memories are all happy ones. We had a good marriage, mostly because of her. She was a saint."

Mrs. Passalacqua died Sunday, March 30, 1997, in her home after a yearlong bout with cancer. She was 67.

"She was a sweet, kind and wonderful person," said a daughter, Michel Malley of Long Island, N.Y. "She reveled in meeting people

and was good at it. There wasn't anyone who didn't like my mother and I can honestly say that. She had dancing eyes and a smile for everyone. She was just one special lady."

Many Washington area residents came to know Mrs. Passalacqua through the restaurant, which she helped run or co-owned from 1950 to 1992.

She was born Feb. 11, 1930, in Burgettstown, a daughter of Ralph and Wilda Walker Hixson. Her mother had owned a restaurant in Burgettstown and she began working at Angelo's shortly after meeting her then future husband.

The Passalacquas ran the restaurant for many years, first with Mr. Passalacqua's sister and brother-in-law, Carm and Frank DeStefano, and later with two of their three children. They retired in 1992 when son Michael, of Washington, took over the business.

"My mother was 30 years ahead of her time as far as being a businesswoman and mother," Michael Passalacqua said. "She juggled the roles flawlessly and never had problem with it."

Mrs. Passalacqua remained a

tive in retirement, touring Italy and horseback riding and rafting through Utah and Idaho with her husband. They also skied and spent many weekends through the years at their cabin in Seven Springs Resort in Champion.

"I never saw Patty down," said Mrs. Passalacqua's longtime friend and frequent traveling companion Bobbi Solomon. "She was always happy and ready to have fun. She was a super gal and we'll miss her very, very much."

In recent months, while convalescing at her home, Mrs. Passalacqua took pleasure in spending time with her cat Jake, a gift from her husband last year.

She also enjoyed reading, crocheting and sports.

Mrs. Passalacqua was a member of Immaculate Conception Church in Washington and a 1948 graduate of Union High School.

Also surviving are another daughter, Tonne Bogert of Frisco, Colo.; four sisters, Florence

Hadley and Hazel Colvin of Tucson AR, Margaret Goettge of Columbus, OH, and Lillian Stiffler of Burgettstown: several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Patricia Passalacqua

Patricia Passalacqua of Washington died March 30, 1997, in her home. She was 67.

Born Feb. 11, 1930, in Burgettstown, she was the daughter of the late Ralph and Wilda Walker Hixson.

Her mother had owned a restaurant in Burgettstown, and she began working at Angelo's Restaurant in Washington shortly after meeting her then future husband, Silvio.

The Passalacquas ran the restaurant for many years, first with Mr. Passalacqua's brother-in-law and sister, Tony and Carm DeStefano, and later with two of their three children. They retired in 1992 with son Michael, of Washington, took over the business.

She remained active in retirement, touring Italy and horseback riding and rafting through Utah and Idaho with her husband. They also went skiing and spent many weekends through the years at their cabin in Seven Springs Resort in Champion.

In recent months, while convalescing at home, she took pleasure in spending time with her cat, Jake.

She also enjoyed reading, crocheting and sports.

She was a member of Immaculate Conception Church in Washington and a 1948 graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown.

In addition to her husband and son, she is survived by two daughters, Michel Malley of Long Island, N.Y., and Tonne Bogert of Frisco, Calif.; four sisters, Florence Hadley and Hazel Colvin of Tucson, Ariz.; Margaret Goettge of Columbus, Ohio; and Lillian Stiffler of Burgettstown; and several nephews, nieces and cousins.

Friends were received March 31 and April 1 in the Warco Funeral Home, Washington. A Mass of Christian Burial was said April 2 in Immaculate Conception Church, Washington. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Hospice Care Inc., 416 Wilson Ave., Washington, or the American Cancer Society, 135 South College St., Washington.

PASSALACQUA - Friends of Patricia L. Hixson Passalacqua of Washington, who died Sunday, March 30, 1997 will be received from Monday, March 31, from 7 to 9 p.m. and Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. in Warco Funeral Home Inc., Wilson at East Katherine Avenues, Washington, S. Timonhy Warco, director. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Wednesday, April 2, in Immaculate Conception Church at a time to be announced. Burial in Washington Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice Care Inc., 416 Wilson Ave., Washington, or the American Cancer Society, 135 S. College St., Washington.

Patricia Passalacqua
February 11, 1930-March 30, 1997



Linda Kay Pastor

*Washington County
Health Center employee*

Linda Kay Pastor, 39, of Burgettstown, died Friday, June 27, 2008, in Donnell House, Washington.

She was born November 4, 1968, a daughter of Frank and Arlene Ogradowski Pastor of Burgettstown.

She was employed by Washington County Health Center and was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church in Burgettstown.

Surviving, in addition to her parents, are a sister, Cheryl (Joe) Christy of Burgettstown; a brother, Frank Pastor of Munhall; four nephews, Alex Pastor and Tyler, Ryan and Nick Christy; a special aunt, Sandy (Richard) Sprowls of Claysville; two uncles, Gus Pastor of North Irwin and Ronald Ogradowski of Washington; and several cousins.

At the request of the deceased, there will be no visitation. Funeral services will be private. Arrangements are being handled by Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown.

Linda Kay Pastor
November 4, 1968-June 27, 2008

Daniel J. Patchen

Daniel J. Patchen, 78, of Burgettstown died Monday, Feb. 21, 1994, in his home.

Born Feb. 12, 1916, in Steubenville, Ohio, he was a son of Vincenzo and Catherine Santo Patchen.

Mr. Patchen was the owner of the Sanders Grocery Store in Steubenville before his retirement. He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown.

Survivors are his wife, Helen Spontak Patchen, and two brothers, Patrick Patchen of Boca Raton, Fla., and Joseph Patchen of Steubenville.

Deceased are three sisters, Raphia Ricci, Rose Costantini and Angeline Patchen.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Thursday at 11 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Entombment was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Steubenville, Ohio.

Daniel J. Patchen
February 12, 1916-February 21, 1994

Mrs. Elizabeth Pate

Mrs. Elizabeth K. Pate, widow of William Pate, died at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Robison, of Independence. She had been ill of dropsy for five weeks. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McHugh, and was born in Brooke county, W. Va., August 7, 1870. She had resided in Independence for 25 years, and had spent some years of her married life at Burgettstown. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church. One daughter, Mrs. Robison and three grandchildren, William, Elizabeth and Freddie, survive, with two sisters, Mrs. William Crawford and Mrs. Robert Crawford, of Brooke county. Funeral services in charge of the Rev. Jacob Steinstraw and the Rev. Robert J. Topping, were held Tuesday in the M. E. church. Interment was in the Independence cemetery.

Elizabeth K. Pate
August 7, 1870-October 22, 1932

Nathaniel Patrick

2000 honor graduate
of Avella High School

Nathaniel Patrick, 19, of Avella, died Saturday, March 24, 2001, in an automobile accident.

He was born March 5, 1982, in McKeesport, a son of Benjamin S. and Vicki J. Taylor Patrick, who survive in Avella.

Mr. Patrick was a 2000 honor student graduate of Avella High School and planned to attend Robert Morris College in the fall.

He played football during seventh and eighth grade and was active in the paper recycling program at Avella High School.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are two sisters, Heather and Allison Patrick, both of Avella; and paternal grandmother, Alice Patrick of Glassport.

Deceased are his maternal grandparents, Charles and Lucille Taylor; and paternal grandfather, Steven J. Patrick.

PATRICK - Friends of Nathaniel Patrick of Avella, who died Saturday, March 24, 2001, will be received from noon to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella. Funeral will be private. Memorial contributions may be made to Avella Athletics Inc., P.O. Box 204, Avella, PA 15312.

Nathaniel Patrick
March 5, 1982-March 24, 2001

Joseph Patsolic

*Former miner later worked
for Climax Molybdenum*

Joseph Patsolic, 90, of Burgettstown, died Sunday, June 26, 2005, in his home.

He was born March 20, 1915, in Indiana, a son of John and Susan Patsolic.

Mr. Patsolic was employed at Francis Mine from 1932 to 1953, when he began working for Climax Molybdenum Co., retiring in 1979. He also operated a side business sharpening saws.

He was an honorably discharged U.S. Army veteran who served his country with courage and pride. While serving he received the following medals: American Theater, Philippine Liberation, Asiatic-Pacific Theater and World War II Victory.

Mr. Patsolic was proud of being a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and supported local activities.

He dearly loved his country and family.

His favorite sporting activities included golf, bowling, fishing and hunting. He was an avid gardener who was admired for his energy and enthusiasm for life.

On July 13, 1942, he married Julia Roman, his beloved wife, who survives.

He was a loving father of Patricia Patsolic Marshall of Greensburg and Joseph Patsolic of Carlisle; proud father-in-law of Floyd Marshall and Sandy Janovich Patsolic; cherished grandfather of Julie Marshall-Ridge and husband Jon, Sean Marshall and wife Milissa, and Lindsay and Jessica Patsolic; special great-grandfather of Hannah Marshall Ridge; oldest sister, Ann Woak of Philadelphia, formerly of Burgettstown; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Patsolic was one of four children. Deceased are two sisters.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 30, with the Rev. Ed Lucas officiating. Interment will follow in St. John Cemetery, Avella, with full military rites accorded by Slovan and Burgettstown Veterans of Foreign Wars. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Burgettstown-Slovan VFW, United Mine Workers of America or Three Rivers Family Hospice. The Rev. Lucas will conduct Parastas services will be at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday in the funeral home.

Joseph Patsolic
March 20, 1915-June 26, 2005

Julia Patsolic

*Colliers Steel retiree, St.
John Church member*



Julia Patsolic, 92, of Burgettstown, died Thursday, November 21, 2013, in New Haven Court Senior

Living, Greensburg.

She was born January 14, 1921, in Bertha Mine, a daughter of the late Steve and Pearl Grabania Roman.

Prior to retirement, Mrs. Patsolic was employed at Colliers Steel in Weirton, W. Va.

She was a member of St. John Byzantine Catholic Church in Avella and was past president of its Altar Society.

On July 13, 1942, she married Joseph Patsolic, who died in 2005.

Surviving are a son, Joseph (Sandra) Patsolic of Carlisle; a daughter, Patricia (Floyd) Marshall of Mt. Pleasant; a sister, Helen Ratkovich of Burgettstown; grandchildren Julia Marshall, Sean Marshall, Jessica Kepchar and Lindsay Gilliland; and great-grandchildren Hannah Marshall Ridge and Drew and Brandon Kepchar.

Deceased are her brothers, John, Steve and Michael Roman; and her sisters, Pearl Dellaria, Sophie Matchett and Mary Mays.

Friends will be received from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday, November 25, in St. John Byzantine Catholic Church, Avella, with the Rev. Ed Lucas, pastor, officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made to Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011.

For further information or to leave a condolence, please visit www.taucherfuneral-home.com.

Julia Patsolic

January 14, 1921-November 21, 2013

MISS ALVA PATTERSON

Miss Alva Lenora Patterson, 88, of Avella, died at 12:30 a.m. Saturday, July 6, 1968, in her home.

Miss Patterson was born February 22, 1880, at Burgettstown, a daughter of David Wallace Patterson and Laura Jane Patterson.

She had resided in the Avella area since early childhood.

Surviving is one sister, Lena, wife of Harry R. McConnell, Avella. One brother and one sister are deceased.

Friends were received in the Harry R. McConnell home, Avella, where services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, July 9, in charge of Rev. J. W. Schrader, of Washington.

Alva Lenore Patterson
February 22, 1880-July 6, 1968

Anna Irene Patterson

Retired from Woodville
State Hospital

Anna Irene Patterson, 90, of Burgettstown, Smith Township, died Thursday, August 15, 2002, in her home.

She was born November 18, 1911, in Cherry Valley, a daughter of Samuel Morgan Long Thomas and Ella Jane Cain Thomas.

Mrs. Patterson was a graduate of Midway High School.

She retired from Woodville State Hospital in Collier Township after 30 years of service, was a minority inspector for Smith Township from 1973 to 2001 and served on Washington County Board of Elections.

On December 7, 1935, she married Clarence D. Patterson, who died December 22, 2000.

Surviving are two sons, Thomas Patterson of Burgettstown and Timothy Patterson of Cleveland, Ohio; a daughter, Patricia Patterson of Burgettstown; five grandchildren, Stephanie, Elizabeth, Michael, Daniel and Caitlin Patterson; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a son, C. David Patterson III, who died in 1971; and a grandson, Matt Patterson, who died in 1998.

PATTERSON - Friends of Anna Irene Patterson of Burgettstown, Smith Township, who died Thursday, August 15, 2002, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and noon to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, August 19, with Pastor Gary A. Gibson, pastor of North Buffalo United Presbyterian Church and associate chaplain of Washington Hospital, officiating. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, Florence. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society or Hospice Care of Washington Hospital.

Anna Irene Patterson
November 18, 1911-August 15, 2002

† Mrs. Anna McClure Patterson

On Tuesday, February 5th, occurred the death of Anna McClure Patterson, wife of Dr. William P. Patterson and daughter of Mrs. Nancy R. McClure and the late Alexander C. McClure. She is survived by her husband, her mother, and three sisters, Mrs. Harry Nesbit, Mrs. Charles S. Graham and Mrs. Samuel R. Patterson. Funeral services were held on February 7th at the home of her sisters, Mrs. Nesbit and Mrs. Graham of 5528 Beverly Place, East End, Pittsburgh. Interment was in Mt. Prospect cemetery near Hickory. Mrs. Patterson was formerly a resident of Burgettstown but since her marriage had resided at Fairchance, Pa.

**Anna McClure Patterson
Died-February 5, 1935**

BURGETTSTOWN WOMAN DIES AT FAIRCHANCE

Mrs. Anna McClure Patterson, wife of Dr. W. P. Patterson, died in her home at Fairchance Tuesday at 4:30 a. m. Mrs. Patterson was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank McClure, of Burgettstown.

Funeral services will be held in the home of a sister, Mrs. Charles Graham, 5528 Beverly Place, East End, Pittsburgh, Thursday at 1:30 p. m.

PATERSON—On Tuesday, February 5, 1935, at 3:55 a. m., ANNA McCLURE, wife of Dr. W. P. Patterson of Fairchance, Pa. Funeral services at the residence of her sisters, Mrs. C. S. Graham and Mrs. Harry Nesbit, 5528 Beverly Place, East End, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

**Anna Mc Clure Patterson
Died February 5, 1935**

BETTY R. PATTERSON

Betty R. Patterson, 68, of Avella, R.D. 2, died at 5:50 p.m. Monday, March 21, 1988, in Washington Hospital.

She was born Aug. 13, 1919, in Washington, a daughter of S. Paul Ritchey of Avella, R.D. 2, and the late Mary Lytle Ritchey, who died in 1982.

Mrs. Patterson was married July 5, 1941, in West Alexander to David E. Patterson Sr., who survives.

She had been a resident of the West Middletown area for the past 54 years. She was a member of the Grove United Presbyterian Church of West Middletown, where she was past president of the women's association and a teacher with the Ralston Sunday class for many years. She was also a member of Cross Creek Grange No. 954.

Surviving, in addition to her father and husband, are one daughter, Mrs. Douglas (Leanna) Charlesworth, and one son, David E. Patterson Jr., both of Avella, R.D.2; seven grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Raymond (Marilou) Kimble of Waynesburg.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella. Services were held Thursday at 11 a.m. in the Grove United Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Duane Brown, pastor, officiating. Burial was in West Middletown Cemetery.

Betty R. Patterson
August 13, 1919-March 21, 1988

Mrs. C. E. Patterson

Word has been received by Mrs. E. O. Myers of Center avenue of the death of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Patterson of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, who died at 6 o'clock a. m., Monday, January 20th. Interment will be made in the North cemetery at Butler on Thursday.

Mrs. C. E. Patterson
Died-January 20, 1936

Charles E. Patterson

Charles E. Patterson of Rochester, N.Y., formerly of West Middletown and Washington, who died April 30, 1996. He was 58.

Born June 21, 1937, in Washington, he was the youngest son of the late William Alexander and Florence Irene Kelly Patterson.

He graduated from Avella High School and previously worked for Imperial Cleaners in Washington. He relocated to Rochester with his family in 1965.

A U.S. Army veteran, he was employed at Pfaudler Co. in Rochester until his illness.

He is survived by his wife, Carolyn; a daughter, Debra of Rochester; a son, George of Rochester; a brother, William Patterson Jr. of Washington; five grandchildren, Corey, Ernesto, Erika, Veronica and Jasmine; and two great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Rochester.



Charles E. Patterson
June 21, 1937-April 30, 1996

Charles L. Patterson

Charlie L. Patterson, 72, of Cross Creek Township, one of Washington County's most widely known livestock breeders, died Wednesday morning in the Washington hospital of injuries suffered Monday in a fall from a load of hay August 19.

Mr. Patterson was on a load of baled hay. When the wheels of the wagon struck a depression in the ground, he was jostled and fell off. Striking on his head and shoulders, he suffered a broken neck.

Associated with his brother, Frank M. Patterson, in the breeding of Shorthorn cattle and Chester White hogs, he became widely known in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Maryland and New York as an exhibitor of stock at fairs, including state fairs where the choicest of animals were shown.

The Patterson Brothers always displayed their livestock at exhibitions at Arden Downs and took an active part in agricultural affairs.

He was born October 9, 1872, a son of Robert M. and Lydia Patterson, at the Patterson homestead in Cross Creek Township, where he spent his entire life.

He is survived by one brother, Frank M. Patterson, and three sisters, Annie, Ella P. and Mary L. Patterson.

He was a life-long member of the Cross Creek Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 23 from his late home in Cross Creek in charge of Rev. M. B. Maxwell. Burial was in Cross Creek cemetery.

Charles L. Patterson
October 9, 1872-August 26, 1946

Clarence Patterson

Retired Burgettstown Area
schoolteacher

Clarence David Patterson, 87,
of Burgettstown, died Friday,
December 22, 2000, in his home.

He was born February 6, 1913,
in Fairhope, a son of Clarence
David and Margaret Alice Nowe
Patterson.

Mr. Patterson was a retired
schoolteacher from Burgettstown
Area School District. He was
employed by Climax in Langeloth
before graduating from
California University of
Pennsylvania.

Surviving are his wife, Irene
Thomas Patterson; a daughter,
Patricia T. Patterson of
Lancaster; two sons, Thomas I.
Patterson of Burgettstown and
Timothy C. Patterson of
Cleveland, Ohio; five
grandchildren, Stephanie,
Elizabeth, Michael, Daniel and
Caitlin Patterson; and a sister,
Joan Kota of Cleveland, Ohio.

Deceased is a son, C. David
Patterson; and a grandson.

PATTERSON - Friends of Clarence David Pat-
terson of Burgettstown, who died Friday, De-
cember 22, 2000, will be received from 7
to 9 p.m. Tuesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9
p.m. Wednesday in Lee and Martin Funer-
al Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Bur-
gettstown, where services will be held at
11 a.m. Thursday, December 28, with the
Rev. Bruce Ballantine of Burgettstown Com-
munity Presbyterian Church officiating. In-
terment will be in Grandview Cemetery, Bur-
gettstown.

Clarence Patterson
February 6, 1913-December 22, 2000

**C. D. PATTERSON DIES
MONDAY ON BANK STEPS**

Clarence David Patterson, Sr., 77, died suddenly Monday at 4 p.m., as he was entering the Mellon National bank. He resided at Railroad street. Mr. Patterson was born in Latrobe, Sept. 26, 1883, but had lived in Burgettstown for 40 years. He was retired in 1951 and in recent years had worked as an electrician. He was a former member and elder of Langeloth Community church and a member of the Woodmen of the World.

He is survived by his widow, Margaret, one son, Clarence, one daughter, Joan and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thurs., Jan. 12 at 2 p.m. from Lee and Wilson funeral home. Burial will be in Mt. Prospect cemetery, Hickory.

Clarence David Patterson
September 26, 1883-January 8, 1961

DAVID W. PATTERSON

David W. Patterson, 67, of West Middletown, died at 2:20 p.m. Wednesday, June 29, 1976, in the Washington Hospital.

He was born December 12, 1908, in West Middletown, a son of David A. and Jessie Neal Grant Patterson.

A World War II veteran, he was employed by the Weirton Steel Company until his retirement in 1973. He was a member of the Israel AME Church of West Middletown.

Surviving are a sister - in-law, Mrs. Sarah Patterson, of Washington, and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Pittman Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in charge of the Rev. G. L. Cochran, pastor of the Israel AME Church of West Middletown. Interment was in West Middletown Cemetery.

David W. Patterson
December 12, 1908-June 29, 1976

Dr. Fred L. Patterson

Dr. Fred L. Patterson, aged 54, physician of Coraopolis, succumbed to an appendicitis operation Thursday morning, July 9, shortly after 1 o'clock, in the Ohio Valley General Hospital, McKees Rocks. He was operated on Tuesday afternoon, and, while he rallied Wednesday, took a sudden turn for the worse that evening which ultimately resulted in his death. He had been in failing health for several years. He was one of the staff surgeons at the hospital and practiced medicine in Coraopolis for 16 years. Before locating at Coraopolis he practiced at Imperial, Tampa, Fla., and Johnstown. He was a World War veteran, having served 18 months overseas with the Medical Corps. Funeral services were conducted at his late residence Saturday afternoon by the Rev. W. Bruce Wilson. Interment was made in Coraopolis cemetery. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Ruth MacKellar Patterson; a daughter, Mrs. Frances J. Bridges of Coraopolis; his father, Dr. John M. Patterson of Imperial; two sisters, Miss Jeanette Patterson of Imperial and Mrs. J. A. Dunsmore of South Ford; also one grandchild.

Dr. Fred L. Patterson
Abt. 1882 - July 9, 1936

Florence I. Patterson

Florence I. Kelley Patterson, 84, of 154 North College Street, Washington, died Friday, Sept. 9, 1994, in Washington County Health Center.

She was born Nov. 14, 1909, in West Middletown, a daughter of Jacob P. and Rose Ann Proctor Kelley.

She was a member of St. Paul AME Church of Washington.

Surviving are two sons, William A. Patterson Jr. of Washington and Charles E. Patterson of Rochester, N.Y.; a sister, Romaine Kelley of West Middletown; two grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are her husband, William A. Patterson Sr.; five sisters, Dora Brooks, Alice Holt, Nettie James, Ola Brooks and Ila Brandy; and four brothers, Albert, Harry, Guy and Ralph Kelley.

Friends were received in the Burch Mortuary, Washington. Services were held Tuesday at 1 p.m. in St. Paul AME Church, Washington, with the Rev. Elbert Matthews officiating. Interment was in West Middletown Cemetery.

Florence I. Kelley Patterson
November 14, 1909-September 9, 1994

FRANK LINDSAY PATTERSON

Frank Lindsay Patterson, 79, colored, died at his home in Bertha, Tuesday, July 22. Funeral services will be held from the First Baptist church on Friday, July 25, at 2 p.m. Interment will be in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Frank Lindsay Patterson
Died-July 22, 1941

Harriett Jean Patterson

*Active member of Fourth
Presbyterian Church*



Harriett Jean Patterson, 81, of North Franklin Township, died Wednesday, March 11, 2015, in Canonsburg Hospital, following a brief illness.

She was born June 20, 1933, in Avella, a daughter of John Alexander and Mary Cunningham Adams.

Ms. Patterson was a graduate of Avella High School and was active in 4-H. She enjoyed gardening, cutting grass on her riding lawn mower and proudly following her grandson's amazing accomplishments.

She owned and operated Patterson Rentals.

Ms. Patterson was a ruling elder of the former First United Presbyterian Church, Washington, and, at the time of her death, was a member of First Presbyterian Church, 1793, Washington. For the past fifteen years, she regularly attended Fourth Presbyterian Church, Washington, where she supported the music program and decorated the sanctuary.

She was formerly married to John W. Patterson Sr. in June 1954. Mr. Patterson died in February 2014.

Surviving are a daughter, Mary Louise Patterson of Washington; a son, John (Maryann) Patterson Jr. of Washington; three sisters, Janet Kepka of Wilkeson, Wash., Madeline Sickles of Washington and Leala Roadman of Avella; two grandchildren, Nicole (Robert) Wilbert of Ohio and Emmett Alexander Patterson of Washington, D.C.; two great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews; and an adopted sister for life, Misako Smith.

Deceased, in addition to her former husband, are three sisters, Gertrude Buck, Olive Buck and Elaine Porter.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Hummell & Jones Funeral Home Inc., 420 Locust Avenue, Washington, Thomas W. Hummell, supervisor, Douglas M. Jones, funeral director. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 14, in Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church, Independence, with Dr. L. Stephen Smith Jr. officiating.

Gifts in Ms. Patterson's memory are suggested to the music program at Fourth Presbyterian Church, Washington, First Presbyterian Church, 1793, Washington, or to Avella 4-H.

Messages of condolence may be expressed at www.hummellandjones.com.

Harriet Jean Patterson
June 20, 1933-March 11, 2015

HOMER E. PATTERSON

Homer Earl Patterson, 56, of Washington, died Saturday, August 29, 1964, at 8:15 a.m. in Washington hospital, following an illness of several years.

He was born December 5, 1907, in Washington County, a son of Eva Kelley Patterson and the late Albert Bennett Patterson.

Mr. Patterson lived most of his life in the West Middletown area, moving to Washington about two years ago.

At one time, he was a constable in Hopewell Township for eight years. He was last employed by the Findlay Refractory Company as a foreman.

He was a member of the Israel A.M.E. Church, of West Middletown.

On October 6, 1930, he married Mary Jane Bennett, who survives. Also surviving are his mother, Mrs. Eva Patterson, West Middletown; one daughter, Jane E., wife of William E. Boyd, Washington, D.C.; four sons, Homer Bennett Patterson, Washington; Norman R. Patterson, of Brownsville; Jack A. Patterson, at home; and Harry A. Patterson, Washington; three brothers, Everett Patterson, West Middletown; Robert Patterson, of Washington; and Emmett Patterson, West Middletown; three sisters, Alice, wife of Leonard Kelley, West Middletown; Mae, wife of Joseph Umphrey, West Middletown; and Phoebe, wife of Ted Thomas, Washington; and 19 grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Gordon Funeral Home, Washington, where services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 1, by the Rev. W.S. Hopson, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Burial was in West Middletown Cemetery.

Homer E. Patterson
December 5, 1907-August 29, 1964

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Mr. Patterson lived most of his life in the West Middletown area, moving to Washington about two years ago.

At one time, he was a constable in Hopewell Township for eight years. He was last employed by the Findlay Refractory Company as a foreman.

He was a member of the Israel A.M.E. Church, of West Middletown.

On October 6, 1930, he married Mary Jane Bennett, who survives. Also surviving are his mother, Mrs. Eva Patterson, West Middletown; one daughter, Jane E., wife of William E. Boyd, Washington, D.C.; four sons, Homer Bennett Patterson, Washington; Norman R. Patterson, of Brownsville; Jack A. Patterson, at home; and Harry A. Patterson, Washington; three brothers, Everett Patterson, West Middletown; Robert Patterson, of Washington; and Emmett Patterson, West Middletown; three sisters, Alice, wife of Leonard Kelley, West Middletown; Mae, wife of Joseph Umphrey, West Middletown; and Phoebe, wife of Ted Thomas, Washington; and 19 grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Gordon Funeral Home, Washington, where services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 1, by the Rev. W.S. Hopson, pastor of St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Burial was in West Middletown Cemetery.

Homer Earl Patterson

December 5, 1907-August 29, 1964

Mrs. Isabel Patterson.

Mrs. Isabel Patterson, 84 years old, died Sunday in the home of her son, James J. Patterson, in Pitcairn. She was born in Cherry Valley, Washington county, and in 1850 married Robert F. Patterson. Mrs. Patterson was a charter member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pitcairn. She leaves four daughters and three sons, Mrs. Wallace Patterson of Pattersons Mills, Pa.; Mrs. John Seaton of Bolivar, Pa.; Mrs. Augustus G. Miller of Homewood; Mrs. John Welshons of Pitcairn; Clarence S. Patterson of Braudock; William W. Patterson of Zanesville, O., and James J. Patterson of Pitcairn.

**Isabel Symington Patterson
November 19, 1830-January 8, 1915**

J. ALEX PATTERSON

J. Alex Patterson, 75, of Avella, died unexpectedly Wednesday, November 20, 1963, at 4 a.m. at his home.

He was born November 7, 1888, in Allegheny County, a son of David F. and Mary Gardner Patterson, and lived in the Avella area 40 years. He was formerly a partner in the Cheesebrough and Patterson Lumber Company.

Mr. Patterson served at one time as postmaster in Avella. He was last employed in the Washington County Register of Wills office, retiring in 1959. He was a veteran of World War One and a member of the Avella Presbyterian church.

His wife, Edna Latimer Patterson, died November 25, 1960.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Walter J. Perkinson, Miami, Florida, and four nephews, Theodore H. Patterson, Columbus Ohio; Tom C. Patterson, Wilmington, Delaware; William A. Patterson, Ardsley, New York; and David G. Patterson, Denver, Colorado.

Friends were received at the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella. Services were held Thursday, November 23, at 1 p.m. by Rev. David Wallace, of the Grove U.P. church. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

J. Alex Patterson
November 7, 1888-November 20, 1963

James L. Patterson

Conrail retiree owned
McDonald gas station

James L. Patterson, 79, of Florence, died Monday, June 23, 2003, in Weirton (W. Va.) Medical Center, after a lengthy illness.

He was born October 13, 1923, in Washington, a son of James L. Sr. and Pearl Wunderley Patterson.

Mr. Patterson retired after 30 years with Conrail as a block operator in the Pittsburgh area at Weirton Tower. He also was a self-employed contractor who worked for Washington County road department. He owned a Mobil gas station in McDonald.

On June 2, 1945, he married Catherine Zielbauer, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Karen Fleming of Florence; three sons, William C., Richard J. and Donald C. Patterson, all of Florence; seven grandchildren, Khristina Knowlton, James A. III, Jody L. and Troy Fleming and Jennifer J., Morgan S. and Joseph C. Patterson; four great-grandchildren; and a brother, Thomas E. Patterson of Chattanooga, Tenn.

PATTERSON - Friends of James L. Patterson of Florence, who died Monday, June 23, 2003, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Steel & Wolfe Funeral Home, 380 Penco Road, Weirton, W. Va., where private services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 26.

James L. Patterson
October 13, 1923-June 23, 2003

James Taggart Patterson

Died in Burgettstown, Pa., Tuesday, October 2, 1900 of heart failure, James Taggart Patterson, in his 50th year. Mr. Patterson had been ill several months. The primary cause of his death was a severe attack of grip about ten years ago, which resulted in a chronic weakness of the heart.

He was the oldest son of John and Jane (McClelland) Patterson, of near West Middletown, Pa. The latter still survives him; also three brothers-Thomas M., of Burgettstown, and W.H. and J.L., of near West Middletown. The deceased was born May 9, 1851. He was educated in the public schools at Pleasant Hills Academy. His early life was spent on the farm. He also was a salesman for a time in the store of Mr. Bushfield at West Middletown and afterward went into the mercantile business for himself at Bavington, Pa. On September 28, 1876, he married Jane Eliza Witherspoon. Of this union, three children survive-Misses Nora, Stella, and Myrtle. Two children-twins died in July 1890. (See page 24.) After retiring from the mercantile business Mr. Patterson again engaged in farming for a short time and then entered into a partnership with his father-in-law, John Witherspoon, in the insurance business, forming the firm of Witherspoon and Patterson. In April 1883, he moved to Burgettstown and since been actively identified with the political, educational, religious, and business interests of the town. He was three times appointed notary public, and on August 7, 1897, was appointed postmaster, taking charge September 1897. He was a delegate to two Republican state conventions, and always took active interest in local, county, and state politics. He was also treasurer of the Union Agricultural Association for five consecutive terms. Upon the enactment of the new state law relating to organizing local school boards of health in 1893, he was appointed a member, which he held until his death.

Mr. Patterson was a consistent member of the United Presbyterian Church. He united with the church early in life and was formerly a member of the session of the North Buffalo Church. After coming to Burgettstown he united with the First United Presbyterian Church, was elected an elder, and was a member of the session at the time of his death. In all his relations to the community in which he lives, James T. Patterson was highly esteemed. He was a man of great energy, sound judgment and firm convictions; honorable and upright in his business dealings, consistent in his church life, loyal to his political convictions, he will be greatly missed in the community. Many firm friends who were with him in church, business and political life and had an intimate knowledge of his character, deeply sympathize with Mrs. Patterson and her daughter in their bereavement.

Interment, October 3, Fairview Cemetery.

Death records since the time of incorporation, March 23, 1881 to 1903.

Recorded by William Melvin.

James Taggart Patterson
May 9, 1851-October 2, 1900

Courtesy of Fort Vance Historical Society

JAMES W. PATTERSON, SR.

James W. Patterson, Sr., 83 died Saturday morning at 5:20 o'clock at his home, 325 Vankirk St. Clairton.

Mr. Patterson was born in Cross Creek Township north of West Middle town, March 10, 1861, a son of the late Moses and Grisilda McCombs Patterson. He had spent the greater part of his life in Washington County until 18 years ago, when he moved to Clairton.

He is survived by two daughters and one son, Jane B., Mrs. Loretta Sorg and James W. Jr., all at home; two grandchildren, Evelyn Jean and Harry F. Bainer Jr., of Washington.

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**James W. Patterson Sr.
Died-February 5, 1944**

Mrs. Jennie Patterson

Mrs. Jennie E. Witherspoon Patterson, widow of James T. Patterson, died in her home on Highland avenue here Sunday at 2:45 p. m. She was the last surviving member of the John Witherspoon family, one of the pioneer families of the county, and was well known. She was a member of the First United Presbyterian church and was always active in the work of the church. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. J. W. Gilbert and Mrs. T. B. Graham, of Carnegie, and Mrs. Myrtle Reed, of Burgettstown. There are five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Funeral services were held in the First United Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon, in charge of the Rev. R. C. Sutton. Interment was in Fairview cemetery.

Jennie E. Witherspoon Patterson
Died-May 14, 1933

LLOYD TAYLOR PATTERSON

Lloyd Taylor Patterson, 73, of 121 Briar Lane, Wellsburg, West Virginia, formerly of Beallsville, died Tuesday, March 16, 1982, in the Weirton, West Virginia, Medical Center.

He was born June 5, 1908, in Beallsville, a son of the late Lucien H. and Jennie Taylor Patterson.

He operated a farm in the Beallsville area most of his life, and after selling his farm was employed by the Eagle Manufacturing Company, of Wellsburg, prior to retiring in 1969.

Mr. Patterson attended the Franklin United Methodist Church and was a member of Independence Grange No. 179, Independence.

Surviving are his wife, Pearl Doty Patterson; two sons, Harold Patterson, of Wellsburg, and Raymond Patterson, of Washington; three daughters, Mrs. Lois Carl, of Avella; Rheba, wife of Bert Flowers, of West Middletown; and Linda, wife of Robert Birney, of Richmond, Ohio; 10 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A daughter, Ruth, died in 1938, and a sister, Pauline Startare, is deceased.

Friends were received in the Reasner Funeral Home, Wellsburg, where services were conducted at 10:30 a.m. Friday by the Rev. James Norton. Interment was in Beallsville Cemetery.

Lloyd Taylor Patterson
June 5, 1908-March 16, 1982

MARTHA PATTERSON

Martha Patterson, 54, colored, died

at her home in Bertha on Friday, July 18. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Williams in the First Baptist church on Tuesday, July 22 at 3 p.m. Burial was in Fairveiw cemetery.

**Martha Patterson
Died-July 22, 1941**

MARY ESTHER PATTERSON

Miss Mary Esther Patterson, a native of Cross Creek Township, died after a brief illness on June 6, 1951 at the Salem (O), City Hospital.

A daughter of Lysander and Elizabeth Wallace Patterson, she was born on a farm near Patterson Mills in Cross Creek Township on June 5, 1855. Her death occurred on the day following her 96th birthday.

She lived in Cross Creek Township until 1894 when the family left there, finally locating in Imperial, where she made her home with her brother and nieces until four years ago when she went to live with a sister, Mrs. Colter of New Waterford, O., where she since resided.

Alert and active until her illness, she was always interested in community affairs and she was especially active in the work of the Red Cross in the Imperial community.

A descendent of the pioneer Lyle family of Washington County she was at the time of her death the oldest member of that clan. She was a frequent visitor with nephews and nieces and other relatives in the Avella district and she attended the Lyle reunion held at Washington park, 1947.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Colter of New Waterford, O., and several nephews and nieces. Interment was at Imperial.

**Mary Esther Patterson
June 6, 1855-June 6, 1951**

Mrs. Mary Patterson

Mrs. Mary Gardner Patterson, widow of David F. Patterson, an attorney of Washington and Pittsburgh whose death occurred in 1914, died in her home near Eldersville Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock. She was 92 years old. Her death occurred on the farm in Jefferson township on which she was born. She was a daughter of David and Nancy Donovan Gardner. She was the last of a family of 13 children. She married David F. Patterson on Christmas day, 1862. For about 10 years they lived in Washington, later going to Pittsburgh. After her husband's death in 1914, Mrs. Patterson moved to the old farm where she resided until her death. She leaves one son, J. Alex Patterson, postmaster at Avella, and six grandchildren. Funeral services were held in the late home on Saturday afternoon with the Rev. C. M. Lippincott of Eldersville in charge. Burial was in the Washington cemetery.

Mary Gardner Patterson
May 26, 1843-January 2, 1936

Matt Patterson

Matt Patterson of Paris died June 28, 1998, in Pittsburgh of injuries sustained in a two-car crash the morning of June 27 in Slovan. He was 16.

Born Sept. 20, 1981, in Pittsburgh, he was the son of Tom and Nancy Patterson of Paris.

He had been a member of the sophomore class at Burgettstown High School and was to be a junior at Madonna High School in Weirton, W.Va., in the fall.

He had a red belt in karate, having taken lessons for the last five years at Rine Karate in Weirton. He also was a member of the track team at Madonna and Burgettstown high schools. He was also employed at the Airport Marriott Hotel.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, John Wenzel.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a sister, Caitlin Patterson at home; paternal grandparents, Clarence and Irene Patterson of Burgettstown; and a maternal grandmother, Dorothy Brown of Wellsburg, W. Va.

Friends were received June 30 and July 1 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Services were held July 2 in the funeral home. Interment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence.

Matt Patterson
September 20, 1981-June 28, 1998

MURDER AND SUICIDE RESULT OF JEALOUSY

Colored Beauty Parlor Operative Is
Shot by Rejected Suitor Who
Also Ends Own Life

A murder and suicide about 6 o'clock last Saturday evening in the home of C. A. Tanner, Main street, gave Burgettstown its first sensational notoriety in many years. Basil Stewart Milton, colored, aged about 24 years, shot and killed Mrs. Minnie Patterson, colored, aged 45 years, as she sat in a room she used as a beauty parlor talking to Mrs. Tanner and Rose Capozzoli. Following the shooting of the woman, Milton sent a bullet through his heart, dying instantly. The woman had been shot in the back and as she turned around was shot through the heart.

Mrs. Tanner and Miss Capozzoli fled screaming from the building as Milton fired the first shot from a doorway, and did not witness the actual killings. Milton had entered the building through a basement door and fired the first shot from the door leading to the beauty parlor.

Mrs. Patterson was the divorced wife of William Patterson. She lived with her mother, Mrs. Campbell Fullum of Florence avenue. She was born near Florence and had lived in Burgettstown all her life. Besides her mother the deceased is survived by a married daughter who lives at Carnegie, and by three brothers, Harry, Lawrence and Eddie Fullum, all residents of Burgettstown. Funeral services were held on Tuesday.

Milton had been around Burgettstown two or three years, coming here from Ravenna, Ohio, where his mother resides. The body was sent to Ravenna on Sunday. He was said to have been in love with Mrs. Patterson and that jealousy was the motive of his crime. The young man was quite well known in the neighborhood and his act was a surprise to those who knew him well. He had written a note to Mrs. Patterson in which he said: "Nobody loves me and I am going to end it."

Minnie Patterson

February 12, 1888-February 11, 1933

Raymond L. Patterson

Raymond L. Patterson, 57, of Washington, died at 10:45 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 4, 1995, following a five-month illness.

He was born Feb. 27, 1937, in Beallsville, a son of Pearl R. Doty Patterson of Wellsburg, W.Va., and Lloyd T. Patterson, who died in 1982.

He was a member of Grove United Presbyterian Church of West Middletown and was employed at Weirton Steel Corporation the past 35 years.

Mr. Patterson was a 1955 graduate of Avella High School and served in the U.S. Army in Korea.

He was a member of Edwin Scott Linton Post 175 of the American Legion, Hawkins Post Home 927 Veterans of Foreign Wars, Alpine Star Lodge 9 and Wellsburg (W.Va.) Moose Lodge.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are a brother, Harold L. Patterson of Wellsburg, W.Va.; three sisters, Lois Carl of Washington, Mrs. Bert (Rheba) Flowers of West Middletown and Mrs. Robert (Linda) Birney of Richmond, Ohio; several nieces and nephews; and several grand-nieces and grand-nephews.

Also deceased is a sister, Ruth Patterson.

Friends were received in the Neal Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Eric C. Powell officiating. Interment was in Beallsville Cemetery.

Raymond L. Patterson
February 27, 1937-January 4, 1995

ROBERT PATTERSON

Robert Rankin Patter - son, 70, of Washington, R. D. 6, died Sunday, November 16, 1969, at 4:50 p.m. at his home.

He was born in Hope- well Township January 26, 1899, a son of J. Leamon and Mary McElroy Patt- erson.

Mr. Patterson was a re- tired farmer. He was a member of the North Buf- falo United Presbyterian Church, where he had ser- ved as an elder and a trustee. He was secre- tary - treasurer of the North Buffalo U. P. Church Cemetery Association and a member of the Board of Supervisors for Buffalo Township.

On March 1, 1934, he married Helen Woodburn, who survives.

Surviving, besides his wife, are one son, Robert David, of Washington, R. D. 6; one daughter, Dor- othy Jean, wife of Wil- liam Hodgkiss, of Wash- ington, R. D. 3; two bro- thers, James M., of Fair- view, Ohio, and Hugh D., of Cambridge, Ohio; two sisters, Hazel, wife of J. Leroy Taggart, of Avella, and Lillian, wife of J. Har- ley Stewart, of Washing- ton; and five grandchil-

Friends were received at the Neal Funeral Home, Washington, where ser- vices were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, in charge of Rev. John Mark Scott, pas- tor of the North Buffalo United Presbyterian Church.

Robert Rankin Patterson
January 26, 1899-November 16, 1969

ROBERT PATTERSON

Robert Thomas Patterson, 67, of 58 Griffith Avenue, Washington, died at 9:45 a.m. Monday, January 2, 1978, in Washington Hospital, where he had been a patient for the past ten days.

He had been in bad health since 1970.

He was born July 31, 1910, in West Middletown, a son of Robert and Eva Ross Patterson.

He worked as an inspector for Findlay Refractories until 1970, when he retired due to illness.

On October 31, 1933, he married Gertrude Mabel Brooks, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Martha Elaine, wife of Ronald Holloway, of Pittsburgh, and Karen Louise, wife of Charles Collins, of Santa Ana, California; two brothers, Everett, of Houston, and Emmett, Avella; two sisters, Phoebe Thomas, of Washington, and Alice Kelley, of West Middletown; four grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A son, Floyd T., died in 1936. A daughter, Linda Rae, died in 1947. Two brothers, William and Homer, and a sister, Lucy Mae Umphrey, are also deceased.

Friends will be received in the Neal Funeral Home, Washington, where services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, in charge of the Rev. W. S. Hopson. Burial will be in the West Middletown Cemetery.

Robert Thomas Patterson
July 31, 1910-January 2, 1978

MRS. JAMES L. PATTERSON.

Death of One of Burgettstown's Best-Known Citizens.

One of the saddest accidents that has occurred in Burgettstown for a long time was that which resulted in the death of Mrs. Patterson, wife of J. L. Patterson, cashier of the Burgettstown National Bank.

Mrs. Patterson was killed on Friday, March 1, at about 11:30 a. m., by a train at the crossing near her home. She had been calling on friends around town, and had just left the home of her brother, W. A. P. Linn, on her homeward journey. Just how the accident occurred is not positively known, though it seems she had crossed the tracks in safety, but slipped from the platform of the steps which lead to the house, falling so that the train struck her. She was killed instantly. The body was thrown or dragged probably forty feet, but no bones were broken. Her limbs were cut, or torn, and her head was cut and bruised.

Mrs. Sarah Patterson was the daughter of William and Mary Linn, and was born near Shippensburg, Franklin county, Pa., on November 9, 1830. On April 20, 1854, she was united in marriage with James L. Patterson, and has resided in Burgettstown ever since—a period of almost forty-seven years. She was the mother of seven children: Robert and William, both deceased in infancy; Mary and Addie J., at home; Elizabeth, the well-known vocalist; Annie, wife of J. Lee Scott, Burgettstown, and J. Fred. Besides her husband and the five last named children, she is survived by one brother and one sister—W. A. P. Linn, of Burgettstown, and Mrs. Culbertson, Princeton, Iowa.

In June, 1854, Mrs. Patterson united with the First Presbyterian church of Burgettstown, and in her death this church loses one of its most earnest and faithful workers. She was particularly interested and active in the missionary work, and was the organizer of the Women's Missionary Society of the First church. She was also one of the organizers of the young women's society of the same church, and was a member of the executive committee of the Presbyterian Missionary society at the time of her death.

The funeral services were held in the First Presbyterian church on Sabbath at 12:30 p. m., and the large assemblage of people at these services testified somewhat to the esteem in which she was held in this community. The church was completely filled, and the floral offerings were many and beautiful. The services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. P. H. Gordon, assisted by the Rev. T. R. Alexander, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, both of whom paid tribute to her activity, zeal and benevolence in the Christian cause.

The pallbearers were William Brimmer, A. M. Armor, Richard Hill, A. C. Proudfit, Dr. W. V. Riddile and James Leith, the five first named (with Mr. Patterson) composing the session of the church of which Mrs. Patterson was a member. The remains were laid to rest in Fairview cemetery.

Among the friends from a distance in attendance at the funeral were Dr. David Fredericks, of Oil City, Pa.; Mrs. Sarah Marks, of Tidioute, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Sisson, of Newark, Ohio; Mrs. Hays and daughter, Mrs. Nettie Flack, of Pittsburg; Rev. James Kelso, of Allegheny; Mr. Baldwin and Miss Copeland, of Steubenville, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Linn, of McKeesport, Pa.

**Sarah Linn Patterson
1854-1901**

Silas Patterson

Injuries sustained Thursday when he was thrown from a horse on his farm in Hanover Township, resulted in the death at 5:35AM, Sunday, July 27, of Silas Patterson, 70, in the Washington Hospital. Injuries included a broken neck, skull fracture and body bruise.

Mr. Patterson, a son of the late Frank and Margaret Proctor Patterson was born July 18, 1877, in Hanover Township, Washington County, where he spent his entire life, following farming as an occupation.

Surviving are one brother, John Patterson of Hanover Township, and a sister, Elizabeth Fullum, of Florence.

Silas Patterson
July 18, 1877-July 27, 1947



Scott Pattison, 53, of Washington, passed away Friday, July 26, 2019, in the Washington Hospital.

He was born October 4, 1965, in Washington, a son of Bob and Cheryl R. Folkens Pattison of Avella.

Mr. Pattison graduated from Avella High School in 1983, and earned an Associate's Degree from Hocking Technical College in 1985.

A good, Christian man, he was a member of Dutch Fork Christian Church and Church of Christ in Washington.

Mr. Pattison worked for 20 years at Washington Hospital as a control engineer, a job he loved. He also took care of Tri-State Surgical Center on Landings Drive, Neighbor Health Center and Donnell House.

A very handy person, Mr. Pattison enjoyed fixing things, taking care of his home, and taking care of his family. His hobbies included hunting and woodworking.

On June 23, 1990, he married Cathy L. Thomas, who survives. A great husband and father, Mr. Pattison always put family first.

Also surviving are two children, Cody W. Pattison and Shelby Rae Pattison, both of Washington; a brother, Rod E. (Cindy) Pattison, of Wheeling, W.Va.; nephews and nieces, Rod E. (Megan) Pattison, Jr., Chance

Pattison, Amanda (Aaron) Suica, Sarah Thomas, Courtney (Justin) Golsky and Chelsey (Trevor) Mohnney; and great-nephews and great-nieces, Charlie Pattison, Garret and Gaven Suica, Hickory and Cord Golsky, and Trake Mohnney; brothers-in law, Chuck (Hope) Thomas and John (Pam) Thomas; a special cousin and best friend, Cara (Kerry) Zlatarich; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Deceased are a brother, Charles "Chuck" Pattison; grandparents, Ollie and Velma Pattison; and Charles and Edith McClellan; and father- and mother-in-law, Charles and Janice Thomas.

Friends will be received from 2 till 8 p.m., Wednesday, and from 10 till 11 a.m., the time of service, Thursday, August 1, in William G. Neal Funeral Homes, Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington. Pastor Ron Davis and Pastor John Wright will co-officiate the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Additional information and guestbook are available online at www.NealFuneral-Home.com



Scott Pattison
October 4, 1965-July 23, 2019

VELMA A. PATTISON

Velma A. Pattison, 72, of Independence, died at 10:30 a.m. Friday, March 26, 1982, in the Washington Hospital after a lingering illness.

She was born August 1, 1909, in East Finley Township, a daughter of Andrew B. and Nettie McConnell Byers.

Mrs. Pattison was a resident of the Avella area for the past 28 years. She was a member of the Dutch Fork Christian Church and was a former Sunday School teacher.

Mrs. Pattison was an honorary member of the Donegal Homemakers Club and a former member and officer of the Independence Grange No. 179. She attended elementary school in West Alexander and high school in West Liberty, West Virginia.

She was married June 13, 1928, to S. Ollie Pattison, Sr., who died October 9, 1970.

Surviving are four daughters, Christine, wife of L. J. Bradbury, of Claysville; Lois, wife of Eli Dillie, of Prosperity, R. D. 1; Dorothy, wife of Larry Miller, of Wellsburg, West Virginia; and Mrs. Patty Niskey, of Lorain, Ohio; and three sons, Samuel O. Pattison, of Clewiston, Florida; Robert E. Pattison, of Avella, R. D. 1; and Gerald W. Pattison, of West Alexander.

Also surviving are one sister, Mrs. Clyde Wright, of Claysville; one brother, Glenn Byers, of Coral Gables, Florida; 29 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

One daughter, Ellen Bentrem; one son, Glenn Pattison; and two brothers are deceased.

Friends were received in the Ferrell Funeral Home, Claysville, where services were held at 1:00 p.m. Monday with the Rev. John Surgenor officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

Velma A. Pattison
August 1, 1909-March 26, 1982

Walter L. Pattison

Walter Lee "Push" Pattison of Hebron, Ohio, died July 16, 1998 in Licking Memorial Hospital, Newark, Ohio. He was 62.

Born Nov. 9, 1935 in McDonald, he was the son of the late Lambert S. and Mildred Jenkins Patterson.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran and retired in 1977 after 20 years as a truck driver for Aero Trucking Co. He also worked for 19 years at Buckeye Lake Truck Stop.

He is survived by his wife, Christine; three daughters, Caroline Pattison of Chesapeake, Ohio, Teresa A. Lyons of Newark and Rose M. Davis of Buckeye Lake, Ohio; three sons, Walter L. of St. Louisville, Ohio, William L. of Hebron and Frank L. of Newark; four sisters, Myrtle Robinson and Margaret Phillips, both of Washington, Minnie Powell of Buckeye Lake, and Nips Haggard of Canonsburg; two brothers, Camron of Meadow Lands and Dave of West Alexander; seven grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Friends were received July 18 and 19 in the Boring-Sheridan Funeral Home, Hebron Chapel. Services were held July 20 in the chapel, the Rev. James Dennis officiating. Interment was in Fairmont Cemetery, Amsterdam, Ohio.



Walter L. Pattison
November 9, 1935-July 16, 1998

Alvin Patton

Alvin R. Patton, 70, of Third Avenue, New Cumberland, W.Va., a retired employee of the Weirton Steel Corporation of 28 years as a millwright, died Monday, May 23, 1994, in his home after a lengthy illness.

He was a member of the New Cumberland Christian Church and a member of the 25-Year Club.

Surviving are his wife, Helen Graham Patton; two sons, Gene McCoy of New Cumberland and Greg A. Patton of Gehanna; a daughter, Patty Elflein of Elporo, Calif.; two sisters, Lenore Wilson of Colliers and Edith Spence of Frankfort Springs; and six grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Fields Funeral Home, New Cumberland.

Alvin R. Patton
Died-May 23, 1994

NORMAN A. PATTON

Norman A. Patton, 52, of Frankfort Springs, died Friday, July 21, 1978, in his home of a heart attack.

He was born in Frankfort Springs November 19, 1925, a son of the late Eva and Davidson Patton.

He was a retired employee of the Aliquippa plant of the J & L Steel Corporation and a member of the Frankfort Springs U. P. Church.

He was a veteran of World War II and Mayor of Frankfort Springs.

Surviving are his wife, Juanita Hall Patton; a daughter, Diane, wife of Joseph Pidilli, Frankfort Springs; a son, Ronald, of Frankfort Springs; six grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Lenora Wilson, of Colliers, West Virginia, and Edith Seckman, of Hookstown; and a brother, Elvin, of New Cumberland, West Virginia.

Services were held Monday from the Welch Funeral Home. Interment was in the Grandview Cemetery.

Norman A. Patton
November 19, 1925-July 21, 1978

Penny Patton

Penny S. Patton of Weirton, W.Va., died Aug. 15, 1996, at Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh. She was 43.

Born June 25, 1953, she worked at State Line Restaurant as a waitress and at Weirton Knights of Columbus Hall.

She was a Protestant.

She is survived by her husband, Ronald, whom she married in 1969; two daughters, Melanie Bigler of Burgettstown and Jamie at home; a son, Ronald of Atlantic City, Fla.; her mother, Elva Wright of Burgettstown; her stepfather, John Wright of Burgettstown; stepmother, Delores Stickles of Weirton; three sisters, Donna DeLong and Ruthie Svokas, both of Weirton, and Billie Lynn Kopchak of California; a brother, Terry Stickles of Weirton; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received Aug. 18 and 19 in Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton. Services were held Aug. 20 in the funeral home. Interment was in Grandview Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Penny Patton
June 25, 1953-August 15, 1996

**MRS. MICHAEL
PAUCHNIK**

Mrs. Frances Pauchnik, 83, of Atlasburg, died Saturday, January 6, 1968.

Mrs. Pauchnik was born March 8, 1884, in Austria-Hungary. She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, Christian Mothers and KSKJ Catholic Lodge.

Surviving are her husband, Michael Pauchnik; three sons, Joseph, Weirton, West Virginia; John, Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and Thomas, Atlasburg; five daughters, Mrs. Mary Dvorsak, Slovan; Mrs. Frances Selzer, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Anna Louder, Burgettstown; and Mrs. Victoria Steiminger and Mrs. Margaret Matijevich, both of Atlasburg; one brother, Victor Erzen, Beth Alto, Illinois; 39 grandchildren; 49 great grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild. Two daughters and one son are deceased.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home, Requiem High Mass was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 10, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Frances Pauchnik
March 8, 1884-January 6, 1968

JOSEPHINE PAUCHNIK

Mrs. Josephine Pauchnik, 38, wife of Thomas Pauchnik, Atlasburg, died in Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, at 12:20 p.m. Wednesday, August 12, 1959.

She was born March 9, 1921, in Smith Township, Washington County, a daughter of the late John and Filomena Colpo and was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes church, Burgettstown, and the Catholic Daughters and the Christian Mothers organizations of the church. She was a 1939 graduate of union high school, Burgettstown.

Surviving besides her husband are two children, Patricia and Michael, both at home; five sisters, Mrs. Jennie Dalfol, Mrs. Mary Rollage, and Mrs. Lena Mavrach, all of Burgettstown; Mrs. Lucille Saska, Warren, O., and Mrs. Catherine Moskun, Ravenna, O., and four brothers, Geno, Pete and Jordan Colpo, all of Burgettstown, and George Colpo, Ravenna, O.

Requiem high mass was celebrated in Our Lady of Lourdes R. C. church at 9 a.m. Monday, Aug. 17 with interment in the church cemetery.

Josephine Pauchnik
March 9, 1921-August 12, 1959

Hickory Man Is Slain by Bandits

BRADY PAUL, OF HIGHWAY PATROL, IS CRIME VICTIM

Shot Down as He and Companion Try to Stop Man and Woman Who Held Up Store at Butler.

HIS FELLOW OFFICER IS SLIGHTLY WOUNDED

Officers Are Searching in New Castle District and in Ohio for Man, Woman, and Perhaps Child.

TO BE BURIED AT HICKORY

(By Associated Press)

New Castle, Dec. 27.—Highways in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio tonight were being watched and police in cities and towns were searching for two men and a woman who shot and killed a Pennsylvania state highway patrolman and wounded another near here today, following robbery of a store at Butler, 35 miles east of this place.

Corporal Brady Paul, 26, was killed and Patrolman Ernest Moore, 25, was wounded as the officers walked toward the bandits' car, passage of which had been blocked by placing their machine across the highway. The men were shot down, Moore said, after the woman had shouted, "Stick 'em up." The wounded officer said the woman shot him and Paul was shot down by the man driver. The woman was described as a blonde about 30 years old.

After the shooting, the robbers held up Roy Eorton, New Castle, a passing motorist and rode away toward Ohio in his automobile. Their abandoned machine bore an Ohio license, issued to H. L. Ve-hon, Lorain hotel, Toledo, O.

Police said it appeared quite certain the robbery and the shootings were the work of the same group, inasmuch as the chain grocery store was held up by persons au-

CONTINUE HUNT FOR SLAYER OF CORPORAL PAUL

Statements of Child Cause Scores of Officers Engaged to Start with Renewed Vigor on Hunt.

NAMES MALE COMPANIONS

(By Associated Press)

New Castle, Dec. 31.—The statement accredited by police to a four-year-old boy that his mother shot Corporal Brady Paul, of the Pennsylvania state highway patrol, tonight spurred anew the search for the woman and two men who killed Corporal Paul and wounded Private Ernest Moore, near here, last Friday.

Police at Bellaire, Ohio, where the child was taken into custody, said he described accurately the attack on the officers. The child is Donnie Schroeder, son of Mrs. Irene Schroeder, who was sought as a suspect in the killing hours before the boy was found.

"My mama shot one cop and he laid back of the car groaning," Francis Moran, chief of Bellaire police, said the child stated. "Uncle Tom shot another one in the head. He shot right through the windshield," the boy said, according to Moran.

The boy talked readily after police found him at the home of an uncle, Ray Schroeder, in Bellaire. After questioning him in the Ohio city, Pennsylvania state highway patrolmen left for Pennsylvania with the boy. He was expected to be brought here.

Private Moore, who was not wounded seriously in the battle with the bandits near here last Friday afternoon, identified the Schroeder child as the one who he said was accompanying the woman and two men in the bandits' automobile.

The child was left at the home of his grandfather at Benwood, W. Va., not far from Bellaire, some time Sunday night or early Monday morning by Mrs. Schroeder. Later the grandfather, Henry Crawford, took the child to relatives in Bellaire, where police found him. Both the grandfather and uncle, Ray Schroeder, are being held at the Bellaire police station.

Brady Paul

November 7, 1904-December 27, 1929

Paul

Mrs. Georgia G. Paul, 78, of 395 Donnan Avenue, Washington, died at 4:52 a. m. Friday, December 17, 1976, in the Washington Hospital after an illness of four weeks.

She was born September 15, 1898, in Woodruff, Greene County, a daughter of Harvey Franklin and Catherine Ecker Wolf Garner, and had resided in Washington since 1918.

She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of Washington and Lincoln Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

On December 25, 1925, she married Lewis M. Paul, one of the founders of Paul's Associated Grocery Stores. He died in 1952.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Mayme Morris of Waynesburg, Mrs. Flossie Craft of Rices Landing, and Ida Mae, wife of Paul C. Nelson, York; also several nieces and nephews. One sister and one brother are deceased.

PAUL — Friends of Mrs. Georgia G. Paul, 395 Donnan Avenue, Washington, who died Friday, December 17, 1976, will be received in the Robert C. Gordon Funeral Home, Wilson and East Katherine Avenues, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. Saturday and from noon to 9 p. m. Sunday. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p. m. Monday, Dec. 20, by the Rev. Kenneth N. Schott of the First Lutheran Church. Burial will be in the Washington Cemetery.

Georgia C. Paul
September 15, 1898-December 17, 1976

Julia Paul

Formerly of Hanover
Township

Julia Paul, 78, formerly of Hanover Township, died Saturday, April 14, 2001, in Sycamore Creek Nursing Home, Coraopolis.

She was born July 13, 1922, in Cherry Valley, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kashmere Paul.

Mrs. Paul was a homemaker.

Surviving are a sister, Sophie Slak of Pleasant City, Ohio; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are numerous brothers and sisters.

Arrangements are being handled by Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown.

Julia Paul
July 13, 1922-April 14, 2001

MRS. EDNA PAUL

Margaret Edna Paul, 81, of RD 1, Hickory, died Wednesday, July 21, 1976, in the Medina Hospital, Medina, Ohio.

She was born May 3, 1895, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Charles and Mae Duganne Alrutz. A member of the Mt. Prospect UP Church and the Women's Missionary Society of the church, she was also a charter member of the Hickory Farm Women's Club and the Fort Vance Historical Society.

Surviving are her husband, Vincent M. Paul; two daughters, Mrs. Boyd Anderson, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Thomas Dalton, Madison, New Jersey; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Frank J. Nation Funeral Home, McDonald, where private services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 24, with Rev. Ronald L. Oglesbee, of the Mt. Prospect Church officiating. Burial was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

Margaret Edna Paul
May 3, 1895-July 21, 1976

Mary Paul

Mary E. Paul, 73, of 117 Pikeview Road, Weirton, W.Va., an employee in the dietary department of Weirton Medical Center when she retired, died of natural causes Monday, May 30, 1994, in her home.

She was born April 18, 1921, in Czechoslovakia, a daughter of the late Mike and Bertha Mihalcek Hrin.

She was a member of St. Nicholas Orthodox Church, Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary and Weirton Medical Center Retirees.

Surviving are her husband, George Paul Sr.; two sons, George Paul Jr. of Weirton and Thomas Paul of Steubenville, Ohio; a daughter, Mary Ella Dorsey of Burgettstown; a sister, Ann Evancho of Weirton; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by two brothers and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton.

Mary E. Paul
April 18, 1921-May 30, 1994

Josephine L. Paulian

Josephine L. Paulian of McDonald died Nov. 6, 1996 in Weirton Medical Center, Weirton, W.Va. She was 86.

Born Dec. 9, 1909 in Belgium, she was the daughter of Joseph and Leonie Quivi Vleeschouwer.

She devoted her life to her family.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dawton on Feb. 5, 1972; two sons, Floyd and Marcel Paulian; two sisters, Margaret Kunkle and Cordilla Quivi; and three brothers, Paul, Raymond and David Tournay.

She is survived by two daughters, Norreen Partin of Oakdale and Sandra Lee Rawson of Toronto, Ohio; a sister, Betty Mae Kraynak of Weirton, W.Va.; two brothers, Herman and Alfred Tournay, both of McDonald; nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Nov. 7 and 8 in the Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. Services were held Nov. 9 in the funeral home, the Rev. Frank Trotta, pastor of Paris Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Josephine L. Paulian
December 9, 1909-November 6, 1996

Sophie Pappas Pavan

1927-2013



Sophie Pappas Pavan, 86, a resident of Wyngate Senior Living Community, formerly of Burgettstown,

passed away Wednesday, December 4, 2013, in the Weirton Medical Center, W.Va.

She was born October 13, 1927, in Burgettstown, a daughter of the late Frank Sr. and Besse Pavalakis Pappas.

A 1945 graduate of Union High School in Burgettstown, she was an active member of Burgettstown Area Senior Citizens Association.

Mrs. Pavan enjoyed playing cards in numerous card clubs with her friends and bingo.

On April 1, 1956, she and her husband founded and owned Burgettstown Auto Parts, which is still family-owned and operated. She also worked as a bookkeeper for Pappas Lumber in Burgettstown.

Surviving are three sons, Philip Pavan and wife Cynthia of Harmon Creek, Bryan Pavan and wife Joni of Burgettstown and Gregg Pavan and wife Kristi of Burgettstown; a daughter, Marsha Scolaro and husband Frank of Parker, Colo.; nine grandchildren, Tara and Jared Pavan, Tyler and Bryan Pavan Jr., Brittany Porter, Alexandra Picardi and Taylor, Molly and Tomi Pavan; a great-grandson, Kai Porter; three brothers, Dr. George Pappas of Colorado, Frank Pappas of Texas and

Harry Pappas of Burgettstown; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her husband, Henry J. Pavan, who passed away March 29, 1986 and three brothers, Bill Pappas, Tony Pappas and Charlie Pappas Sr.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 7. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made in her memory to Burgettstown Senior Citizens Center, 200 Senior Way, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Sophie Pappas Pavan

October 13, 1927-December 4, 2013

Daniel J. Pavlich

*Enjoyed motorcycles
and football*

Daniel J. Pavlich, 57, of Bulger, died Friday, February 7, 2014, in UPMC-Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born September 30, 1956, in Canonsburg, a son of George Pavlich Jr. and Margaret Borkoki Pavlich of Bulger.

Mr. Pavlich was employed in the maintenance department of Kindred Hospital of Oakdale.

He enjoyed motorcycles, football, shooting pool and playing cards.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are a sister, Vicki (Bill) McGraw of Bulger; a brother, Bob Pavlich of Chalfont; aunts Della Bugay of Imperial and Julia McMullen of Pittsburgh; and a number of cousins, nieces and nephews.

Deceased is a son, Daniel K. Pavlich, who died July 31, 2004.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway, 724-796-3301. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, February 12, in St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Bulger. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Ann Church, 967 Grant Street, Bulger, PA 15019, or American Cancer Society.

Please sign a guest book at www.thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Daniel J. Pavlich
September 30, 1956-February 7, 2014

Daniel K. Pavlich

1997 Burgettstown H.S. grad
attended Waynesburg College



Daniel K. (Dan) Pavlich, 24, of Bulger, Smith Township, died Saturday, July 31, 2004, in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, from injuries

sustained in an automobile accident Wednesday, July 28.

He was born August 15, 1979, in Washington Hospital, a son of Daniel J. Pavlich of Bulger and Elizabeth (Betty) Thomas Mullaney of Burgettstown.

Mr. Pavlich was a 1997 graduate of Burgettstown High School, where he was a cross country, tennis and wrestling team member and letterman. He participated in Burgettstown Midget Football and played baseball in Burgettstown and Midway.

At the time of his death, he was attending Waynesburg College, where he was studying computer science and business. He was employed part time as a security officer at Kindred Hospital of Pittsburgh, Oakdale.

Mr. Pavlich was a member of St. Ann Roman Catholic Church in Bulger.

Surviving are his paternal grandparents, George and Margaret Pavlich of Bulger; his maternal grandmother, Nellie Thomas of Slovan; his stepfather, Shawn M. Mullaney; a brother and sister, Shawn R. and MaLynda Mullaney, both at home; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Deceased is his maternal grandfather, Floyd Thomas.

Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday in St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, with the Rev. Robert Staszewski, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown. Everyone is asked to meet in the church. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to a charity of one's choice.

Driver dies after Bulger accident

A Bulger man who was involved in a car accident Wednesday afternoon died from his injuries Saturday in a Pittsburgh hospital.

Daniel Pavlich, 24, was driving on Grant Street in Bulger when his car hit an embankment and overturned. He was flown to Allegheny General Hospital, where he died Saturday, a hospital spokeswoman said.

Daniel K. Pavlich
August 15, 1979-July 31, 2004

George Pavlich Jr.

Veteran worked as coal miner

George Pavlich Jr., 92, of Bulger, died Monday, October 6, 2014, in his home.

He was born January 13, 1922, in Bulger, a son of the late George J. Pavlich Sr. and Julia Terensky Pavlich.

Mr. Pavlich was a retired coal miner and a World War II U.S. Navy veteran.

He enjoyed gardening, crossword puzzles, polka dancing and playing cards.

Surviving are his wife of 67 years, Margaret Borkoski

Pavlich of Bulger; daughter Vicki (Bill) McGraw of Bulger; son Robert Pavlich of Chalfont; a special sister-in-law, Della Bugay; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are a son, Daniel J. Pavlich; grandson Daniel K. Pavlich; and sisters Mary Stanoschuck and Julia McMullen.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m.

Thursday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 Saint John Street, Midway, 724-796-3301. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, October 10, in St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Bulger. Interment will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Ann Church, Bulger. Please sign the guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

George Pavlich Jr.
January 13, 1922-October 6, 2014

Jason Blaine Pavlik

Burgettstown High School
student



Jason Blaine Pavlik, 17, of Burgettstown, died Saturday, November 28, 1998, in Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born July 6, 1981, in Weirton, W.Va., a son of Michael J. and Lois J. McCutcheon Pavlik of Burgettstown.

Jason was a ninth-grade student at Burgettstown High School, where he sang in the high school choir.

He was a member of the Beaver County Stockman Club F.H. Group and attended Paris Presbyterian Church.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are a brother, Michael, and a sister, Jennifer, both at home; and his maternal grandmother, Margaret J. McCutcheon of Burgettstown.

Deceased are his maternal grandfather, Francis McCutcheon; and his paternal grandparents, Alex and Pauline Giglio Pavlik.

PAVLIK - Friends of Jason Blaine Pavlik of Burgettstown, who died Saturday, November 28, 1998, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, December 2, with the Rev. Patricia Deeter officiating. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Jason Blaine Pavlik
July 6, 1981-November 28, 1998

MARY PAVLIN

Mary Pavlin, 66, of Joffre, died in the Washington hospital, Wednesday, September 15, 1965, at 11:10 a.m. She was born in Yugoslavia, August 15, 1899 and had lived in Joffre for 35 years.

Surviving are a son, Joseph J. Pavlin, of Homer City, and a grandson, Richard J. Pavlin, of Homer City. Her husband, John, died December 6, 1960.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home, Burgettstown.

Mary Pavlin
August 15, 1899-September 15, 1965

James Miller Paxton

James Miller Paxton, aged 64, one of the most prominent farmers and business men in this section, died at his home in Chartiers township at 9 o'clock p. m., January 31st. His death was a shock as he had been ill only a few days, suffering an attack of pneumonia and influenza the latter part of last week. Funeral services were held in the Houston United Presbyterian church last Friday afternoon in charge of the Rev. W. F. Harkey. Burial was in Oak Spring cemetery. He was a member of a pioneer family, the history of which in Washington county dates back to 1782. He was a son of the late John G. and Anna (Miller) Paxton, and was born on the old homestead in Chartiers township September 9, 1868. The Paxton family came to this county from York county, the great-grandparents, John and Martha Paxton, crossing the mountains on horseback and locating first in Can-
son township.

James Miller Paxton
Member of Early Pioneering Family
September 9, 1868-January 31, 1933

Mrs. Sarah Hays, wife of James S. Hays, of Smith township, died at her home near Burgettstown on Tuesday, June 27, about noon, of paralysis. Mrs. Hays suffered a stroke about a week ago. Deceased was a daughter of the late Samuel Riddile, of Smith township. She was united in marriage to Mr. Hays on March 16, 1855. Seven children were born to them, as follows: Samuel, who died at the age of 27; Miss Anna M. and D. Vance Hays, at home; James G. Hays, of Urichsville, Ohio; Mary, wife of John W. Keys, of Burgettstown; Edgar, who died in youth, and Robert R., cashier of the Farmer's National Bank, Hickory. The husband survives; also a brother, Dr. W. V. Riddile, and a sister, Mrs. William Proudft, both of Burgettstown. Funeral services will be held from her late residence Thursday, at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery.

Sarah Riddle Hays

Mrs. Sarah Peacock

Mrs. Sarah Aramintha Peacock, died at her home at Houston at 8:30 o'clock Thursday evening of last week. She was born in Hopewell township and resided in Washington county all her life. Her husband died in October, 1904. She is survived by the following children: Vance D., Laura M., Walton T., Mrs. Robert Crawford, Mrs. George B. Cummins, Mrs. L. N. Moore and Mrs. N. P. Hays, all of Houston. Funeral services were held in the Houston United Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon. Interment was in Oak Spring cemetery.

Sarah Aramintha Peacock
Died-March 16, 1933

William Peacock

William Peacock, 76, died in his home at Canonsburg, of pneumonia, at 4 P. M., Monday, March 7th. He had been in good health until Saturday before his death, when he contracted a cold, which developed into pneumonia. He was a son of William, Sr., and Rachel Morrison Peacock, and was born near Hickory, January 2, 1856. He had been a successful farmer near Bridgeville, retiring several years ago. He had been a member of the Chartiers United Presbyterian church, Canonsburg, for the past three years. Previously he was a member of the Venice United Presbyterian church, where he served as an elder and trustee. He leaves three daughters: Mrs. W. W. Gladden and Miss Emma Peacock at home and Mrs. John P. McConnell of Cecil. Two brothers, the Rev. Dr. L. K. Peacock of Houston and D. J. Peacock of Hickory, and a sister, Mrs. G. H. Chalmers of McConnell's Mills, survive. His wife died November 16, 1930. Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. D. A. Spencer, were held in the Chartiers United Presbyterian church on March 10th. Burial was in the Venice cemetery.

William Peacock
January 2, 1856-March 7, 1932

William A. Peacock Dies At Washington

William Arthur Peacock, 51, associated with the Reichart Furniture Company, Washington; as a salesman for the last 15 years, died in Hillview Sanitarium at 10 p.m. Friday, Dec. 12, after an illness of two weeks.

Mr. Peacock, whose home was at 622 Beech street, was a native of Hickory, this county, where he was born Aug. 21, 1901, a son of the late Robert A. and Ellen Miller Peacock.

"Art" as he was better known, had many friends in the local community, having assisted his father, at one time as a public auctioneer.

Mr. Peacock had resided in Washington since 1937, at which time he became associated with the Reichart firm. Prior to that he made his home in Carnegie.

He was a member of the Third Presbyterian church, Washington. He was also a member of the Arms Club and the Keystone Progressive Association.

On Feb. 3, 1920, Mr. Peacock was married to Minnie Hitchens, of Carnegie, who survives at home with two daughters, Mrs. Nancy E. Kindamo and Lois A. Peacock. He also leaves another daughter, Thelma, wife of Bruce L. Porter, of Fort Sill, Okla., and two granddaughters, Nancy Lynne and Judith Lorraine Porter.

The following brothers and sisters survive: Adam J. and Elizabeth, wife of John Kraeer, both of Miami, Fla.; Hazel, wife of Robert Russell, McKeesport; George C. Pittsburgh, and Rachel, wife of Wesley Gallagher, Burgettstown.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 15, at 2 p.m., from the Bebout & Barnhill funeral home, Washington, in charge of the Rev. Dr. W. Franklin Harkey, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church, Washington. Interment was in the Venice church cemetery.

William Arthur Peacock
August 21, 1901-December 12, 1952

Revolting Crime at Avella.

William Pearson, a 53 year old farmer of near Avella, in a fit of anger late Sunday night killed Brady Winters, aged 23 years, of the Patterson Mills-Rea road, and then ran to the shanty where he and his daughter made their home and shot himself to death. He used a sawed-off shot gun for the murder and suicide. It is said he objected to the attentions of Winters to his daughter Sarah, 21 years old. The girl told officers she thought her father had meant to shoot her, but she jumped from an automobile where she had been sitting with Winters and fled to the Winters home about a mile away.

**William Pearson
Died -November 24, 1935**

CHARLES PEASE

Charles, the ten-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pease, of Burgettstown, died Saturday evening, March 21, 1914, of pneumonia. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. R. H. McCartney. Mr. Pease is employed at the Pittsburg-Erie Coal works and lives in the John C. Scott house.

**Charles Pease
Died-March 21, 1914**

Eleanor J. Pease

*Loved her family more
than anything*



Eleanor J. Pease, 90, of Claysville, died Wednesday, July 13, 2016, in Washington Hospital.

She was born February 4, 1926, in Washington, a daughter of the late James and Eleanor Roesler McClure.

On October 11, 1953, she married Howard L. Pease, who passed away April 3, 2004.

Mrs. Pease was an amazing and strong woman, who battled several severe illnesses and remained positive and hopeful through it all. More than anything, she loved her family.

Surviving are three sons, Charles Menz of Southington, Ohio, James Pease of Gainesville, Fla., and William (Sandy) Pease of Booker, Fla.; three daughters, Shirley (Denny) Charlesworth, Patty Miller and Donna (Daniel) Mounts, all of Claysville; four stepchildren, Walter Pease of Gainesville, Mary (Joe) Koster of Seville, Ohio, Charlotte (Arnold) Pagrabs of Brunswick, Ohio, and Elaine Zacharyj of North Royalton, Ohio; three sisters, Belva Hallerstrom of Medina, Ohio, and Bernice Campbell and Wilma (Tom) Bostic, both of Parma, Ohio; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Deceased, in addition to her parents and husband, is a brother, Charles McClure.

All services are private and will be held at the convenience of the family. Arrangements are entrusted to Young Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., 219 Main Street, Claysville, PA 15323, 724-663-7373, www.youngfhinc.com.

Memorial contributions may be made to Claysville Christian Church.

Eleanor J. Pease
February 4, 1926-July 13, 2016

GLADYS GRIFFITH PEES

Gladys Griffith Pees, 71, of Washington, R.D. 4, died at 3:45 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, 1988, in Washington Hospital following a four-year illness.

She was born April 17, 1917, in Independence, the daughter of Clyde and Nancy Moore Griffith.

She was a member of the Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church and was an elder and clerk of session. She was also a Sunday School teacher and had played piano.

She was a member of the Eureka Grange, Pomona Grange, Washington County Grange, State Grange and National Grange. She had served on several committees within the grange.

She was also a member of the Redd's Run Homemakers Club.

On May 17, 1946, in Independence, she married Richard C. Pees, who survives.

Also surviving is a daughter, Mary Esther Pees, at home.

Friends were received in the Neal Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held Monday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Joseph H. Rogers officiating. Interment was in Independence Cemetery.

Gladys Griffith Pees
April 17, 1917-November 10, 1988

K Anna Pekar

*Member of St. John
the Baptist Catholic Church*

Anna Pekar, 100, of Avella, died at 11:15 a.m. Tuesday, November 6, 2007, in Greenery Rehabilitation Center, Canonsburg.

She was born October 29, 1907, in Chicago, Ill., a daughter of George and Anna Pekar Kritzman.

Mrs. Pekar had lived in Avella since 1971 and was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church-Byzantine Rite.

She was married to John Pekar, who died May 11, 1971.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John (Ann) Kowcheck of Avella; a son, Michael Milochik of Montana; grandchildren John Lance Kowcheck and Joyce McKenzie, both of Avella; five great-grandchildren; a great-great-grandchild; a sister, Helen Minnick of Pemberton, N.J.; and a brother, George Kritzman of Los Angeles, Calif.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are two sisters, Julie, who died in infancy and Mary Gural.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home, 18 Campbell Street, Avella, where a Panachida service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday, November 9, followed at 10 a.m. by Divine Liturgy in St. John the Baptist Catholic Church-Byzantine Rite, Avella, with Father Edward Lucas officiating. Parastas service will be held at 8:30 p.m. in the funeral home. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, Avella.

Anna Pekar
October 29, 1907- November 6, 2007

PETER PEKLAJ

Peter Peklaj, of Slovan, formerly of Moon Run, died Monday, March 22, 1965.

He was a cousin of Mrs. Mary Kralley, of Moon Run.

Friends will be received at the Joseph M. Soma Funeral Home, Steubenville Pike, Moon Run. A requiem High Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, March 26, at Holy Trinity Church.

Peter Peklaj
Died-March 22, 1965

LEONARD F. PELAN

Leonard F. Pelan, 64, of Country Club Road, Washington, died unexpectedly at his home at 10:10 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 6, 1988.

Mr. Pelan was born Oct. 22, 1923, in Iselin, a son of Joseph and Mary Mihelcic Pelan.

Mr. Pelan was a laborer.

He was a member of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church in Meadow Lands. He was also a member of the American Fraternal Union Lodge No. 500 (formerly No. 75) of Meadow Lands and the SNPJ No. 259 in Meadow Lands.

Surviving are one brother, John E. Pelan, at home; three sisters, Mary Pelan, also at home; Mrs. Syi Rose Wrubleski of Washington; and Mrs. John E. (J. Frances) Pollack of Burgettstown, R.D. 2; four nieces; four nephews; six great-nephews; and two great-nieces.

Deceased are one brother, Joseph Pelan Jr., and one niece, Regina Mary Wrubleski, who died in infancy.

Friends were received in the Warco Funeral Home, Washington. A Mass of Christian Burial was said Saturday at 11:30 a.m. in Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal Church, Meadow Lands, by the Rev. Ferdinand Lech. Interment was in Queen of Heaven Cemetery.

Leonard F. Pelan
October 22, 1923-October 6, 1988

Edward W. Pelc

Edward W. Pelc of Marysville, Wash., formerly of McDonald, died Aug. 14, 1996. He was 80.

Born March 14, 1916 in McKees Rocks, he moved to Marysville in 1983 from Bethel Park.

He retired as a metallurgist with a steel mill. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church of Marysville.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Frances; a daughter and son-in-law, Frances and Donald Supan of Everett, Wash.; a brother and sister-in-law, Edmund and Rose Pelc of McDonald; two grandchildren, Kristofer and Samantha; and two nephews.

Rosary services were held Aug. 18 in Schaefer-Shipman Funeral Home, Marysville. A funeral mass was held Aug. 19 in St. Mary's Catholic Church. Interment was in Marysville Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Marysville Fire Department, 1635 Grove St., Marysville, Wash. 98270.

Edward W. Pelc
March 14, 1916-August 14, 1996

Margaret Corbett Pelc

*McDonald woman was
Pittsburgh sports fan*



Margaret
"Peggy" Cor-
bett Pelc, 64,
of McDonald,
Cecil Town-
ship, went to
be with her
Lord Wednes-

day, February 26, 2014, as the
result of a tragic house fire.

She was born January 24,
1950, in Pittsburgh, a daugh-
ter of the late James and Anne
McCarthy Corbett.

Mrs. Pelc worked for the
Army Corps of Engineers as
an administrative assistant,
retiring in 2003. She loved the
Pittsburgh Steelers and the
Pittsburgh Penguins.

On May 7, 1977, she mar-
ried Stephen M. Pelc, who
survives.

Also surviving are two
sons, Geoffrey Martin Pelc
of McDonald and Jason
Andrew Pelc of Cleveland,
Ohio; three brothers, Frank
Corbett of Missouri and Pat-
rick and James Corbett, both
of Pittsburgh; and a sister,
Anna Mary Giannuzzi of
Pittsburgh.

Deceased are two brothers,
William and John Corbett.

Services are pending and
under the direction of Nation
Funeral Home Inc., 220 East
Lincoln Avenue, McDonald.
Memorials can be made to
the Pelc family by visiting tinyurl.com/pelcfamily.

Margaret Corbett Pelc
January 24, 1950-February 26, 2014

Fatal Result

The Rev. James Pelley, died in Smith township on the 3d inst., aged about 69 years. Two weeks previous to his death, while falling a tree, Mr. Pelley was caught by some of the limbs and so badly injured that all efforts to restore him were fatal. The deceased was a preacher or exhorter in the Methodist church and was much esteemed in the community where he resided. He has left a widow and a large number of children and grandchildren to mourn his death.

*Rev. Pelley was killed February 3, 1885.
He is buried in Cross Creek Graveyard.*

Anna Mae Penderville

**Member of Immaculate
Conception Church**

Anna Mae Penderville, 92, of Washington, died at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, February 12, 2002, in Presbyterian Medical Center, Washington.

She was born January 26, 1910, in Primrose, a daughter of John and Anna Theiss Struth.

Mrs. Penderville was a member of Immaculate Conception Church, where she was active in Christian Mothers and Catholic Daughters.

She was a graduate of McDonald High School and attended the University of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Penderville was a member of Democratic Women and volunteered for several charities including AMI Inc. in Washington.

She taught school briefly in McDonald School District and then worked for Aetna Insurance Co. in Pittsburgh.

During World War II, Mrs. Penderville worked as a clerk for a shipyard in Mobile, Ala., before her husband was sent overseas.

She worked with her husband, John, who was superintendent of Washington Juvenile Detention Center for 18 years, retiring in 1971.

On September 3, 1938, she married John D. Penderville, who died February 3, 1971.

Surviving are a son, John R. Penderville of Chartiers Township; a sister, Grace Tornabene of Bridgeville; two grandchildren, Brenda and John Brian Penderville; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are two brothers and six sisters.

PENDERVILLE Friends of Anna Mae Penderville of Washington, who died Tuesday, February 12, 2002, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Warco-Falvo Funeral Home Inc., Wilson at East Katherine avenues, Washington. S. Timothy Warco, supervisor/director, Susan Falvo Warco, director. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Friday, February 15, in Immaculate Conception Church, Washington. Burial will be in Our Lady of Lourdes Church Cemetery, Burgettstown. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Anna Mae Penderville
January 26, 1910-February 12, 2002

Francis A. Pendeville

World War II vet was
Weirton Steel retiree

Francis A. Pendeville, 82, of Bulger, died Friday, February 9, 1996, in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born July 23, 1913, in Bulger, a son of John and Catherine O'Hara Pendeville.

Mr. Pendeville was a retired employee of Weirton Steel Corp. and was a member of St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church in Bulger.

A U.S. Army veteran of World War II, Mr. he was a member of the Bulger VFW.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Sandri Pendeville; one son, Joseph Pendeville of Burgettstown; one daughter, Mrs. James (Peggy) Held of Bulger; one sister, Nora Clark of Bulger; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Deceased are three brothers, John, Alexander and Bud Pendeville; and four sisters, Marie Sabo, Stella Leunis, Katherine Brown and Margaret Clark.

PENDEVILLE — Friends of Francis A. Pendeville of Bulger, who died Friday, February 9, 1996, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, February 12, in St. Ann's Church, Bulger, with the Rev. Rudolph Silvers as celebrant. Interment in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Francis A. Pendeville
July 23, 1913-February 9, 1996

Irene L. Penderville

**Member of Midway
Methodist Church**

Irene L. Penderville, 89, of Bulger, died Saturday, August 31, 2002, in Bulger.

She was born November 20, 1912, in Butler, a daughter of Oscar and Nellie Pearl Morrow Pape.

Mrs. Penderville was a homemaker and a member of Midway Methodist Church, where she was a member of its Women's Guild.

She also was a member of Burgettstown Senior Citizens and Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies Auxiliary in Bulger.

Surviving are a son, John (Jack) Penderville of Canonsburg; two daughters, Janet Crawford and Jo Ann Hicks, both of Bulger; a brother, the Rev. Howard Pape of Phoenix, Ariz.; a sister, Virginia Morrison of Rosemead, Calif.; 15 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are her husband, Felicien Penderville; two sisters, Myrtle and Marian Pape; and two granddaughters, Lisa and Jill Crawford.

PENDERVILLE - Friends of Irene L. Penderville of Bulger, who died Saturday, August 31, 2002, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, September 3, at Trinity Presbyterian Church, McDonald, with the Rev. Robert Miller officiating. Interment will be in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Irene L. Penderville
November 20, 1912-August 31, 2002

MRS. A. PENDERVILLE

Mrs. Savannah Butterworth Penderville, 58, wife of Alexander Penderville, of Midway, died in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, Thursday, June 6, at 5:15 p. m. after a lingering illness.

Born at Midway November 25, 1881 a daughter of Thomas and Mary Lord Butterworth, Mrs. Penderville had lived in that community all her life.

Surviving are her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Robert E. Sawhill, of Midway, and Mrs. Clyde L. McCartney, of Centerville, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in the Penderville home Sunday at 2:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time), in charge of the Rev. Henry F. Pollock pastor of the Midway Methodist Church, assisted by the Rev. Alfred Hubbard, pastor of the Center U. P. Church. Burial was in the Center Cemetery.

**Savannah Butterworth Penderville
November 25, 1881-June 6, 1940**

Henry H. Pendleton

Henry H. Pendleton, one of the oldest practicing lawyers in the State of West Virginia, a former Consul to England, and a grandson of the founder of the Christian Church, died Wednesday evening at his home in Wheeling, W. Va., following a short illness. He was in his 81st year. He was born in Brooke county, W. Va., in 1854, and was well known among Washington county citizens residing near the State line. He was a son of the late Joseph H. Pendleton and Mary Campbell Pendleton. His mother was a daughter of Bishop Alexander Campbell, founder of the Christian Church, which denomination was at first known as the Campbellites. Henry H. Pendleton began the practice of law at Wheeling in 1875. He was appointed Consul to England under President Grover Cleveland's first administration. After his return to the United States Mr. Pendleton was appointed Assistant Attorney General for the State of West Virginia, and later commissioner of accounts, and then commissioner of chancery. He served in both these capacities until death. A brother, the late John C. Pendleton, represented the First West Virginia District in Congress for two terms.

Henry H. Pendleton
1854-May 23, 1934

Mrs. Edna South Pennington

Mrs. Edna South Pennington, 77, of Mt. Morris, Pa., Greene County, died suddenly at her home on Friday morning, September 20, of a heart attack.

Her husband, Fred Pennington, died about three years ago. She is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. W. S. Clark of Burgettstown, Mrs. Stella Craig, Walton South, and Donley South of Mt. Morris, and Lemly South of Morgantown, W. Va.

Funeral services were held Monday, September 23, at 2 p.m., from the home in charge of Rev. Jacobs, pastor of a Methodist church. Interment was in the Mt. Morris cemetery.

Mrs. W. S. Clark, Mrs. Ralph Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Williams of Burgettstown, attended the funeral services.

**Edna South Pennington
Died-September 20, 1946**

Gladys Adams Penrod

Gladys Adams Penrod, 87, of Avella R.D.3, died at 12:44 a.m. Monday, July 13, 1992, in her home.

She was born Feb. 21, 1905, in Spangler, a daughter of Gideon and Callie Dunlap Adams.

Mrs. Penrod was a homemaker. She was Protestant.

Her husband, James Penrod, died March 27, 1986.

Surviving are three sons, Norman Penrod of Grand Prairie; Texas; Ronald Penrod of Follansbee, W.Va.; and John Penrod of Avella; three daughters, Mrs. Robert (Phyllis) George and Mrs. Rockney (Colette) Malone, both of Grand Prairie, Texas, and Mrs. Edward (Geraldine) Myers of Avella; one sister, Geraldine Davis of Barnesboro; 21 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are one stepson, Robert Penrod; two daughters, Lucille and Rebecca Penrod; one stepdaughter, Dorothy Lang; six brothers, Arthur, John, Blair, Ruben, Edward and Wade Adams; and three sisters, Nancy Collins, Sadie Lute and Lovell Keith.

Friends were received in the Reasner Funeral Home, Wellsburg, W.Va., where services were held Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. with the Rev. John Kelley officiating.

Interment was in McDowell Cemetery, Barnesboro.

Gladys Adams Penrod
February 21, 1905-July 13, 1992

**Melody Ann Reimann
Penrod**

1964-2015

Melody Ann Reimann Penrod, 51, of Avella, formerly of Virginia Beach, Va., and Winston Salem, N.C., passed away Sunday, November 15, 2015, in Washington Hospital.

She was born April 16, 1964, in Northridgeville, Ohio, a daughter of the late Arthur and Betty Jo Mitchell Reimann.

Mrs. Penrod was Christian.

She had a love for antiques and everyone.

Surviving are her husband, John Penrod Jr., at home; two daughters, Melissa Trent and Paige Trent, both of Winston Salem; two brothers, Artie Barrett of Louisville, Ky., and George Barrett of Cleveland, Ohio; three sisters, Hope Reimann and Faith Hammond, both of Cleveland, and Karen Barrett of Florida; two stepsisters, Lisa Bell and Janis Lee, both of Cleveland; and her two best friends, Mandy Talley and Linda Rosales.

All services are private. Arrangements are by Reasner Funeral Home, 1515 Charles Street, Wellsburg, W.Va.

Condolences can be expressed at ReasnerofWellsburg.com.

Melody Ann Reimann Penrod
April 16, 1964-November 15, 2015

Mildred Grace Roberts Penrod

Avella resident

Mildred Grace Roberts Penrod, 72, of Independence Township, Avella, passed away Thursday, November 12, 2015, in her home.

She was born August 30, 1943, in New Sewickley Township, Beaver County, to the late Harry Lee and Mildred Grace Myers Roberts.

A 1961 graduate of Avella High School, she was Protestant by faith. She was an avid Pittsburgh Steelers and Penguins fan. She enjoyed her children, grandchildren and watching Food Network cooking shows.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her two brothers, Bud and David Roberts, and a sister, Rita Nelson.

She is survived by her husband, John Penrod Sr., whom she married June 10, 1961.

She was a 26-year U.S. Navy wife, raising four sons, John Jr. and his wife, Melody, of Avella, William and his wife, Laurie, of Norfolk, Va., Robert and his wife, Rachell, of Avella and Jeffrey and his wife, Kate, of Virginia Beach, Va.; a daughter, Mildred "Midge" Bowman and her husband, Tom; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., the time of service, Tuesday, November 17, in Reasner Funeral Home, 1515 Charles Street, Wellsburg, WV, with Pastor Bryce Greico officiating.

Interment will follow in Independence Cemetery.

Mildred Grace Roberts Penrod
August 30, 1943-November 12, 2015

Chester T. Pensak Sr.

Chester T. Pensak Sr., 66, of Slovan, died Tuesday, November 6, 1984, in Washington Hospital.

He was born November 21, 1917, in Slovan, a son of Paul and Feliksa Dembicki Pensak.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church of Burgettstown, Polish National Alliance Lodge No. 1870 of Slovan, Carpenters Union of Steubenville, Ohio, and the Knights of Columbus of Burgettstown, which he served as financial secretary.

Mr. Pensak was a retired carpenter and had served as the Smith Township auditor.

Surviving are his wife, Blanche Piecknick Pensak; one son, Chester Pensak Jr. of Daytona Beach, Fla.; one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Phyllis) Nagy of Elyria, Ohio; two brothers, Raymond Pensak of Los Angeles, Calif., and Stanley Pensak of Cincinnati, Ohio; two sisters, Stephani Janulewicz of Slovan and Matilda Kuzma of Scranton; and two grandchildren.

Chester T. Pesak Sr.
November 21, 1917-November 6, 1984

PAUL PENSAK

Paul Pensak, 81, of Slovan, died Sunday, May 15, 1966, in the Sewickley Valley hospital.

Mr. Pensak was born January 20, 1885, in Poland, and has resided at Slovan, for more than 50 years.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown.

Surviving are three sons,

Chester, Slovan, Raymond, Detroit, Michigan; and Stanley, Coraopolis; two daughters, Mrs. Stephanie Janulewicz, Slovan, and Mrs. Matilda Kuzma, LaPluma, Pa.; and 15 grandchildren.

Friends were received

in the Lee Funeral Home. Requiem High Mass was held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 18, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Paul Pensak
January 20 1885-May 15, 1966

FRANK PERDION

Frank Perdion, 75, of Avella, died in the Washington County hospital Wednesday, February 23, 1966, at 8:55 a.m.

He was born December 25, 1890, in Poland, and came to the United States in 1915.

He had lived in the Avella area 45 years, and was a former coal miner.

A veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Bert C. Siders Post of the American Legion, Avella.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home. Requiem High Mass was celebrated in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella, Saturday, February 26, at 9 a.m., Rev. George A. Benton officiating. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery.

Frank Perdion
December 25, 1890-February 23, 1966

Julian Perez

Julian Perez of Washington, formerly of Burgettstown, died Nov. 12, 1997, at The Washington Hospital He was 97.

Born Jan. 28, 1900, in Spain, Rose M. Tiano of Washington and Alvira Mary Mayhew of Langeloth were his special friends.

Funeral services were private.

Julian Perez
January 28, 1900-November 12,1997

JOHN PERHOT, SR.

John Perhot, Sr., 81, of 123 Hammond st., Slovan, died Saturday, May 5, 1962, at 4:30 p.m. in Washington hospital.

A native of Yugoslavia, Mr. Perhot had lived in Slovan for 45 years. He was a member of St. Joseph Lodge No. 548, Slovan.

Surviving are one son, John, Jr., of Lorain, Ohio; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Smith, Xenia, Ohio, and Mrs. Albert Shapira, of Pittsburgh; nine grandchildren, one great-granddaughter.

Friends were received at the Lee funeral home where services were in charge of Rev. J. C. Ruble at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 8. Interment in Fairview cemetery, Burgettstown.

**John Perhot, Sr.
Died-May 5, 1962**

MIKE PERJUBAN

Mike Perjuban, 87, of Bulger, R.D. 1, died Wednesday, January 3, 1968, in the Washington hospital.

Mr. Perjuban was born November 10, 1880, in Czechoslovakia. He resided in the Bulger area for 55 years and was a retired coal miner.

Surviving are his wife, one son and one sister, all in Czechoslovakia; another sister, Mrs. Susan Duran, of Bulger, R. D. 1; two nephews, Michael Duran and Paul Duran, both of Bulger, R.D. 1; and one niece, Mrs. Paul Martin, of Weirton, West Virginia.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, January 6, in charge of Rev. John P. Borter. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Mike Perjuban
November 10, 1880-January 3, 1968

MRS. AMELIA PERKINS

Mrs. Amelia Fidoe Perkins, 79, resident of Hanover Township for nearly 50 years, died at her home Sunday, November 17, at 7:25 a.m., of a heart attack. She was born in Worcestshire, England. She was united in marriage to Henry Perkins November 28, 1881 and came to the United States in 1883, and settled in Ohio. Mr. Perkins died January 10, 1929. Mrs. Perkins had been a member of the Tucker church for over 40 years. She is survived by the following children, Bessie, Charles, Joseph, and Fred of Hanover Township, Mrs. C. L. Brownlee of Avella, R. D. 1. Funeral services were held from the late home Wednesday, November 19, at 1 p.m. Interment was in Chestnut Ridge cemetery.

Amelia Perkins
Died-November 17, 1941

Perkins

Grace McCullough Perkins, 90, of 125 Baywood Avenue, Mt. Lebanon, died at 3 a.m. Sunday, March 6, 1977.

She was born November 20, 1886, in Frankfort Springs, a daughter of Dr. Samuel Logan McCullough and Margaret Sturgis Proudfit McCullough.

A past president of the Washington County Medical Auxiliary, Mrs. Perkins was also a member of the Current Events Club and the DAR, both of Washington. She had attended Wooster College and was graduated from Wilson College.

Her husband, Dr. George Allen Perkins, died in 1947. Four brothers, Dr. Clarence J. McCullough and Dr. William J.L. McCullough, who were both of Washington, Dr. Charles McCullough and Dr. Carlton McCullough, are deceased.

She is survived by a daughter, Margaret Perkins Schenck of Mt. Lebanon; four grandchildren, Allen, Charles, Margaret and Jane Schenck; and a sister-in-law, Margaret Hill Perkins, with whom she made her home.

PERKINS— Friends of Grace McCullough Perkins of 125 Baywood Avenue, Mt. Lebanon, who died Sunday, March 6, 1977, will be received Monday and Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. in the Laughlin Funeral Home, 3310 West Liberty Avenue, Dormont, where services will be held Wednesday, March 9, in charge of the Rev. Cummins, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church of Mt. Lebanon. Burial in Washington Cemetery.

Grace McCullough Perkins
November 20, 1886-March 6, 1977

Mildred Boling Perkins

*Real estate broker
from New Mexico*



Mildred Boling Perkins, 61, of Ruidoso, N.M., died August 10, 2004, in Lubbock, Texas.

She was born November 24, 1942, a daughter of the late James and Hazel Collett Boling.

Mrs. Perkins was a real estate broker, loved music and dancing, was an avid sports fan and loved and adored her grandchildren.

On November 27, 2002, she married L.C. Perkins, who survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Bobbi (Brady) Hukins of Canyon, Texas, Robin Getman of Amarillo, Texas, and Kathy Taylor of Denver, Colo.; a stepson, Jack Botkin of Carbon Cliff, Ill.; a stepdaughter, Vicki Mueller of Foley, Mo.; four grandchildren, Brady Jr., Rachel, Audrey and Casey; and two brothers, Ric Boling of Fort Myers, Fla., and Jim Boling of Burgettstown.

A brother, Calvin Boling, is deceased.

Friends will be received from 1 to 2 p.m., the hour of a memorial service, Saturday, November 6, in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Robert Kennedy officiating. Interment will follow in Millcreek Cemetery, Hookstown.

Mildred Boling Perkins
November 24, 1942-August 10, 2004

Tom Perkins

Tom Perkins, 94, of Paris, passed away Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at Weirton Medical Center. He was born December 29, 1924, in Hanover Township. A son of the late Archibald and Delpha Harris Perkins. He was also preceded in death by his wife of 63 years, Wanda Lee Thompson Perkins (June 27, 2016); son William Thomas Perkins II (2013); brothers Marvin Perkins, Dallas Perkins and infant Ralph Perkins.

Tom was a member of Paris Nazarene Church; a veteran of the U.S. Navy, World War II, having served in the Pacific; a charter member of the Hanover Township Volunteer Fire Department. He retired from Alex E. Paris Contracting as a heavy equipment operator and mechanic.

Surviving are his daughters, Linda Daniels (David) of Lyons, Colo., Rachel Perkins of Paris, Pa. and Holly DiVecchio (Anthony) of Paris; son Dan Perkins (Shelly) of Allentown; sister Mary Welshans of Paris; brother Glenn Perkins of Carnegie; ten grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Visitation will be 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, August 16, in Steel & Wolfe Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc., 380 Penco Road, Weirton, W.Va. Additional visitation will be held at 10:30 a.m. until the time of the funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday, August 17, in Paris Nazarene Church, 9 Long Street, Paris. Pastor Joe Ryan will preside. Military funeral honors will be rendered in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence, by the U.S. Navy and American Legion Post No. 10 honor squads. www.steelandwolfe.com

Tom Perkins

December 29, 1924-August 13, 2019

Vernon J. Perkins

Enjoyed fishing and music



Vernon J. "Joe" Perkins, 59, of McDonald, died Monday, August 11, 2014, in Forbes Hos-

pice, Pittsburgh.

He was born June 20, 1955, in Canonsburg, a son of Vernon Ross and Irene Victoria Bennett Perkins.

Mr. Perkins worked for the Heinz plant in Pittsburgh's North Side neighborhood.

In his youth, he was a star athlete for Canon McMillan football and McDonald youth baseball.

He was a member of First Baptist Church in McDonald and enjoyed fishing and music.

Surviving are four children, Chris Ann, Victoria, Ashley and Anthony Perkins, all of Pittsburgh; six sisters, Donna Elliott of Imperial, Ethel Edwards of Monroeville, Patricia Burnett and Linda Perkins, both of McDonald, Kimberly Perkins of Pittsburgh and Lisa Khan of Silver Spring, Md.; a brother, James Perkins of Bethlehem; grandchildren Anthony Luster, Bishop Chmiel, and Jasmine and Alawna Adams; and many aunts, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in First Baptist Church, 141 North McDonald Street, McDonald, where services will be held at a time to be announced Friday, August 15, with the Rev. Barry Givner officiating. Burial will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are requested to First Baptist Church, McDonald.

Arrangements are in the care of Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Vernon J. Perkins
June 20, 1954 - August 11, 2014

Wanda Lee Perkins

Paris Nazarene Church member

Wanda Lee Perkins, 85, of Burgettstown, passed away Monday, June 27, 2016, in her home.

She was born April 1, 1931, in Washington, a daughter of the late Edgar E. and Alica May Dow Thompson.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are a son, William Thomas Perkins II; a brother, Edgar E. Thompson; and a foster brother, Franklin Earl Moss.

Mrs. Perkins was a member of Paris Nazarene Church.

She was a charter and lifetime member of Hanover Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary. She was a 20-year mem-

ber of Meals on Wheels, a Silver Sneakers instructor and a member of a ladies bowling league.

Mrs. Perkins enjoyed camping, gardening and bird watching.

She retired after more than 20 years as a school bus driver with Burgettstown School District.

Surviving are her husband of 63 years, William Thomas Perkins; three daughters, Linda Daniels (David) of Lyons, Colo., Rachel Perkins of Burgettstown and Holly Marie DiVecchio (Anthony) of Burgettstown; a son, Daniel Brian Perkins (Shelly) of Macungie; a brother, James A. Thomp-

son (Patricia) of Washington; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Steel & Wolfe Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., 380 Penco Road, Weirton, W.Va. An additional visitation will be held from 10:30 to 11 a.m., the time of service, Thursday, June 30, in Paris Nazarene Church, 9 Long Street, Paris, PA 15021, with Pastor Joe Ryan presiding. Burial will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence.

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Wanda Lee Perkins
April 1, 1931-June 27, 2016

**William Thomas
Perkins II**

*Car racing enthusiast
was Steelers fan*

William Thomas "Tom" Perkins II, 57, of Burgettstown, passed away peacefully in his sleep after a short illness in Weirton Medical Center, Weirton, W.Va., Friday, May 10, 2013.

He was an avid Steelers fan and car racing enthusiast. He enjoyed life and was willing to help anyone in need. He was instrumental in organizing the Dave Hook Memorial Fund.

He was employed at UBS Axcera in Canonsburg, as an assembly technician for the past eight years.

Surviving are his parents, William Thomas and Wanda Lee Thompson Perkins.

Also surviving are three sisters, Linda (Perkins) Daniels of Lyons, Colo., Rachel Perkins and Holly Perkins DiVecchio, both of Burgettstown; a brother, Daniel Perkins of Macungie; 10 nieces and nephews; and a great-niece and great-nephew.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in Steel and Wolfe Funeral Home and Cremation Services Inc., 380 Penco Road, Weirton, where funeral services will be held at noon Tuesday, May 14. Burial will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Burgettstown. A repast luncheon will follow in Hanover Township Volunteer Fire Department, Paris. Online condolences may be addressed to www.steelandwolfe.com.

**William Thomas Perkins II
Died May 10, 2013**

MRS. JOSEPH PERKO

Mrs. Minnie Yeager Perko, 81, widow of Joseph Perko, died Sunday, February 18, 1962, at 8:15 p.m., in her home, Burgettstown, R.D. 2.

Mrs. Perko was born April 10, 1881, in Hungary, and was a resident of Smith Township for 45 years. She was a member of the Womans Benefit Association of Carnegie.

Surviving are one son, Fred Perko, Burgettstown, R.D. 2; two brothers, Charles Yeager of Detroit, Mich., and Frank Yeager, of Murfreesboro, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Stephen Kovach, of Bridgeville, and Mrs. Louis Walley, of Detroit; three grandchildren, six great-grandchildren.

Requiem Mass was held at Our Lady of Lourdes church Wednesday, Feb. 21, at 9 a.m. Interment in the church cemetery.

Minnie Yeager Perko
April 10, 1881-February 18, 1962

OBITUARIES

MRS. JOSEPH PERLOWSKI

Mrs. Elizabeth Perlow-
ski, 47, wife of Joseph
Perlowsky, of Weirton,
West Virginia, died at 7:15
p.m. Monday, December 19,
1966, in the Weirton Gen-
eral hospital, where she
had been a patient 15
months.

She was born September
19, 1919, in Elizabeth, a
daughter of Mrs. Anna
Petroski Opalenek, of Pe-
nowa, and the late Mike
Korpos.

Mrs. Perlowski was a
member of Sacred Heart
of Mary Roman Catholic
Church, Christian Moth-
ers, Rosary Society and La-
dies Auxilliary of the Weir-
ton Eagles.

She was married Novem-
ber 20, 1938, in Canons-
burg, to Joseph Perlowski,
who survives. Also sur-
viving are her mother and
two sons, Joseph, Jr., and
Edward, both at home; five
brothers, Charles Korpos,
of Avella; Mike Korpos and
George Opalenek, both of
Penowa; John Korpos, of
Cleveland, Ohio; and Frank
Korpos, of Eldersville; and
five sisters, Mrs. Mary
Bonazza, of Washington;
Mrs. Erma Zick, of Cleve-
land, Ohio; Mrs. Julia Ge-
venosky and Mrs. Helen
Peterson, both of Cedar
Grove; and Mrs. Margaret
Zilich, of Weirton.

Friends were received at
the Greco-Hertnick Fun-
eral Home, Weirton.

Elizabeth Perlowski
September 19, 1919-December 19, 1966

DELICIE S. PERRIN

Delcie Sarah Perrin, 76, of Avella, died in Washington hospital at 6:20 a.m. Saturday, October 28, 1961.

She was born in Independence Township October 2, 1885, a daughter of David C. and Anna E. McCreary Perrin, and spent her entire life there. Miss Perrin was a member of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian church, Independence.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Mary Garner, St. Petersburg, Fla., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Services were held from the Thompson Funeral home, Avella, Tuesday, Oct. 31, at 2 p. m., in charge of Rev. Kenneth H. Slater of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian church. Interment was in Independence Cemetery.

Delcie Sarah Perrin
October 2, 1885-October 28, 1961

Miss Perrin's Funeral Is Largely Attended

Died April 9th 1914

At the home of her parents, John E. and Mary Manchester Perrin, of Independence, Miss Dorothy Perrin died last Thursday of typhoid fever. Miss Perrin was a student at Bethany College and about three weeks ago was taken ill and went home. A week later typhoid fever developed, but her condition was not considered serious until the day of her death. She was a member of the Presbyterian church of Independence, and was very popular among the young people. She would have graduated in music at Bethany this summer. Miss Perrin was an only child and was born on September 11, 1895.

The funeral services of Miss Perrin were held at the Perrin home Saturday and was probably the most largely attended in Independence. Practically every resident of that place attended besides the students from Bethany College some of whom walked the five miles to be present and those from other points.

The services were conducted by the Rev. W. J. Holmes, of Wellsburg, formerly pastor of the local church assisted by Dr. T. E. Cramblett, president of Bethany College, the Rev. Mr. Gaut, of Avella, the Rev. Mr. Adams, supply of the Independence Presbyterian church, Rev. Leonaad Richey, of Follansbee, and the Rev. Mr. Fryckland, of Franklin.

The members of the sorority of Bethany College of which Miss Perrin was a member attended in a body. The girl students and friends of Miss Perrin holding the many beautiful floral tributes in their arms formed an aisle that reached from the Perrin home to the street through which the casket was borne.

Dorothy Manchester Perrin
September 11, 1895-April 9, 1914

JAMES W. PERRIN

James W. Perrin, 74, of 1211 McCabe Avenue, Coraopolis, died Thursday, Nov. 21, 1985, in the Sewickley Valley Hospital, Sewickley.

He was born April 17, 1911, in Independence Township, a son of Clyde and Myrtle McMurray Perrin.

He was a member of the Mt. Calvary United Presbyterian Church, Coraopolis.

Mr. Perrin was a member of the Coraopolis Lodge 674 F & AM, the Royal Arch Chapter 300, Chartiers Commandery, and the Syria Temple.

Surviving are his wife, Eleanor Cowden Perrin; three sons, James, William and Thomas Perrin; two daughters, Sharon Swoger and Susan Flores; three sisters, Margaret Rohr of McKeesport, Mary Alice Robinson of Independence Township and Elizabeth Bratigan of Ohio; and seven grandchildren.

Private services were held Saturday. Burial was in the Independence Cemetery.

James W. Perrin
April 17, 1911-November 21, 1985

Margery R. Perrin

Retired Avella teacher



Margery R. Perrin, 88, of Avella, died at 7:35 p.m. Friday, November 13, 2015, in Strabane Woods

of Washington.

She was born July 13, 1927, in Butler, a daughter of the late Walter L. and Ruth L. Thomas Roe.

Mrs. Perrin was a 1945 graduate of Butler High School. She received her bachelor of science degree from Muskingum University and her master in education from Duquesne University.

She was a teacher for Avella Area School District for 44 years, retiring in 1993.

Mrs. Perrin lived in Avella since 1949. She was a member of Grove United Presbyterian Church in West Middletown, Avella Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary, Bert C. Siders American Legion Post 643 Ladies Auxiliary, Independence Grange 179, Franklin Woman's Club and was a past president of Avella Public Library.

On July 10, 1951, she married Robert V. Perrin, who died October 22, 1983.

Surviving are two sons, Richard L. (Denise) Perrin of Howard, Ohio, and David (Kelly) Perrin of Avella; four grandchildren, David Jr., Derek, Daren and Danielle; two great-grandchildren, Jude and Cameron; two sisters, Carol (Bruce) Ball of Butler and Donna (Bruce) Williamson of Mt. Vernon, Ohio; and a sister-in-law, Shirley Roe of Butler.

Deceased, in addition to her husband and parents, is a brother, Thomas Roe.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, November 19, in Grove United Presbyterian Church, 125 East Main Street, West Middletown, with the Rev. Jack Emerick officiating. Burial will be in Independence Cemetery, Avella.

Memorial contributions can be made to Avella Public Library, P.O. Box 547, Avella, PA 15312, or Grove United Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 88, West Middletown, PA 15379.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Margery R. Perrin
July 13, 1927-November 13, 2015

MRS. MARY M. PERRIN

Mrs. Mary Manchester Perrin, 86, Independence, died at 5:30 o'clock, Friday morning, May 11, 1945, after a week's illness of pneumonia, at the home of her sisters, Miss Cora and Miss Alice Manchester.

She was the daughter of the late Asa and Martha McLane Manchester. On June 15, 1887, she was married to John E. Perrin to which union one daughter, was born, the late Dorothy Manchester Perrin. They lived at the Perrin homestead following their marriage until September 1904, when they moved to Independence.

She was a lifelong member of the Lower Buffalo Presbyterian Church and served as president of the Women's Missionary Society for 25 years. She had been a worker in the Sunday School as long as her health permitted.

Mrs. Perrin was a member of Independence Grange No. 179 and had been chaplain for a period of more than 25 years.

Surviving are two sisters, the Misses Alice and Cora Manchester of near Independence.

Mary Manchester Perrin
February 6, 1859-May 11, 1945

OLIVER F. PERRINE

Oliver F. (Ollie) Perrine, 82, of 122 Galley Road, Canonsburg, died unexpectedly at 5:45 p.m. Sunday, October 28, 1978, in the Washington Hospital.

He was born November 4, 1895, in McDonald, a son of Joseph and Theresa Burns Perrine, and was a retired carpenter.

He was a member of Loyal Order of Moose No. 127 of Canonsburg and Local 1441 Carpenters Union.

His first wife, Elsie Lowman Perrine, died in 1952, and his second wife, Mary Craig Perrine, died in 1974.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Florence Carberry, with whom he made his home; Mrs. Hazel Boyle, of Houston; and Mrs. Jean Bissiere, of Canonsburg; two sons, Bert Perrine, of Canonsburg, and Frank Perrine, of Eighty Four; one sister, Mrs. Ida Brownlee, of Avella; 16 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; and a step-son, George Craig, of Meadow Lands.

A daughter, Marie, is deceased.

Friends were received in the Speakman Funeral Home, Houston, where services were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday by the Rev. Edgar Gearhart. Burial was in Oak Spring Cemetery.

Oliver F. Perrine
November 4, 1895-October 28, 1978

Lody Pershina

Self-employed farmer

Lody Pershina, 97, of McDonald, Robinson Township, died Monday, April 10, 2006, in his home.

He was born January 2, 1909, in McDonald, a son of Martin and Josephine Novak Pershina.

Mr. Pershina was a self-employed farmer and a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church.

Surviving are a sister, Frances Ringlesbach of McDonald, and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a sister, Josephine Laslo, and six brothers, Martin, Victor, John, Charles, Frank and Andrew Pershina.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, April 13. Interment will follow in St. Patrick Cemetery, Noblestown.

Lody Pershina
January 2, 1909- April 10, 2006

CARLO PERSIANI

Carlo Persiani, 78, of Joffre, formerly of Muse, died Friday, August 25, 1972, in Washington Hospital.

He was born in Italy May 16, 1894, and was a retired coal miner.

A member of the Italian Club of Muse, he also was a member of the United Mine Workers Local 5600.

Surviving are a son, Angelo, of Baltimore, Maryland; one daughter, Mrs. Josephine Harris, of Joffre; one brother in Italy; nine grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held Monday at 1 p.m. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Carlo Persiani
May 16, 1894-August 25, 1972

Frank F. Persin


Frank Francis Persin of Bulger died June 27, 1996, at his residence. He was 82.

Born May 12, 1914, in Imperial, he was the son of John and Frances Dusza Persin.

He was the previous owner of Persin Tavern in Bavington and was a World War II veteran.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Frances and Angeline; and six brothers, William, John, Anthony, Lewis, Joseph and Edward Persin.

He is survived by his wife, Betty; a daughter, Darlene J. Moore of Bavington; a sister, Mary Lah of Imperial; a granddaughter, Morgan L. Moore; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received June 29 and 30 in the Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., Imperial. Services were held July 1 in the funeral home, the Rev. Millie Adams officiating. Interment was in Chestnut Cemetery, Hanover Township. 

Frank E. Persin
May 12, 1914-June 27, 1996

Pescho

Anna Pescho, 88, formerly of Burgettstown, died Thursday, April 24, 1980, in the Weirton Convalescent Center.

She was born September 3, 1891, in Czechoslovakia. She was a member of St. John the Baptist Byzantine Rite Church in Avella and the SNPJ Lodge.

Surviving are two sons, George of Weirton, W. Va., and Paul of Willowick, Ohio; six daughters, Helen Tope of Georgetown, Pauline Cullari of Slovan, Mary Denny of Weirton, W. Va., Anne Boulson of Steubenville, Ohio, Irene Pradetto of Burgettstown and Dorothy Liptak of Broadview Heights, Ohio; and 27 grandchildren and 39 great-grandchildren.

Her husband, John, and three sons, Andrew, John and Mike, are deceased.

PESCHO — Friends of Anna Pescho, formerly of Burgettstown, who died Thursday, April 24, 1980, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in the Lee Funeral Home in Burgettstown. Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, April 28, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown. Burial will be in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Anna Pescho
September 3, 1891-April 24, 1980

Margaret Katherine Slopek Pescho

*Depression survivor,
cooked ethnic dishes*



Margaret Katherine Slopek Pescho, 92, of Burgettstown, passed away Saturday, July 20, 2013, on her father's

birthday.

She was born January 16, 1921, in Slovan, a daughter of Joseph and Marie Nehr Slopek.

Mrs. Pescho was a survivor of the Depression and grew up never wasting anything.

She left her home from ages 13 to 15 to live and clean houses, along with her sister, Alma.

Mrs. Pescho lived with two different families who treated her like a daughter. One worked at the Hotel Webster Hall as a chef and taught her to cook many different foods and ethnic dishes. She loved Slovenian polkas, Tamburitzans, Greek food festivals and pastries. She was of German and Slovak descent. She cooked a well-balanced meal every day while raising her children. She loved to bake, giving away many of her treats to friends.

Mrs. Pescho was the last of her immediate family.

She was the mother of George (Linda) Pescho Jr. of Buffalo Village, Robert (Marianne) Pescho of South Euclid, Ohio, Joan (John) Casey of Cherry Valley, Karen (Jim) Cupit of Upper Darby and Greg Bidlow of Largo, Fla.; grandmother of Tony, Katie, Kathleen, Suzanne, Erin, Graham and Margaret and great-grandmother of Rian, Lana, Payton, Andrew, Evan and Maso. A great-granddaughter was born July 22, 2013.

Also surviving are many nieces and nephews.

Deceased are brothers Joseph, Julius, Edward, Steven, Charles and David; infant sister Helen Slopek; and half sisters Alma Mosch Windsheimer, Josephine Loucas and Mary Slopek. A best friend of 45 years, Arnil Navoski of Cherry Valley, died in 2002.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 24, with the Rev. Sue Petritis. Interment will follow in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown. For further information and condolences, please visit www.taucher-funeralhome.com.

Margaret Katherine Slopek Pescho
January 16, 1921-July 20, 2013

Charles W. Peters

U.S. Army veteran

Charles W. Peters, known by his friends as "Doc," 91, of Burgettstown, passed away Monday, October 24, 2016, in Brightwood Nursing Center, Follansbee, W.Va.

He was born November 30, 1924, in Paden City, W.Va., a son of the late Robert L. and Esta Ash Peters.

A veteran of the U.S. Army, he served in World War II and retired from Weirton Steel.

He was a member of Pittsburgh Revival Center in North Hills and enjoyed doing yardwork and spending time with his family.

Surviving are his wife, Bernice L. Westfall Peters of Burgettstown; his children to his late first wife Wanda Peters, Pamela Schulte of Follansbee, Terry Peters and Darlene White, both of Florida; his children to his second wife Bernice, Charlene Speedy of Weirton, W.Va., Gregg Linger

of Florence and Kirk Linger of Weirton; 13 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are his first wife, Wanda Peters; three sons, Mark Peters, Terry and Gary Linger; two brothers, Bob and Bill; and four sisters, Mary, Ruth, Fae and Betty.

To honor Mr. Peter's wishes, there will be no public visitation and entombment with military honors in Highland Hills Memorial Gardens, Follansbee, will be held privately.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made in his memory to Wounded Warrior Project, PO Box 758516, Topeka, Kansas, 66675, www.woundedwarriorproject.org/donate and/or a church of the donor's choice.

Arrangements are under the direction of Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Charles W. Peters

November 30, 1924-October 24, 2016

Evelyn Peterson

Evelyn (Toots) Peterson, 85, of Avella, died Tuesday, Dec. 6, 1994, in Horizon Senior Care, Canonsburg.

Born Oct. 20, 1909, in Star Junction, she was the daughter of George and Mollie Myers Murphy.

Mrs. Peterson was married Oct. 20, 1930, in Wellsburg, W.Va., to Elmer Peterson, who died Dec. 19, 1938.

She lived for the past 63 years in Avella, where she was a member of the Cross Creek Valley Senior Citizens.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Bernard (Carolyn) Wysocki of Beaver and Mrs. Howard (Shirley) McIlvried of McCandless; a son, Thomas Peterson of Avella; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was the last of her immediate family.

Deceased are four brothers and one grandson, Timothy McIlvried.

Friends were received in the Sterkovich Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held Friday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Robert Wilde officiating. Burial was in Independence Cemetery.

Evelyn (Toots) Peters
October 20, 1909-December 6, 1994

John J. Peters

John J. Peters of Avella died Sept. 6, 1997, in Shadyside Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Pittsburgh. He was 83.

Born Nov. 24, 1913, he was the son of Paul and Anne (Yellog) Peters of Avella.

He served in the U.S. Army for 20 years during WW II and the Korean Conflict.

After his Army career, he worked for many years at Spataro's PX Market in Avella.

He lived his entire life in Avella, where he attended St. Michael Roman Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Mary, Helen, and Anna; and a brother, Paul.

He is survived by a sister, Genevieve Drobiezewski of Wilksburg, and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Sept. 8 in the Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella. A Mass of the Christian Burial was held Sept. 9 in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella, the Rev. Pierre Sodini as celebrant. Interment was in St. Michael's Cemetery.



John J. Peters
November 24, 1913-September 6, 1997

Lillian I. Peters

Former Carrick resident
born in Burgettstown

Lillian I. Pavan Peters, 92,
formerly of Carrick, died
Tuesday, February 29, 2000.

She was born December 21,
1907, in Burgettstown, a daughter
of James and Ida Povero Pavan.

Surviving are a sister,
Katherine Carapellucci of
McMurray; and several nieces
and nephews.

Her husband, Regis E. Peters,
is deceased.

Lillian L. Peters

December 21, 1907-February 29,2000

Peters

Mary T. Peters, 73, of Harmon Creek, Burgettstown R.D. 3, died Monday, July 11, 1977, in her home.

Born January 22, 1904, in Glade Springs, Va., a daughter of Robert and Virginia Cassell Travenner, she was a member of Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Peters was also a member of the Women's Association of the church and a member of the National Historical Society. She had been a resident of Burgettstown for 44 years.

Surviving are her widower, J. Roy Peters; two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Frances) Welsh and Mrs. Robert (Louise) Melnyk, both of McMurray; and five grandchildren.

Mary T. Peters
January 22, 1904-July 11, 1977

ROY PETERS

Roy Peters, 88, formerly of Harmon Creek, Burgettstown, died Friday, Dec. 20, 1985, in the Horizon Health Care Center, Canonsburg.

Born Aug. 13, 1897, in Berry, Kentucky, he was a son of Gallia and Frances Compton Peters.

Mr. Peters was a retired heavy equipment operator for the Harmon Creek Coal Company. After his retirement, he worked for the Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory.

He was a member and former elder of the Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown. He was a member of Vinson Lodge No. 66 F & AM, Fort Gay, West Virginia, and the United Mine Workers of America.

His wife, Mary Peters, died July 11, 1977.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Frank (Frances) Welsh and Mrs. Robert (Louise) Melnyk; two brothers, Homer and Howard Peters; a sister, Gladys Batterson; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Monday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Clarejean Haury officiating.

Roy Peters
August 13, 1897-December 20, 1985

ALBERT G. PETERSON

Albert G. Peterson, 73, of 810 John Street, Langeloth, died Monday, Oct. 3, 1988, in his home.

He was born May 23, 1915, in Fair Oaks, a son of Gustaf and Agnes Helsing Peterson.

Mr. Peterson was a retired electrician.

His wife, Olga Frantz Peterson, survives.

Also surviving are two sons, William Peterson of Beaver and Albert Peterson Jr. of Langeloth, and three grandchildren, Zachary, Sara Lyn and William Peterson II.

Six sisters are deceased.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home, where services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. David Dobi officiating. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Albert G. Peterson
May 23, 1915-October 14, 1988

BERTHA PETERSON

Mrs. Bertha Peterson, 74, of Burgettstown, R.D. 1, died Friday, June 10, 1966, in Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh.

A daughter of John and Emma Ralston McCausland, she was born January 18, 1892, in Hanover Township, where she spent her entire life. She was a member of the Florence United Presbyterian Church and the Friendly Sunday School class.

Surviving are one son, Clyde, of Midway; two daughters, Mrs. Mae Fullerton, of Florence, and Mrs. Doris Barnhart, of Paris; three grandchildren, Karen and Linda Peterson and Gary Barnhart; and one brother, Earl McCausland, of Washington, R.D. 5.

Her husband, Ray E. Peterson, died in 1941.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held on Monday, June 13, at 2 p.m. by Rev. Charles Van Dyne. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Bertha Peterson
January 18, 1892-June 10, 1966

Helen K. Peterson

*Member of St. John the
Baptist Church*



Helen K. Peterson, 83, of Burgettstown, died Saturday, June 20, 2015, in her home.

She was born April 6, 1932, in Penowa, a daughter of the late Michael and Anna Petrosky Korpus.

Mrs. Peterson was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church-Byzantine Rite in Avella and the church's altar society.

On December 11, 1948, she married Charles W. Peterson, who died October 11, 2009.

Surviving are two sons, Charles E. (Mary Jeanne) Peterson of Burgettstown, and Wayne (Doris) Peterson of Carmichaels; a daughter, Linda Peterson of Derry; three grandchildren, Marissa and Seth Peterson and Rachel (Mike) Angry; and a great-grandson, Christopher James Peterson.

She was the last surviving member of the Korpus family.

Deceased, in addition to her husband and parents, are five brothers, John, Michael, Frank and Charles Korpus and George Opalenek, and five sisters, Elizabeth Perlosky, Mary Bonazza, Julia Gevenosky, Erma Zick and Margaret Zilich.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312, where a Panachida service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, June 24, followed by Mass of Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. in St. John the Baptist Catholic Church-Byzantine Rite, Avella, with the Rev. Vasyl Symyon officiating. Burial will be in St. John's Cemetery, Avella. A Parastas service will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. John the Baptist Catholic Church-Byzantine Rite, P.O. Box 565, Avella, PA 15312.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Helen K. Peterson
April 6, 1932-June 20, 2015

Julia Peterson

Cafeteria supervisor
at Avella High School

Julia Peterson, 86, of Avella,
died at 2:30 a.m. Wednesday,
October 18, 2000, in Ohio Valley
Hospital, McKees Rocks.

She was born July 3, 1914, in
Atlasburg, a daughter of Nicholas
and Anna Lukack Kolesar.

Mrs. Peterson worked as a
supervisor of Avella High School
cafeteria for 20 years.

She was a member of St. John
the Baptist Catholic Church-
Byzantine Rite, where she was a
member of the Altar Society.

Mrs. Peterson was a member
of Cross Creek Valley Senior
Citizens.

Her husband, Gustav
Peterson, died January 30, 1963.

Surviving are a son, Edward
G. Peterson of Coraopolis; a
daughter, Wilma Schubenski of
Cedar Grove; five grandchildren,
Robert and James Schubenski,
Gary Peterson, Joyce Dellovade
and Judy Kutchman; nine great-
grandchildren and many nieces
and nephews.

Deceased are two brothers,
John and Nicholas Kolesar; a
sister, Anna Shelvis Putman; and

PETERSON - Friends of Julia Peterson of Avella, who died Wednesday, October 18, 2000, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, where a Parastas service will be held at 8 p.m. Friday and a Panachida service at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, October 21, followed by Divine Liturgy at 1 p.m. in St. John the Baptist Church-Byzantine Rite, Avella, with the Rev. Edward Lucas officiating. Burial will follow in St. John Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Avella Volunteer Fire Department.

Julia Peterson
July 3, 1914-October 18, 2000

Margaret Peterson

Missed, but never forgotten



Margaret "Nadine" Peterson passed away peacefully Wednesday, May 17, 2017, at 78.

She was born in Avella and was a graduate of Avella High School. She later lived many years in Kennedy and Robinson townships.

Throughout her life, she enjoyed traveling, watching sports, spending time with her family and golf. She was a long-time member of Women's Golf League of Seven Oaks Country Club and Women's Golf Association of Western Pennsylvania. In her earlier years, she was very active in the community as a youth cheerleading and softball coach, board member of Kennedy Township's Youth Football and Cheerleading As-

sociation and Montour High School Sports Booster Club.

She is survived by, and will always be lovingly remembered by, her husband of 59 years, Edward Peterson; son Gary and daughter-in-law Terri Peterson; daughter Joyce and son-in-law Ken Dellovade; daughter Judy and son-in-law Ken Kutchman; sisters Jean, Betty and Barbara; and brothers Herb and Ken.

She will also be lovingly remembered by her grandchildren, Ashley (Kevin) Strouse, Becky (Shawn) Petrarca, Nick (Jaime) Peterson, Kristi Dellovade, Dan Dellovade, Adrienne Dellovade, Kaitlyn Kutchman and Kyle Kutchman; great-grandchildren Aiden, Kaylee, Evan and Nolan; as well as her many loving nieces, nephews and friends.

Deceased are loving parents

Herbert and Margaret Rohr and sister Jane Rush.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday in McDermott Funeral Home, 334 Forest Grove Road, Coraopolis, PA 15108.

A funeral service in her honor will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, May 22, in Grove United Presbyterian Church, 125 East Main Street, West Middletown, PA 15379. Interment will follow the church service in West End Cemetery, Avella.

The nurses of Wexford Good Samaritan Hospice Center provided help and compassionate care. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Good Samaritan Hospice Center of Wexford, 3500 Brooktree Road, Suite 320, Wexford, PA 15090.

She will be missed, but never forgotten.

Margaret (Nadine) Peterson
Died- May 17, 2017

Olga S. Peterson

Burgettstown homemaker

Olga S. Peterson, 74, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, May 5, 2003, in Washington Hospital.

She was born May 29, 1928, in Sewickley, a daughter of Thomas and Frances Frantz.

She was a homemaker.

Her husband, Albert G.

Peterson Sr., who died October 3, 1988.

Surviving are two sons, Albert Peterson of Burgettstown and William Peterson of Beaver; a brother, Alex Frantz of Baden; a sister, Pauline Gallo of Ohioville; and three grandchildren, Sara, William II and Zachary Peterson.

PETERSON - Friends of Olga S. Peterson of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, May 5, 2003, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, member of Covered Bridges Independent Funeral Homes, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 10, with the Rev. Bill Roemer officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Olga S. Peterson
May 29, 1928-May 5, 2003

ROY E. PETRRSON

Roy E. Peterson, 47, died at his home in Florence Thursday at 11 o'clock after an illness of several weeks. He had been employed in the oil fields of northwestern Washington County. He was a member of the Florence Presbyterian church.

His wife, Bertha McCausland Peterson survives with one son, Clyde R. Peterson, Midway, and two daughters Mrs. Glenn Fullerton, Florence, and Miss Doris Jean, at home. He leaves one brother, George Peterson, Burgettstown, R.D.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, daylight saving time, in the Florence Presbyterian church, conducted by his pastor, the Rev. R. L. Biddle. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery.

Roy E. Peterson
Died-June 12, 1941

Wayne J. Peterson

Word has been received of the recent death of Wayne J. Peterson of East Chicago, Ill., after a long illness.

A former resident of Cedar Grove, Cross Creek Township, he was born June 8, 1930, the son of the late Julius and Rachel Roadway Peterson.

He was a 1948 graduate of Avella High School and was a retired Air Force sergeant, serving his country during the Korean and Vietnam conflicts.

Mr. Peterson is survived by his wife, three children, several grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers.

Wayne J. Peterson
June 8, 1930-May 15, 1995

Edward W. Pethtel Sr.

1944-2008

Edward William Pethtel Sr., 63, of Richmond, Ohio, for the past six years, formerly of Burgettstown, died Saturday afternoon, April 12, 2008, in Trinity Health System West, Steubenville, Ohio, following a courageous battle with cancer.

He was born October 1, 1944, in Colliers, W.Va., a son of the late Claude H. and Ica Irene Martin Pethtel.

Mr. Pethtel was a truck driver for various companies, retiring in 2006 because of his health.

He enjoyed spending time with his family and six Chihuahuas, gardening, farming, fishing and drag racing.

His wife, Sophia Shimek Pethtel, whom he married June 13, 1970, survives.

Also surviving are four sons, Edward W. Pethtel Jr. (Andrea) of Follansbee, W.Va., Erik J. Pethtel (Tiffany) of Burgettstown, Claude H. Pethtel (Gwen) of Georgetown and William E. Pethtel of Richmond, Ohio; five daughters, Claudia I. Cline (Adrian) of Langeloth, Cindy S. Moss (Emmanuel) of Richmond, Ohio, Kimberly J. Riter (Kevin) of Weirton, W.Va., Melissa R. Pethtel (Bob) of Finleyville and April M. Stanley; two sisters, Dorothy Russell of Weirton and Geraldine Smith of Burgettstown; 12 grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are two sisters, Joanne Davis and Nancy Dhanse.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 16. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in his memory to his family.

Edward William Pethtel Sr.
October 1, 1944-April 12, 2008

Claude Pethtel

Claude Pethtel, 76, of Dinsmore Avenue, Burgettstown, died Monday, July 13, 1992, in the Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center.

He was born Sept. 7, 1915, in St. Mary's, W.Va., a son of Edward and Blanche DeLong Pethtel.

He was a member of Church of Christ of Langeloth. Until retiring, he worked for the Weirton Steel Co. and belonged to the 25-Year Club.

On Aug. 28, 1935, he married Ica Irene Martin Pethtel, who died July 4, 1987.

Surviving are a son, Edward Pethtel of Burgettstown; three daughters, Dorothy Simonelli of Slovan, Geraldine Smith of Hanlin Station and Nancy Dharse of Burgettstown; seven sisters, Mrs. Pete (Nan) Rock of Smithfield, Ohio; Mrs. Darold (Virginia) Boone of Richmond, Ohio; Mrs. Robert (Letha) McCombs of Weirton; Mrs. Jack (Emma) Dotson of Follansbee, W.Va.; Mrs. Harry (Ada Mae) Brown of Steubenville, Ohio; Mrs. Stanley (MaDawn) Paul of Wintersville, Ohio; and Mrs. Victor (Blanche) Loy of New Matamoras, Ohio; five brothers, Zidock Pethtel of New Matamoras; Calvin Pethtel of Glendaie, Ohio; Arthur Pethtel of Marietta, Ohio; Saul Pethtel of Reno, Nev.; and Earl Pethtel of Amsterdam, Ohio; 26 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

Also deceased are a daughter, Joanne Davis; a brother, Marion (Flay) Pethtel; and two infant sisters.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Thursday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Neol Saxton and Russell Siasor officiating. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

Claude Pethtel
September 7, 1915-July 13, 1992

Steven Petka

Steven Petka, 74, of Avella R.D.2, died in his home at 1 a.m. Wednesday, May 1, 1985.

Born August 21, 1910, in Warsaw, Poland, he was a son of Michael and Amelia Petka.

He was a United Mine Worker and a member of Local 4285 of Elm Grove, W.Va. for 25 years. He retired in 1973 from American Bridge Co., Ambridge, where he worked for 19 years. He also was a member of the United Steel Workers.

Mr. Petka was a resident of the Avella area most of his life. He was a member of St. Michael Church, Fort Vance Historical Society, Cross Creek Senior Citizens, Golden Agers of Meadow Lands and American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643 of Avella.

He served in the U.S. Army in the 749th Tank Battalion during World War II.

He was married in Windsor Heights, May 2, 1942, to Diana (Francise) Plisko, who survives.

Also surviving, are one daughter, Mrs. Verne (Patricia) Doumont of Eldersville; two sons, Steven M. Jr. and Philip J. Petka, both of Avella R.D.2.; six grandchildren; one brother, Matthew Petka of Avella R.D.2.; two half brothers, Ignatius Yonis of Avella R.D.2 and Joseph Yonis of Flagstaff, Ariz.; one half sister, Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Braken of Avella R.D.2; and two step-brothers, Michael Yonis of Stockport, Ohio, and Walter Yonis of Algonac, Mich.



DIES — Steven Petka, 74, of Avella R.D.2, died Wednesday, May 1, 1985. He was a resident of the Avella area for most of his life.

Steven Petka
August 21, 1910-May 1, 1985

Dorothy Evelyn Petrel

Member of Eldersville United Methodist Church



Dorothy Evelyn Petrel, 91, of Eldersville, made her way to heaven Sunday, October 7,

2018.

She was born May 22, 1927, in East Liverpool, Ohio, a daughter of the late Dudley Myers and Esther Bane.

Mrs. Petrel worked at Colliers Steel for 34 years as a welder on the caulking gun line and as a production inventory clerk.

She was a member of Eldersville United Methodist Church and Jefferson County Historical Society.

Mrs. Petrel's passion was cooking, especially for church dinners and events. In her younger years, she enjoyed traveling both here and abroad. Her favorite trip was attending the Oberammergau Passion Play in Bavaria, Germany.

Surviving are her three children, Cynthia (Gary) McCuen of Burgettstown, Pamela Petrel of Wheeling, W.Va., and Mark (Nancy) Petrel of Eldersville; five grandchildren, Denise (William) Cherenko, Gary (Tammy) McCuen, Jim (Lori) Petrel, Jamie Petrel and Jenna (Joe) Denton; five great-grandchildren, Jacob McCuen, William and Nicholas Cherenko and Sabrina

and James Petrel III; three brothers, Harvey (Marie) Bane of Georgia, Richard (Velma) Bane of Maryland and Thomas (Elizabeth) Bane of Eldersville; two sisters, Louise Sonnenberg of California and Valerie (Frank) Fish of West Virginia; and a very special friend of 75 years; Dorothy Muzopappa of Weirton, W.Va.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her loving husband, James Howard Petrel, and two brothers, Donald E. Bane and Dudley Myers Jr.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Young Funeral Home and Cremation Services Inc., Taucher Chapel, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, October 13, with Pastor Joel Peterson officiating. Interment will follow in Fort Steuben Burial

celebration of Dorothy's life, a dinner will follow in Eldersville United Methodist Church.

The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Eldersville United Methodist Church, 15 Church Road, Burgettstown, PA 15021, or Jefferson County Historical Society, P.O. Box 383, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

For further information or to leave a condolence, visit www.youngfhinc.com.

Dorothy Evelyn Petrel
May 22, 1927-October 7, 2018

Peter M. Petreo

Peter Martin Petreo, aged 73 years, died last Friday morning at the home of his son, James Petreo, at Eldersville, where he had made his home for several years. He is survived by his widow and the following sons: James of Eldersville, Fred of Wheeling, Walter of Follansbee, and a daughter, Mrs. Howard Monroe of Yorkville, Ohio. Interment was made at Follansbee on Sunday afternoon.

Peter Martin Petreo
Died- December 4, 1931

Frances Ruth Petricca

*Well-known for her
cooking and baking*



Frances
Ruth Pet-
ricca, 87, of
Smith Town-
ship, died
M o n d a y,
June 2, 2014,
in Washing-

ton Health System.

She was born June 5, 1926, in Tyrone, a daughter of Harvey James and Nellie Jeffries Myers.

Mrs. Petricca was Presbyterian. She enjoyed reading, word puzzles, singing and listening to music, and loved watching Jeff Dunham (the ventriloquist) and Steven Seagal. In her happy times, she was a light-hearted person. She was well-known for her cooking and baking and love of family and friends.

On August 3, 1946, in Burgettstown, she married Matthew P. Petricca, who died March 20, 2010.

Surviving are her children, John (Judy) Petricca of Atlasburg, Judy (Gordon) Griggs of Atlasburg, Jerry (Cindy Staples) Petricca of Miltona, Minn., and Linda (Terry) Butya of Robinson Township; and her nearest and dearest sister-in-law, Mary White. She was the loving grandmother of 10 grandchildren, Amanda Anderson, Stacey Knavish, Sarah Petricca Patel, Lesley Kirzeder, Lauren Carnali, Meghan Phillips, Leeanne Carnali, Randy Petricca, Lucas Fuchs and Steve Petricca. Also surviving are great-grandchildren Brianna and Brady Anderson, Seth and Ilah Mae Kirzeder, Braydon, Cadence and Ainsley Phillips and Samantha Knavish; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Deceased is a son, Eddie Petricca.

She was the last of her immediate family.

Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, in Dale D. DeAngelo Funeral Home, 1290 Jefferson Avenue, Washington. All other funeral arrangements are private.

Frances Ruth Petricca
June 5, 1926-June 2, 2014

Obituary

JOHN PETRICCA

John Petricca, 70 died Thursday, Jan. 9, 1947, at 10 a. m., at his home in Smith Township, near Atlasburg, where he had resided the past nine years. He was born in Italy, Feb. 20, 1876, and came to the United States 26 years ago.

Besides his wife, Aurora Rossi Petricca, he is survived by two sons and one daughter: Eugene Mathew and Mary, all at home, and one brother, Anterrio Petricca of Atlasburg.

Funeral services were held from the late home Sunday, January 12, at 2 p.m. Interment was in the Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

John Petricca
February 20, 1876-January 9, 1947

Maria Petricca

Maria Altobelli Petricca of Atlasburg died July 27, 1997, in The Washington Hospital. She was 88.

Born Oct. 13, 1908, in Filetto, Aquila, Italy, she was the daughter of Antonio and Domenica Altobelli.

She attended Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Antonia on June 26, 1974; and a son, Harry on Sept. 13, 1960.

She is survived by four daughters, Virginia Petricca of Pittsburgh, Pauline Mott of Canton, Blanche Schneider of Atlasburg, and Matilda Marten of Santa Rosa, Calif.; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received July 29 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held July 30 in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. A wake service was held July 29 in the funeral home, led by the Rev. Tusky. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Maria Petricca
October 13, 1908-July 27 1997

Matthew Petricca

1915-2010

Matthew Petricca of Atlasburg peacefully passed away in his home March 20, 2010.

He was born April 20, 1915, in Paganica, Abruzzo region, Italy, a son of Giovanni and Aurora Rossi Petricca.

On August 3, 1946, he married Frances Ruth Myers, of Tipton.

She survives, along with children John (Judy) Petricca, Judy (Gordon) Griggs, Jerry Petricca and Linda (Terry) Butya.

He was a loving grandfather of seven granddaughters, Amanda Anderson, Stacey Knavish, Sarah Petricca, Lesley Kirzeder, Lauren Carnali, Meghan Fuchs and Leeanne Carnali; three grandsons, Randy Petricca, Luke Fuchs and Steve Petricca; and five great-grandchildren, Brianna and Brady Anderson, Seth Kirzeder and Braydon and Cadence Schmura.

Also surviving are a sister and brother-in-law, Mary and Lloyd White, and a sister-in-law, Ruth C. Petricca, wife of his deceased brother, Eugene Petricca.

Also deceased are a son, Ed Petricca, and a nephew, Lloyd Garrett White.

His family includes many nieces, nephews and cousins, both here and in Italy, and a loyal friend of many years, Mark Sarracino.

At the request of the deceased, there will be no visitation or services. A memorial will be observed at a later date.

Matthew Petricca

April 20, 1915-March 20, 2010

MIKE PETRINA

Mike Petrina, 73, of Avella, died at 5:30 a.m. Friday, December 1, 1961, in the Washington hospital.

Mr. Petrina was born August 5, 1888, in Austria-Hungary. He had resided in the United States and the Avella Community for the past 60 years. He was a coal miner.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral home, Avella, where services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Dec. 4, in charge of the Rev. William Keys, pastor of Bethel Methodist church. Burial was in Bethel cemetery.

Mike Petrina
August 5, 1888-December 1, 1961

Thresa N. Petro

Thresa Nicola Petro of North Central Avenue, Canonsburg, died Sept. 24, 1997. She was 86.

Born May 21, 1911, in Bulger, she was the daughter of Angelo and Felicia Morocco Nicola.

She spent most of her life in Canonsburg, where she was a member of St. Patrick Parish.

Prior to her retirement, she worked in sales and health care. Her last employment was at Celento's Department Store in Canonsburg.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles S. Sr. on Dec. 2, 1969; a

sister, Melinda Pietrandrea; and three brothers, Edward R., Alex and Louis "Gigi" Nicola.

She is survived by three daughters, Rose Courie and Bella Albano, both of Washington, and Marie Adele Dellapiazza of Cecil; two sons, Charles Jr. and James, both of Washington; a brother, Angelo Nicola Jr. of Pittsburgh; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Sept. 26 in the Sollon Funeral Home Ltd., Canonsburg. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Sept. 27 in St. Patrick Worship Site of St. Patrick Parish. Burial was in St. Patrick Cemetery, Canonsburg.

Thresa Petro
May 21, 1911-September 24, 1997

JAMES J. PETROLA

James Joseph Petrola, of 800 Addison Street, Washington, died in the Washington Hospital at 8:25 a.m. Tuesday, December 5, 1972, the result of a heart condition.

Born in Richhill on March 7, 1907, he was a son of John and Anna Soyka Petrola. He worked for 28 years in the Atlas Glass Company and more recently at the Metro Glass Division of Kraftco Corporation, retiring in March, 1972.

Surviving are his wife, Madolyn McMurtry Petrola; one son, James D. Petrola, of Peters Township; three brothers, John and Michael, both of Washington, and William Andrew, of Lehigh Acres, Florida; four sisters, Mrs. Ann Chastulik, of Burgettstown; Mrs. Catherine Ammon, of Canonsburg; Mrs. Mildred Nakonsezny, of Houston; and Mrs. Julia Malik, of Washington; and one grandchild.

Friends were received in the Hummel Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

James Joseph Petrola
March 7, 1907-December 5, 1972

JOHN PETROLA

John (Curly) Petrola, 75, of 469 Ewing Street, Washington, died at 2:55 a.m. Saturday, March 9, 1985, at the home of his sister, Mildred Nakoneczny of Houston, following a lingering illness.

Born Sept. 10, 1909, in Star Junction, he was a son of John and Anna Soyka Petrola.

Before he retired, Mr. Petrola had been employed by Brockway Glass Plant No. 11 for 48 years.

Mr. Petrola was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church of Washington.

He served with the 833rd Engineering Aviation Battalion during World War II.

He was a member of American Legion Post 175 of Washington and the GPPAW Retirees Club Branch No. 2.

Surviving are two brothers, Michael Petrola of Washington and William Andrew Petrola of Lehigh Acres, Florida; four sisters, Mrs. Anna Chastulik of Burgettstown, Mrs. Catherine Ammon of Canonsburg, Mrs. Mildred Nakoneczny of Houston and Mrs. Julia Malik of Washington; and several nieces and nephews.

A brother, James J. Petrola, and a sister, Mary Petrola, are deceased.

Friends were received in the Hummell and Barnhill Funeral Home, Washington. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the Immaculate Conception Church with the Rev. Fr. John Bauer as the celebrant. Interment was in Washington Cemetery.

John "Curly" Petrola
September 10, 1909-March 9, 1985

William Andrew Petrola

Word has been received of the death of William Andrew Petrola, 77, of Lehigh Acres, Fla., formerly of Washington, who died Friday, Nov. 13, 1992, in Lehigh Acres.

Born Jan. 15, 1915, in Smithton, he was a son of John and Anna Petrola.

Mr. Petrola was a veteran of World War II, retiring from the U.S. Navy as a chief petty officer.

Surviving are a daughter, Sandy Carlton of Michigan; four sisters, Mildred Nakoneczny of Houston, Catherine Ammon of Canonsburg, Anna Chastulik of Burgettstown and Julia Malik of Washington; a brother, Michael Petrola of Washington; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are two brothers, James Petrola and John (Curly) Petrola, and a sister, Mary Petrola.

Private services were held Thursday in Florida.

William Andrew Petrola
January 15, 1915-November 13, 1992

MRS ALEXANDRA PETROSKI

Mrs. Alexandra Petroski, 61, of Burgettstown, died at her home Saturday, November 16, at 1:20 p.m., after a lingering illness. She was born in Poland on May 3, 1885, and spent 34 years in Burgettstown and vicinity.

She is survived by six children: Mrs. Jane Sworchek, Mrs. Josephine Mozina, Mrs. Bernice Tiptor, Stanley and Alex Petroski, all of Burgettstown, and Miss Loretta Petroski of Pittsburgh. Seven grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 19, at 9 a. m., from Our Lady of Lourdes Church in charge of Father W. J. McCashin. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

Alexandra Petroski
May 3, 1885-November 16, 1946

JACK PETROSKI

Jack Petroski, 52 died Friday, May 31, at his home, Short Street, following an illness of two months of heart trouble.

He had been employed by the Union Coal Company and spent most of his life in Slovan and Burgettstown.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alexandria Petroski, and the following children: Stanley and Alex at home; Mrs. Jane Sworchek, Mrs. Josephine Mozina, and Mrs. Bernice iptor of Burgettstown, and Loretta at home.

Funeral services were held from Our Lady of Lourdes Church Monday, June 3, at 9 a. m., in charge of Father W. J. McCashin. Cemetery.

Interment was in the Catholic

Jack Petroski
Died-May 31, 1946

Colleen Petrucci

Colleen Petrucci, 84, of Kennedy Township, formerly of Burgettstown, died Saturday, January 7, 2006, in her home.

She was born June 30, 1921, in Burgettstown, a daughter of Charles Walter "Buzzy" and Mildred Woodrow Glessner.

She was a 1939 graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown, and member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown.

Mrs. Petrucci enjoyed painting portraits and spending time with her family.

Her husband, Lido P. Petrucci, died July 23, 2005.

Surviving are three daughters, Becky Eannace and husband Michael of Findlay Township, Mary Mineo and husband Dominic of Robinson Township and Kathy Grimm and husband Jerry of Kennedy Township; two sons, Thomas Petrucci and wife Carolyn of McDonald and James Petrucci and wife Mary Anne of Burgettstown; 17 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Irene Dorgan of Columbus, Ohio.

Deceased, in addition to her parents and husband, is a brother, Durward Glessner, D.D.S.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 11, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, with the Rev. Robert Staszewski as celebrant. Interment will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Our Lady of Lourdes Angel Fund, 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Colleen Petrucci

June 30, 1921- January 7, 2006

EARL C. PETRUCCI

Earl C. (Peachie) Petrucci, 79, of 43 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, died Sunday, April 3, 1988, in the Weirton, W.Va., Medical Center.

He was born Aug. 16, 1908, in Pittsburgh, a son of Dominick and Mary Ciabattari Petrucci.

Until his retirement in 1977, he owned and operated Petrucci's News Store in Burgettstown.

Mr. Petrucci was the last remaining charter member and a past president of the Burgettstown Lions Club.

He was also a member of the Burgettstown Volunteer Fire Department and the J.O.F. Fishing Club.

On Oct. 3, 1929, he married Grace Pyle, who survives.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are one daughter, Sandra Lee Gilbert of Burgettstown, R.D. 3; one son, Earl Ray Petrucci of McDonald, R.D. 4; two brothers, Eugene Petrucci and Lido Petrucci, both of Burgettstown; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Wednesday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Clarejean Haury officiating. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Earl C. (Peachie) Petrucci
August 6, 1908-April 3, 1988

Eugene Petrucci

Eugene (Jimmy) Petrucci, 82, of Burgettstown, died Monday, Nov. 8, 1993, in his home.

He was born May 24, 1911, in Pittsburgh, a son of Domenick and Mary Petrucci.

Mr. Petrucci served with the Army Medical Corps during World War II and was assigned to the 240th General Hospital and the European Theater of Operations until his discharge in 1946.

Upon returning home, Mr. Petrucci joined his father and brother in the grocery business, eventually building Petrucci's Shop 'N Save.

Mr. Petrucci was a past president of the Washington Grocers Association and served for 25 years on the board of directors of the state Food Merchants' Association. He was secretary of the Food Executives

Club of Florida.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown; Burgettstown Lions Club; American Legion Post 698, where he had served as commander; and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6955 of Burgettstown. He served on Burgettstown Borough Council and was past president of the Burgettstown Community Library Board of Directors.

Mr. Petrucci had just become a member of the Pittsburgh Foundation, a trust corporation that distributes donations in the manner specified by the member.

In 1937, he married Nellie Filipponi, who survives.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are one brother, Lido Petrucci of Burgettstown, and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased is one brother, Earl C. Petrucci, who died April 3, 1988.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Thursday at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Eugene (Jimmy) Petrucci
May 24, 1911-November 8, 1993

Grace Petrucci

Grace Petrucci, 96, a lifelong resident of Burgettstown, died Wednesday, December 1, 2004, in Donnell House, Washington.

She was born April 28, 1908, in Burgettstown, a daughter of Thomas H. and Allie Hemphill Pyle.

Mrs. Petrucci was employed as a bell operator with Bell Telephone Co. and worked at Peaches Newsstand, both in Burgettstown.

She was a lifelong member of Burgettstown Presbyterian Church.

On October 3, 1928, she married Earl C. Petrucci, who died April 3, 1988.

Surviving are a son, Earl R. Petrucci and wife Georgiana of Primrose; a daughter, Sandra L. Gilbert of Burgettstown; six grandchildren, Michele and Lori Petrucci, William and Christine Gilbert, Barbara Basile and Mary Grace Stutzman; six great-grandchildren, Brian, Erika, Tylir, Alexandra and Adrianna Gilbert and Timothy Basile; and a great-great-grandchild, Jazmine Gilbert.

Deceased are three brothers, George, Howard and Thomas Pyle; four sisters, Mary Young, Catherine Ashton, Louise Short and Dorothy Chambon; and a great-grandson, Jordan M. Basile.

Friends will be received from 2 to 9 p.m. Friday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 4. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Florence. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Burgettstown Community Library, 2 Kerr Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021; or Donnell House, 10 Leet Street, Washington, PA 15301.

Grace Petrucci

April 28, 1908-December 1, 2004

Lido P. Petrucci

*Retired owner of Petrucci
Market Inc., Burgettstown*

Lido P. Petrucci, 85, of Coraopolis, formerly of Burgettstown, died Saturday, July 23, 2005, in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born December 29, 1919, in Pittsburgh, a son of Domenick and Mary Ciabattari Petrucci.

Mr. Petrucci was retired as the owner of Petrucci Market Inc. in Burgettstown.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, and Knights of Columbus, fourth-degree.

Mr. Petrucci enjoyed fishing, golfing, cooking and gardening.

Surviving are his wife, Colleen Glessner Petrucci of Coraopolis; two sons, James (Mary Anne) Petrucci of Burgettstown and Thomas (Carolyn) Petrucci of McDonald; three daughters, Becky (Michael) Eannace of Findlay Township, Kathy (Jerry) Grimm of Kennedy Township and Mary (Dominic) Mineo of Robinson Township; 17 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are two brothers, Earl and Eugene Petrucci.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 27, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to OLOL Angel Fund, 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021; or Family Hospice, 5001 Baum Boulevard, Pittsburgh, PA 15219.

Lido Petrucci

December 29, 1919-July 23, 2005

Nellie Petrucci

Nellie Petrucci of Burgettstown died June 6, 1997, in the Country Meadows of South Hills. She was 79.

Born March 2, 1918, in Slovan, a daughter of Rudolph and Parisana Levi Filipponi.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church of Burgettstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Eugene Petrucci, who died Nov. 8, 1993; and a sister, Anita Gavatorta, who died Nov. 15, 1973.

She is survived by three brothers, Quentin Filipponi of Verona, Carl Filipponi of Burgettstown and Felix Filipponi of Slovan; a sister, Kathryn Sciamanna of Slovan; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received June 8 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A wake service was held June 8 in the funeral home, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. A Mass of the Christian Burial was held June 9 at Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery.

Nellie Petrucci
March 2, 1918-June 6, 1997

MARY PETRUS

Mary Petrus, 69, of Slovan, died Wednesday, August 6, 1969, in Washington Hospital.

She was born March 1, 1900, in Czechoslovakia, and had lived in Slovan for the past 39 years.

Mrs. Petrus was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church. She was also a member of the Christian Mothers and the St. Joseph Croation Lodge.

Surviving are her husband, John Petrus, whom she married in 1916; two sons, John, of Slovan, and Andrew, of Detroit, Michigan; two daughters, Mary Pozniko, of Charleston, South Carolina, and Emma Mae Dorohow, of Brentwood, Long Island, New York; one brother, Charles Putkovich, of Detroit; two sisters, Helen Zidak, of Bridgeville, and Margaret Bealetty, of Detroit; and eight grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home. Requiem Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday in Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mary Petrus
March 1, 1900-August 6, 1969

STEVE PETRYNA

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 23 at 9 a.m. from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church by Rev. W. J. McCashin for Steve Petryna, Bertha resident who died in Washington hospital, May 20. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mr. Petryna, who was 67, was born near Sombor, Ukrainia, Dec. 26, 1883. He came to the United States in 1913 and settled in West Newton, Pa. moving to Burgettstown in 1919. He became a citizen of the United States and was a member of Ukrainian lodge Branch 54. He was also a member of Local Union No. 9080 of the United Mine Workers of America. He left a wife and daughter, Anna in Sombor, and had not heard from them or their whereabouts after the close of World War 1.

Surviving are one brother Frank Patrina of Burgettstown, R. D. 2 and three nephews Donald, Niko and Charles Patrina.

Steve Petryna
December 26, 1883-May 23, 1950

ALBERT PETTIBON

Albert Pettibon, aged 85, a retired farmer of Brooke County, W. Va., died Monday, Oct. 23, 1944, at 11:40 p. m. at the home of his son, W. H. Pettibon, Archer Hill road, Follansbee, W. Va.

A son of William and Catherine Ward Pettibon, he was born December 3, 1858, in Washington County. His wife died seven months ago. He was a member of the Bethel Methodist Protestant Church.

Surviving are the following children: Mrs. Irene Williamson and Mrs. Flora Latimer of the Cross Creek district; Mrs. Margaret DeGarmo, Washington pike; Mrs. Olive Cusick, and A. O. Pettibon, Wellsburg, W. Va.; T. L. Pettibon, Avella; M. S. Pettibon, Wheeling, W. Va.; and W. H. Pettibon, Follansbee, W. Va.; also 13 grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

PETTIBON—Friends of Albert Pettibon, who died Monday, Oct. 23, 1944, at the home his son, W. H. Pettibon, near Follansbee, W. Va., are being received at the Chambers Funeral Home, 30 Main street, Wellsburg, W. V., where funeral services will be held Friday, Oct. 27, at 2 p. m. The Rev. J. W. Schrader of the Franklin Methodist Church will be in charge. Burial will be in Independence Cemetery. Chambers Funeral Home, Wellsburg, W. Va., funeral director.

Albert Pettibon
December 3, 1858-October 23, 1944

A. O. PETTIBON

A. O. Pettibon, prominent in Wellsburg real estate circles, died late Saturday night of a heart attack at his residence, 1601 Main street. His body was found by a step-daughter, Miss Martha Jane McPhearson, when she arrived home. Members of the family said there had not been any previous indication of any illness.

Mr. Pettibon was born January 20, 1894, near Independence, and was a son of the late Albert and Katherine Stroud Pettibon. He was a member of St. John's Catholic Church, the Knights of St. George and Wellsburg Lodge No. 1553, B.P.O.E. For several years he was employed by the Monongahela Power Company in Wellsburg and at the time of his death he was a member of the Weirton Steel Company's police force.

Surviving are two step-children, Mariba Jane McPhearson and James McPhearson, both at home. Also these sisters and brothers: Mrs. Margaret DeGarmo, Mrs. Irene Williamson, Mrs. Flora Lattimer of Brooke County; Mrs. Olive Cusick of Wellsburg; Mayo Pettibon of Wheeling; Lawrence Pettibon near Eldersville, Pa., and Herman Pettibon of Brooke County.

Albert O. Pettibon
January 20, 1894-May 17, 1947

MRS. ALMIRA PETTIBON

Mrs. Almira Price Pettibon, 90, of Eldersville, died at 1:15 p. m. Wednesday, June 25, 1958. She had been in failing health for the past two years and suffered a stroke June 15.

Mrs. Pettibon, who spent most of her life in the Eldersville vicinity, was the last member of her immediate family. She was a member of Bethel Methodist Church. She was married Sept. 24, 1883, to Van Pettibon, who died in October, 1945.

Surviving are three grandsons; nine great grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. A daughter, Myrtle, wife of the late Audron Ferguson, died in 1917.

Almira Price Pettibon
December 1, 1868-June 25, 1958

MRS. PETTIBON, NOTED EDUCATOR PASSES AWAY

Wellsburg Woman Was
Prominent in Club
Circles There

PNEUMONIA FATAL

WELLSBURG, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Anna Lazear Pettibon, 81, widow of W. T. Pettibon, and one of the city's most prominent residents, died shortly before 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon at her home, 2110 Main street. Death followed a two weeks illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Pettibon was born August 12, 1849, in Wellsburg, a daughter of the late John and Sally Robinson Lazear. She spent her entire life in Wellsburg. For 40 years, prior to her marriage to Mr. Pettibon in 1912, she served as an educator in the Wellsburg public schools. Her husband preceded her in death 10 years ago.

She was prominent in club circles of the city and was president of the Woman's club and a member of the Shakespeare club. She was an ardent worker in the Christian church. Up until her illness two weeks ago Mrs. Pettibon was active.

She leaves to mourn her passing one sister, Mrs. William Bald of Cleveland, O., and one brother, Charles Lazear, of New York city.

Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late home. The Rev. H. L. Viggins, pastor of the Christian church will officiate. Interment will be in Brooke cemetery.

Anna Lazear Pettibon
August 12, 1849-February 18, 1930

ARTHUR W. PETTIBON

Arthur Wiegmann Pettibon, 68, of Broadhead road, Monaca died at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 2, 1967, in his home.

Mr. Pettibon was born Sept. 9, 1898, in Cross Creek Township, a son of Thomas and Wilhelmina Pettibon. He was active in community affairs and served as commissioner of Beaver County.

He owned and operated the Pettibon Dairy Co. in Rochester for many years. He was a member of Rochester Methodist Church. He was married Sept. 19, 1919, to Hazel Sutherland, who survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Verne and George, both of Monaca and William, Harrisburg; two daughters, Evelyn, wife of James Burnham, Wilsted, Conn. and Frieda, wife of Harry Hollihan, Hartsville, Pa.; three sisters, Ina, wife of Samuel Meneely, Washington; Sara, wife of Harlan Cassidy, Corapolis and Ruth, wife of Herman LaPosta, Eldersville and one brother, Alvin, Aliquippa.

Arthur Weigmann Pettibon
September 9, 1898-January 2, 1967

In Memory of . . .

MRS. EDNA PETTIBON

Born: November 26, 1885

Passed Away: January 8, 1980

Services . . .

Thursday, January 10, 1980

1:00 p. m.

Chambers Funeral Home

Officiating . . .

Reverend J. Thomas Kort

Interment . . .

Bethel Cemetery

Edna Pettibon
November 26, 1885-January 10, 1980

IDA F. PETTIBON

Ida F. Pettibon, 355 Clark avenue, died Friday, February 10, 1961, at 4:45 p. m. following an operation. She had been hospitalized for 18 days.

She was born in Donegal Township, a daughter of the late Henry F. and Rachel McPherson Carl.

Mrs. Pettibon had lived in Washington for the past three years, and previously made her home in Jefferson Township for 38 years.

She was married to T. Lawrence Pettibon April 19, 1910, observing her 50th wedding anniversary last year.

A member of Avella Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Pettibon served as secretary of the American Red Cross in Brooke County, W. Va., during World War I, and was later a Democratic committee-woman in Jefferson Township.

Surviving are her husband, T. Lawrence Pettibon, one foster son, Adam G. Horna, Long Island, N. Y.; two brothers, Grover C. Carl and Earl L. Carl, both of Avella, R. D. 1; one grandson, one granddaughter and several nieces and nephews. Two brothers and six sisters are deceased.

PETTIBON — Friends of Ida F. Pettibon, 355 Clark avenue, who died Friday, February 10, 1961, will be received Saturday, Feb. 11, and Sunday, Feb. 12, from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. and from 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. at the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where services will be held Monday, Feb. 13, at 2 p. m. in charge of Rev. David Wallace, pastor of Grove United Presbyterian Church. Interment in Independence Cemetery.

Ida F. Pettibon
October 7, 1878-February 10, 1961

JAMES CREIGHTON PETTIBON.

On February 11, 1915, occurred the death of James Creighton Pettibon, of Bethel, in the 36th year of his age. He was the only son of Thomas and Sarah Ellen (Stroud) Pettibon, and was born March 29, 1879. His mother died in 1880, leaving an infant daughter who died at the age of three months. Mr. Pettibon was united in marriage to Miss Edna Murchland on February 14, 1906, who survives with one daughter Thelma, in her fifth year. The cause of his death was inward goitre, his illness commencing in October and gradually growing worse until a little over a week before his death, when he was taken to the Gill hospital in Steubenville for the purpose of an operation. However, his condition was such that the operation could not be performed and he was removed to the home of his father in Wellsburg, his death occurring two days later. The body was taken to his home near Bethel and funeral services were held Sabbath. A sad coincidence was that the funeral services were held on the ninth anniversary of his marriage. In Mr. Pettibon's death Bethel community has lost one of its very best young men. The remains were laid away among his kindred in Bethel cemetery. Deceased was a nephew of David Pettibon, of Burgettstown.

James Creighton Pettibon
March 29, 1879-February 11, 1915

T. LAWRENCE PETTIBON

T. Lawrence Pettibon, 83, of 848 Allegheny street, Follansbee, West Virginia, died in his home at 11 a.m. Monday, January 8, 1968.

He was born June 22, 1884, in Washington County, a son of Albert and Catherine Stroud Pettibon.

Mr. Pettibon, a member of the Avella Presbyterian Church, was a farmer in Jefferson Township for 40 years. A former tax collector in Jefferson Township, he lived the past seven years in Follansbee.

He is survived by one foster son, Adam G. Homan, of New York; two brothers, Mayo, of Wheeling, West Virginia, and Herman, of Colliers, West Virginia; and four sisters, Mrs. Irene Williamson and Mrs. Flora B. Latimer, both of Follansbee, West Virginia, and Mrs. Margaret DeGarmo and Mrs. Olive Cusick, both of Wellsburg, West Virginia.

His wife, Ida Carl Pettibon, died February 10, 1961, and one brother, Omar, is deceased.

Friends will be received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where services will be held Thursday, January 11, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Bertram Saunders, of the Avella Presbyterian Church, officiating. Interment will be in Independence Cemetery.

T. Lawrence Pettibon
June 22, 1884-January 8, 1968

PETTIBON—Friends of Thomas A. Pettibon, formerly of Eldersville, who died Tuesday, May 5, 1964, will be received in the James Gardner Funeral Home, Main street, Follansbee, W. Va., where the funeral service will be conducted at 2 p. m. Friday, May 8. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery, near Eldersville.

Thomas A. Pettibon
January 19, 1871-May 5, 1964

WILHELMINA C. PETTIBONE

Mrs. Wilhelmina C. Pettibone, 85, of Eldersville, died Saturday, Sept. 12, 1959 at 11:45 a.m. in her home.

She was born in Patterson's Mills, a daughter of George and Marie Boedecker Whigman and was married to Thomas A. Pettibone Nov. 24, 1897.

She was a member of the Eldersville Methodist Church, Missionary Circle No. 1, and Jefferson Grange.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by five children, Arthur W., Monaca; Alvin, Aliquippa; Mrs. Samuel Meneely, Washington; Mrs. W. H. Cassidy, Corapolis, and Mrs. Herman LaPosta, Eldersville; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Klager, Washington, and Mrs. Anna Pettibone, Oakdale; 16 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

PETTIBONE—Friends of Mrs. Wilhelmina C. Pettibone, of Eldersville, who died Saturday, Sept. 12, 1959, will be received in the James Funeral Home, Follansbee, W. Va., until Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 11 a. m. when the body will be moved to the Eldersville Methodist Church, where services will be held at 2 p. m. in charge of Rev. Norman C. Young. Interment in Bethel Cemetery.

Wilhelmina C. Pettibon
November 24, 1897-September 12, 1959

William Pettibon died at his home in Crosscreek township on February 19th, 1900, at an advanced age. Deceased had long been a sufferer from dropsy. The remains were interred at Bethel cemetery last Wednesday.

William Pettibon
July 30, 1834-February 30, 1900

PETTIBON

On Saturday, Dec. 2, 1972, Anna M. Pettibon of Oakdale, Pa., mother of Ethel Klemz, David F. and Everett L. Pettibon; also 8 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Friends received from 12-9 p. m. at the RICHARD THOMAS FUNERAL HOME, Oakdale, Pa., where services will be held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Anna M. Pettibon
April 15, 1885-December 2, 1972

KENNETH SOLOMON PF AU
Kenneth Solomon Pfau,
62, of 110 West Dickson
street, Midway, died in his
home Monday, July 11, 1966
at 4 p.m.

He was born at North
Lima, Ohio, September 25,
1903, the son of John and
Alice Elser Pfau. A res-
ident of Midway the past
four years, he operated a
grocery store.

He was a member of
the F. and A.M. Lodge
of Columbiana, Ohio; the
Al Koran Shrine of Cleve-
land, Ohio; and the Con-
neaut Council 40, Con-
neaut, Ohio.

Surviving are his wife,
Esther Lafferty Pfau; a
daughter, Lois, wife of
Robert Keirn, of Louis-
ville, Ohio, and two grand-
children, Michael and Jef-
frey Keirn.

Friends will be received
in the Gordon Thompson
and Son Funeral Home,
Conneaut, Ohio. Interment
will be in Glenwood Ce-
metery, Conneaut, Ohio.

Kenneth Solomon Pfau
September 36, 1903-July 11, 1966

**Mary Louise Armstrong
Philabaum**

West Alexander homemaker

Mary Louise Armstrong Philabaum, 73, of West Alexander, died Tuesday, March 22, 2005, in her home.

She was born December 4, 1931, in Dallas, W.Va., a daughter of James E. and Sylvia A. Riggle Armstrong.

Mrs. Philabaum was a homemaker and a member of Dallas Pike (W.Va.) Baptist Church.

Her husband, Paul E. Philabaum, died in 1986.

Surviving are two sons, Michael E. Philabaum (Catherine) of Claysville and Donald W. Philabaum (Tara) of Dallas; three daughters, Carol L. Frye (John) of Valley Grove, W.Va., Debra J. Nash (John) of Triadelphia, W.Va., and Vickie L. Crowe (Robert) of West Alexander; a brother, Leroy Armstrong of Waynesburg; two sisters, Maxine Frye of Dallas and Marjorie Conaway of West Alexander; 18 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

A son, Mark Douglas Philabaum, died in 1977.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Kepner Funeral Home, 166 Kruger Street, Elm Grove, Wheeling. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 25, in Dallas Pike Baptist Church, with the Rev. Larry Lewis officiating. Interment will follow in West Alexander Cemetery.

**Mary Louise Armstrong Philabaum
December 4, 1931-March 22, 2005**

DEATHS.

Wednesday night, June 21d, in Burgettstown, of paralysis, PHILIP GILBERT, aged eighty-nine years.

May 31st, at her late residence, 629 Liberty st., Pittsburg, Mrs. SARAH S., beloved wife of C. C. Johnson, in the fifty-second year of her age. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. John Storer, of Washington county, Pa.

June 15th, in Midway, Pa., of pneumonia, little LAWRENCE EDGAR, only son of Dr. H. and Fannie E. Miller, aged one year, five months and fifteen days.

June 4th, at West Alexander, Pa., Mrs. MARIA, wife of Silver Gillfillan, in the eightieth year of her age.

Tuesday morning, June 22d, at the residence of her son-in-law, James Holmes, in Chartiers township, of ovarian dropsy, Mrs. ——— MOALEER, aged about sixty-eight years.

June 24th, at his residence, in South Strabane township, NATHANIEL BUCKANAN, aged seventy-one years. The deceased was one of the most highly esteemed citizens of that part of the county and many friends in this region will hear of his death with regret.

June 12th, in Somerset township, of consumption, Mrs. WEIR, wife of Mr. Samuel B. Weir, aged about thirty-five years.

Monday, June 21st, in this place, of rheumatism of the heart and stomach, Mrs. MARY JANE LEYDA, wife of Henry Leyda, aged about forty-six years. The remains were interred in Pigeon Creek Presbyterian graveyard.

Saturday night, June 20th, in Ohio county, W. Va., a short distance from West Alexander, WILLIAM HOWARD, SR., aged about seventy-six years.

Philip Gilbert

(Husband of Marry Ann "Polly" Sherman)

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LEOPOLD PHILIPPE

Leopold Philippe, 74, father of Mrs. Paul Deliere of Joffre, died suddenly Sunday, March 21, at 10 a.m., at his home in Champion Hill, Sturgeon. He was a resident for 20 years of Cecil where he operated a garage and service station.

In 1936 he moved to Sturgeon.

Mr. Philippe was born May 14, 1873, in France and came to the United States in April, 1900.

He is survived by his wife, Lea Bargeton Philippe, of Cecil, and Harry Philippe, of Cecil, Fernand Philippe, of Sturgeon; three daughters, Mrs. Paul Deliere, Joffre; Mrs. Daniel Weir, Carnegie; and Aline, at home; a brother, Clovis Philippe, of Akron, O.; 11 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the Pettit Funeral Home, McDonald, Wednesday, March 24, at 2:30 p.m. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery.

Leopold Philippe
May 14, 1873-March 21, 1948

Lea B. Phillippe, of Joffre,
died Saturday, September 9,
1961.
She was born in Payrevalle,
France, June 6, 1874, and came
to the United States in 1900.
She lived in the Sargeant and
Geill areas, making her home
the past nine years with her
daughter, Mrs. Paul Deller,
Joffre.
She was the wife of the late
Joseph Phillippe.
Survivors include: Harry
Paul, Leona, Emma, Harry,
Geill and Bernard, Laurent,
Elliott and Josephine, Mrs.
Paul Deller, Joffre. Grand-
children: Walter, George, Robert,
William, William, and Paul,
Joffre; and the four
grandchildren.
Funeral services at the
First Episcopal Church, McDon-
ald, will be held Tuesday,
September 12, at 2 p.m., charge of
Rev. Robert Ayers of Midway
Methodist church. Interment
was in Adams Farm Cemetery.

Lea B. Phillippe
June 6, 1874-September 9, 1961

MRS. ALTA MAE PHILLIPS

Mrs. Alta Mae Phillips, 63, Burgettstown R.D. 1, died Saturday, May 5, 1962, at 4 a.m.

She was born July 3, 1893, in McMechen, W. Va., the daughter of the late George Edward and Carrie Davidson Gatewood.

On June 12, 1923, she married Dr. Edwin M. Phillips, in McMechen, W. Va.

A member of the First Methodist church, Weirton, W. Va., she also belonged to the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

She was a charter member of the Order of Eastern Star No. 147, Weirton.

Surviving are her husband and two daughters, Jean Lee Butler, at home; Mrs. Nancy Martin, Washington; two sons, Edward William Phillips, Weirton, W. Va., and Neil R. Phillips, Burgettstown R.D. 1; and 13 grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Steel-Wolf Funeral home, at Weirton, where services were held Tuesday, May 8, at 1 p.m. in charge of Dr. A.R. Mansberger, Pleasant Valley Methodist church, Weirton, and Rev. Harold I. Zook, First Methodist church, Weirton. Burial was in Chestnut Ridge cemetery, at Florence. The Order of Eastern Star 147 conducted a service at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

Alta Mae Phillips
July 3, 1893-May 5, 1962

**Audrey Jean
Ashbridge Phillips**

Enjoyed golfing, gardening



Audrey Jean Ashbridge Phillips, 82, formerly of Weirton, W.Va., died Tuesday, May

5, 2015, in her home.

She was born May 31, 1932, in Johnstown, a daughter of the late James R. and Olive Mickle Ashbridge.

Also deceased is a sister, Phyllis Scott.

Mrs. Phillips was a teacher at Hanover Elementary School for 27 years.

She was a lifelong member of First United Methodist Church in Weirton and a member of Burgettstown Eastern Star.

Mrs. Phillips and her family spent many wonderful days vacationing at the beach. She enjoyed, golfing, gardening, swimming and spending time with her grandchildren. She also belonged to a card club for more than 50 years.

Surviving are her beloved husband, Neil R. Phillips of Florida; four daughters, Pamela (Jim) Donohue and Janice (Denny) Krivak, all of Burgettstown, Deborah (Mike) Maropis of Chicago and Beverly (Joe) Manni of Burgettstown; grandchildren Deanna (Joe) Sentipal, Jimmy (Jan-Lynn) Donohue, Jason (Marcie) Krivak, Torie Anne (Mike) Mazurek, Derek and Michal Jane Maropis and Ross and Abby Manni; great-grandchildren Joey, Parker and Raya Sentipal, Jimmy and Jaxon Donohue, Aubry, Alec and Andrew Krivak and Mikey Mazurek.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, May 9, in Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, 3219 Main Street, Weirton, with the Rev. Christina Hosler officiating. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence.

Memorial contributions may be made to Susan G. Koman Foundation at ww5.komen.org.

Share tributes and memories with her family at www.grecohertnick.com, 304-748-3219.

**Audrey Jean Ashbridge Phillips
May 31, 1932-May 5, 2015**

CAROLE ANN PHILLIPS

Carole Ann Phillips, 50, of Mars, Pa., formerly of Paris, died Tuesday, July 3, 1990, in North Hills Passavant Hospital, near Pittsburgh.

She was born June 10, 1940, in Steubenville, Ohio, a daughter of Harold C. Sr. (Pete) and Alzada Brammer Neeley of Paris.

She taught senior high English for 28 years at Mars Area Junior-Senior High School.

Survivors include her parents; her husband, Andrew M. Phillips; a sister, Mrs. Louis (Sheila) Demko of Essex Junction, Vt.; a brother, Harold C. Neeley Jr. of Beaumont, Texas; and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sally M. Brammer of Weirton, W.Va.

Friends were received in the McDonald-Aeberli Funeral Home Inc., Mars. Graveside services were conducted Friday at 11 a.m. at Allegheny County Memorial Park, McCandless Township, with the Rev. Robert McCrums officiating.

Carole Ann Phillips
June 10, 1940-July 3, 1990

ED PHILLIPS

Ed (Lady Buck) Phillips, 88, of Brave, died Wednesday, January 11, 1984, in the Greene County Memorial Hospital.

He was a son of Waitman W. and Syntha Shanes Phillips, and was born April 8, 1895, in Brave, where he resided all his life. He was a retired auto mechanic and had owned and operated a garage in Shamrock for many years.

Mr. Phillips was a veteran of World War I and was a member of American Legion Post 120, Hundred, West Virginia.

Surviving are his wife, Clara Marie Keck Phillips, whom he married June 28, 1917; two sons, Dennis Floyd Phillips, of Langeloth, and Bill Phillips, of Lorain, Ohio; a daughter, Goldie Opal Hughes, of Amherst, Ohio; 13 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Two sons, a daughter and a sister are deceased.

Friends were received in the Owen Funeral Home, Blacksville, West Virginia, where services were conducted Friday at 1:00 p.m. by the Rev. Samuel Hibb, Jr. Interment was in Pine Bank Cemetery.

Ed (Lady Buck) Phillips
April 8, 1895-January 11, 1984

Edna Mary Phillips

Midway homemaker was a member of Center U.P. Church

Edna Mary Phillips, 90, of Midway, died Friday, August 13, 2004, in Manor Care Health Services, Peters Township.

She was born June 21, 1914, in Midway, a daughter of William and Mary Eft Daudet.

Mrs. Phillips was a homemaker.

She was a member of Center United Presbyterian Church of Midway and Midway Senior Citizens.

On March 10, 1938, she married Robert E. Phillips, who died September 25, 1981.

Surviving are a son, William R. Phillips of Wexford; a daughter, Karen Bartosh of Midway; two brothers, Howard and James Daudet, both of Phoenix, Ariz.; a sister, Ruth Mumper of Midway; five grandchildren, William M. Phillips, Ronald and Randy Bartosh and Paul and Amanda Furnaro; and six great-grandchildren.

Deceased are two brothers, John and George Daudet; and a sister, Esther Hornack.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, August 21, in Center U.P. Church, Midway, with the Rev. John Salley officiating, where a time of fellowship will follow in the social hall. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Center United Presbyterian Church Memorial Fund.

Edna Mary Phillips
June 21, 1914-August 13, 2004

MRS. ELIZA JANE PHILLIPS

The Reynoldsville Star publishes the following obituary for Mrs. Eliza Jane Phillips, deceased, who was the mother of William Phillips of Joffre, and was known by many people here.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Phillips, the oldest citizen of Reynoldsville and a leading resident of this community for 61 years, died in her 97th year at 2:00 o'clock on the morning of December 21st, 1940, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lillie Goss, Glenshaw, Pa. Mrs. Phillips, who left Reynoldsville approximately three years ago, suffered of the afflictions of old age. The immediate cause of her death, however, was pneumonia.

The deceased was born in Cornwall, England, September 8th, 1844. The remarkable span of years encompassed by her life is singularly evidenced by the realization that Abraham Lincoln was at the time of her birth an obscure Illinois lawyer.

Mrs. Phillips was married to Mathew Phillips while still a resident of her native land. Her husband died 28 years ago, one year after he and his wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. She crossed the Atlantic when she was 21 years old. Her journey, which involved the passing of four weeks at sea, was an experience which she often dramatically related. After living for a brief time in the state of Michigan and at Brady's Bend, Pa., she came with her family to make Reynoldsville her permanent home.

She soon became, and remained throughout her life, actively interested in constructive community enterprise. For 61 years she was a member of the local Methodist church.

Mrs. Phillips was the mother of 14 children, eight of whom survive her. They are Mrs. Minnie Endean, of New Kensington, Pa; Mrs. John Beck, of Arnold, Pa; Mrs. Edward Tieman of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mrs. Kitty Provost, of Hartford, Conn.; Mrs. A. J. Wells, of Reynoldsville, Pa.; Mrs. Lillie Goss, of Glenshaw, Pa.; J. C. Phillips, of Philadelphia, Pa.; and William Phillips, of Joffre, Pa. Also surviving are 102 descendants, namely 32 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Phillips was a woman of amazing physical and intellectual vitality. Throughout her long life she followed strictly the tenets of an unwavering Christian faith and practiced a philosophy of life based on stern, personal discipline and assiduous application to duty. She was a fervent student of the Bible; at the same time, she made manifest a dynamic interest in social and political affairs.

Mrs. Phillips' character was exemplary. Her sweetness of disposition, her attitude of sympathetic understanding, the astuteness of her wisdom, and the clarity of her vision enabled her to bestow benedictions of inspiration on the innumerable persons whose good fortune it was to know her.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Perry F. Haines, pastor of the local Methodist Church, Tuesday, December 24th, at the Waldo E. White Funeral Home. Interment was made in the Reynoldsville Cemetery.

Eliza Jane Phillips
September 8, 1844-December 21, 1941

Mrs. Elizabeth Laura Phillips, wife of J. E. Phillips died in her home on Main street Saturday, December 28th, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Phillips, a daughter of John and Catherine McBride, was born in Beaver county in 1870. In April, 1887, she was married to John W. Morrow who is deceased. Later she was married to J. E. Phillips. She was a member of the Westminster church. Besides her husband, J. E. Phillips, she leaves the following children: Mrs. B. H. Beatty, Steubenville, Ohio; Walter M., Midway; Delbert L., Massilon, O.; Wilbert W. and Clarence K., Burgetstown. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in the Westminster church, in charge of Dr. Charles D. Castle. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

Elizabeth Laura Phillips
1870 - December 28, 1935

MRS. ESTELLE G. PHILLIPS

Mrs. Estelle G. Phillips, aged 42, died Friday at her home, 710 Swissvale avenue, Wilksburg. She was the wife of M. J. Phillips, a teacher in the Peabody High school. She was born in Meyersdale and for the past nine years had resided in Wilksburg. Besides her husband, she leaves two children, Howard and Emily Phillips, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shipley, of Meyersdale; four sisters, Mrs. E. R. Floto of Connellsville, Mrs. C. H. Tilt of Kittanning, Mrs. Fanny Mercer of Burgettstown and Miss Belle Shipley of Meyersdale and two brothers, Barton and Fulton Shipley of Meyersdale.—Gazette Times.

Estelle G. Phillips
Died- January 15, 1915

MRS. ESTHER PHILLIPS

Mrs. Esther Virgile Phillips, aged 43, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clyde Smith of Center avenue, Tuesday, May 18, after a lingering illness. She was a daughter of the late George Ramsey of Langeloth. She had spent most of her life here until eight years ago when she moved to Pittsburgh. Her husband Peter Phillips preceded her in death several years ago. She was a member of the Christian Church. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Hampton of Cecil, Mrs. Andrew Beals of New Castle and Mrs. Robert Dye of Burgettstown, her sister, Mrs. Clyde Smith and 4 grandchildren. The remains were taken to the home of her nephew, J. E. Ashton, 3rd Ave., Langeloth until Friday when services were held from the Christian church conducted by the the Rev. Ritz. Burial was in Cross Creek cemetery.

**Esther Virgile Phillips
Died-May 18, 1943**

E. N. Phillips

Everett N. Phillips, 67, well known funeral director of Hickory and a prominent man in the northern section of the county, died suddenly Saturday of a heart attack as he was preparing to go to Washington. He had gone for his machine, which he left in front of the house, and about 8 o'clock walked into his home, where he dropped dead. His death comes as a great shock to the entire community, where he had resided for the past 29 years. He was active in all church work and community enterprises. The deceased was a son of Jonathan and Margaret Phillips, and was born in Robinson township, Allegheny county, May 2, 1869. His early life was spent at Coraopolis, but in April, 1907, he moved with his family to Hickory. Funeral services were held at the late home Monday afternoon in charge of his pastor, the Rev. C. S. Thomas. Interment was in the Coraopolis cemetery.

Everett N. Phillips
May 2, 1869-December 19, 1936

Gaye A. Phillips

Retired pharmacy clerk for McDonald Pharmacy



Gaye A. Phillips, 49, of McDonald, North Fayette Township, passed away Saturday,

June 30, 2018, in Washington Hospital, with her family by her side.

She was born April 13, 1969, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of the late Donald Paul Dufour Sr. and Georgina Cooper Dufour of McDonald, North Fayette Township.

Mrs. Phillips was a retired pharmacy clerk for McDonald Pharmacy.

Surviving are her loving husband of 25 years, James Phillips; sister Joyce (Tony) Dorn of McDonald; nieces Rachel Dorn and

Leanne (Jason) Roberts; great-nephew Exander; sisters-in-law Donna Andrews and Jennifer Phillips; brother-in-law Matthew Davis; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased are brother Donald Paul Dufour Jr.; sister Beth Anne Dufour; and sister-in-law Tammy Kinney.

Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 6. Interment will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

To sign a guest book, visit thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Gaye A. Phillips

April 13, 1969-June 30, 2018

Harriett Jean Phillips

1926 — 2018

Harriett Jean Phillips, 92, of McDonald, Robinson Township, died Wednesday, March 28, 2018, in her home.

She was born January 26, 1926, in McDonald, a daughter of the late Harold and Charlotte Rebet Phillips.

She was a member of Venice Presbyterian Church and worked for many years at the RCA plant in the assembly line. She enjoyed doing puzzle books.

Surviving are her son, Michael (Sharon) Phillips of McDonald; grandchildren, Michelle (Pete) Daut, Peggy (Joshua) Nickols and Jessica (Frank) Caldwell; great-grandchildren Dawna, Carrie, Jacob and Ellie. Also surviving are a special niece, Cheryl Moore, and a special nephew, Gary Phillips.

She was preceded in death by her sisters, Charlotte Batic and Anna Mary Zacio, and her brother, Harold Phillips.

All arrangements are private and are entrusted to Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800.

Harriet Jean Phillips
January 26, 1926-March 28, 2018

HELEN M. PHILLIPS

Helen Malesky Phillips, 51, of 881 Harris Avenue, Pittsburgh, died Monday, November 18, 1968, in the Magee Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born June 18, 1917, at Imperial, a daughter of the late Tony and Mary Anna Macozek Malesky.

Mrs. Phillips was employed by the Boland Candy Company at East Liberty, Pittsburgh. Her husband, Leonard J. Phillips, died July 29, 1967.

Surviving are a son, John, of Pittsburgh; five sisters, Agnes, wife of Matthew Dirwan, of McDonald; Sophie, wife of Guy Porter, of Midway; Stella, wife of Charles Peterman, of Clinton; Virginia, wife of Morton Sherman, of Pittsburgh; and Miss Holly Malesky, of Pittsburgh; and four brothers, Stanley, of Pittsburgh; Frank, of Southview; Anthony, of Midway; and Jack, of Cecil.

Friends will be received in the Nation Funeral Home, McDonald. Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at 11:30 a.m. Thursday in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald. Burial will be in Penn Lincoln Memorial Park, Irwin.

Helen M. Phillips
June 18, 1917-November 18, 1968

James R. Phillips

James R. Phillips, 59, of Henderson Road, Hickory, died unexpectedly Saturday, April 15, 1995, in Washington Hospital.

He was born June 10, 1935, in Washington, a son of S. Gertrude McGugin Phillips of McDonald and the late Robert Speer Phillips.

Mr. Phillips was a member of Hickory United Presbyterian Church.

For the past six years, he has been employed by National Health Laboratories in Bridgeville and prior to that had been employed for 18 years by the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation in Aliquippa.

Mr. Phillips was a member of Indian Springs Rod and Gun Club, where he served as secretary, and he was a member of the National

Rifle Association.

He was a 1954 graduate of Hickory High School.

On July 9, 1955, he married Sheila Gary, who survives.

Also surviving are four daughters, Robin Reininger of East Stroudsburg, Sherry Foster of Washington, and Christi Hoffman and Jymme McQuillan, both of Hickory; and seven grandchildren, Chad Auld, Karlee and Adam Hoffman, Felecia, Alyssa and Amanda McQuillan, and Chelsey Foster.

Deceased is one grandson, Joshua Hoffman.

Friends were received in the McIlvaine-Speakman Funeral Home, Houston. Services were held Wednesday at 11 a.m. in Hickory United Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Keith Nichols officiating. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery.

James R. Phillips
June 10, 1935-April 15, 1995

JOHN N. PHILLIPS

John Nesbit Phillips, a resident of Burgettstown for the past 26 years, died Friday, March 12 at 4 a.m., in his home, 148 Center avenue.

Mr. Phillips was born in McDonald, September 21, 1894. He was manager of the A. & P. store in Burgettstown for 21 years.

Surviving are his wife, Justine, one daughter, June of Dayton, Ohio; a son, Nesbit, Army Air Corps, California; three sisters, Mrs. P. C. Campbell, Dunbar, W. Va.; Mrs. M. Furman, Lima, Ohio and Miss Isabel Phillips, Pittsburgh.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m., from the Lee and Wilson Funeral Home with the Rev. R. C. Sutton officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

John N. Phillips
September 21, 1894-March 12, 1948

Joseph Phillips

Joseph Reed Phillips, formerly of McCarrell Avenue, Washington, died April 17, 1997, at the Butler Memorial Hospital. He was 63.

Born Dec. 18, 1933, in Woodrow, Cross Creek Township, he was the son of the late David M. and Janet White Phillips.

During the Korean War era, he served in the U.S. Navy as a flight deck photographer on an aircraft carrier. He received a medical discharge from the Navy and was on full disability at the time of his death.

A Catholic, he was a member of the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans.

He was preceded in death by a brother, William A., in 1985.

He is survived by a sister, Evelyn Borden of Woodland Hills, Calif.; and a niece and seven nephews.

Friends were received April 21 at the William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., Washington. A service was held April 21 in the funeral home, the Rev. P. Miller Lydick officiating. Interment was in Mount Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Immaculate Conception Church.

Joseph Phillips
December 18, 1933-April 17, 1977

PHILIP PHILLIPS

Philip Phillips, 77, a former resident of Cherry Valley died at his home in Detroit, Mich., Saturday, February 6. Miss Bertha Phillips, well known clerk at Broida's went to her home last week to help her parents celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday, February 2. Her father became ill shortly after and passed away on Saturday. Funeral services were held in Detroit on Tuesday, February 9.

The deceased is survived by his widow, three daughters, Bertha, Lena and Agnes, three sons, John, Fred and Frank and three grandchildren,

all of Detroit, except Miss Bertha Phillips.

**Philip Phillips
Died-February 6, 1943**

Rachel L. Phillips

Rachel L. Phillips of El Paso, Texas died July 3, 1998. She was 72.

Born and raised in McDonald, she was the daughter of the late Henry and Emily Quevi.

She moved to El Paso in 1964.

She was a life member of VFW Post 8919 ladies auxiliary.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, John T. (Jack); a son, John H. (Jackie); a brother, Henry; and three infant siblings.

She is survived by two daughters, Catherine I. Aston of El Paso and Sheri Lynn Godwin of Delaware; a son, Alfred Earl of Austin, Texas; a brother, Alfred G. Quevi of McDonald; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received July 6 in the Kaster-Maxon and Futrell Funeral Home. Graveside services were held July 7 in Ft. Bliss National Cemetery.

Rachel L. Phillips
Died 3, 1998

Richard Allan Phillips

McDonald VFD member



Richard Allan Phillips, 65, of McDonald, died Sunday, August 21, 2016, in St. Clair Memorial Hospital, Mt. Lebanon.

He was born November 18, 1950, in Canonsburg, a son of the late Richard Adam and Florence June Stevenson Phillips.

Mr. Phillips was a 1958 graduate of Fort Cherry High School and served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War.

He worked as a pressman for Knepper Press in Clinton, where he retired from in 2014. He worked in printing the majority of his life.

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Mr. Phillips was a member of McDonald Volunteer Fire Department, where he was a past officer, a member of Washington County, Western PA and PA Firemen's Associations and a member of Red Knights Motorcycle Club.

He enjoyed riding motorcycle, golf and spending time with his granddaughter.

Surviving are a son, Richard Allan (Jennifer) Phillips Jr. of McDonald; a sister, Wendy Phillips Jenkins of Aliquippa; a granddaughter, Brianna McCormick; a niece; and two great-nephews.

Deceased are two brothers, Richard Allen and Donald William Phillips.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. A fireman's service will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the funeral home.

Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Richard Allen Phillips

November 18, 1950-August 21, 2016

--- ROBERT PHILLIPS

Robert Phillips, former Burgettstown resident, died at his home in Canton, Ohio, Tuesday, October 29, after a lingering illness. Mr. Phillips was born in Midway, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips who were well known in the Burgettstown community. He married Carrie Bowser, formerly of Burgettstown, who survives him. He is also survived by two sisters, one in Midway and another in Sebring, Ohio.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, October 31 at Canton, Ohio from the Whitticart's Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery near Canton. Mrs. Mildred Brestle and Mrs. Margaret Malone of Burgettstown attended the funeral.

Robert Phillips
Died-October 29, 1946

Robert J. Phillips

*Member of
First Christian Church*



Robert J. Phillips, 89, of Hickory, died Friday, July 10, 2015, in Washington County Health Center, Chartiers

Township.

He was born May 24, 1926, in West Middletown, a son of Howard and Ruby Vogel Phillips.

Mr. Phillips worked as a bus driver at Suburban Bus Lines, for many years. He also worked for Greyhound, Blue Ridge and Gradason bus companies.

He was a member of First Christian Church in Washington.

Mr. Phillips was a member of Hickory Lyons Club, where he served as president and secretary, and was district governor for Lions Clubs International, District 14M, from 1993 to 1994. He was also a Melvin Jones recipient for outstanding service to Lions Clubs International.

On December 26, 1953, he married Mabel A. Brady, who survives.

Also surviving are a sister, Ruby Elizabeth Dodge of Munnhall; three nieces; and many cousins.

Deceased are a brother, James Phillips, and a half brother, the Rev. Dr. John S. Winters.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in McIlvaine-Speakman Funeral Home Ltd., Robert K. McIlvaine, owner/supervisor, 27 Cherry Avenue, Houston, PA 15342, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, July 13, with the Rev. R. Douglas Reinard officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Condolences may be left by viewing the obituary at www.mcilvaine-speakman.com.

Robert J. Phillips
May 24, 1926-July 10, 2015

William James Phillips

William James Phillips, aged 72 years, a native of Robinson township, Allegheny county, where he spent practically all of his life, died at Hickory last Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock after a lingering illness. He was born February 28, 1860, a son of Jonathan and Margaret Phillips. He never married. He leaves two brothers, C. K. Phillips, of McKees Rocks, R. D., and E. N. Phillips, of Hickory. Funeral services were held in the E. N. Phillips' home at Hickory, Saturday morning in charge of the Rev. C. S. Thomas. Interment was in Union cemetery.

William James Phillips
February 28, 1860-December 31, 1932

Elizabeth May Phillis

Miss Elizabeth May Phillis, of Burgettstown, R. D. 3, died in her home Sunday morning. She was a daughter of the late Andrew and Mary Ann Logan Phillis and was born and died in the old Phillis homestead. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Burgettstown. She leaves the following sisters and brother: Margaret Riddle, Wellsville, O.; Mrs. Revin Ralston, Raccoon; Mrs. George Reynolds, Langeloth, and J. L. Phillis, Burgettstown R. D. 3, with whom she made her home. Funeral services were held in the First Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. R. E. Carman. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

Elizabeth May Phillis
September 1, 1856-November 1, 1936

Harry Glenn Phillis

1932 - 2015



H a r r y Glenn "Howdy" Phillis, 83, of Cherry Valley, passed away Wednesday, February 25, 2015, in

Donnell House, Washington.

He was born January 18, 1932, in Burgettstown, a son of the late Carlisle and Pearl Moore Phillis.

A 1950 graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown, he served as a military police officer in the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict, from 1952 until being honorably discharged in 1954.

Mr. Phillis worked as a mechanic for 43 years at Climax Molybdenum, Langeloth, until his retirement in 1993. After retiring, he enjoyed traveling with his wife.

He was a member of the former Hillcrest Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder and trustee. After the closing of Hillcrest Church, he became a member of Paris Presbyterian Church and worked with his wife at Burgettstown Food Bank for more than 20 years.

A lover of the outdoors, Mr. Phillis enjoyed farming and working on his tractors, especially his Ford Powermaster 901, and watching and feeding his birds.

He enjoyed gospel and country music and square dancing with his wife.

Mr. Phillis met his wife, Bernice Sworchek Phillis, who survives, at a square dance at Frankfort Grange. They married April 17, 1960, in Hillcrest Presbyterian Church.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are a daughter, Jana Phillis Grimm and husband Robert of South Fayette Township; two sons, Scott Phillis and wife Cynthia of Mingo Junction, Ohio, and Dan Phillis and wife Romain of Burgettstown; three grandchildren, Michael Dean, Cassandra Lynn and Jacob Scott Phillis; four brothers, John Wayne Phillis of Darlington, George Irvin Phillis and wife Bernadette of Burgettstown, William Earl Phillis and wife Jane of McDonald and Roy Phillis of Pittsburgh; a sister, Susan Wilbur and husband R. Brian of Harrisburg; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are son, Ronald Glenn Phillis, who died July 18, 1981, and a brother, Lawrence Phillis.

Friends will be received from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, March 2, with the Rev. Dr. Christina Hosler officiating. Interment with full military honors will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

Mr. Phillis had many angels/caregivers, nurses and friends who helped the family through his journey.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made in his memory to Ronald G. Phillis Memorial Fund c/o Dickinson College, P.O. Box 1773 Carlisle, PA 17013, and/or Paris Presbyterian Church, 127 Steubenville Pike, Burgettstown, PA 15021, and/or Donnell House, 10 Leet Street, Washington, PA 15301.

Harry Glenn Phillis

January 18, 1932-February 2, 2015

Lawrence C. Phillis

Formerly of Aliquippa



Lawrence C. Phillis, 86, formerly of Aliquippa, died Tuesday morning, November 11, 2014, in

Friendship Ridge, Beaver.

He was born February 27, 1928, in Burgettstown, a son of the late Carlise S. and Pearl Moore Phillis.

Mr. Phillis worked as a customer service representative for more than 40 years for Peoples Gas, Aliquippa.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean conflict.

Surviving are his children, Deborah and husband John Allison of Georgetown, James and wife Joyce Phillis of Cranberry Township, Margaret (the late Steve) Cunningham of Ohio and Robert and wife Linda Phillis of Independence Township; siblings John Wayne (the late Evelyn) Phillis, Harry Glen and Bernice Phillis, George Irvin and Bernadette Phillis, William Earl and Jane Phillis, Roy (the late Dorothy) Phillis and Susan Jane and husband R. Brian Wilbur; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Friends and family are welcome from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday in McConnell Funeral Home, 447 Pine Street, Hookstown, PA 15050, Daniel M. McConnell, owner/director, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, November 14, with the Rev. Robert W. Kern of Community Bible Church, Aliquippa, officiating. Mr. Phillis will be laid to rest in Mill Creek Hill Cemetery, Georgetown.

The staff on 3 Main in Friendship Ridge treated Mr. Phillis with kindness.

Memorial contributions may be made in Mr. Phillis' name to Community Bible Church, 4549 Route 151, Aliquippa, PA 15001.

Lawrence C. Phillis

February 27, 1928-November 11, 2014

MARGARET PHILLIS

Margaret Phillis, 71, of Burgettstown, R. D. 3, died Monday, November 29, 1976, in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born May 6, 1905, in Beaver County, and had been a resident of the Burgettstown area for 37 years. She was the daughter of Charles and Laura J. Cooley McMillan.

A member of the Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church, she also belonged to the church's Women's Association and the Mary Pyle Bible Class.

Surviving are a son, John, of Burgettstown, R. D. 3, and two sisters, Julia and Viola McMillan, and a brother, Charles McMillan, all of Hookstown, R. D. 1.

Her husband, John, died January 2, 1969.

Friends will be received in the Lee Funeral Home, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday in charge of Dr. Howard Eshbaugh. Burial will be in Millcreek Hill Cemetery, Hookstown.

Margaret Phillis
May 6, 1905-November 29, 1976

Megan Josephine Phillis

*2006 Burgettstown graduate
was scholar-athlete*

Megan Josephine Phillis, 18, of Bulger, died Sunday, July 23, 2006, in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

She was born February 18, 1988, in McKees Rocks, a daughter of Ralph and Lisa Gehrke Phillis of Bulger.

Miss Phillis was a 2006 graduate of Burgettstown High School, where she lettered in softball for four years, was yearbook editor, a member of National Honor Society and participated in band for six years, three as a trombone player and three years as a Devilette. She was the 2006 recipient of the annual Petrucci Award.

She was a scholar athlete, a member of the Leo Club and had plans to attend West Virginia University on a full scholarship in the fall.

Miss Phillip was a member of St. Ann Roman Catholic Church in Bulger.

Surviving, in addition to her parents, are a sister, Melissa Phillis at home; two brothers, Nick and Set Phillis, both at home; maternal grandmother, Adelene Perko Gehrke of Bulger; paternal grandparents, George and Bernadette Stritzinger Phillis of Bulger; Aunt Sue and Uncle Frank Hutchinson and cousins, Elizabeth, Frankie and Eric, Aunt Cindy Phillis and Aunt Katy and Uncle Dan Harvey and cousin, Zachery.

Her maternal grandfather, William Gehrke, is deceased.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, July 28, in St. Ann Church, Bulger, with the Rev. Bob Staszewski as celebrant. Interment will be in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Meghan Josephine Phillis
February 18, 1988-July 23, 2006

Phillis

Ronald Glenn Phillis, 20, of Burgettstown R.D. 3, drowned Saturday, July 18, 1981, in Big Bear Lake, Bruceton Mills, W.Va.

He was born ~~June~~ ^{July} 7, 1961, in Washington, a son of Harry and Bernice Sworckek Phillis.

A member of the Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church, he was a graduate of Burgettstown Area High School, class of 1979, and had completed two years of study at Dickinson College, Carlisle. He was a member of the Beta Theta Pi national social fraternity. He played for the Climax team in the Burgettstown Softball League.

Surviving in addition to his parents are one sister, Jana Phillis; two brothers, Scott Phillis and Daniel Phillis, all at home; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Perkins of Burgettstown; and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Jane Sworckek of Burgettstown.

PHILLIS — Friends of Ronald Glenn Phillis of Burgettstown R.D.3, who died Saturday, July 18, 1981, will be received in the Lee Funeral Home, Burgettstown, until 1 p.m. Thursday, July 24, when services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. Howard Eshbaugh, pastor of the Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Robert Glenn Phillis
June 7, 1961-July 18, 1981

MRS. SUSIE BELLE PHILLIS

Mrs. Susie Belle Phillis, 72, wife of John L. Phillis, Burgettstown, R. D. 3, Smith Township, died at her late home Sunday, June 29, 1947, at 1 p.m., following an illness of several years.

A daughter of the late John and Mary Carlisle Scott, she was born Oct. 5, 1874, in Smith Township and had resided all her life in that district. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown, 55 years, and held membership in the Woman's Missionary Society and the Ladies' Bible class.

Besides her husband, she is survived by the following children: Carlisle S., and John A. Phillis, Burgettstown, R. D. 3; Mrs. Ellsworth Allison, Burgettstown; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; also two brothers: John A. Scott, Burgettstown; and Samuel Scott, Pittsburgh; two sisters: Mrs. Grace McPeak, Burgettstown, R. D. 3; and Mrs. Maude Walker, Wintersville, O.

Funeral services were held from the home of her son, John A. Phillis, Wednesday, July 2 at 2:30 p.m., in charge of the Rev. Jacob Ruble, assisted by Rev. R. C. Sutton. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Susie Belle Phillis
October 5, 1874-June 29, 1947

William A. Piatnick

William A. Piatnick of Canonsburg died Sept. 19, 1997, in Washington Hospital following a brief illness. He was 76.

Born Nov. 17, 1920, he was the son of John M. and Helen Markovich Piatnick of Mt. Pleasant.

He lived most of his life in the Canonsburg area where he was a member of St. Patrick Roman Catholic Parish.

He served with the United States Army Air Corps in World War II.

He was employed in the retail grocery industry for many years and was a manager of many area A&P stores. Prior to his retirement, he was employed at the Food Gallery in Mt. Lebanon.

He was a member of VFW Post No. 553, the A.F.U. Lodge, SNPJ Lodge 138, all of Strabane; American Legion Post No. 902 of Houston, the White Eagle Society, the Fraternal Order of Eagles and the Labor Temple, all of Canonsburg.

On June 26, 1948, he married Josephine Mikec, who survives.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Pauline and Margaret Piatnick; and a brother, Robert.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Rebecca Ann Bruno of Houston; a son, John Michael, at home; a sister, Genevieve Petras of Lawrence; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Sept. 20 in the Joseph P. Salandra Funeral Home, Canonsburg. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Sept. 22 in the St. Patrick Worship Site of St. Patrick Parish. Interment was in St. Patrick Cemetery. Full military rites were accorded by the American Legion Post No. 902 of Houston and the honor guard of VFW Post No. 191 of Canonsburg.

William A. Piatnick

November 17, 1920-September 19, 1997

Shirley V. Piatt

*Member of Avella
Presbyterian Church*



Shirley V. Piatt, 76, of Avella, died Sunday, February 14, 2016, in her home.

She was born July 15, 1939, in Avella, a daughter of the late George Henry and Bertha Ann Freshwater Ward.

Mrs. Piatt attended Avella High School.

She was a bartender at Avella American Legion Post 643 for several years, and before moving back to the area, she was employed by Frito Lay in Maryland.

Mrs. Piatt was a member of Avella Presbyterian Church, American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643 Ladies Auxiliary, Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society and the former SNPJ Lodge 292, all of Avella.

She enjoyed camping, going to stock car races and the casino. She was an avid bingo player and Steelers fan.

Mrs. Piatt's husband of 45 years, Earl B. Dinch, died May 5, 2005.

On August 8, 2008, she married James W. Piatt Jr., who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Penny (Barnett) Dillman of Bladensburg, Md., and Connie Booker of Wellsburg, W.Va.; a son, David M. (Brenda) Dinch of Avella; three stepdaughters, Lucy (Warren) Comstock of Manning, S.C., Brenda (Robert) VanAuker of Avella and Barbara (Mario) Mendez of Chicago, Ill.; two stepsons, James R. (Ida) Piatt Sr. of California and Christopher Piatt of Wheeling, W.Va.; 10 grandchildren, Earl, Barnett, Timothy, Anna, Nikki, Brittany, Teddy, Joseph, David and Brenda; 24 great-grandchildren; 11 stepgrandchildren; five step-great-grandchildren; seven brothers, Jim (Emma) Ward of McDonald, Bill (Janet) Ward of Avella, Kenny Ward of Washington, Henry (Mary) Ward of Washington, Dave Ward of Burgettstown, Tom (Beth) Ward of Falling Water, W.Va., and Fred Ward of Washington.

Deceased, in addition to her first husband and parents, are a grandson, David Dillman; three brothers, Wayne, Gerry and George P. Ward; and a sister, Cleo Crothers.

Friends and family will be received from 1 to 3 and 4 to 6 p.m., the time of service, Wednesday, February 17, in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312, with Pastor Fran Skariot officiating. A private burial will be held in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643, 30 Short Street, Avella, PA 15312.

Shirley V. Piatt
July 15, 1939-February 14, 2016

Clyde F. Piazza

Clyde "Fuzzy" Piazza, 59, of Oakdale died Monday, Jan. 24, 1994.

Born May 24, 1934 in Presto, he was the son of the late Liberale and Ida Piazza.

He is survived by his wife, Theresa; a daughter, Mabel Smith of Burgettstown; two brothers, Albert of McDonald and Robert of Oakdale; and a granddaughter, Jamie Lynn Smith.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a sister, Natalie Tournay, and a brother, Eugene Piazza.

Friends were received in the Thomas and Little Funeral Home, Oakdale, where services were held Wednesday.

Clyde (Fuzzy) Piazza
May 24, 1934-January 24, 1994

Mary Lou Piazza

*Active in church
and community*



Mary Lou Piazza, 84, of Southview, died Tuesday, November 19, 2013, in St. Clair Hospital.

She was born July 14, 1929, in Ravenna, Ohio, a daughter of the late Joseph and Mary Palmisano Bruzzese.

She was a member of St. Mary Parish and choir, in a group called Sister Act and played the Mother Superior, Mt. Pleasant Volunteer Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary and the former Cecil Grange. She enjoyed playing cards, dancing, cooking and baking. Everything she made was good, but she was known for her pumpkin rolls. She was always active in her church and the community.

She worked as a cafeteria worker in Fort Cherry High School for 25 years.

Surviving are her husband, Joseph L. Piazza Jr. of Southview, a son, Dominick 'Mick' (Juliana) Piazza of Southview; two daughters, Theresa Piazza of Heidelberg and Victoria Piazza of Pittsburgh, two grandchildren, Christina (Ryan) Robertson of Crafton and Talia Piazza of Pittsburgh, two sisters, Genevieve Cardamone of Carnegie and Theresa Mull of Scottsdale, Ariz.; and a brother, Dominic Bruzzese of Gainesville, Fla.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, is a sister, Virginia Talota.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m., Thursday in Coleman-Taylor Funeral Services, 3378 Millers Run Road, Route 50, Cecil, where prayers of transfer will be said at 9:30 a.m. Friday, November 22, followed by a Christian Funeral Mass at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Church, Cecil, with Father Stan Gregorek officiating.

Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

Mary Lou Piazza
July 14, 1929-November 19, 2013

Troy W. Piazza

Troy W. Piazza of McDonald, died Jan. 26, 1996, in Allegheny General Hospital. He was 24.

Born May 25, 1971, in Washington, he was the son of Gilbert W. Piazza and Shirley Chauvet Piazza of Canonsburg.

He was a member of the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne Division and served during Operation Desert Storm.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Bonni Aincough Piazza; a daughter, Jessie J., at home; a son, Anthony F., at home; a sister, Misty K. Piazza of Canonsburg; and a brother, G. Shawn of Charleston, W.Va.

Friends were received Jan. 28 and 29 in Thomas and Little Funeral, Service Inc., McDonald. Services were held Jan. 30 in the funeral home, the Rev. Craig Kephart officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery.

Troy W. Piazza
May 25, 1971-January 26, 1996

Warren D. Piazza

Warren D. Piazza of McDonald died April 5, 1998, in Manor Care, McMurray. He was 77.

Born Oct. 10, 1920, in Noblestown, he was the son of Fortunato D. and Angelina Piazza.

He was a former partner of Piazza Brothers Inc. Trucking in Noblestown. In 1982, he retired from the trucking company, which he founded with his four brothers in 1946.

During World War II, he served in the U.S. Army Air Force.

He was a member of Calvary Presbyterian Church in McDonald and the United Mine Workers of America.

On March 18, 1944, he married Olive Prevost, who survives.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Ida DellaPiazza and Carmella DeVandry.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Gina L. Ooghe of Imperial; a son, Warren DallaPiazza of McDonald; two sisters, Olympia Elias of McDonald and Zelinda Montgomery of Cuddy; four brothers, William and Bruno D., both of Oakdale; Friendo D. of Clearwater, Fla., and Gilbert D. of Jamestown; and three grandchildren, Anthony, Angela and Christa DallaPiazza.

Friends were received April 7 and 8 in the Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. Services were held April 9 in Calvary Presbyterian Church, McDonald, the Rev. Rodger Allen, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Warren D. Piazza
October 20, 1920-April 5, 1998

Paul S. Piccolo

Paul S. Piccolo, 77, of 2024 Jefferson Avenue, Washington, died in Washington Hospital at 1:15 p.m. Sunday, July 1, 1984.

He was born March 25, 1907, in Manifold, a son of Paul and Catherine Scaroinaglia Piccolo.

He was a retired coal miner who had worked in Washington area mines.

Mr. Piccolo was a member of St. Hilary Church and the United Mine Workers of America, and was a lifetime member of Alpine Star Lodge No. 9.

Surviving are his wife, Catherine Engott Piccolo; one son, Paul Piccolo Jr. of Washington; one daughter, Mrs. James (Mary Catherine) Greely of Washington; two brothers, Frank and Mike Piccolo, both of Washington; three sisters, Catherine Boni of Burgettstown, Mrs. Sam (Mary) Cimino of Washington and Ann DeMario of Washington; and two grandchildren, Angela and Brian Piccolo, both of Washington.

Two sisters, Mickey Rotunda and Rose Montardi, are deceased.

Paul S. Piccolo
March 25, 1907-July 1, 1984

Andrew Pichora War II Veteran Dies In Baltimore



Funeral services for Andrew Pichora, 35, who died of malaria, Monday, August 9 in Baltimore, Md., will be held from his brother's home, Joseph Pichora of Francis Mine, Thursday, August 12 at 4:30 o'clock. Rev. W. J. McCashing will officiate and burial will be in the Catholic cemetery.

Pichora died after a long illness of malaria in Baltimore, where he had been employed for the past two years since his discharge from service. He contracted the disease while serving with the Observation Battalion of the Army in the Pacific area. He served for three years and was stationed at Japan, Iwo Jima, and the Leyte Islands.

He was born in Burgettstown in 1913, the son of the late Nicholas and Nellie Pichora. He had lived here and worked at Francis Mine until his call to army service. Surviving are one brother, Joseph and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Broney of Ellsworth and Mrs. Catherine Budny and Anna Pichora of Baltimore.

Andrew Pichora
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ROSE PIEKASZ

Rose Piekasz, 92, of First Street, Slovan, died Monday, February 1, 1982, in the Elyria, Ohio, Hospital.

She was born July 15, 1889, in Poland.

Mrs. Piekasz was a Catholic and a resident of Slovan for 62 years.

Surviving are three sons, Casimir Pakisz and Paul Pakisz, both of Slovan, and Jozef Stanislawski, of Poland; two daughters, Mrs. Sophia Burell, of Elyria, Ohio, and Marianna Urbaniak, of Poland; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Paul, and a son, Wojciech, are deceased.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 1 p.m. Thursday in St. Ann Church, Bulger. Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery.

Rose Piekasz
July 15, 1889-February 1, 1982



John S. Pienkosky

J&L Steel retiree

John S. Pienkosky, 83, of Burgettstown, died Monday, September 26, 2005, in Washington Hospital.

He was born February 8, 1922, in Burgettstown, a son of Alex and Mary Pienkosky.

Mr. Pienkosky worked as a coal miner in Burgettstown and retired from J&L Steel.

He was Roman Catholic and enjoyed hunting and fishing.

His wife, Genevieve M. Davis Pienkosky, died November 4, 1991.

Surviving are two sons, Harold K. Barkley and wife Clondell of Colliers, W.Va., and Robert "Buddy" Barkley of Tennessee; three daughters, Sharlet Wright and husband Fred of Paris, Rosie C. Mason of Paris and Virginia E. Willy of Imperial; 14 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren; two sisters, Frances Antionette of Burgettstown and Laura Maciejewski of Pittsburgh.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 29. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Paris.

John S. Pienkosky

February 18, 1922- September 26, 2005

Joseph Pienkosky

*Member of Langeloth U.P.
Church was LTV Steel retiree*

Joseph Pienkosky, 69, of Burgettstown, died Saturday, January 17, 2004, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

He was born February 17, 1934, in Francis Mine, a son of Alex and Mary Pienkosky.

Mr. Pienkosky was retired from LTV Steel in Aliquippa. At the time of his death, he was working part time for Williams Country Club in Weirton.

He was a member of Langeloth United Presbyterian Church and Langeloth dartball team.

Mr. Pienkosky was an avid golfer and enjoyed reading.

On August 26, 1961, he married Nancy Burgoon, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Joseph (Jay) Pienkosky, at home; a daughter, Leslie Dunlap of Chippewa; a granddaughter, Madeline Dunlap; a brother, John Pienkosky of Francis Mine; two sisters, Frances Antonetti of Burgettstown and Laura Maciejewski of Pittsburgh; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are three brothers, Frank, Tony and Walter Pienkosky; and two sisters, Helen Bell and Rose Link.

PIENKOSKY - Friends of Joseph Pienkosky of Burgettstown, who died Saturday, January 17, 2004, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, member of Covered Bridge Independent Funeral Homes, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, January 21, with the Rev. Cathy Peternel officiating. Interment will be held in Grandview Cemetery, Florence. The family suggests memorial contributions to Burgettstown Community Library or Langeloth United Presbyterian Church.

Joseph Pienkosky
February 17, 1934-January 17, 2004

Joseph A. Pienkosky

*Worked at Burgettstown
Community Library*

Joseph A. (Jay) Pienkosky, 42, of Burgettstown, died Monday, May 15, 2006, in Washington Hospital.

He was born August 15, 1963, in Canonsburg, a son of Nancy Burgoon Pienkosky of Burgettstown and the late Joseph Pienkosky, who died January 17, 2004.

He worked at Burgettstown Community Library.

He was a 1981 graduate of Burgettstown High School. He then graduated from Penn State University with a degree in English and later acquired a paralegal degree from Penn State.

His hobbies included reading and karaoke.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are a sister and brother-in-law, Leslie and Doug Dunlap of Chippewa Township; a niece, Madeline Dunlap of Chippewa Township; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 18, with Pastor Dr. Greg Graybill officiating. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Joseph A. Pienkosky
August 15, 1963-May 15, 2006

MARGARET PIERARD

Mrs. Margaret Zirwas Pierard, of Valley street, McDonald, died Monday, July 8, 1968, at the Presbyterian Hospital.

She was born December 27, 1894, at Midway, a daughter of Peter and Mary Meyers Zirwas. Her husband, Joseph, died in 1942.

She is survived by a son, Phillip, McDonald; a daughter, Margaret, wife of Andrew Shotis, McDonald; five brothers, Joseph and Matthew, both of McDonald; Jacob, Bridgeville; Harry, Oakdale; and Peter, Ravenna, Ohio; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Giles, Brentwood; Mrs. Josephine Latella, Slovan; Mrs. Katherine Altman, Fort Lauderdale, Florida; and Mrs. Eva Shnider and Mrs. Sue Daltoria, both of West Palm Beach, Florida; eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received in the Nation Funeral Home, McDonald, where services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. with Rev. Edward DeLair, of the Trinity United Presbyterian Church, McDonald, in charge.

Margaret Zirwas Pierard
December 27, 1894-July 8, 1968

George Pierce

Burgettstown resident

George Pierce, 72, of Burgettstown, died Saturday, March 4, 2000, in Vencor Hospital, Oakdale.

He was born May 16, 1927, a son of George W. and Laura Mae Antill Pierce.

Mr. Pierce was a member of American Legion of Burgettstown.

Surviving are two sons, Dave Pierce of Washington and Bill Pierce of Florence; three sisters, Mary White of Bulger, Lillian Chappel of Toledo, Ohio, and Betty Persin of Burgettstown; and two grandchildren.

Deceased are his wives, Rose Pierce and Mary Pierce.

PIERCE - Friends of George Pierce of Burgettstown, who died Saturday, March 4, 2000, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 8, with the Rev. Speer officiating. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence. ②

CORRECTION

IN THE OBITUARY of George Pierce, published Monday, omitted was the name of a surviving son, John T. Pierce of Burgettstown. Another son, Bill Pierce, is from Clinton.

George Pierce
May 16, 1927-March 4, 2000

Homer Pierce Sr.

BURGETTSTOWN — Homer Pierce Sr., 80, of Burgettstown, died Saturday, Jan. 1, 2000, at his daughter's residence.

Born Nov. 5, 1919, in Hickory, Pa., he was a son of the late William and Martha Rodgers Pierce. He also was preceded in death by three brothers, James, George and Enoch Pierce; and three sisters, Gertrude Huggins, Ann Staley and Mary Mull.

He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Slovan; the Owls Club; American Legion; and the SNPJ, Midway.

Surviving are a daughter, Bonnie Osborne of Paris, Pa.; two sons, Russell Pierce of Paris, Pa., and Homer Pierce, Jr. of Bulger; two sisters, Marg Emler of Murdocksville, Pa., and Bess DeBolt of Imperial; two brothers, William Pierce of Murdocksville; and Eugene Pierce of Imperial; 11 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren; and his former wife and friend, Silvia Pierce Winrod.

Interment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Paris, with the Rev. Spears officiating.

Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Ave., handled the arrangements.

Homer Pierce, Sr
November 5, 1919-January 1, 2000

John R. Pierce

John Ronald Pierce of Burgettstown died March 21, 1996, in his home. He was 34.

Born May 28, 1961, in Weirton, W.Va., he was the son of John and Gloria Pierce of Burgettstown and Dorothy Roberstson Izutter of Florence.

He was a graduate of Burgettstown High School and Western Area Vocational-Technical School.

He had served in the U. S. Army and was a member of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, both in Burgettstown.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by three sisters, Laurie Matthews of Denver, Colo., Betty Vernon of Guam and Gertie Russell of Burgettstown; three brothers, Frank and Michael, both of Burgettstown, and Robert of Jacksonville, Fla.; his paternal grandmother, Emma Pierce of Slovan; and his paternal grandfather, William Pierce Sr. of Clinton.

Friends were received March 24 in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Services were held March 25 in the funeral home, the Rev. Jim Boyer officiating.

John R. Pierce
May 28, 1961-March 21, 1996

Opal Ann Pierce

Opal Ann Gill Pierce of Burgettstown died March 22, 1996, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center. She was 58.

Born June 8, 1937, in Littleton, she was the daughter of John Perry and Carrie Belle Cruise Hamilton.

She was a Free Methodist.

She was preceded in death by a son, Scott Richard Gill; two sisters; five brothers; a granddaughter, Elizabeth Ann Hoberek; and a grandson, Robert Meriel Cross III.

She is survived by her husband, John; a daughter, Lora A. Boyer of Smithfield, Ohio; four sons, James T. Gill of Washington; Steven E. Gill of Avella; Gary W. Gill of New Cumberland, W.Va.; and Shawn G. Gill of Smithfield, Ohio; a brother, Ralph Hamilton of Wellsburg, W.Va.; 17 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Friends were received March 24 in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Services were held March 25 in the funeral home, the Rev. James Boyer officiating.

Opal Ann Pierce
June 8, 1937-March 22, 1996

Rose Ann Pierce

Rose Ann Pierce, 65, of Burgettstown, died Monday, March 27, 1995, in Washington Hospital.

She was born June 6, 1929, in Johnstown, a daughter of George and Laura Mae Norton Warrick.

Mrs. Pierce was a member of Hillside Chapel, Burgettstown.

She was a homemaker.

On May 11, 1978, she married George Pierce, who survives.

Also surviving are five sons, Robert and Clyde Watton of Langeloth, Earl Watton of Burgettstown, Eugene Watton of Washington and Patrick Watton of Canonsburg; seven daughters, Linda Armstrong of Langeloth, Barbara Tustin of Washington, Laura Tustin of Slovan, Joann Jenkins of Weirton, W.Va., Alice Dinch of Avella, Nancy Beyerbach of Oakdale and Veronica Watton of Tempe, Ariz.; 32 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Her first husband, Clyde Watton Jr., is deceased. She was the last of her immediate family.

Also preceding her in death was a son, John Watton, who died June 8, 1990.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home.

Services were held Thursday at 11 a.m. in Hillside Chapel, Burgettstown (Francis Mine), with the Rev. Lou Ayres officiating. Interment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Rose Ann Pierce
June 6, 1929-March 25, 1995

Ruth L. Pierce

Ruth Lillian Pierce of Maple Grove Trailer Court, Bulger, died Sept. 3, 1997, in her home. She was 59.

Born Aug. 1, 1938, she was the daughter of George and Laura Antill Pierce of Hanover Township.

She is survived by two sisters, Lillian Chappell of Toledo, Ohio, and Betty Persin of Burgettstown; and a brother, George of Burgettstown.

Friends were received Sept. 8 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A service was held Sept. 8 in the funeral home, the Rev. Clarejean Haurey officiating. Interment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Ruth L. Pierce
August 1, 1938-September 3, 1997

William Pierce Sr.

World War II Navy veteran

William Pierce Sr., 84, of Hanover Township, Beaver County, died Friday, May 25, 2001, in his home.

He was born May 20, 1917, in Burgettstown, a son of William and Martha Rodgers Pierce.

Mr. Pierce was a laborer for Allegheny Power and served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

On April 15, 1939, he married Emma Pierson, who survives.

Also surviving are four sons, John, Homer and William Pierce Jr., all of Burgettstown, and Charles Pierce of Atlasburg; two daughters, Mary Ann Ervin of Burgettstown and Martha Diamond of Bulger; 17 grandchildren; 35 great-grandchildren; a sister, Margret Emler of Clinton; and a brother, Eugene Pierce of Imperial.

Deceased are two grandchildren; five brothers, Jim, George, Enik, Russell and Homer Pierce; and six sisters, Myrtle and Pearl Pierce, Mary Mall, Bess Lidel, Gertrude Huggins and Anne Staley.

PIERCE - Friends of William Pierce Sr. of Hanover Township, Beaver County, who died Friday, May 25, 2001, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and Monday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown where services will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, May 29. Interment will follow in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery.

William Pierce Sr.
May 20, 1917-May 25, 2001

CHARLES J. PIERRARD

Charles J. Pierrard, 61, of 102 Washington Avenue, Midway, died on Thursday, May 24, 1979, in Canonsburg General Hospital.

He was born in Primrose June 25, 1917, a son of Prosper Pierrard, of Midway, and the late Ida Doumont Pierrard.

He owned and operated Pierrard Flooring, McDonald, until 1975, when he went to work at the U. S. Army Support Center, Oakdale.

He was a member and ruling elder of the Center United Presbyterian Church, Midway; the Midway Volunteer Fire Department; Washington Co. Firemen's Association; American Legion Post 485; and was a past Councilman of Midway Borough.

Surviving in addition to his father are his wife, Mary Nation Pierrard; one son, Charles J., Jr., of McDonald; one daughter, Mrs. Karen Rudy, of Midway; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Navoski, of Midway; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Nation Funeral Home, McDonald. Services were held Monday at 11 a.m.

Charles J. Pierrard
June 25, 1917-May 24, 1979

Charles J. Pierrard Jr.

Charles Joseph Pierrard Jr. of McDonald died March 30, 1997, in his home. He was 45.

Born Feb. 23, 1952, in Pittsburgh, he was the son of Mary Nation

Pierrard Mutton of Midway and the late Charles J. Pierrard Sr., who died in 1979.

He graduated from Fort Cherry High School in 1971.

He later attended ITT Technical Institute in Pittsburgh for drafting.

He worked as a nurses aide for Mayview State Hospital. Prior to that, he worked for Vasko Car Dealership in Canonsburg and Shenango on Neville Island.

He was a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church, McDonald, and was also a member of (AFSCME) American Federation of State County and Municipal Employees.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by a daughter, Heather S. Edwards of Washington; two sons, Shawn J. of Bridgeville and Phillip C. of McDonald; a sister, Karen Brockman of Midway; three grandchildren, Tony, Alicia and Billy Edwards; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received April 1 at Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald. Services were held April 2 in the funeral home, the Rev. Rick Sheets officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery.

Charles J. Pierrard Jr.
February 23, 1952-March 30, 1997

NOBLE WOMAN LAID TO REST WITH HONORS

Impressive Services at Funeral
of Mrs. Mary M. Piersol.

AT BRIDGEWATER
SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Large Attendance of Friends, Relatives and Daughters of Rebekah. The Floral Offerings Were Profuse and Beautiful.

One of the most largely attended and most impressively conducted funeral services ever held in the Beaver valley, was that held over the remains of Mrs. Mary Maxwell Piersol, wife of Prof. S. H. Piersol, Sunday at 3 p. m., in the Bridgewater Presbyterian church. Every seat in the auditorium was occupied by relatives and friends, many of the latter being present and former pupils of the Piersol academy, where she had taught for more than a quarter of a century. Then there were present the members of Fidelity Lodge, No. 26, Daughters of Rebekah of Bridgewater of which the deceased was a member and many members of the different I. O. O. F. lodges of the county, Prof. Piersol being a member of the order. The members of the Fidelity lodge and visiting members of the order met at the I. O. O. F. hall at 2 p. m. and marched to the church in a body. The church services were conducted by Rev. Ernest L. McCartney, pastor of the church; Rev. H. P. Johnson, pastor of the Bridgewater M. E. church, making the opening prayer.

The address by Rev. McCartney was as appropriate as it was beautiful and impressive, it being divided into three parts, under which he spoke of human life as "The Earthly Life" the "Life of Memory" and the "Life Eternal."

Under the first division he referred to the life of the deceased as a Christian teacher for more than a quarter of a century, during which time she had made a lasting impress upon the hearts and minds of thousands of teachers while they were pupils under her care and influence. He said that many of the lawyers and physicians in the county and probably half of the teachers in the schools of the county and many in other counties and in other States had received instruction from her. Under the second division, that of memory, he referred to the impressions made upon the minds and hearts of her pupils and that they in turn, would influence the lives of the pupils and others with whom they would come in contact. Under the last division, he spoke of the "eternal life" which Christ has purchased for all who believe and trust in Him; who has conquered death and robbed the grave of victory.

The church choir, with Mrs. Mary Kerr presiding at the piano, sang the following familiar hymns: "Abide With Me," "Rock of Ages," "Asleep in Jesus" and "Nearer My God to Thee." The beautiful funeral services of the order of Daughters of Rebekah were then performed by Noble Grand, Mrs. Sadie Thomas, Vice Grand Mrs. Sophia Fisher, and Chaplain, Mrs. W. J. Ware, the services being introduced by the singing of the funeral ode of the order by W. J. Ferris. The floral offerings were beautiful and were from Fidelity lodge. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Harton, Mrs. M. Walsh and others.

The pallbearers were three of the former pupils of the deceased, County Supt. Chester A. Moore and attorneys Charles R. Eckert and Junius W. McBride, and three members of Fidelity lodge, D. of R., M. M. Javens, Archie Stewart and J. M. Beal. The interment was private in Beaver cemetery.

Mary Maxwell Piersol
Wife of Scudder Hart Piersol
1849-1902

SAMUEL W. PIERSOL

Word has been received of the death of Samuel Watson Piersol, 85, of R.D.1 Friedens, Somerset County. He passed away September 17, 1965, at 2 a.m. in his home.

Mr. Piersol was born in Perry Township, Fayette County, August 23, 1880, a son of the late Albert and Margaret Hormell Piersol. He spent many years as a farmer and dairyman on a farm adjoining Harmon Creek. Mr. Piersol operated a milk bottling plant, and delivered milk in Burgetts-town and surrounding areas.

His wife, Olive Kell Piersol, preceded him in

death on September 20, 1948. Also deceased are a brother, Paul, who died October 15, 1960, and a sister, Miss Edna Piersol, who died September 23, 1961.

Surviving are two sons Albert Kell Piersol, of Long Drive, Mt. Lebanon; William Bennett Piersol, of R.D.1, Friedens, with whom he made his home, and three daughters, Margaret, wife of M/Sgt. William Dowler; Miss Ruth Piersol, of R.D.1, Friedens; and Sara, wife of Charles H. Ow, of Maryland Drive, Mt. Lebanon; one sister, Mrs. Mary Piersol, and one aunt, Miss Grace Piersol, both of Belle Vernon; three grandchildren, two great grandchildren and four step great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held in the Blair Funeral Home, Perryopolis, at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 19 in charge of his nephew, the Rev. Thomas Mari. Burial was in Flatwood Cemetery.

Samuel Watson Piersol
October 20, 1880-September 19, 1965

MRS. W. H. PIERSON

Mrs. Alice Isiminger Pierson, widow of Rev. William Henry Pierson, died Monday, October 23, 1961, at 1:30 p.m. in the Smith Nursing Home at Graysville where she had been confined for six months. Mrs. Pierson, who formerly lived at 124 Altamont avenue, Washington, had been ill for years and seriously ill the last six weeks.

She was born June 12, 1876, in Greene County, a daughter of Michael and Esther Miller Isiminger, and was the last of a family of six children.

She was a member of the Church of God, Reformation, of Washington. Her husband, Rev. William Henry Pierson, a former pastor in area churches, died January 29, 1957.

Surviving are one son, Harry P. Riggs, of Claysville, and five grandchildren.

Alice Isiminger Pierson
July 12, 1876-October 23, 1961

ALBERT PIETROWSKI

Albert Pietrowski, 70, died Saturday, August 1, in his home in Raccoon, after a three months' illness. He was born in Poland and came to Raccoon 35 years ago, where he was employed as a coal miner. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 3:30 o'clock by the Rev. W. J. McCashin pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

He is survived by his wife, Anna and seven sons and daughters; Mary and Mitchell of Pittsburgh, Jennie Krovak of Raccoon, Mayran Vanats of Midway, Wanda Plate of Slovan, Helen Linkish of Cherry Valley and Raymond at home.

**Albert Pietrowski
Died-August 1, 1942**

ANNA PIETROWSKI

Anna Pietrowski, 82, of Joffre, died Sunday, April 24, 1966, in Washington hospital.

Born in Krakow, Poland, May 12, 1883, she had lived in Joffre for 60 years.

She was a member of St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, and the Polish Falcons of America.

Surviving are two sons, Mitchell Parker, of Pittsburgh, and Raymond Pietrowski, of Cherry Valley, four daughters, Jennie Krovak, Helen Linkish and Mae Haluka, all of Joffre, and Wanda Plate, of Burgettstown; 18 grandchildren and a niece, Barbara Allison, of Joffre.

Her husband, Albert, died August 1, 1942.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home. Requiem High Mass was celebrated in St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, Tuesday, April 26, at 9 a.m. Burial was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery.

Anna Pietrowski
May 12, 1883-April 24, 1966

Dorothy L. Pietrowski

Burgettstown resident
baked wedding cakes



Dorothy
Louise
Pietrowski, 72, of
Burgettstown,
died Wednesday,
March 5, 2003, in
her home.

She was born
May 5, 1930, in Avella, a daughter
of Thomas and Louisa Skorn
Tender.

Mrs. Pietrowski had worked
for Ivy Green Flower Shop in
Washington and Chujko
Brothers Inc. in McKees Rocks.

She also professionally baked
wedding cakes.

Mrs. Pietrowski was a
member of St. Ann Roman
Catholic Church in Bulger and
Raccoon Grade School PTA.

She was a volunteer for
"Meals on Wheels."

Mrs. Pietrowski enjoyed
gardening and birds.

Her husband, Raymond
Pietrowski, died November 10,
1996.

Surviving are two sons,
Ronald Petrie of Washington and
David Pietrowski of Library; two
daughters, Debra Chujko of
Pittsburgh and Donna Argent of
Hankey Farms; a brother,
Thomas Tender of Ohio; two
sisters, Jenny Buchek of Hickory
and Bertha Yurkovich of
Prosperity; seven grandchildren,
Jodi Petrie-Lech, John and
Anthony Chujko, Brandon,
Ashley, Stephanie and Nichole
Argent; and a great-
granddaughter.

Deceased are two brothers,
Vince and Frank Tender; and two
sisters, Sophie Lynn and Helen
Wargo.

PIETROWSKI - Friends of Dorothy Louise
Pietrowski of Burgettstown, who died
Wednesday, March 5, 2003, will be re-
ceived from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sun-
day in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23
Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. Mass of
Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10
a.m. Monday, March 10, in St. Ann Roman
Catholic Church, Bulger, with the Rev. Bob
Staszewski as celebrant. Interment will fol-
low in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Bur-
gettstown. The family suggests memorial
contributions to St. Ann Roman Catholic
Church, Bulger, or Burgettstown Commu-
nity Library.

Dorothy L. Pietrowski
May 5, 1930-March 5, 2003

Raymond Pietrowski

Served in Korean War

Raymond Pietrowski, 75, of Burgettstown, died Sunday, November 10, 1996, in his home.

He was born August 14, 1921, in Joffre, a son of the late Albert and Anna Pietrowski.

Mr. Pietrowski was a retired construction worker, having been employed by Duquesne Light and the Bruce Mansfield Power Plant, both in Shippingsport.

He was a member of St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church in Bulger and a member of the Local 833 Construction Union.

Mr. Pietrowski was a U.S. Army veteran having served in the Korean Conflict.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Louise Tender Pietrowski; two sons, Ronald Petrie of Washington, and David Pietrowski of Library; two daughters, Debra Chujko of Pittsburgh, and Donna Argent of McDonald; two sisters, Wanda Plate of Burgettstown, and Maelyn Halulko of Joffre; six grandchildren, Jodi Petrie, John and Anthony Chujko, Brandon, Ashley and Stephanie Argent.

Deceased are one brother, Mitchell Parker; and three sisters, Mary Pietrowski, Jennie Krovak and Helen Linkish.

PIETROWSKI — Friends of Raymond Pietrowski of Burgettstown, who died Sunday, November 10, 1996, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m., Tuesday, and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m., Wednesday in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m., Thursday, November 14, in St. Ann's Church in Bulger. Interment in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Raymond Pietrowski
August 14, 1921-November 10, 1996

Anna J. Pike

Worked for Fort Cherry
School District

Anna J. Pike, 86, of
Canonsburg, formerly of
McDonald, died Thursday,
February 10, 2000, in Washington
County Health Center.

She was born June 11, 1913, in
Primrose, a daughter of John and
Mary Petric Likar.

Mrs. Pike was a custodian for
Fort Cherry School District and
was a 70-year member of SNPJ
Lodge 89 of Midway and was a
member of McDonald Senior
Citizens.

Her husband, Stanley Pike,
died in 1969.

Surviving are two daughters,
Patricia Brown of Canonsburg
and Jeannette Pike of Oakdale;
five granddaughters; and a great-
grandson.

Deceased is a grandson.

PIKE - Friends of Anna J. Pike of Canonsburg, formerly of McDonald, who died Thursday, February 10, 2000, will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service, 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, February 13. Interment will follow in Center Cemetery, Midway.

Anna J. Pike
June 11, 1913-February 10, 2000

Joseph Piktel Sr.

Joseph Piktel Sr. of Daisytown died Oct. 2, 1996, in Presbyterian University Hospital, Pittsburgh. He was 81.

Born Aug. 8, 1915, in Avella, he was the son of John and Beatrice Pawlick Piktel.

He was Catholic.

He retired in 1977 from Corning Glass Co. in Charleroi and was also a retired miner for Jones and Laughlin Steel Corp., Vesta 4 and 5 Mines.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army.

He was a member of UMWA Local 762 of Vestaburg, a life member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a member of the Slavic Club of Charleroi.

On Sept. 2, 1946, he married Jean Polidori, who survives and with whom he recently celebrated a 50-year anniversary.

He was preceded in death by a sister and a brother.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Gloria Piktel Coffey of Daisytown; two sons, Joseph J. Jr. of Donora and William J. of Daisytown; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Oct. 3 in Greenlee Funeral Home, Beallsville. Services were held Oct. 4 in the funeral home, the Rev. Francis Jurewicz officiating. Interment was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Coal Center.

Joseph Piktel Sr.
August 8, 1915-October 2, 1996

Helen Krocsko Pikulski

1919-2015



Helen Krocsko Pikulski, 95, of Washington, died peacefully, Monday, February 9, 2015, in Southminster Place

at Presbyterian Senior Care, Washington, where she had been living for the past nine years.

She was born November 7, 1919, in Louise Mine, near Burgettstown, and lived her childhood years in Raccoon. She was a daughter of the late Michael Krocsko Sr. and Suzanne Kostrey Krocsko, both of whom emigrated together to the United States from Czechoslovakia.

Mrs. Pikulski was a 1937 graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown. She enjoyed her family, quilt making, sewing and crafts, but mostly enjoyed spending time with her beloved husband and "buddy," Joseph, with whom she traveled extensively during his 21-year military career.

Mrs. Pikulski lived her life with a deep and abiding faith in God, often reciting the hymnal verse, "Jesus is all the world to me, my life, my joy, my all. He is my strength from day to day; without Him I would fall. When I am sad, to Him I go, no other one can cheer me so. When I am sad, He makes me glad, He's my friend."

She was a member of Third United Presbyterian Church and a retired member of Martha Washington Quilters Guild.

On February 7, 1942, she married her childhood sweetheart, Joseph A. Pikulski, who died October 25, 2008.

She was the last of her immediate family. Deceased are three brothers, Michael Krocsko, John Krocsko and Paul Krocsko; and four sisters, Suzanne Krocsko, Anna Chermak, Mary Abate and Sophie McFarland.

Surviving are a niece, Rosemary (Ed) Guna of Venetia, who was her primary caregiver; and several other nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., the time of service, Wednesday, February 11, in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, with the Rev. Clarejean Haury officiating. Burial will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Helen Krocsko Pikulski

November 7, 1919-February 9, 2015

John Phillip Pilato Jr.

Graduate of Fort Cherry H.S.

John Phillip Pilato Jr., 54, of Oakdale, North Fayette Township, died Friday, December 30, 2005, in UPMC-Presbyterian hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born November 17, 1951, in Rochester, a son of De-lorise M. Kush of Canonsburg and the late John Phillip Pilato Sr.

Mr. Pilato was a graduate of Fort Cherry High School and loved riding motorcycles.

On June 21, 2003, he married Carol Ann Kelsey, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Darin (Maria) Pilato of McDonald; two stepsons, Sgt. Ryan Kelsey and Zachary Kelsey, both at home; two sisters, Bonnie (Steve) Pitzarella and Jodi (Santino) Larocca of Raleigh, N.C.; and a grandchild, Austin Brooks.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 p.m., the time of services, Sunday, January 8, in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, with the Rev. Robert Miller officiating. Memorials may be made to American Heart Association.

John Phillip Pilato Jr.
November 17, 1951- December 30, 2005

JOHN PINTAR

John Pintar 76, died at his home 17 Linn avenue, Burgettstown, Friday, Jan. 14, 1955, at 1:25 a.m., following a lingering illness.

He was born May 7, 1878, in Yugoslavia and had been a resident of Burgettstown for the past 38 years.

Mr. Pintar was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic church of Burgettstown and the KSKJ Lodge of Burgettstown.

He is survived by his wife, Josephine Gruber Pintar; a daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Wos, Burgettstown.

Funeral services were held at a requiem mass Monday, Jan. 17, at 9 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church, by Father John R. Boslet. Burial was in the church cemetery.

John Pintar
May 7, 1878-January 14, 1955

MRS. JOSEPH PINDAR

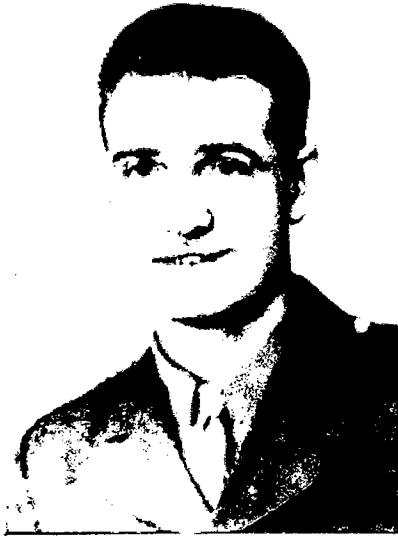
Mrs. Laura Pindar, 52, wife of Joseph J. Pindar, died at her home on Route 18 near Frankfort on Saturday evening. Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. R. L. Biddle on Wednesday at 2 o'clock from the residence. Interment was in Florence cemetery.

Mrs. Pindar is survived by her husband and two sons, both in the United States Army, Harold H. in Georgia, and Joseph J. Jr., in South Carolina and one daughter, Martha, of Washington, D. C. The boys were given leaves of absence to attend their mother's funeral.

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Laura Pindar
Died-May 2, 1942

John J. Pinder, Jr.



**Technician Fifth Grade
John J. Pinder, Jr.
June 6, 1912-June 6, 1944**

United States Army soldier and recipient of the United States military's highest decoration- the Medal of Honor- for his actions in WWII during the Battle of Normandy.

Pinder joined the Army from Burgettstown, PA, and by June 6, 1944 was serving as a technician fifth grade in the 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division. On that day, he participated in the Allied landings near Colleville-sur-Mer, France.

According to the officer, Second Lieutenant Leeward W. Stockwell, witnessed Pinder's conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity above and beyond the call of duty, the infantryman crouched over his precious radio equipment when the landing craft in which he was riding stormed to shore of Collville-sur-Mer, France. Men fell all around him from the concentration of fire from the bluffs along the shore. He still clutched a radio when men and equipment were plunged into waist-deep water.

'Almost immediately on hitting the water he was hit by shrapnel. He was hit several times and the worst wound was the left side of his face, which was cut off and hanging by a piece of flesh. Holding the flesh with one hand he carried the set to shore.. He immediately returned to the fire-swept water to retrieve equipment dropped by other wounded men. He set up the radio and went into the water for other equipment. There he was again wounded by a machinegun burst but he kept on and refused treatment. He continued on until he was killed.'

Pinder's commander, Captain Stephen V. Ralph said Pinder knew the equipment was sorely needed. Three times he made trips into the water and each time drew a deadly ball of fire from the cliffs from above. He knew he was critically wounded. The left side of his face was completely shot away.

The soldier was a professional baseball player before he entered the Army. He participated in the Algerian-French Moroccan, Tunisian and Sicilian campaigns and had been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge on March 24, 1944. The Purple Heart was presented to his mother, Mrs. Laura Pinder, on August 4, 1944. The presentation of a Gold Star Button to John J. Pinder, father of Technician Fifth Grade John J. Pinder, Jr., was made at Memorial Day Services at Forbes Field, Pittsburgh on Sunday, May 30, 1948. Forbes field was selected for this ceremony since Pinder's chief interest, during his short lifetime was professional baseball. In 1942, the year in which he entered the military service, he was under contract with the Brooklyn Dodgers. AT the age of 16, he was pitching for a Butler team, and spent several seasons with the Atlantic State League, the Texas League and others. His contract with the Dodgers terminated his entrance into the military service.

Although official presentations are not possible for all qualified, the ceremony stood as a memorial to those who gave their lives for the American way of life.

Pinder was killed on his 32nd birthday. His remains were interred at Grandview Cemetery, Florence, PA. after the arrival from overseas.

JOSEPHINE PINTAR

Mrs. Josephine Pintar, 86, of 17 Linn avenue, Burgettstown, died Saturday, May 28, 1966, in her home.

Mrs. Pintar was born March 16, 1880, in Yugoslavia. She has resided in Burgettstown for 56 years. She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church Burgettstown; Christian Mothers Association; K.S. K.J. Lodge and Slovenian Women's Lodge.

Surviving are one daughter, Charlotte, wife of Joseph Wos, Burgettstown; one brother, Joseph Gruber, Burgettstown; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home. Requiem High Mass was sung at 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 1, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Josephine Pintar
March 16, 1880-May 28, 1966

JOHN PINTER.

John Joseph Pinter, 72, husband of Gladys Pinter, Burgettstown R. D. 1, died Thursday, June 7, 1962, in the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was a retired employee of the Weirton Steel Company.

Surviving, besides his widow, are a daughter, Martha Madeline, Oakland, California; a son, Harold H., North Hills, Pittsburgh; a step-son, Earl Ray, Chester, West Virginia; a brother, Fred, Covina, California; and two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Sizemore, Margate, Florida, and Mrs. Edie Stratham, Findlay, Ohio.

Friends were received at the John E. Welch Funeral Home, Hookstown, where services were held Sunday, June 19, at 2 p.m. in charge of the Rev. David Foresman, pastor of the Florence and Frankfort Springs Presbyterian Churches. Interment in Grandview Cemetery.

**John Joseph Pinter
Died-June 7, 1962**

ADAM PIORKOWSKI

Adam Piorkowski, 68, of 106 Rostraver Avenue, Monessen, died of a heart attack in the Mon Valley Hospital on Saturday, Nov. 30, 1985.

Mr. Piorkowski was a former resident of Burgettstown, where he was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church. For many years he was employed by the Cunningham Machine Company in Burgettstown.

Survivors include his wife, Pauline (Yoursco) Piorkowski; a daughter, Debbie; a brother, Henry, in McKeesport; a sister in Michigan; and several nephews and nieces.

Friends were received in the Macik Funeral Home of Donora. Services were held Wednesday at St. Mary's Church, Donora. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery, Rostraver Township.

**Adam Piorkowski
Died-November 30, 1985**

CLYDE S. PIPES 1942

Clyde S. Pipes, well known member of the Washington County Bar for more than a quarter of a century, died suddenly at his home in Washington, Sunday, January 31, after an illness for the past two years. He was in his 56th year. The deceased, who had been a member of the law firm of Hamilton and Pipes for 24 years was one of the best known of the members of the County Bar, and stood high in his profession. He was also high in Masonic circles and was past master of Sunset Lodge 623 F. & A. M.

Mr. Pipes spent two days a week in this vicinity where he practiced law, and was well known here.

Clyde S. Pipes
Died-January 31, 1942

Henry Pirih

Bronze Star recipient

Henry Pirih, 83, of McCarrell Road, Hickory, died Friday, May 7, 1999, in Washington County Health Center.

He was born October 23, 1915, in Burgettstown, a son of John and Mary Pirih.

Mr. Pirih was employed at Climax-Molybdenum of Langeloth, retiring in 1987.

He was a member of St. John's Russian Orthodox Church in Canonsburg.

Mr. Pirih was a veteran of World War II, serving as a medic in company 105 of the Army infantry and fighting in the Battle of the Bulge. He was awarded the Bronze Star.

He was a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion Posts of Burgettstown and the SNPJ Lodge of Burgettstown.

Mr. Pirih was a former horse owner at Ladbroke At The Meadows, and he was a member of the Two Minute Club and the U.S. Trotting Association.

On November 20, 1943, he married Eva Matyuf, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Michael Pirih of Hickory; a daughter, Marian Krol of Hickory; two grandchildren, Michael and Marisa Pirih; a brother, Ben Pirih of Upland Calif.; two sisters, Caroline Kopolovich of Washington and Poldi Rozmus of Atlasburg; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a brother, John Pirih; and two sisters, Amelia Hardy and Mary Creo.

PIRIH - Friends of Henry Pirih of McCarrell Road, Hickory, who died Friday, May 7, 1999, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Bogan Funeral Homes Inc., 164 West Pike Street, Canonsburg. A blessing service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Monday, May 10, in the funeral home, followed by services at 10 a.m. in St. John's Russian Orthodox Church, Canonsburg with the Rev. Joseph Oleynik officiating. Interment will be in Oak Spring Cemetery, Canonsburg. Full military rites will be accorded by Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 191 and American Legion Post 902. Parastas services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and 7 p.m. Sunday in the funeral home.

Henry Pirih

October 23, 1915-May 7, 1999

John Pirih

John Pirih of Langeloth died Oct. 30, 1997, in his home. He was 85.

Born Nov. 13, 1912, in Imperial, he was the son of John and Mary Pirih.

He was retired from Climax, where he was an operator.

He was preceded in death by two sisters, Amelia Hardy and Mary Suarez.

He is survived by his wife, Katherine (Alexander); a daughter, Gerry Sabo of Bulger; a son, Robert of Utah; two sisters, Caroline Kopolovich of Washington and Leopolda Rozmus of Atlasburg; two brothers, Henry of Hickory and Benjamin from the state of California; four grandchildren, Erin, Danny, Sean and Christopher; and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A service was held Nov. 1 in the funeral home, the Rev. Jack Adams officiating. Further arrangements were handled at the family's convenience.

John Pirih
November 13, 1912-October 30, 1997

John Pirillo Jr.

U.S. Navy veteran enjoyed hunting and fishing



John Pirillo Jr., 92, of Avella, died Friday, July 20, 2018, in his home.

He was born October 12, 1925, in Avella, a son of the late John Pirillo Sr. and Susie Pascuzzi Pirillo.

Mr. Pirillo was a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

For more than 30 years, he worked as a crane operator for Climax Molybdenum Co.

He was a member of American Legion Post 643, Avella, and Avella Sportsmen's Club.

John loved spending time with his family. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and all sports, especially the Pittsburgh Steelers and Pirates.

In June 1949, he married Norma Jean Phillips, who died November 14, 1989.

Surviving are a son, John (Sandy) Pirillo of Avella; a daughter, Beverly (James) Dellaria of Washington; two sisters, Violet Hines of Washington and Mary (Ron) Kovach of La Porte, Ind.; four grandchildren, Melissa,

JoAnn, John and James; and seven great-grandchildren, Amanda, Madelyn, Anthony, Jace, Giovanni, Jamie and Kaitlyn.

Deceased are five brothers, Frank, Pete, James, Nick and Patsy Pirillo, and two sisters, Catherine and Dolly.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 25. Burial will follow in Independence Cemetery, Avella, with military rites accorded graveside by Avella American Legion Post 643, Avella.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Avella Sportsmen's Club, P.O. Box 155, Avella, PA 15312.

Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

John Pirillo Jr.

October 12, 1925-July 20, 2018

Marie R. Pirillo

Bowling, casino enthusiast



Marie R. Pirillo, 87, of McDonald, died Wednesday, December 30, 2015, in Donnell House,

Washington.

She was born January 2, 1928, in Charleroi, a daughter of the late Desire and Josephine Bourguigon Storez.

She attended Cecil schools.

She was a member of Venice Presbyterian Church and a Thursday morning ladies bowling league at Route 19 Bowl.

She enjoyed visiting the casino.

She worked at Chi Chi's Dairy in Bridgeville, as a cook at Howard Johnson's and as a baker at Donut Connection in McMurray.

On August 25, 1950, she married Pete F. Pirillo Sr., who died in 2001.

Surviving are daughters Michele Pirillo (John) Gubitti of McDonald, Linda Kover of Bentleyville and Debra Gurosko (Steve) Toth of Houston; sons Pete Pirillo Jr. of Avella, Michael Pirillo of Hickory and Perry (Cindy) Pirillo of Atlasburg; 13 grandchildren, Renee and James Gubitti Jr., Terry Kover, Vicki Douglass, Kerry L. Self and James, Jaime, Margaria, Justin, Casey, Chastity, Kristy and Courtney Pirillo; 21 great-grandchildren; brother Raymond Storez of Watertown, Conn.; brother-in-law Bertram Zanaglio; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her parents and husband, are a sister, Virginia Zanaglio, and daughter-in-law, Jill Pirillo, who died in 2003.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in Coleman-Taylor Funeral Services, 3378 Millers Run Road, Route 50, Cecil, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, January 5, with Pastor Douglas Kearns officiating. Interment will follow in Venice Cemetery, McDonald.

The family suggests donations be made to Donnell House, 155 Wilson Avenue, Washington, PA 15301.

Marie R. Pirillo

January 2, 1928-December 30, 2015

Nick Pirillo Sr.

Nick Pirillo Sr. of Washington, formerly of Avella, died Aug. 10, 1997, in Humbert Lane Health Care Center. He was 68.

Born Oct. 10, 1928, he was a son of John Sr. and Susie (Pascozzi) Pirillo of Avella.

He worked 19 years for Weirton Steel Corp. and retired in 1978. He also owned and operated the 8-Ball Pool Hall and Restaurant in Avella.

He lived the past 12 years in Washington and attended St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, Avella. He was also a member of Avella Sportsman's Association.

Deceased are two brothers, Frank Sr. and James.

Survivors are a daughter, Cindy Craig of Washington; two sons, Nick Jr. and Lester, both of Washington; three brothers, John of Avella, Pete of Washington and Patsy of Strabane; four sisters, Catherine Panjuscsek of Avella, Violet Hines of Washington, Lena Noga of Burgettstown, Mary Kovach of Chesterton, Ind.; and four grandchildren.

Friends were received Aug. 11 and 12 at the Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella. A blessing service was held at the funeral home Aug. 13, Rev. Pierre G. Sodini officiating. Interment was in St. Michael Cemetery.

Nick Pirillo Sr.
October 28, 1928-August 10, 1997

Katherine L. Pirrung

Beloved wife and mother

Katherine L. "Katie" Pirrung, 83, of Robinson Township, McDonald, died Saturday, August 13, 2016.

She was the beloved wife of 61 years to Charles E. "Chuck" Pirrung; beloved mother of Kimberly Kovach and husband Timothy; cherished grandmother of Daniel Kovach and wife Robyn, Nicole Toth and husband Aric and Dariann Wirth and husband Richard; and sister of Helen Arch and the late Frank, Charles, Joseph and Steve Corris, Eva Druga, Anna Mamone, Mary Mamone and Stella Persin. Several nieces and nephews also survive.

The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Herrick Compassionate Funeral Service, PC, Edward M. Herrick, supervisor/owner, 951 Cliff Mine Road, North Fayette Township, Imperial, 724-695-7332. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday, August 18, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald. Interment will follow in St. Columbkille Roman Catholic Cemetery, Imperial.

Memorial donations are respectfully requested to be sent to Donnell House, in care of Washington Health System, 155 Wilson Avenue, Washington, PA 15301, or to St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, 219 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, PA 15057.

**Katherine L. Pirrung
Died-August 13, 2016**

Katherine A. Pirih

Former Langeloth
postmaster

Katherine A. Pirih, 81, of Langeloth, died Saturday, March 13, 1999, in Country Meadows Assisted Living Care Center, Bridgeville.

She was born May 5, 1917, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Earl and Edith Tacker Alexander.

Mrs. Pirih was postmaster of Langeloth Post Office for many years until her retirement.

She was a member of Langeloth Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown Senior Citizens, Postmasters Association and Python Sisters.

Surviving are a daughter, Gerry Sabo of Bulger; a son, Robert Pirih of Laylor, Utah; four grandchildren, Erin, Danny, Sean and Christopher; two great-grandchildren; a brother, Walter Alexander of York; and a sister, Lydia Alexander of Turtle Creek.

Deceased are her husband, John Pirih, who died October 30, 1997; and three brothers, Warren, Aldred and Earl Alexander.

PIRih - Friends of Katherine A. Pirih of Langeloth, who died Saturday, March 13, 1999, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Street, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 17, with the Rev. Bruce A. Ballantine officiating. Other arrangements will be held at the convenience of the family.

Katherine A. Pirth
May 5, 1917-March 13, 1999

RAY E. PITTMAN

Ray E. Pittman, Avella, died suddenly in his home Thursday, March 23, 1961, at 4 a.m.

He was born April 8, 1885, in West Virginia, a son of the late Charles and Isabel Keith Pittman, and had made his home in the Avella community the past 60 years.

Mr. Pittman was a member of Avella Presbyterian church.

Surviving are his wife, Hazel Andrews Pittman, one daughter, Faye, wife of Herman Alexander, Williamsport; two sons, Lawrence and John Ray, both at home; one brother, Ralph, Independence, and two grandchildren. A daughter, Janice, preceded him in death in 1949.

Services were held Sunday, Mar. 26 at 2 p.m. from the Thompson Funeral home in charge of Rev. Kenneth Slator. Burial was in West Point cemetery, Avella.

Ray E. Pitman
April 8, 1885-March 23, 1961

ELIZABETH PITT

Elizabeth Pitt, 53, of Florence avenue, died in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh on Monday, August 4. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m., d.s.t. conducted by the Rev. H. S. Giffen, pastor of Langeloth Community church. Burial will be made in Grandview cemetery.

**Elizabeth Pitt
Died-August 4, 1941**

Carole Beatty Pittman

*Member of Independence
U.M. Church*

Carole Beatty Pittman, 63, of Washington Pike Road, Avella, died Friday, July 15, 2005, in her home.

She was born September 18, 1941, in Steubenville, Ohio, a daughter of the late Earl and Julia Welch Beatty.

Her husband, Ralph Ronald Pittman Sr., died in 1995.

Mrs. Pittman retired from ADM Co. of Wellsburg, W.Va.

She was a member of Independence United Methodist Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Lisa Pittman, at home, and Mrs. Rodney (Trudi) Rush of Avella; a son, Ralph Ronald Pittman Jr. of Avella; a brother, Ronald Beatty of Wellsburg; a sister, Barbara Edwards of Mingo Junction, Ohio; and three grandsons, Kyle, Cameron and Joshua Rush.

Calling hours are from 6 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in Chambers Funeral Home, 1030 Main Street, Wellsburg, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 19. Burial in Independence Cemetery. Condolences may be sent to www.chambersandjames.com.

Carole Beatty Pittman
September 18, 1941-July 15, 2005

RALPH A. PITTMAN

Ralph A. Pittman, 70, of Independence, died at 4:35 a.m. Monday, March 29, 1976, in the Washington Hospital.

He was born June 14, 1905, in Independence, a son of Charles and Isabelle Keith Pittman.

Mr. Pittman was formerly employed as a road foreman for the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, retiring in 1970. He was a member of the Independence U. M. Church.

He is survived by a daughter, Gene, wife of James Kelly, of Avella; two sons, Ron, of Independence, and Gary, of Pittsburgh; and eight grandchildren.

His wife, Wilma, died February 14, 1973. Two brothers and two sisters are deceased.

Friends will be received in the Pittman Funeral Home, Avella. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Independence United Methodist Church, in charge of the Rev. Meredith Bail. Burial will be in Independence Cemetery.

Ralph A. Pittman
June 14, 1905-March 29, 1976

Ralph R. Pittman

Ralph Ronald Pittman of Avella/Independence died Nov. 2, 1997, in Trinity Medical Center East, Steubenville, Ohio. He was 55.

Born July 10, 1942, in Washington, he was the son of the late Ralph Austin and Wilma Irene Brautigam Pittman.

He lived all his life in Independence, where he was a member of the United Methodist Church.

He was a 1960 graduate of Avella High School and 1964 graduate of West Liberty State College.

He worked the past 34 years for Weirton Steel Corp. as director of production, planning and operations.

He was a member of Moose Lodge, Wensburg, W.Va., and Athletics Inc. 300 Club of Avella.

On May 30, 1964, he married Carole Beatty, who survives.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Betty Gene Kelly, on Feb. 9, 1983.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Lisa Pittman and Trudi Rush, both of Avella; a son, Ralph R. of Avella; a brother, Gari Pittman of Tampa, Fla.; and a grandson, Kyle Rush.

Friends were received Nov. 4 and 5 in the Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella. Services were held Nov. 5 in the United Methodist Church of Independence, the Rev. Craig Blankenship officiating. Interment was in Independence Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to the United Methodist Church of Independence or the National Kidney Foundation.

Ralph Ronald Pittman
July 10, 1942-November 2, 1997

RAY E. PITTMAN

Ray E. Pittman, Avella, died suddenly in his home Thursday, March 23, 1961, at 4 a.m.

He was born April 8, 1885, in West Virginia, a son of the late Charles and Isabel Keith Pittman, and had made his home in the Avella community the past 60 years.

Mr. Pittman was a member of Avella Presbyterian church.

Surviving are his wife, Hazel Andrews Pittman, one daughter, Faye, wife of Herman Alexander, Williamsport; two sons, Lawrence and John Ray, both at home; one brother, Ralph, Independence, and two grandchildren. A daughter, Janice, preceded him in death in 1949.

Services were held Sunday, Mar. 26 at 2 p.m. from the Thompson Funeral home in charge of Rev. Kenneth Slator. Burial was in West Point cemetery, Avella.

Ray E. Pittman
April 3, 1885-March 23, 1961

ALICE R. PIZER

Mrs. Alice R. Pizer, of 240 1/2 Caldwell avenue, Washington, died Wednesday, April 25, 1962, at 3:45 p.m. in Washington hospital, after an illness of three years.

She was born February 21, 1888, at Philipsburg. A former resident of Avella, she lived with her foster daughter, Elsie Bryant, the past seven years. Her husband, Thomas W. Pizer, died February 24, 1938.

Surviving are one son, Duane, Wellsburg, W. Va.; two daughters, Belle, wife of Steve J. Rohr, Avella, and Geraldine Shalvis, Avella R.D. 1; one foster daughter, Elsie Bryant, Washington; one brother, Sheridan Rehrer, Lewistown; four sisters, Mrs. Anna Copenhaver, Mrs. Olive Johnson and Mrs. Jessie Brininger, all of Reedsville, and Mrs. Gertrude Johnson, Grassflat; 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Three sons are deceased.

Friends were received at the Thompson Funeral home, Avella. Services were held Saturday, April 28, at 11 a.m. Burial in Mundys Corners.

Alice R. Pizer
February 21, 1888-April 25, 1962

Leonard L. Plance

*Member of Venice
Presbyterian Church*



Leonard L. Plance, 92, of Washington, formerly of McDonald, died Saturday, March 22, 2008, in Town-

view Health and Rehabilitation Center, Canonsburg.

He was born March 14, 1916, in Burgettstown, a son of Newton and Nettie Allison Plance.

Mr. Plance was a farmer for Mayview State Hospital and enjoyed building grandfather clocks and playing bingo.

He was a member of Venice United Presbyterian Church.

On March 28, 1940, he married Sara Frances Kelso, who died January 28, 2007.

Surviving are a daughter, Sara Herriott (David) of McDonald; two sons, George E. (Patty) Plance of Richmond, Va., and Leroy (Ida Jane) Plance of Wellsboro; two brothers, Edward Plance of Washington and Edgar Plance of the state of California; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a daughter, Bessie Virginia Riggs; three sisters, Mae Kelso, Dorothy Hobbs and Willa Jean Widget; and a great-granddaughter, Emily Kathleen McQuillan.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 27, with the Rev. Greg Kephart officiating. Interment will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory. Memorial contributions may be made to Venice Church, 3694 Millers Run Road, McDonald, PA 15057.

Additional information and guest book are online at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Leonard L. Plance

March 14, 1916-March 22, 2008

Mary A. Plance

Worked at Ace
Reconditioners

Mary A. Plance, 83, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, August 10, 1999, in Washington Hospital.

She was born April 16, 1916, in Salinesville, Ohio, a daughter of George and Nellie Miskel Stefanowicz.

Prior to retirement, Mrs. Plance was employed by Ace Reconditioners in Washington. She was a member of Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are her husband, Alfred E. Plance; a son, Alfred E. Plance Jr. of Burgettstown; a daughter, Ann Marie Gamber of Gibsonia; six grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Deceased are two brothers, Joe and George Stevenson; and five sisters, Rose Ossko, Dora Difatta, Ann Gray, Josephine Mackenzie and Nellie Braun.

PLANCE—Friends of Mary A. Plance of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, August 10, 1999, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, August 12, with the Rev. Bruce Ballantine officiating. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Mary A. Plance
April 16, 1916-August 10, 1999

NEWTON PLANCE

Newton Plance, 82, Y and O Road, East Liverpool, Ohio, died Monday, June 20, 1966, at 10:30 a.m. in his home. He had been in poor health for some time.

He was born November 28, 1883, near Burgettstown, a son of the late William and Ella Lundy Plance. He lived in Hickory and Burgettstown as a farmer most of his life, until he moved to East Liverpool 18 years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Garn Plance; three sons, Leonard Plance, of Bridgeville; Everett Plance, of Washington; and Edgar Plance, of West Pittsburgh; three daughters, Mrs. Mae Kelso, of McDonald; Mrs. Dorothy Kelso, of Hickory; and Mrs. Willa Jean Wingett, of Lisbon, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Nora Buckle, of Burgettstown, Mrs. Nancy Lance, of Imperial; and Mrs. Orrie Plantz, of Bloomingdale, Ohio. He is also survived by fifteen grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Martin Funeral Home, East Liverpool, Ohio, where services were held Wednesday, June 22, at 2 p.m. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Newton Plance
November 28, 1883 - June 20, 1966

RAYMOND PLANCE

Raymond Plance, 24, died at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, January 24, 1943, in the Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, of burns received the day before when gasoline exploded while he was repairing his car at his home in R.D. 1, Imperial.

He was born in Burgettstown, attended the Florence grade school, and graduated from Union high at Burgettstown in 1938. He and Hazel Andrews were married March 16, 1940. She died August 16, 1940.

Mr. Plance was employed at the Pittsburgh Forging Co., Coraopolis.

Besides his parents, Lee Plance and Margaret Work Plance, he is survived by six brothers and four sisters: Pfc. Donald Plance, stationed at Dover, Dela., Mrs. Virginia Dame of Coraopolis, and Hazel, Lloyd, Clarence, Harold, Kenneth, Norman, Shirley, and Betty, all at home.

Funeral services were held January 27 at 1:30 p. m. in the Robinson U. P. Church, conducted by the Rev. S. G. Neal of the Hebron church. Burial was in the Robinson church cemetery.

Raymond Plance
Died-January 24, 1943

Richard Dean Plance

*Enjoyed spending time
with his grandchildren*



Richard Dean Plance, 62, of Midway, died Wednesday, April 26, 2017, in his home.

He was born October 19, 1954, in Sewickley, a son of the late Donald L. and Pauline E. Robertson Plance.

Mr. Plance served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He was stationed at McKee Barracks in Crailsheim, West Germany, with the 151st Infantry from September 1973 to September 1976. He received an honorable discharge with the rank of specialist fourth class.

He worked in construction and his hobbies were beekeeping and spending time with his grandchildren.

Mr. Plance enjoyed his loved dog, Roxy, reading American history books and stargazing.

Surviving are a son, Aaron Plance of Oakdale; two daughters, Theresa Plance of Pittsburgh and Rae Tournay of McDonald; five grandchildren, Angelo Graziotto, Fox Richard Plance, Tessa McDougal, Isla McDougal and Vincent Tournay; a lifelong friend and the mother of his children, Susie Reboul; four brothers, Donald and James Plance, both of Georgetown, Dave Plance of Smithtown, N.Y., and Ken Plance of Indianapolis, Ind.; and two sisters, Rose Brown of South Carolina and Dixie Tustin of Georgetown.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, May 12, in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township. Family and friends will be received immediately following the graveside service in Oakdale Community Center. Arrangements are under the direction of Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald.

Memorial contributions may be made on behalf of the family to Nation Funeral Home Inc., 218 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, PA 15057.

Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Richard Dean Plance
October 19, 1954-April 26, 2017

Stella Mae Plance

Homemaker was member
of SNPJ Ladies Auxiliary

Stella Mae Broad Plance, 61, of
Bulger, died Monday, March 15,
1999, in Washington Hospital.

She was born November 21,
1937, in Sandiego Imperial, a
daughter of the late William and
Stella Gurski Broad.

Mrs. Plance was a homemaker
and a member of SNPJ Ladies
Auxiliary of Midway.

Surviving are four daughters,
Carla Langston of Indiana, and
Andrea Stewart, Cindy Lira and
Sandy Plance, all of Bulger; two
sons, Norman Plance Jr. of
Dallas, Texas, and Scott Plance of
Joffre; three sisters, Katherine
Morgan of Imperial, and Isabelle
Hughes and Mary Clemens, both
of Washington; three brothers,
John Broad of Imperial, Bill
Broad of Washington and Ben
Broad of Nevada; seven
grandchildren, Carrie Strickler,
Edward Langston, Maria, David
and Meagan Lira, Beth Ann
Stewart and Kristen Bernard;
and two great-grandchildren.

Deceased is her husband,
Norman Plance Sr., who died in
1983.

PLANCE - Friends of Stella Mae Broad Plance
of Bulger, who died Monday, March 15,
1999, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m.
Tuesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.
Wednesday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service
Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway, where
services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday,
March 18. Interment will follow in Robin-
son Church Cemetery.

Stella Mae Plance
November 21, 1937-March 15, 1999

MRS. STELLA PLANCE

Mrs. Stella Margaret Craven Plance of Noblestown, died Sunday, July 7, at 9 a.m., after an illness of one month.

She was born February 22, 1888, on the Moorhead Farm, McDonald, R. D., the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Craven.

Mrs. Plance is survived by her husband, Harry Plance; her father, Thomas Craven; one son, Kenneth Robison, of Chicago; one daughter, Viola Pearl Plance, of Noblestown, and four sisters, Mrs. Mattie Bacon, of Fleming, Colo.; Mrs. Edna McQuiston, of Hollidays Cove, W. Va.; Mrs. Laura Burke, of Burgettstown; and Mrs. Mary Carl, of Noblestown.

Funeral services were held at the United Presbyterian Church of Noblestown on Wednesday, July 10, in charge of the Rev. E. Vertte Gray, pastor of the church. Burial was in the Robinson Run Cemetery.

**Stella Margaret Craven Plance
Died- July 7, 1940**

W. D. PLANCE

W. D. Plance, 85, well known resident of the Florence district, died at his home near that village, Sunday, July 26, 1942, at 12:40 p. m., following an illness.

Mr. Plance was born at Florence July 4, 1857, and had spent practically his entire life in Hanover Township. He was a farmer.

Four sons and three daughters survive: Newton, Burgettstown; Scott of Bulger; Lee and Westley, of Imperial; Mrs. Nora Buckel, Burgettstown; Mrs. Robert Lance, Clinton and Mrs.

George Plantz, Bloomingdale, Ohio. Funeral services were conducted from the late residence by the Rev. R. L. Biddle, his pastor, on Tuesday afternoon. Burial was made in Robinson cemetery.

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W.D. Plance
July 4, 1857-July 26, 1942

WILBUR W. PLANCE

Wilbur Wesley Plance, 61, of the Cameron Nursing Home, Wellsburg, W.Va., died there Friday, May 27, 1988, at 8:05 a.m.

He was born Aug. 26, 1927, in Joffre, a son of Ruth (Stiffler) Plance of Rices Landing, Pa., and the late Scott Allen Plance.

He was retired from the Willard Battery Company of Pittsburgh and a Protestant by faith.

Surviving are two daughters, Jeannie Steenburgh of Charleston, W.Va., and Mrs. Terry (Tracy) Primis of Wellsburg; two sisters, Lillie Farmer, of Mentor, Ohio, and Mrs. George (Ruthie) Lesko of Rices Landing, Pa.; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Kenneth Plance in 1987 and Jessie Plance in 1985, and one sister, Zola Plance in 1945.

Arrangements were by the Reasner Funeral Home, Wellsburg.

Wilbur Wesley Plance
August 26, 1927-May 27, 1988

BERDELL H. PLANTS

Berdell Herman Plants, 78, of Washington, R. D. 2, died at 1:50 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4, 1985, in the Washington County Health Center.

Born Nov. 24, 1906, in Wheeling, West Virginia, he was a son of William and Annie Poland Plants.

He was married Sept. 15, 1926, in Washington, to Florence Smith, who died Sept. 19, 1981.

Surviving are three sons, Berdell Plants of Anaheim, California, and Raymond and Vernon Plants, both of Washington; three daughters, Mrs. Chuck (Lila) Meneely of Anaheim, California, Mrs. Edward (Shirley) Collins of Bulger and Mrs. Harold (Nancy) Malloy of Washington; four sisters, Hazel Rhoades Wade of Washington, Olice Westlake of Wheeling, West Virginia, Edna Closser of Washington and Clea Gosslin of Newark, Ohio; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Piatt and Barnhill Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held Tuesday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Ralph Volpe officiating. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

Berdell Herman Plants
November 24, 1906-October 4, 1985

Patricia K. Plants

Burgettstown resident



Patricia
"Patty" K.
Plants, 59, of
Burgettstown,
died Wednesday,
April 9, 2014, in
Washington

Hospital.

She was born February 3, 1955, in Claysville, a daughter of late George W. Plants Sr. and Mildred Hancher Plants.

Surviving are her sister-in-law and caregiver of eight years, Joan Plants of Burgettstown; three brothers, George (Shirley) Plants Jr. of Claysville, Julian (Mary Jane) of Washington and Rudy (Rolene) Plants of Taylorstown; a sister, Mildred Moore of Claysville; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Deceased are brothers Marvin, Dwane, Gerald, Grayson, Larry, Gaylord, Roger and David Plants.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes, 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 15, with Pastor George Plants officiating. Burial will follow in Fairmount Cemetery, East Finley. Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Patricia "Patty" K. Plants
February 3, 1955-April 9, 2014

HENRY F. SKAVENSKI

Henry F. Skavenski, 74, of 252 Louisiana Avenue, Chester, West Virginia, died at 3:35 p.m. Monday, Jan. 21, 1985, in the East Liverpool, Ohio, City Hospital.

He was born Jan. 9, 1911, in Avella, a son of the late Thomas and Mary Marszarz Skavenski.

He was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church; retired in 1972 from the McIntosh-Hampbell Company of Midland with 37 years' service; was an Army veteran of World War II; and was a member of the American Legion and the VFW of Chester.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Josephine Cebula Skavenski; one son, Frank, of Riverton, West Virginia; three daughters, Mrs. William (Paula) Oliver of East Liverpool; Marilyn, at home; and JoAnn of Wellsville, Ohio; one brother, William of New Middleton, Ohio; three sisters, Elizabeth Knepper of Lincoln, California, and Jeannette Skavenski and Mrs. Josephine Volino, both of Wellsville; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Armer Funeral Home, Chester. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Thursday at 10 a.m. in the Sacred Heart Church with Rev. Fr. Joseph Bell as the celebrant. Burial was in Locust Hill Cemetery.

Henry F. Skavenski
January 9, 1911-January 21, 1985

Jenny D. Plate

Jenny D. Plate of Dumont, N.J., formerly of Burgettstown, died Sept. 7, 1998 in Pegomas, France, where she made her home six months out of the year. She was 75.

She was born Dec. 26, 1922 in Beaumont, France.

Prior to retirement, she was employed by AirFrance and Pan Am Airlines.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Anthony.

She is survived by several nieces and nephews.

There was no visitation. Graveside services were held Oct. 3 in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating.

Jenny D. Plate
December 26, 1922-September 7, 1998

Wanda Pietrowski Plate

1914-2008

Wanda Pietrowski Plate, 93, a lifelong resident of Burgettstown, died Monday morning, January 21, 2008, in Good Samaritan Hospice House, Wexford.

She was born November 17, 1914, in Joffre, a daughter of Albert and Anna Pietrowski.

Mrs. Plate was owner of Plate's Dress Shop in Burgettstown prior to her retirement in 1974 at the age of 60.

She and her husband also owned Plate's Restaurant in Burgettstown.

Mrs. Plate had a passion for flowers and was an avid gardener, enjoyed china painting and traveled extensively throughout the world.

She donated to numerous local charities and benefits.

Her husband, Joseph Plate, died December 8, 1992.

Surviving are three daughters, Jo-Ann Liddick and husband David of Rock Hill, S.C., Patty Schwall and husband Don of Gibsonia and Pam Montgomery and husband Barry of Allison Park; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a sister, Maelyn Halulko of Joffre.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, January 24, with the Rev. Robert Connolly officiating. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in her memory to Burgettstown Senior Citizens Association, 200 Senior Way, Burgettstown, PA 15021; Washington Ambulance and Chair Service, 95 North Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021; Burgettstown Kids Center, Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021; or Burgettstown Community Library, 2 Kerr Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021

Wanda Pietrowski Plate
November 17, 1914-January 21, 2008

MARY M. PLAZA

Mary M. Plaza, 47, died at her home at Cherry Valley Sunday, January 30, 1966.

She was born April 8, 1918, at Cherry Valley, and was a member of St. Peter and Paul R.C. Church, Cherry Valley.

Surviving are one brother Joseph Plaza, of Cherry Valley, and three sisters, Ann Plaza and Mrs. Helen Fritchman, both of Crafton and Mrs. Rose Christy, of Weirton, West Virginia.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home, Requiem Mass was held Wednesday, February 2, at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. Church, Burgettstown. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mary M. Plaza
April 8, 1918-January 30, 1966

Isabel R. Pletincks

Isabel R. Pletincks, 78, of McDonald, died Thursday, Sept. 30, 1993, in her home.

She was born April 3, 1915, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Albert and Eva Masquelier Sappie.

Mrs. Pletincks was a member of the Christian Missionary Alliance Church, McDonald, and she was a homemaker.

She was married to John Pletincks, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Dr. John Pletincks II of Florida and the Rev. David A. Pletincks of New York; two daughters, Connie Mindek of New Jersey and Joan Machek of Midway; 13 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased is one brother, Albert M. Sappie.

Friends were received in the Thomas and Little Funeral Home, McDonald, where services were held Monday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. C. Timothy Miller and the Rev. David A. Pletincks officiating. Interment was in Robinson Run Cemetery.

Isabel R. Plentincks
April 3, 1915-September 30, 1993

Jennie Pleskovich

Jennie Pleskovich, 67, of Oakdale, died Sunday, July 3, 1994, in her home.

Born Jan. 31, 1927, in McDonald, she was a daughter of George and Christina Somsky.

Mrs. Pleskovich was a homemaker.

She was a member of SNPJ of Imperial and was an auxiliary member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post in McDonald.

Mrs. Pleskovich was a member of St. Alphonsus Church of McDonald.

Surviving are one daughter, Linda LaRocka of Oakdale; four sons, Larry and Roger Pleskovich, both of Oakdale, Frank Pleskovich Jr. of Langeloth and Albert Pleskovich of Florida; three sisters, Helen LeMal of McDonald, Pauline Wilson of Florida and Julie history of communities in northern Washington County.

His many memberships included Sons of the American Revolution, Cross Creek Grange, Fort Vance Historical Society, Mt. Pleasant Township Historical Library Association, Washington County Historical Society, Presbyterian Historical Society, Genealogical Society of Southwestern Pennsylvania, Mt. Prospect Cemetery Association and Pennsylvania Retired Teachers Association.

In 1991, he was honored at a testimonial dinner in Avella by more than 300 friends, relatives and professional associates.

In 1919, he married Laura Cooper of Hickory, who died in 1980. They had 10 children, all of whom survive. They are Alvin D. White Jr. of New Mexico; Elizabeth Banyay of Evans City; Albert W. White of New York; Mary Crozier of Florida; John M. White, Robert R. White and Richard L. White, all of Hickory; Marjorie Smith of Wisconsin; Margaret McCance of Maryland; and Willard C. White of Washington; 23 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Mr. White was the last of his immediate family. Deceased are two sisters, Mary Welch, who died in 1978, and Janet Phillips, who died in January 1994. Also deceased is a grandson, Brian White, who died in 1977 at age 7.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella. Services were held Friday at 11 a.m. in Hickory United Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Keith Nickle, pastor, in charge. Burial was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Jennie Pleskovich
January 31, 1927-July 3, 1994

Frank J. Pleskovich Jr.

Frank J. Pleskovich Jr., 56, of Burgettstown (Cross Creek Township), died Monday, February 14, 2005, in his home after a lengthy illness.

He was born May 8, 1948, in McDonald, a son of the late Frank J. Sr. and Jennie Somsy Pleskovich.

Mr. Pleskovich was a 1966 graduate of Fort Cherry High School and served in the U.S. Army from 1967 to 1969 in Germany during the Vietnam War.

He was owner of Frank's Auto Body, Burgettstown.

Mr. Pleskovich was a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald.

On July 24, 1971, he married Patricia Wasik Pleskovich, who survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Michelle Pleskovich of Washington and Dana Long of Canonsburg; a son, Frank J. Pleskovich III of Burgettstown; a grandchild, Dylan Dingle; a sister, Linda (Sonny) LaRocka of Moon Township; and three brothers, Larry of Moon Township, Albert of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and Robert Pleskovich of Marietta, Ohio.

Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and 2 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday, February 17, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Robert Connolly, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will be held in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery. Full military rites will be accorded by Burgettstown and Slovan Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Frank J. Pleskovich Jr.
May 8, 1948-February 14, 2005

Mary Jane Taucher Pleva

Loving wife and mother

Mary Jane Taucher Pleva, 59, beloved husband of Thomas David Pleva, passed away Tuesday, September 1, 2015.

She was born May 29, 1956, in Washington, a daughter of the late Louis and Mary Paul Taucher, formerly of Norristown and Burgettstown.

Mrs. Pleva was a 1974 graduate of Burgettstown Area High School and a 1978 graduate of California University of Pennsylvania with a degree in electrical engineering.

She was previously employed as a computer analyst by Burroughs Systems in Malvern, Fisher and Porter in Horsham, and IKEA in Plymouth Meeting.

Surviving are her husband, Thomas; a son, Thomas of Socorro, N.M.; a daughter and son-in-law, Amy and Ethan Cornely of Eagleville; two granddaughters, Chloe and Carolyn Cornely; two sisters, Linda Taucher of Eagleville and Elizabeth and husband William Grabania of West Chester; two brothers-in-law, Joseph Pleva of San Ramon, Calif., and Jim and wife Gina of Pottsville; nieces, Lisa and Nicole Pleva of Harrisburg, Erin (Grabania) and husband Michael Bastidas of Phoenixville and Tara (Grabania) and husband David DeCicco of Sellersville; and several grandnieces and nephews.

Mrs. Pleva had a love for arts, especially knitting and movies. She was an avid baker, always creating desserts and breads.

She always looked forward to spending time with her grandchildren. She will be remembered as a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend, and will be sorely missed.

Relatives and friends are invited from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 9 to 10:15 a.m. Friday, September 4, in Boyd-Horrox-Givnish of East Norriton, 200 West Germantown Pike, 610-277-7000, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. in Blessed Virgin Mary, Trooper Road, Norristown.

Interment will be in St. Patrick's Cemetery East Norriton.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her name to American Cancer Society or SPCA of Conshohocken.

Mary Jane Taucher Pleva
May 29, 1956-September 1, 2015

Marie Ann Pliska

Devoted supporter of Pony League World Series



Marie Ann Pliska, 80, of Washington, died Monday, March 3, 2014, in Washington Hospital.

She was born September 9, 1933, in Slovan, a daughter of Carlmeo Trimarki and Antoinette Guiddy Trimarki.

A graduate of Union High School, Mrs. Pliska attended business school in Pittsburgh and owned Pliska's Body Shop.

She was a member of Immaculate Conception Church, Vittoria Lodge, where she was a past treasurer, and Democratic Women. In addition, she was an active member of a card club.

A devoted supporter of the Pony League World Series, she sponsored teams since its inception and attended the games every year.

On February 4, 1956, she married Stanley "Doc" Pliska Jr., who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Jeffrey "Jake" Pliska (Jodi) and Kevin Pliska, both of Washington; a daughter, Christine Houser (Vern) of Washington; two brothers, Dominick Trimarki (Donna) and James Trimarki, both of Burgettstown; two grandchildren, Morgan Marie Pliska and Madison Diane Pliska; two nephews, Tim and Kyle Trimarki; and a niece, Jena Trimarki.

Deceased are a nephew, Michael "Mickey" Trimarki; a sister-in-law, Debbie Trimarki; and a son-in-law, Wayne Shannon.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, where services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, March 6, with Pastor Scott Warren officiating. Entombment will follow in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Washington.

Memorial donations may be made to Pony League Baseball, P.O. Box 225, Washington, PA 15301.

Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Marie Ann Pliska
September 9, 1933-March 3, 2014

MRS. STANLEY PLISKA

Mrs. Paula Pliska, of 183 Wellington avenue, Washington, died in her home at 3 p.m. Monday, July 25, 1966, after a lingering illness.

She was born in Washington January 20, 1910, a daughter of Tony and Mary Kocay Mawoj.

Mrs. Pliska was a member of the Polish National Catholic Church.

She was united in marriage July 2, 1928, to Stanley Pliska, Sr., who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Frank, and Stanley, Jr., both of Washington; one daughter, Jane, wife of John Roberts, of Washington; one brother, Tony Seman, of Wolfdale; four sisters, Pauline Legerski, of Washington; Julie Skwarlo, of Cleveland, Ohio; and Helen and Stella, both in Europe; and seven grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Neal Funeral Home, Washington. Services were held Thursday, July 28, at 9:30 a.m. in the Holy Trinity Polish National Catholic Church, Fr. P. Gwozdecki officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Paula Pliska
January 20, 1910-July 25, 1966

Allen D. Plott

Allen D. Plott, 31, of Washington, died Monday, July 13, 1992, in Washington Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born Nov. 14, 1960, in Washington, he was a son of Lindsey A. and Arlene Queer Plott of Washington.

Mr. Plott was Protestant. He was a 1979 graduate of Washington High School. He was employed by Washington Hospital for 10 years, most recently in the computer operations department.

On May 2, 1982, in Washington, he married Cheryle Gault, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Christopher M. Plott, at home; a brother, Adam Plott of Washington; three sisters, Mrs. Charles (Linda) Martin of Avella, Mrs. Paul (Noreen) Pago of Augusta, Ga., and Mrs. Lewis (Stacy) Prevost of Scenery Hill; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Piatt and Barnhill Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held Thursday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Tracy Ogden Johnson officiating. Interment was in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

Allen D. Plott
November 14, 1960-July 13, 1992

Lindsey A. Plott

Lindsey A. "Al" Plott of Washington died June 13, 1998, in his home following a lengthy illness. He was 65.

Born Sept. 6, 1932, in Washington, he was the son of the late Lewis and Lucy Yeager Plott.

He was a 1950 graduate of Washington High School and served with the U.S. Army during the Korean War.

He was a maintenance man for the Washington-East Washington Joint Authority until disability forced his retirement in January 1988.

He was a member of Atlasburg Church of the Nazarene, a past member of the Alpine Star Lodge 9, and enjoyed bowling and golf.

On Nov. 12, 1952, he married Arlene Queer, who survives.

He was preceded in death by a son, Allen D.; a sister, Linda Plott; and two brothers, William and Donald.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Linda Martin of Avella, Noreen Pago of Washington, and Stacy Prevost of Scenery Hill; a son, Adam C., at home; three sisters, Shirley Willis and Twila Golubowsky, both of Washington, and Grace Progar of Houston; a brother, Harlan Plott of Washington; and seven grandchildren.

Friends were received June 15 and 16 in the Hummell and Barnhill Memorial Chapel, Washington.

A service was held at the funeral home June 17, the Rev. Tracy Ogden Johnson officiating. Interment was in Forest Lawn Gardens Cemetery,

Lindsey A. Plott
September 6, 1932-June 13, 1998

JOHN C. PLUNKETT, JR.

John Clarence Plunkett, Jr., 60, of Washington Pike, Cecil Township, died in his home unexpectedly at 4:40 p.m. Thursday, April 4, 1985.

Born Feb. 18, 1925, in Houston, he was a son of the late John C. Plunkett, and Jeannette Speakman Plunkett.

He was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church of Houston.

Mr. Plunkett was employed as an electrician at the Westinghouse Bettis Atomic Power Laboratory in West Mifflin before he retired.

He served in the U. S. Navy during World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Marie Cramer; one son, Dr. Dane Plunkett of Clifton Park, New York; two daughters, Mrs. Grier (Diane) Adamson of Rea and Mrs. John (Maureen) Brautigan of Canonsburg, R. D. 2; one brother, Robert W. Plunkett of Newnan, Georgia; and six grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Speakman Funeral Home, Houston, where services were held Monday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. James A. Adair officiating. Interment was in Forest Lawn Gardens.

John Clarence Plunkett Jr.
February 18, 1925-April 4, 1985

Lloyd E. Plunkett

Retired from National Steel Corp., Weirton Division

Lloyd E. Plunkett, 81, of Paris, died Tuesday, December 17, 2002, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

He was born April 9, 1921, in Holidays Cove, W.Va., a son of Ernest and Helen McCullough Plunkett.

On February 16, 1951, he married Ruth Van Orman, who survives.

Mr. Plunkett was a member of Paris Presbyterian Church, Hanover Association for Neighborly Development (HAND), 25-year Club of Weirton Steel Co., AARP and Fort Vance Historical Society.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army.

Mr. Plunkett was employed by National Steel Corp., Weirton Division, in the boiler house before retiring in 1984.

He became well-known as the "friend husband" through his wife, who was a longtime columnist for the *Weirton Daily Times*.

Surviving are a daughter, Kathleen Schrader of Cecil Township; two granddaughters, Valerie and Michelle Schrader; and several cousins.

A brother, Raymond Plunkett, is deceased.

PLUNKETT - Friends of Lloyd E. Plunkett of Paris, who died Tuesday, December 17, 2002, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Steel and Wolfe Funeral Home, 380 Penco Road, Weirton, W.Va., where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, December 20, with the Rev. Kirk A. Erwin officiating. Interment will follow in Paris Cemetery. Full military rites will be accorded by Weirton Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 2716 Firing Squad, Weirton American Legion Post 10 Honor Guard and Tri-State Marine Corp. Club.

Lloyd E. Plunkett
April 9, 1921-December 17, 2002

Ruth Plunkett

*Former Weirton Daily
Times lifestyle editor*

Ruth Plunkett, 84, of McDonald, formerly of Paris, passed away Tuesday, January 27, 2015, in Consulate Health Care, McMurray.

She was born August 7, 1930, in Hollidays Cove, W.Va., a daughter of the late Carl and Lela Mellott VanOrman.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are her husband of more than 51 years, Lloyd E. Plunkett, who died December 17, 2002, and a sister, Gale Cassella, who died in 2011.

Mrs. Plunkett was a member of Paris Presbyterian Church, where she served as a deacon and elder and sang in the choir.

She retired as lifestyle editor from the *Weirton Daily Times*, having worked there from 1974 to 1996. She then continued as a writer and columnist for the *PA Focus* until October 2010.

Mrs. Plunkett was a member of General Federation of Women's Clubs Weirton Women's Club, AARP and Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

She also was very active in the Hanover Township community, where she served on various boards and committees, including serving for more than 35 years on the planning commission.

Mrs. Plunkett was a 1948 graduate of Weir High School.

Surviving are a daughter, Kathleen (Andrew) Schrader of Cecil Township; two granddaughters, Valerie Schrader and husband Michael Ritter of Jonestown and Michelle Schrader of South Fayette; and two nieces, JoEllen Clifford of Statesboro, Ga., and Hilari Moore of Haymarket, Va.

A visitation will be held from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Steel & Wolfe Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., 380 Penco Road, Weirton, W.Va., where funeral and committal services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, January 30, with the Rev. Christina Hosler presiding. Interment will be in Paris Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Paris Cemetery, in care of First Choice America Community Federal Credit Union, 370 Three Springs Drive, Weirton, WV 26062, or to Paris Presbyterian Church, 127 Steubenville Pike, Burgettstown, PA 15021.
www.steelandwolfe.com

Ruth Plunkett
August 7, 1930-January 27, 2015

Ada Mae Podolinsky

Attended Independent Bible
— Presbyterian Church

— Ada Mae Podolinsky, 60, of
McDonald, died Monday, June
21, 1999, in St. Francis Central
Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born July 23, 1938, in
McDonald, a daughter of the
late Herman and Laura Mae
Phillips Capelle.

Mrs. Podolinsky was a
homemaker and attended
Independent Bible Presbyterian
Church in McDonald.

On May 4, 1957, she married
Paul Michael Podolinsky Jr.,
who died November 29, 1991.

Surviving are a son, Paul
Michael Podolinsky III of
Imperial; three daughters, Sally
Deichler of Orlando, Fla.,
Sandra Wharton of Oakdale and
Susan Desmet of Delaware,
Ohio; a brother, Roy Robert
Capelle of South Carolina; two
sisters, Marietta Ross of Plum
Boro and Oneida McCanis of
South Carolina; and seven
grandchildren, Heather
Deichler, Nicholas Adam and
Ashley Wharton, Bobby Desmet
and Tiffany, Joseph Michael
and Zachery Michael
Podolinsky.

Deceased are two brothers,
William and Leonard Capelle.

PODOLINSKY Friends of Ada Mae
Podolinsky of McDonald, who died Monday,
June 21, 1999, will be received from 6 to
9 p.m. Wednesday in Nation Funeral
Home Inc., 218 E. Lincoln Avenue, Mc-
Donald, where services will be held at 11
a.m. Thursday, June 24, with the Rev. Carl
Martin, pastor of Independent Bible Pres-
byterian Church, officiating. Interment will
be in Robinson Run Cemetery. Memorial
contributions may be made to American
Heart Association, 10 Duff Road, Suite 304,
Pittsburgh, PA 15235-3207.

Ada Mae Podolinsky
July 23, 1938-June 21, 1999

**MICHAEL PODZUBAN
SUCCUMBS, TUESDAY**

Michael Podzuban, 49, well respected resident of Joffre died in his home Tuesday at 12:18 p. m. of a hemorrhage of the brain. He had been ill for five weeks. Surviving are his widow, Susannah, two sons Michael and John and a daughter, Helen Ruth, at home also a brother and sister living in Czecho Slovakia.

Mr. Podzuban was born at Blatna Polanka, Czecho Slovakia but came to Joffre many years ago to reside. He was employed as a coal miner.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home Friday at 2 P. M. by the Rev. Joseph Holub, pastor of the Slovak Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh, of which the deceased was a member. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

**Michael Podzuban
Died-February 20, 1940**

James P. Pogonovich

1941 - 2013

James P. "Pogo" Pogonovich, 71, of Slovan, passed away peacefully Monday, June 3, 2013, in the home of his friend Evelyn, surrounded by his close friends.

He was born December 21, 1941, in Primrose, a son of the late Nick and Madeline Kargle Pogonovich.

Mr. Pogonovich was a member of Atlasburg Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 6490 and Burgettstown American Legion Post 698 and a charter member of American Legion Riders.

He enjoyed riding his Harley-Davidson motorcycle with his friends.

Surviving are children James, Stacey and Stephen Pogonovich, all of Texas; a brother, Nick Pogonovich and wife Mildred; two sisters, Nancy Pienkosky and Iris Ransom and husband Ray; and several nieces, nephews and friends, especially Tony Strapazon.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are two brothers, Dick "Al" Burgoon and Lou Pogonovich.

Friends will be received from 10 to 11 a.m., the time of service, Friday, June 14, in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. Inurnment with military honors and escorted by the American Legion Riders will be held in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made to Burgettstown American Legion 698, 1526 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021 or Atlasburg Veterans of Foreign Wars 6490, PO Box 328, Atlasburg, PA 15004.

James Pogonovich
December 21, 1941-June 3, 2013

Louis George Pogonovich

*Weirton Steel retiree
from Burgettstown*

Louis George "Pogo" Pogonovich, 59, of Burgettstown, died unexpectedly Saturday, July 8, 2006, in Kennedy Township.

He was born September 1, 1946, in Colliers, W.Va., a son of the late Nick and Madeline Kargle Pogonovich.

Mr. Pogonovich was a retiree from Weirton Steel Corp. and worked for P.F. Technologies in New Castle.

He served in the U.S. Army Reserves.

Mr. Pogonovich was a member of National Hot Rod Association. He was a drag-racing enthusiast, racing his own hot rod every Saturday in Smithfield, Ohio.

Surviving are his wife, Christine Hazelip Pogonovich; son, James Pogonovich of Lake City, Fla.; granddaughter, Summer Pogonovich; three brothers, Nick, husband of Mildred Pogonovich of Burgettstown, James "Pogo" Pogonovich of Bavington and Al R. Burgoon of Burgettstown; two sisters, Nancy Pienkosky of Burgettstown and Iris Ransom of North Bend; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 until 8 p.m., the time of services, Thursday, July 13, in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Daniel Ekas officiating. Other arrangements will be held at the family's convenience. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family in his memory.

Louis George "Pogo" Pogonovich
September 1, 1946-July 8, 2006

Pamela S. Bable Poland

Worked for Dr. Kucher and Associates in Burgettstown



Pamela S. Bable Poland, 57, of Weirton, W.Va., died Sunday, December 6, 2015.

She was born March 24, 1958, in Washington, a daughter of the late Clark L. "Red" and Mary Joyce Slater Bable.

Mrs. Poland was employed by Dr. Kucher and Associates in Burgettstown.

She enjoyed going to the ocean, loved the Christmas holidays and liked making people laugh, but most especially enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and her family.

On February 24, 1978, she married Paul Poland, who survives.

Also surviving are her daughters, Tina Girouard and Amber (William) Nolan, both of Weirton; a daughter by heart, Jessica Midler of Burgettstown; her sister, Lisa Ann Carpenter of Burgettstown; her grandchildren, Zoey, Stephen and Siara Girouard, Liam Nolan and Haley Hendershot; aunt Carol and uncle Bob Maltony; uncle William "Sonny" and aunt Becky Slater; sister-in-law Debbie (Tony) Lorello; mother-in-law Helen Poland; brother-in-law Bob Poland; and many other nieces, nephews and cousins.

Deceased are a sister, Marcy Lynne Bable; uncle Gary Slater; and two aunts, Kathy Boher and Barbara Irwin.

Friends will be received from 10 a.m. to noon, the time of service, Wednesday, December 9, in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, with Tom Derby officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the family in care of the funeral home.

For further information or to leave a condolence, visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Pamela S. Bable Poland
March 24, 1958-December 6, 2015

Robert L. Poland

Robert Lewis Poland of Washington died Oct. 31, 1997 in Washington Hospital. He had been ill since April 24, 1984.

Born Nov. 10, 1930, in Washington, he was the son of Floyd Wilbert and Olive Jane Phillips Poland.

He was Protestant.

After 16 months as a corrections officer, and two stints as acting warden, he was named warden of the Washington County Jail in September 1982, retiring in 1988.

While warden, he was honored in 1984 for heroism as a result of a fire at the jail. He was honored for coming to the aid of nine persons, including prisoners and guards who had been overcome by smoke.

He was a graduate of Trinity High School who later studied business administration, and accounting at Penn Commercial.

Prior to entering the criminal justice system, he was a staff manager for Equitable Life Insurance for 10 years. Before that, he had worked for 18 years at Brockway Glass.

He was a former member of Washington Elks Lodge No. 776 and Loyal Order of Moose Lodge No. 22.

During the Korean War, he served in the U.S. Air Force in Germany.

On Sept. 5, 1952, he married Irene Marie Thompson, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, David and Robert L. Jr., both of Washington; a sister, Inez Moore of Washington; three brothers, Donald W. and Richard F., both of Washington and Thomas L. of Avella; and two grandchildren, Yvette and Tiffany Poland.

Friends were received Nov. 1 and 2 in the William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., Washington. Services were held Nov. 3 in the funeral home. Interment was in Washington Cemetery.

Robert Lewis Poland
November 10, 1930-October 31, 1997

AMOS B. POLEN

Amos B. Polen, brother of Perry Polen, Burgettstown R. D. 2, died suddenly of a coronary occlusion Saturday, March 27, at 9:30 a.m. at 102 West Chestnut street, Washington.

He was born in Richhill township, Greene County, August 2, 1875. He worked in the oil fields of West Virginia and Pennsylvania as a tool dresser. He was a member of the Moose and Eagle lodges of Washington. A son was killed in action in 1945 in France.

Surviving are the following brothers and sisters: John Polen of Claysville, R. D. 1; Perry Polen, of Burgettstown, R. D. 2; Lindsay of Claysville, R. D. 1; Mrs. Homer Campbell, of Holbrook, R. D. 1; Miss Flora Polen, of Claysville, R. D. 1; Mrs. Riley Lindville, of Claysville, and Mrs. Clara Cook of Wayland, Mich.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 30 at 2 p.m., at the Brownlee Funeral Home, Claysville. Interment was in the Claysville cemetery.

Amos B. Polen
August 2, 1875-March 27, 1948

Gertrude Polen

Member of Our Lady
of Lourdes Church

Gertrude "Trudy" Polen, 64, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, September 14, 1999, in her home.

She was born July 26, 1935, in Canonsburg, a daughter of Ernie and Margaret Sharon Kramer.

Mrs. Polen was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church and Christian Mothers, both of Burgettstown.

On June 23, 1956, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald, she married Lawrence H. Polen, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Lawrence Polen Jr. of Joffre and Michael W. Polen of Imperial; a daughter, Noreen Reed of Joffre; five grandchildren, Tonya, Shane, Kristina, Brianne and Jessica; a sister, Eileen Kophezi of Venice, Fla.; and a brother, Michael Kramer of McDonald.

Deceased are a brother, Ernie Kramer Jr.; and a sister, Patty Strain.

POLEN - Friends of Gertrude "Trudy" Polen of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, September 14, 1999, will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 16, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Gertrude "Trudy" Polen
July 26, 1935-September 14, 1999

Jesse Roger Polen

*Columbia Gas retiree
enjoyed traveling*



Jesse Roger Polen, 85, of Weirton, W.Va., died Sunday, December 14, 2014.

He was born October 5, 1929, in Ryerson Station, Greene County, a son of Fred L. Polen and Hazel Irene Cunningham Polen.

Mr. Polen was a graduate of Richhill High School and worked for Columbia Gas for 42 years, retiring as a supervisor.

He was a member of Hickory United Presbyterian Church and an honorary member of Mt. Pleasant Township Fire Department.

Mr. Polen enjoyed gardening, traveling, bird-watching, square dancing and golf.

Surviving are his wife of nearly 64 years, Shirley Ann Polen, whom he married in Winchester, Va., December 23, 1950; a son, Gary L. (Tamara) Polen of Hooper, Utah; two daughters, Carla Carr of Coraopolis and Karen Garland of Clinton; a sister, Margaret Bayard of Waynesburg; and five grandchildren, Derrick Polen, John M. Ryniawec III, Taylor Ryniawec, Kelly Carr and James Carr.

Deceased is a brother, Richard Polen.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Avenue, Washington, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, December 19, with Pastor Bill Stout officiating. Burial will follow in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Additional information and a guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com/

Jesse Roger Polen

October 5, 1929-December 14, 2014

FLORENCE POLIGHT

Mrs. Florence Polight, formerly of Burgettstown, R.D. 2, died Monday, February 26, 1968, at 8:30 a.m. in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Betty Cree, of Washington.

She was born December 25, 1889, in Poland. She attended Immaculate Conception Church, and was the last of her family.

Surviving are two daughters, Betty, wife of William Cree, of Washington, and Mae, wife of Louis Horne, of Belle Vernon; six grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Her husband, Peter Polight, died June 26, 1957.

Friends will be received in the Cowleson Funeral Home, Washington. A Requiem Mass will be held at 9 a.m. Thursday, February 29, in the Immaculate Conception Church, in charge of Rev. Howard J. Ford. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Florence Polight
December 25, 1889-February 26, 1968

MRS. KATHERINE POLINSKI

Mrs. Katherine Polinski of 119 Main street, Atlasburg, died Wednesday, March 17 at 3:15 p.m., in her home following a lingering illness. She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church of Burgettstown.

She is survived by five children and three grandchildren. Funeral arrangements were in charge of J. F. Yoney of Canonsburg, and burial was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery.

**Katherine Polinski
Died-March 17, 1948**

Stella R. Polinski

Stella R. Polinski of Atlasburg, formerly of Carrick, died Feb. 24, 1998, in Presbyterian Medical Center, Washington.

She was born in Cherry Valley, the daughter of Stanley and Catherine Sarnecki Polinski.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, and was a retired licensed practical nurse.

She was preceded in death by two sisters, Helen Polinski and Anne Robinson; and a brother, Stanley Polinski.

She is survived by a sister,

Mary McClements of Atlasburg, with whom she made her home; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Feb. 25 and 26 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Feb. 27 in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Stella R. Polinski
Died February 24, 1998

**Josephine Frances
Pollack**

*Enjoyed spending time
with grandchildren*



Josephine Frances Pollack, 81, of Burgettstown, died at 1:15 p.m. Sunday, May 18, 2014, in Washington County Health Center, Chartiers Township.

She was born March 5, 1933, in Washington, a daughter of the late Joseph and Mary Mihelcic Pelan.

Mrs. Pollack was employed by Tygart Valley and Yeager Transportation as a school bus driver, retiring in 2003.

She was a member of St. Michael Roman Catholic Church in Avella and SNPJ Lodge 138 of Strabane.

Mrs. Pollack enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren, family and friends, listening to polka music, dancing, driving the school bus and bowling. She was always active with her daughter's activities.

On June 25, 1955, she married John E. "Jack" Pollack, who died August 26, 2007.

Surviving are three daughters, Jackie (Jack) Miller of Burgettstown, Janet (Jerry) McClain of Burgettstown and Janelle (Joe "Smokey") Yamber of Avella; three grandchildren, John "Johnnie Joe" Mondin and Joelle and Joe Yamber; a sister, Rose Wrubleski of Washington; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her husband and parents, are three brothers, John, Joseph and Leonard Pelan, and a sister, Mary Pelan.

Friends and family will be received from 1 to 8 p.m. Friday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312, where a blessing service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 24, with the Rev. Robert M. Staszewski officiating. Burial will be in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Memorial contributions may be made to Washington County Health Center, 36 Old Hickory Ridge Road, Washington, PA 15301, or St. Michael Church, 97 Highland Avenue, Avella, PA.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Josephine Frances Pollack
March 5, 1933-May 18, 2014

Kathryn Pollack

Kathryn Pollack of Cleveland, Ohio, formerly of Burgettstown, died Aug. 3, 1996, in Slovene Home for the Aged, Cleveland. She was 80.

Born Aug. 29, 1915, in Francis Mine, she was the daughter of John and Caroline Medved Wytko.

Before her retirement, she was an assembler for General Electric Corp., Cleveland.

She was a member of St. Stephen Byzantine Catholic Church in Cleveland, where she was a member of the Women's Sodality Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward; two sisters, Mary Gonzalez and Anna McFarland; and a brother, Joseph Wytko.

She is survived by a sister, Rose Nodianos of Beaver Falls; a brother, Anthony Wytko of Atlasburg; two nieces, Anna Maria Gonzalez Palmer and Carol Jo Kowalski; and four nephews, Charles McFarland and Jay, Peter and Dale Nodianos.

Friends were received Aug. 6 in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Divine Liturgy was celebrated Aug. 7 in St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Byzantine Rite, Avella, by the Rev. Dan Magulick. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Kathryn Pollack
August 29, 1915-August 3, 1996

Hannah A. Pollana

Hannah Antoinette Pollana of Hickory died Jan. 11, 1998, in The Washington Hospital. She was 86.

Born June 7, 1911, in Etna, she was the daughter of Anthony and Antoinette (Alich) Laurich.

She was a member of St. Andrews Roman Catholic Church in Cape Coral, Fla., where she lived for 24 years. More recently, she was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John Louis, who died June 17, 1991; a brother, William Laurich; and two grandsons, Donnie Taylor and Keith Pollana.

She is survived by three daughters, Rosemarie Taylor, Janet F. Bressanelli and Betty Jo Stoner, all of Hickory; two sons, Louis of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and John R. of Hickory; four sisters, Rose Bongiorno and Mildred Yamber, both of Hickory, and Evelyn Ostop and Mary Yamber, both of Burgettstown; a brother, August Laurich of Burgettstown; 11 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received Jan. 12 in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A wake service was held Jan. 12 in the funeral home.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Jan. 13 in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in Washington Cemetery.

Hannah Antoinette Pollana
June 7, 1911-January 11, 1998

A. W. Pollock Dead

Alexander W. Pollock, a native for the greater part of his life a resident of Washington county, a Civil war veteran and a former county treasurer, died suddenly last Thursday afternoon at Ontario, California where he had resided since 1905. He was 75 years of age. Last April he and his wife, who was Miss Mary J. Moore, of Peters township, celebrated their golden wedding. The wife is at present in poor health. Three sons and one daughter survive.

**Alexander W. Pollock
Died-December 20, 1914**

In Memoriam.

James Ashton Pollock was born May 5, 1887, and died Jan. 9, 1889. His death resulted from catarrhal fever. He died in his father's arms, almost without a struggle. He was an amiable child, very affectionate in his disposition, and by this completely filled the hearts of his parents. Dear friends, you feel crushed under the blow, but remember that Jesus has said, "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." He waits for you on the other side of the river, beyond the pains, trials, temptations and tumults of life. Safe at last, his smiling face welcomes you as you cross over. Dear friends, the first link of the chain drawing you to heaven has been taken home. Weep not. He is happy; along the streets of the pearly city his feet shall pass. Dear little Ashton,

"Gone, gone, forever gone;
From mortal care and pain;
To wear a bright immortal crown,
Where Christ shall ever reign."

A FRIEND.

James Ashton Pollock
May 5, 1887-January 9, 1889

10000 — L. — ay, January 18, 1901, Mrs. Julia Ann Pollock, relict of J. C. Pollock. She was quite ill when her husband died, on the 4th inst., and the shock of his death rapidly loosed the ties that bound her to things earthly. She was ready to go; she wanted to join the lover of her youth with whom she had so long walked. Mrs. Pollock was born June 7, 1818, near Berlin, Somerset county, Pa. She was a daughter of Abram Croner. Her mother's name was Brown. February 23, 1843, she married James C. Pollock. Joseph H., at home; J. Dallas, near here, and Mrs. Margaret Wright, of Elwood City, Pa., are her surviving children. Mrs. M. L. McClure, of Denver, Colo., and Joseph Croner, of California, Pa., of her father's family, remain to mourn her death. In early life she united with the Methodist church, but a few years since she became a member of the Presbyterian church here. Many of the earlier itinerants can testify to her kindness and hospitality. She was a good mother and homemaker, attending to her own affairs and meddling not with others. On Sabbath, January 20, after a service by her pastor, Rev. A. F. Alexander, the same persons who had only two weeks before carried out her husband tenderly carried her remains to the cemetery and laid them beside those of Mr. Pollock to await the resurrection.

Julia Ann Pollock
Husband James C. Pollock died January 4, 1901
June 7, 1818-January 18, 1901

MICHAEL C. POLLOCK

Michael Chalmers Pollock, 92, died July 13, 1984, at his home in Darien, Connecticut.

He was born in Florence, the son of the late James Pollock and Margaret Moore Pollock. He was captain of the football team at Grove City College, from which he graduated. A director of the Grove City National Bank and an elder with the Grove City Presbyterian Church, he was a former president of Cooper-Bessemer International.

For the past 26 years, Mr. Pollock lived in Darien and had been a trustee of the Noroton Presbyterian Church. He was an active member of the Rotary International for 58 years.

Surviving are his wife, Leila Fithian Pollock, and two sons, Edwin F. and Judd L. Pollock, all of Darien; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Monday, July 23, at 4:00 p.m. at the Noroton Presbyterian Church.

**Michael Chalmers Pollock
Died-July 13, 1984**

HARRIET G. POLLON

Mrs. Harriet G. Pollon, of 42 Church street, Burgettstown died at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, May 27, 1962, in Washington Hospital.

She was a member of the Westminster United Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown.

Surviving are two sons, Hugh McDonald, and Jack, Haddonfield, N. J.; five sisters, Mrs. Bertha Rossi and Mrs. Anna Reese, both of Burgettstown; Mrs. Mayme Handerhan and Mrs. Frances Poppelreitter, both of Carnegie, and Mrs. Martha Bowery, Wellsburg, W. Va.; two brothers, Charles and William Murphy, both of Burgettstown, and four grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, by Rev. Ernest L. Roberston. Burial was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence.

**Harriet G. Pollon
Died-May 27, 1962**

Martin Pompe

Martin Pompe, aged 54 years, well known Smith township farmer, residing near Langeloth, died at his home Monday morning at 4:30 o'clock. Death was due to heart trouble. Mr. Pompe was born in Austria, November 9, 1883, coming to America 29 years ago. His wife, Mrs. Mary Pompe, survives with four daughters and two sons: Mrs. Hannah Pompe, Mrs. John Delfrate, Virginia, Margaret, John and Martin Pompe. He leaves three grandchildren. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon in Our Lady of Lourdes church, Burgetts-town.

Martin Pompe
November 9, 1883-January 18, 1937

Harvey G. Pond

Harvey Gibson Pond of Midway died July 23, 1998 at home. He was 55.

He is survived by two daughters, Tracey and Amanda; two sons, Harvey and Donald; and eight brothers and sisters, Vernon, Micki, Sandy, John, Charlotte, Charles, Betty Lou and Thomas.

Services were held on July 28 at the Oakdale Cemetery.

Harvey G. Pond
Died July 23, 1998

VERNON G. POND, SR.

Vernon G. Pond, Sr., of Bulger, died Monday, Dec. 28, 1987, in the Ohio Valley Hospital, Wickes Rocks.

He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Anna; five sons, Vernon, Jr., Harvey, John, Charles and Thomas; four daughters, Mickey Wood, Charlotte Beers, Sandra Lyndner and Betty Latshaw; four brothers, John, Frank, Page and Henry; 15 grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

Private services were held Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Thomas and Little Funeral Home, Oakdale.

**Vernon G. Pond, Sr.
Died- December 28, 1987**

BESSIE POOLE

Mrs. Bessie Poole, 76, of 120 Main Street, Burgettstown, died Thursday, July 12, 1962, at 2:45 a.m. in Washington hospital.

She was born at Pulaski, Virginia, September 19, 1885, and lived in Langeloth and Burgettstown since 1915. She was a member of the Langeloth Community Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Lillian B. Young and Mrs. Delbert L. Malone, both of Burgettstown; one brother, Charles Farmer, Meadowbrook, W. Virginia; three sisters, Mrs. A. E. Ayers, Pulaski, Virginia; Mrs. Ada Wickersham, Chester; and Mrs. Thomas Harrell, Beaver; one grandson, William H. Young, Beaver; three great-children and one great-great-grandchild.

Her husband, William T. Poole, died in 1957.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral Home, where services were held Saturday, July 14, at 2 p.m. by Rev. James L. Thome. Burial was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Bessie Poole
September 19, 1885-July 12, 1962

WILLIAM THOMAS POOLE

William Thomas Poole, 75, husband of Bessie Andrews Poole, of 828 John street, Langeloth, died at 12:35 p. m., Tuesday, Feb. 5, 1957, in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh.

Surviving besides his wife are two daughters, Mrs. Ila Malone, Burgettstown; and Mrs. Lillian Young, Langeloth; a grandson; and three great grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Lee and Wilson Funeral Home, where services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday, Feb. 8, in charge of Rev. James L. Thome. Interment in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

**William Thomas Poole
Died-1957**

MYRTLE POPE

Myrtle Pope, 90, of Langeloth, died Tuesday, Dec. 3, 1985, at Highland, Indiana, at the home of her son.

Surviving are one son, Frederick Pope of Highland, Indiana; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one sister, Virginia, wife of Robert Hollewell of Polo, Illinois; and one brother, Robert Clark of Sun City, Arizona.

Friends were received in the Fagen-Miller Funeral Home, Highland, Indiana. Burial was in Fairmont Cemetery, Polo, Illinois.

Myrtle Pope
Died-December 3, 1985

Edwin L. Popeck

McGraw Edison retiree

Edwin L. Popeck, 94, of Canonsburg, died Thursday, May 10, 2018.

He was born September 12, 1923, in Hickory, a son of Joseph and Mary Wojnar Popeck.

Mr. Popeck was Catholic. He was a member of St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church, Canonsburg.

Prior to his retirement, he worked at McGraw Edison in assembly and was a dairy farmer.

Mr. Popeck enjoyed gardening and taking care of his farm.

On July 22, 1967, he married Jenny "Joann" Popeck, who died August 11, 2014.

Surviving are a son, Larry Popeck of Canonsburg, and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents and his wife, Mr. Popeck was preceded in death by brothers Andy, Pete, Walter, John, Frank and George, and sisters Lilly, Anne, Veronica and Helen.

At the request of the deceased, there will be no public visitation, and services are private.

Arrangements entrusted to Sollon Funeral and Cremation Services Ltd., 30 East College Street, Canonsburg, Phillip L. Sollon, supervisor, J. David Sollon, director, 724-746-1000. Please visit www.sollon.com to leave condolences.

Edwin L. Popeck
September 12, 1923-May 10, 2018

Janet Alice Popovich

*Minister, co-director of
Shiloh Bible Institute*



P a s t o r
Janet Alice Popovich, 68, of Burgettstown, died unexpectedly Monday, July 6, 2015, in her

home.

She was born June 1, 1947, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of the late Joseph Surmick and Anna Orschler Surmick.

She graduated from South Hills High School in 1965 and attended Pittsburgh Beauty Academy and Shiloh Bible Institute.

Mrs. Popovich was formerly a beautician before becoming a minister and co-director of Shiloh Bible Institute.

She enjoyed cooking, baking and spending time with family and grandchildren. She was a very caring and giving person.

On October 1, 1966, she married Edward King Popovich, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Matthew Popovich of Bethel Park; a daughter, Bernadette (Don) Dayak of Washington; two sisters, Anna Kagle of Bethel Park and Barbara Daniels of Houston, Texas; three grandchildren, Shaley, Desiree and Deidra; a great-grandchild, Avva; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews and great-great nieces and nephews.

Deceased are a son, John Popovich; a brother, Joseph Surmick; and a twin sister, Joan Strang.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 925 Allison Ave, Washington. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, July 9, at Shiloh Bible Institute, 147 Griffith Avenue, Washington. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Shiloh Bible Institute Mission Fund, 147 Griffith Avenue, Washington, PA 15301.

Janet Alice Popovich
June 1, 1947-July 6, 2015

Irene H. Popp

Irene Helen Popp of Langeloth, formerly of Alliance, Ohio, died Aug. 17, 1996, in her home. She was 70.

Born Jan. 16, 1926, in Triadelphia, W.Va., she was the daughter of Joseph and Julianna Lengyel Varga.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church of Burgettstown.

In 1964, in St. Joseph Church in Alliance, she married John Popp, who survives.

She was preceded in death by two sisters, Suzanna Kovack and Julianna Taylor; and two brothers, Steve and John Varga.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sisters, Gizella Grew of Steubenville, Ohio, and Bertha McAlister of Alliance; a brother, Joseph Varga of Alliance; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Aug. 19 and 20 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Aug. 21 in Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. A wake service was held Aug. 20 in the funeral home. Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Irene Helen Popp
January 16, 1926-August 17, 1996

John Popp

*Our Lady of Lourdes
R.C. Church member*

John Popp, 84, of Langeloth, died Monday, October 15, 2007, in Trinity West Hospital, Steubenville, Ohio.

He was born March 7, 1923, in Avella, a son of Vendell and Agnes Tungos Popp.

Prior to retirement, Mr. Popp was employed by Starvaggi Industries in Weirton, W. Va.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown.

Surviving are two sisters, Sylvia Bittner of Langeloth and Velma Jean Snyder of Herron, Va.; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are his wife, Irene Varga Popp, who died in 1996; two brothers, Vendell and Mike Popp; and three sisters, Mary Galish, Agnes Bittner and Irene Meehan.

Friends will be received from 4 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, October 19, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

John Popp

March 7, 1923- October 15, 2007

John C. Popp

Past president of United Mine Workers Local 2026

Johnny Popp, 94, of Houston, a well-known union organizer and one-time president of United Mine Workers of America District 5, died Wednesday, July 20, 2005, in Donnell House, Washington.

Mr. Popp was born February 7, 1911, in Harrisburg, a son of immigrants from Austria-Hungary, John and Mary Popp. His father was a blacksmith, and the family moved several times following work among the coal miners of West Virginia and Pennsylvania. Asked where he was from, Mr. Popp would respond, "The coal fields!"

He went to work with his father in Jones Mine when he was 16. After a contract dispute at Jones Mine, the family returned to Harrisburg, where Mr. Popp worked in a machine shop until 1930, the year he joined the U.S. Army. He became an Army divisional boxing champion in 1931, holding the title for three years.

Mr. Popp joined the Army because of the scarcity of work during the Great Depression. After his return from the military service in 1933, his parents lost their home in Harrisburg and relocated to the mining town of Westland.

He arrived by bus in Westland at 4 o'clock in the morning at a stop that also served as a union hall. The hall was full of miners preparing to leave for Avella, where they would try to convince other workers to join the union. Mr. Popp and his father went with the group. It was the first of more than 8,000 nights Mr. Popp would spend on the road as an organizer.

Mr. Popp worked in the coal mines for about 30 years, serving as door man of his local from 1935 to 1937. The job was a position of responsibility and one that utilized his skills as a boxer, as the door man had to make certain those entering were union members and not company spies.

In 1939, he became president of UMWA Local 2026, a position he would hold for 28 years. He was active as an organizer and contract negotiator and said the most memorable moment of his early years in the union was the first time he met John L. Lewis, the legendary UMWA president. Mr. Popp was appointed president of District 5 in 1970, serving in the position until his retirement in 1972.

Retirement, however, didn't mean Mr. Popp bought a set of golf clubs and moved to Florida. In the 1970s, he participated in the UMWA's march in Washington, D.C., for Black Lung benefits for disabled miners and their



spouses, and he continued to walk picket lines in Washington, Canonsburg, Meadow Lands and dozens of other places through the 1980s and 1990s. In the course of his life, he also was active registering voters, working voting polls and marching for civil rights.

Mr. Popp was always a gentleman, quiet and unassuming. He lived by the guiding principle, "United we stand, divided we fall. An injury to one is an injury to all."

In April 2001, UMWA President Cecil E. Roberts formally recognized Mr. Popp for his years of service to the union. He was inducted into the Washington/Greene Labor Hall of Fame in 1992, and Service Employees International Union District 1199-P made him an honorary member.

In 1937, Mr. Popp met Bessie Matilda Bataglia, the love of his life. He worked in the Westland mine with her father, while she was an employee of the company store. The couple met while she was striking for better wages, and remained together for 63 years.

~~Mrs. Popp died March 9, 2000.~~

Mr. Popp was the last living member of his immediate family.

Mr. and Mrs. Popp raised a nephew, E. William Rossi of Houston, who was Mr. Popp's caregiver when he died. Mr. Popp last made his home with Mr. Rossi for the past five years, since the passing of his wife.

Surviving are four nephews, Frank and Arnold Ranegar and Lawrence and Jackie Wilsbach; a niece, Janet Eichelberger; and several nieces and nephews in Western Pennsylvania.

Deceased are two brothers, Frank and William Popp; and two sisters, Helen Ranegar and Ann Wilsbach.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in McIlvaine-Speakman Funeral Home Ltd., 27 Cherry Avenue, Houston. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, July 25, in First United Methodist Church, Houston, with the Rev. Sang K. Choi officiating. Everyone is asked to meet at the church. Interment will be at noon Thursday, July 28 in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, Houston. Please view or add tributes at www.woodrufffamilyservices.com.

John C. Popp
February 7, 1911-July 20, 2005

Mary Popp

Mary Popp of Atlasburg died Dec. 22, 1998, in Washington Hospital. She was 83.

Born June 6, 1915, in Joffre, she was a daughter of Ignatz and Rose Stankevich Dominski.

She had worked at the Westinghouse air brake plant in Wilmerding during World War II.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Vendel Popp Jr., who died May 4, 1983; and four brothers, John, Ignatz, Stanley and Frank Dominski.

She is survived by a sister, Helen Nicola of Myersdale; two nieces,

Elizabeth Ann Mader of Washington, and Helen Jean Caton of Myersdale; and several other nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Dec. 23 in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Dec. 24 in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant.

Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Mary Popp
June 6, 1915-December 22, 1998

Theresa L. Popp

Teresa L. Popp of Cross Creek, Burgettstown, died Feb. 24, 1998, in Washington Hospital. She was 80.

Born in Pittsburgh, she was the daughter of Anthony and Sabina Markowski Dobroski.

She was a member of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella, and was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Mike, who died Sept. 1, 1986; a sister, Barbara Antkowski; and a brother, Zigmund Dobroski.

She is survived by a daughter, Theresa Hilliard of Burgettstown; a son, Mike of Poulsbo, Wash.; a brother, Harry Dobroski Sr. of Burgettstown; four grandchildren, Michael Popp, Richard, Michael and Amy Hilliard; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Feb. 26 and 27 in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Feb. 28 in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Avella, the Rev. Pierre Sudeni as celebrant. Interment was in Cross Creek Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Theresa L. Popp
1918-February 24, 1998

JOSEPH PORCHIRAN

Joseph Porchiran, 65, of 215 Denise Drive, Weirton, W.Va., formerly of Gary, Ind., died Monday, April 25, 1988, in the Weirton Medical Center.

He was born Oct. 26, 1922, in Slovan, a son of John and Caroline Wos Porchiran.

He was a retired bricklayer, a member of Bricklayers Union No. 6 of Indiana and a World War II veteran, serving in the U.S. Army.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Dranchak Porchiran; one daughter, Deborah Porchiran of Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, Rudolph and George of Slovan; and one sister, Mrs. Stella Bell of Pittsburgh.

Two brothers, Michael and John Porchiran, and one sister, Leona Svica, are deceased.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was said Thursday at 10 a.m. in St. Ann Roman Catholic Church, Bulger, by the Rev. John E. Moran, pastor. Interment was in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Joseph Porchiran
October 26, 1922-April 25, 1988

**Michael Robert
Porchiran**

*Avid outdoorsman
enjoyed golfing*



Michael Robert Porchiran, 65, of Burgettstown, Cross Creek Township, passed away unexpectedly

Thursday, March 5, 2015, in Weirton Medical Center, W.Va.

As his final gift, he was an organ donor.

Mr. Porchiran was born August 17, 1949, in Washington, a loving son of Ann Elizabeth Ortitay Porchiran of Burgettstown and the late John James Porchiran Sr.

A 1967 graduate of the Avella High School, he served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam and was honorably discharged a recipient of the National Defense Service Medal and Vietnam Service Medal.

He was an avid outdoorsman, and enjoyed gardening, hunting and golf.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are two brothers, Bennett John Porchiran and wife Tricia of Latrobe, and Richard Patrick Porchiran and wife Kathy of Scott Township.

To honor Mr. Porchiran's wishes, services and interment in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township, were held privately.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made in his memory to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

**Michael Robert Porchiran
August 17, 1949-March 5, 2015**



Frank Porec
Died -October 23, 2018

Frank Porec

Frank T. Porec, 69, of Weirton, WV, passed away Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at his home, surrounded by friends and family.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Mary "Lil" L. (Vucelich) Porec and brother, Terry L. Porec.

Frank was Christian by faith and was baptized Serbian Orthodox.

He worked for National Steel and then Weirton Steel (ESOP) retiring on June 1, 2000 after 34 years, following multiple health issues.

Frank was a 1967 graduate of Weir High School. He was a life member of Chapter 11 D.A.V. Warren, OH and Vietnam Veterans Support Group Chapter 1, Steubenville, OH where he served as president for two years and treasurer for two years. He was also a member of the American Legion Post 10; The Ohio Archaeologist Society since 1976, the Genuine Indian Relic Society, the WSX 25-Year Club and a novice flint knapper.

Frank served his country in Vietnam from 1969-1970.

Surviving is his wife of 17 years Sherry L. Porec; one son, Christopher M. Porec; two daughters, Trinity (Jason) Ferrell of Wellsburg, WV and Jacque D. (Matthew) Connard of Jacksonville, FL; grandsons, Joshua M. Porec of Columbus, OH and Pierce M. Ferrell of Wellsburg, WV and granddaughters, Madison A. Conrad of Mingo, Shelby N. Ferrell of Wellsburg, WV and Allison M. and Katelyn R. Connard of Jacksonville, FL.

Friends will be received on Monday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, 3219 Main St., Weirton, where funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 11 a.m. Chaplain Jack Ernest will officiate.

Entombment will follow at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens, Weirton WV, where military honors will be held.

Share tributes and memories at www.greco-hertnick.com.

Mrs. Ethel Porter

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church at Cross Creek Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. Ethel Marquis Porter, aged 43 years, whose death occurred Sunday. Pneumonia developed following an operation. Mrs. Porter had spent practically her entire life in the Cross Creek district. Her husband, Walter H. Porter, to whom she was married in 1922, died in 1930, the result of an accident in an oil field. One daughter, Frances, at home, survives with two uncles, J. C. and Harvey Allen, both of Cross Creek. Burial was in Cross Creek cemetery.

Ethel Marquis Porter
Abt. 1893-July 12, 1936

Frank E. Porter

Frank E. Porter died at his home at Rochester, Pa., Sunday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lottie Culley Porter and six children. He also leaves the following brothers and sister: Charles Porter, Rochester; Everett, Bulger, R. D. 1; James, Clair and Blanche McDonald. Funeral services will be held at his home this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Mill Creek cemetery. The deceased formerly was a resident of this community and was well known. His death came as a shock, as he had been ill only a short time and was thought to be recovering, when suddenly his condition became worse and he passed away before members of the family could reach his bedside.

Frank E. Porter
1846-Febrary 3, 1935

JAMES E. PORTER

John E. Porter, 79, of Joffre, died at 6:10 a.m. Tuesday, April 10, at his home in Joffre.

He was born July 2, 1882, in Pughtown, Pa., the son of John S. Porter and Rachael Haney Porter.

He had lived in Joffre for a number of years and was a member of Westminster United Presbyterian church, Burgettstown.

Surviving are his wife, Anna Mae Barnes Porter, four daughters: Mrs. Frances Lander and Mrs. Irene Lander, both of Joffre; Mrs. Ethel Bruce Bulger, R. D. 1; and Mrs. Olive Loris McKees Rocks; two sons: Guy Porter, Midway, and Everett Porter, R. D. 4, McDonald; 29 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Lee Funeral home, where services will be held at 2 p. m. Friday. Burial will be in Grandview cemetery, Florence.

James E. Porter
July 2, 1882-April 10, 1962

Mrs. Linnie Porter

Mrs. Linnie Porter, aged 61 years, died at her home at McDonald on September 18, 1934. The following children survive: Blanche and Clair, at home; James of McDonald; Frank and Charles of Rochester, Pa.; Everett of Bulger, R. D. 1. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church, McDonald, September 21st. Interment was in the Mill Creek cem-

Linnie Porter
Died-September 18, 1934

Perry D. Porter

Perry Duane Porter of New Brighton died Oct. 3, 1997, in Beaver Medical Center. He was 74.

Born Oct. 20, 1922, in Burgettstown, he was the son of Perry Alexander and Fanny Walker Porter.

He was a retired plumbing and heating contractor in New Brighton.

He graduated from Trinity High School in Washington and was a veteran of World War II, serving as a pilot and first lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force.

He was a longtime member of New Brighton Football Boosters and the former DIAL Club of New Brighton.

He was a trustee and elder of Westminster Presbyterian Church of New Brighton.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Dorothy Knox; and a brother, Ralph.

He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Burney (Kauffeld); two daughters, Paige Thompson of Ellwood City and Jeanne Oberg of North Sewickley Township; two sons, Terry and Rick Porter, both of New Brighton; a sister, Viola Fullerton of Washington; 11 grandchildren, Kim Rangle, Kristin Thompson, Jamie Thompson, Heather Porter, Brent Porter, Brittany Porter, Kara Porter, Kiley Porter, Jillian Oberg, Erin Oberg and Austin

Oberg; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received Oct. 5 and 6 in the J&J Spratt Funeral Home, New Brighton. Services were held Oct. 6 in the funeral home, the Rev. Judith W. McBride officiating. Private family interment was in Sylvania Hill.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to Westminster Presbyterian Church Memorial Fund or the American Heart Association.

Perry Duane Porter
October 20, 1922-October 3, 1997

Sophia J. Porter

Member of two senior
citizens groups

Sophia J. Porter, 84, of Midway, died Friday, June 27, 1997, in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born July 11, 1912, in Imperial, a daughter of Anthony and Mary Ann Malesky.

Mrs. Porter was a member of First United Methodist Church of Midway and the Midway and McDonald Senior Citizens groups.

Surviving are three daughters, Janet Fulmer of Oakdale, Alice Donaldson of McDonald and Agnes Joye Brackman of Uniontown, Ohio; four sisters, Agnes Virwas of McDonald, Stella Peterman of Clinton, Virginia Sherman and Pauline Malesky, both of Pittsburgh; two brothers, Anthony Malesky of Midway and Jack Malesky of Bridgeville; 11 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

PORTER - Friends of Sophia J. Porter of Midway, who died Friday, June 27, 1997, will be received from 2 to 9 p.m. Sunday in the Thomas-Little Funeral Home, 106 St. John Street, Midway, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, June 30, with the Rev. James Miller officiating. Interment in Center Cemetery, Midway.

Sophia J. Porter
July 11, 1912-June 27, 1997

Thomas C. Porter Sr.

Thomas C. Porter Sr. of Middleport, Ohio, died March 26, 1998, at the Veterans Memorial Hospital, Pomeroy, Ohio. He was 58.

Born Jan. 20, 1940, in Washington County, he was the son of Helen Dalessandri Porter of Carnegie and the late William Everett Porter.

He was a member of the Point Pleasant Moose Lodge and the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints of Gallipolis, Ohio. He was a coal miner with the Southern Ohio Coal Co.

He was preceded in death by a brother, John.

He is survived by his wife, Judy (Reynolds); two daughters, Joyce Glaze of Shade, Ohio, and Tammy Landers Thomas of Middleport; five sons, Thomas Porter Jr. of Defuniak Springs, Fla., Timothy S. Porter of Belle Glade, Fla., Robert Landers of Pomeroy, Charles Landers of Pomeroy, and Matt Stewart at home; three sisters, Betty Curtis of Oakdale, Jessie Hertzler of Oakdale and Dawn Reno of Midway; four brothers, Guy of Carnegie, Raymond of Midway, Wayne of Imperial and William of Avonmore; 17 grandchildren; a great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Fisher Funeral Home, Middleport. Services were held March 29 at the funeral home. Interment was at the Grandview Cemetery.

Thomas C. Porter Sr.
January 20, 1940-March 26, 1998

Raymond J. Posel

*U.S. Army veteran
served in Korean War*

Raymond J. Posel, 80, of McDonald, Cecil Township, died Monday, April 13, 2015, in his home.

He was born November 29, 1934, in North Fayette Township, a son of the late Mitchell and Stella Marie Maximovich Posel.

Mr. Posel was a retired operating engineer with Construction Local 66.

He was a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, McDonald.

Mr. Posel was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Korean War.

He enjoyed hunting, fishing, playing baseball and spending time with his family.

Surviving are his wife of 40 years, Edith A. Jozwiakowski Posel of McDonald; eight children, Terri (Pete) Huelten of Canonsburg, Ray Posel of Montana, Allan Thomassy of Johnstown, Jeff Corcoran of Alaska, Shelly (Kevin) Krygier of Florida, Jill Quinn of Maryland, Cathy (Patrick) McCartney of Canonsburg and Mark (Jane) Posel of Pittsburgh; a brother, Michell (Dorothy) Posel of Arkansas; 13 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, is a brother, Albert Posel.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Friday, April 17, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, 219 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2984. Interment will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township.

To sign a guest book, visit thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Raymond J. Posel
November 29, 1934-April 13, 2015

William Henry Posey

William Henry Posey, 68, of New Port Richey, Fla., died Wednesday, March 22, 1995, at New Port Richey Hospital.

He was born in Wellsburg, W.Va., the eldest son of the late Elmo Bruce and Estella Posey.

He was a retired administration manager for Northrop Corporation of California.

Mr. Posey was a past president of the International Association of Visual Communications and the National Micro Graphics of Los Angeles, Calif.

A Marine Corps veteran of World War II who received the Purple Heart, he was a member of the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 69 of Jackson County, Ill.

He is survived by his wife, Betty J.; a daughter, Renee Herndon of Benton, Ill.; two stepsons, Nicholas Ori of Benton, Ill., and Gregory Ori of Westminster, Calif.; a stepdaughter, Robin Harrold of Odessa, Fla.; one brother, Walter Potter of Cerritos, Calif.; a sister, Eliner Herbert of Port Richey, Fla.; nieces, Pat Dudash of Monaca; Katherine Milliron of Georgetown; and Debbie Rodgers of Weirton, W.Va.; a nephew, Martin J. Herbert of Charles Town, W.Va.; 13 stepgrandchildren; and one great-stepgrandson.

Interment was in Veterans National Cemetery, Busnell, Fla.

**William Henry Posey
Died-March 22, 1995**

Douglas E. Poskin

*Owner of Bridgeville Avella
Express Trucking Co.*

Douglas E. Poskin, 87, of South Fayette Township, died Thursday, February 7, 2008.

He was born October 16, 1920, in McDonald, a son of Emil and Eva Wilson Poskin.

On February 16, 1946, he married Elsie Losego, who died February 28, 1999.

Mr. Poskin owned Bridgeville Avella Express Trucking Co. for 44 years.

He was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of World War II. He was also a life member of Reliable Fraternal Association, Bridgeville, a member of Bridgeville Golf League and past member of the former Bridgeville Kiwanis Club.

Mr. Poskin was an avid golfer and enjoyed reading and playing cards.

Surviving are three children, Chris (Sue) Poskin of Cecil, Debra (Gary) O'Data of South Fayette Township and Lisa (Wayne) Wagner of Upper St. Clair; a sister, Drena DuPilka; seven grandchildren, Christopher Poskin, Melissa Honeychuck, Jacquelyn O'Data, Michael Poskin, Drew O'Data, Victoria Wagner and Douglas Wagner; and three great-grandchildren, Nicholas McCullough and Hannah and Sara Poskin.

Deceased is a sister, Dolores Eiler.

Friends will be received from 1 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Warchol Funeral Home Inc., 3060 Washington Pike, Bridgeville (412-221-3333). A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, February 11, in St. Barbara Church, Bridgeville, with the Rev. Al McGinnis as celebrant.

Interment will follow in Melrose Cemetery, Bridgeville.

Douglas E. Poskin
October 16, 1920-February 7, 2008

JOHN POSKOSKY

John Poskosky, 60, 123 Brush-ton st., Aliquippa, formerly of At-lasburg, died in Rochester General hospital Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1952, at 3:37 a.m.

Mr. Poskosky was born in Pol-and Dec. 18, 1891, and lived in Ali-quippa for 10 years. He was em-ployed as shearman by the A. M.

~~Byers Company, One Ambidge,
working his last day Oct. 10.~~

Surviving besides his wife Helen, are: two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Craig of Washington and Mrs. Anna Maryansky of Ali-quippa; two sons, Joseph, at home and Stanley, stationed with the U. S. Army in Alaska; also nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from St. Tidus Roman Catholic church at a high mass Friday, Nov. 7, in charge of Father Zonar. Burial was in St. Tidus Roman Catholic cemetery, Aliquippa.

John Poskosky
December 18, 1891-November 4, 1952

Frank L. Post Sr.

*Loved working
his family farm*



Frank L. Post Sr., 70, of Avella, died at 3:15 a.m. Sunday, February 2, 2014, in Allegheny General Hos-

pital, Pittsburgh, following complications from several strokes suffered over the past six months.

He was born October 7, 1943, in Washington, a son of the late Clarke Sprowls Post Sr. and Mary Griffith Dutton Post, and had resided on his home farm in Blaine Township all his life.

Mr. Post was a member of Claysville United Presbyterian Church and was a 1961 graduate of McGuffey High School.

He had a lifelong passion of caring for and working his family farm, The Two Post Farm, which he co-owned with his son.

Mr. Post was employed as a pipeline welder with Local 798, out of Tulsa, Okla., where he began as a welder's helper, then broke out as a welder in 1972, retiring in 2008 with more than 50 years of service in the union. Following retirement, he was employed as a superintendent for Paris Construction on a pipeline crossing the family farm.

He had served as a delegate to United Association of Pipefitters and Steamfitters conventions for several years and had served as a steward and foreman for several pipeline contractors across the United States.

On August 27, 1983, he married Cheryl Lynn McCullough, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Frank L. Post Jr., husband of Kaylea Post of Avella; two daughters, Tammi, wife of Darrin Iams of West Alexander and Tega, wife of Josh George of Avella; three grandchildren, Kagin and Lexin Iams and Cason George; two brothers, John, husband of Patricia Post of Avella, and Clarke S. "Rob" Post Jr., husband of Nancy Post of Warren, Ohio; two sisters, Betsy Miller of Mesa, Ariz., and Mary Jo, wife of Mike Flory of Washington; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and 1 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Claysville U.P. Church, Claysville, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, February 6. Interment will follow in Claysville Cemetery.

The family suggests memorial contributions be made to American Heart/Stroke Association. Arrangements are under the direction of Rush Funeral Home Inc., Rogersville. Family and friends may view the obituary and send condolences at www.rushfuneralhomeinc.com.

Frank L. Post Sr.

October 7, 1943-February 2, 2014

"COL." POST IS DEAD AFTER LONG, BUSY LIFE

Famous "Colonel" Post Dies at his Home at Washington Following Brief Serious Illness

John F. Post, aged 75 years, died Saturday morning of last week in his home at Washington. He had been in failing health for the past two years and had been seriously ill for but 48 hours when death overtook him.

"Colonel" Post, as he was familiarly known to hundreds of residents of this district, was born July 30, 1856, in Washington. He was the son of the late Jackson and Elizabeth Flender Post. His father died when Mr. Post was six years of age and he was reared by the late George W. Craft, of Morris township.

He was married November 16, 1882, to Frances Caroline Andrews, daughter of the late Stockton Andrews of Morris township, and spent his early married life farming. He had been a resident of Washington for 31 years.

He was best known for his work as an auctioneer and in this business had built up a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. He had spent 45 years in this business and at the time of his death was the senior member of the firm of John F. Post and Sons, auctioneers, with offices in the Vandergrift Building, Pittsburgh. Mr. Post had been instrumental in selling much farm land and real estate and personal property before going to Pittsburgh, and since the office was opened here 25 years ago had sold horses on the Pittsburgh Horse Exchange for 15 years, and conducted sales for the Alien Property Custodian during the World War throughout the eastern part of the country. He and his firm had conducted many bankruptcy sales in Western Pennsylvania and did practically all the Trust Company business in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Post was a member of the Jefferson Avenue Methodist Episcopal church and a charter member of Kiwanis Club and Chamber of Commerce, of Washington. He was also affiliated with the Pittsburgh Credit Men's Association.

He leaves his wife and the following children: W. Arthur Post, Faze-well, Va.; Harland L. Post, Daytona Beach, Florida; J. Robert Post, Munnhall; Lester B. Post, Pittsburgh; Clyde J. Post, Midland; and Mrs. J. Harley Burns, of Washington. A sister, Mrs. Kate A. Sweany, of Manhattan, Kansas, and a brother, Samuel B. Post, of Claysville, also survive, as do nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the late home Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. Forrest A. Goodrich, pastor of the Jefferson Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. Burial was in Washington cemetery.

John F. Post
July 30, 1856-October 10, 1931

S. J. POSTLETHWAIT

Samuel Jacob Postlethwait, 80, of Littleton, West Virginia, father of Mrs. Freda Cook, of Burgetts-town, died Monday night, September 19, in his home, following a lengthy illness.

Born July 1, 1886, in Wetzel County, West Virginia, he was the son of the late John A. and Elizabeth Plyes Postlethwait and was a veteran of World War I. He

was retired from the Equitable Gas Company, of Littleton.

Friends were received at the Hunt Funeral Home, Hundred, West Virginia, where services were held Friday, September 23, at 2 p.m. Interment was at East View Cemetery.

Samuel Jacob Postlethwait
July 1, 1886-September 19, 1966

Rose Longo Potenzini

Steubenville, Ohio, resident



Rose Longo Potenzini, 85, of Steubenville, Ohio, passed away Tuesday, September 10, 2013, in

Trinity Medical Center West, Steubenville, with her loving family by her side.

She was born February 15, 1928, in Burgettstown, a daughter of the late James and Vincenza Battaglia Longo.

Mrs. Potenzini was preceded in death by her husband, Dominic Potenzini; a brother, Anthony Longo; and a sister-in-law, Sue Avoli Longo.

She was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Steubenville, and its St. Francis Society and Catholic Women's Club.

Mr. Potenzini was retired from *The (Steubenville) Herald Star*. She was active in her circle of card-playing friends.

Surviving are sons Dominic A. (Linda) Potenzini of Boca Raton, Fla., and James A. Potenzini of Steubenville; daughter Virginia "Ginny Ann" Delaney of Cave Creek, Ariz.; six grandchildren, Luke and Noelle Potenzini, Jimmy Joe and Jayson Paul (Erin) Potenzini and Dana Rose and Liam Dominic Delaney; great-grandson Dominic; and many loved nieces and nephews.

Calling hours were from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday and will be from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Mosti Funeral Home, Sunset Chapel, 4435 Sunset Boulevard, Steubenville. A funeral liturgy with Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, September 14, in Holy Family Catholic Church, with Monsignor Gerald Calovini as celebrant. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Steubenville. There will be a vigil service at 3:45 p.m. Friday. Offer condolences at www.mostifuneralhome.com.

Rose Longo Potenzini
February 15, 1929-September 10, 2013

POTTER—Miss Mary Luella Potter, of Noblestown, Pa., died November 9, 1895, in her 35th year.

She was born of Robert and Rachel Dickson Potter, April 1, 1861. Early in life she professed Christ as her Saviour and became a member of the United Presbyterian congregation of Noblestown, Pa., in which she was a member at the time of her death. She was one to whom God had given noble faculties and these were largely developed by a liberal education, and use in the service of the Master. She was active in the work of the congregation, Sabbath-school, and especially so in the work of the young people's society, even when confined to her room with her affliction. During all her life she was amiable, loving, and patient, and during her sickness she seemed to reign in these virtues. Her prayer was, "Thy will be done." In the home she is mourned by an aged mother and sister, Mrs. Margaret Stevenson. We believe she is not dead, but asleep in Jesus, who has brought life and immortality to light through the gospel, and can say of her appropriately, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, for they do rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

Resolutions of respect by the Y. P. S. C. E. of Noblestown, Pa., on the death of Miss M. Lulu Potter, Nov. 9, 1895.

It is a loving task to pay tribute to the memory of one of our first members, so dearly loved and one so highly esteemed as she who has been taken so recently from our midst.

Death chose a shining mark in Lulu, one who was so loving and kind to all, who had so many friends, and who will be greatly missed, not only in our society, but in all parts of our church work.

Whereas, It has pleased God, in his providence, to call home this dear one to himself; therefore, be it

Resolved, 1. That in Lulu's death, although we deeply feel our loss, with meekness and humility we bow in submission to the divine will, knowing that "all is well, and our loss is her gain." Though she is sadly missed in the home, in the church, and in the society, we believe she is safe in that home where separation is unknown, that she has entered the church triumphant, and joined the society of the redeemed around the throne of God.

2. That we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy; but amidst our sorrow we rejoice in the promise, "For if we believe that Jesus died and arose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him."

3. That a copy of these resolutions be given to the bereaved family and also placed on record.

Jane E. McVeigh,
Marietta McClelland,
L. J. McMillen,
Committee

Mary Luella Potter
April 1, 1861-November 9, 1895

JEROME W. POTTS

Jerome W. Potts died at his home in Florence on Wednesday, October 11, 1916, at 6:30 a. m.

Jerome Ward Potts was born January 17, 1848, on his father's farm adjoining Florence. His education was received in the town school. With the exception of a year spent as a clerk in J. L. Patterson's store in Burgettstown he had always lived near his birthplace. He had held a number of offices of trust in his township and for many years had been identified with the Presbyterian church as an officer and held positions in Sabbath school and Christian Endeavor society. October 2, 1879 he was happily married to Miss Elizabeth Hurst Stevenson, only daughter of Rev. Ross Stevenson, D.D., then pastor of the church of Florence. He is survived by widow and foster daughter, Deane Saxton, of Oakdale, and brother, Dr. J. A. Potts, of Burg. Funeral services will be on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. Interment in the Florence cemetery at 4 o'clock.

Jerome W. Potts
January 17, 1848-October 11, 1916

JOHN WARD POTTS

John Ward Potts, 80, died suddenly at 12:45 p.m., Sunday, March 19, 1961, in the home of his nephew, George Butler, 611 South Main street, Washington.

He was born near Georgetown, Oct. 6, 1880, and had been a resident of Washington the past year.

Mr. Potts was a kiln placer for Hall China Company, East Liverpool, O., prior to his retirement in 1954.

He was a member of Calvary Methodist church, East Liverpool; an honorary member of International Brotherhood of Operative Potters, and a 40-year member of I.O.O.F. Lodge, 379, East Liverpool.

His first wife, Mary Tucker Potts, died Sept. 28, 1954. In 1956 he married Dorothy Wilson, who died March 28, 1960.

Surviving are three nephews, George Butler, Washington; Marion Butler, Eldersville and John A. Butler, New Castle.

Services were conducted on Wednesday, Mar. 22 at 3:30 p. m., from the Martin funeral home, East Liverpool. Burial was in Calcutta U. P. cemetery, East Liverpool.

John Ward Potts
October 6, 1880-March 19, 1961

MRS. EMIL POTTS

Mrs. Marcella Eleanor Potts, 65, of Avella, died Sunday, December 11, 1966, at 11 a.m. in the Washington hospital.

She was born October 1, 1901, a daughter of Ecra and Alma Packer Shoff, at Amesville, and lived in the Avella area 38 years. She was a member of the Avella Presbyterian Church, the CF of A, and the auxiliaries of the Avella Volunteer Fire Company and the Avella American Legion Post.

She was married December 20, 1920, to Emil Potts, who survives.

Also surviving are one son, Howard F., of Wellsburg, West Virginia; three daughters, Dolores, wife of Donald J. Garrett, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana; Gertrude, wife of William Farr, of Stowe, Ohio; and Mae Belle, wife of Chester Lonick, of Atlasburg, 19 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; four sisters, Mrs. Dora Wilkinson, of Houtzdale; Mrs. Iolene Rowles, of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio; Mrs. Hazel Trier and Mrs. Virginia Muri, both of Akron, Ohio; and five brothers, William Shoff, of Houtzdale; John Shoff, of Santa Clara, California; Delmar and Harry Shoff, both of Akron, Ohio; and Lester Shoff, of Santa Clara, California.

A son, Donald, is deceased.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella. Services were held Wednesday, December 14, at 2 p.m., in the

Marcella Eleanor Potts
October 1, 1901-December 11, 1966

MRS. ETHEL A. POULAIN

Mrs. Ethel A. Poulain, 66, died at 9:45 a. m., Sunday, December 25, 1955, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Wood, Follansbee-Eldersville Road, Eldersville.

Born in Rush Run, O., Aug. 3, 1889, the deceased was a daughter of the late John T. and Mary Jane Oliver Everson. Her husband, Charles Poulain, died in 1944.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Glenn Wood, Eldersville, and Mrs. Elizabeth Critchfield, Freedom; four sons, John and Robert, both of Weirton, Airman Third Class Glenn, Donaldson Air Force Base, Greenville, S. C., and Thomas J., in the Army; her stepmother, Mrs. Margaret Everson, Martins Ferry, O.; two sisters, Miss Mary L. Everson, Ry-

land, O., and Mrs. Adam Peeler, Mingo, O.; seven brothers, Leon Everson, Wintersville, O., Charles, Follansbee, W. Va., Emmett, Rayland, O., and John, Thomas, Wendall and Ray, all of Martins Ferry; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, December 28 at 2 p. m., from the James Funeral home, Follansbee, W. Va., in charge of Rev. John Scott, pastor of the Eldersville Methodist church. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery, Colliers, R. D.

Ethel A. Poulain
August 3, 1889-December 25, 1955

OBITUARIES

THOMAS J. POULAIN

Graveside services for Thomas James Poulain were held Sunday, September 11, at 3 p.m. in St. John's Cemetery, Follansbee, West Virginia.

Mr. Poulain, 39, a former resident of Weirton, West Virginia, died on Thursday, September 8, at 6:15 a.m. of natural causes at the Los Angeles California, General hospital.

He was born April 3, 1927, at Mt. Vernon, Ohio, a son of the late Charles and Ethel Everson Poulain. He was a self-employed painter and a veteran of the Korean War.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Mary Woods, of Eldersville, and Mrs. Betty Critchfield, of Freedom; and three brothers, Glenn, of California, and John and Robert, both of Weirton.

Thomas James Poulain
April 3, 1927-September 8, 1966

Zoe Grace Pounds

Midway homemaker

Zoe Grace Pounds, 92, of Midway, died Wednesday, March 26, 2008, in her home.

She was born May 30, 1915, in Midway, a daughter of James and Elizabeth Sherman Campbell.

Mrs. Pounds was a homemaker.

Surviving are her son, William Pounds of Midway; six grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; a great-great-grandchild; and two sisters, Rebecca Kargle of Primrose and Jean Tucker of Midway.

Deceased are her husband, William E. Pounds, who died in 1983; four sisters, Leah Campbell, Erma Bell, Elizabeth Davis and Stella Sawhill; and six brothers, Thomas, Ralph, Richard, Owen, Jim and Clark Campbell.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway (724-796-3301), where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 29. Interment will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery. Please sign the guest book at www.thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Zoe Grace Pounds
May 30, 1915-March 26, 2008

**MISSING BULGER MAN
FOUND DEAD NEAR HOME**

The body of Mike Povasser, 62, missing a week, was found Tuesday, Feb. 18 in a small ravine not far from his home along a railroad right-of-way, a half-mile from Bulger.

Deputy Coroner Edw. G. Wilson said Povasser apparently died from exposure and that he had been dead five or six days.

County Detective John Penderville conducted an investigation and reported there were no indications of foul play.

Povasser, who lived alone in a one-room house, was last seen in Bulger a week ago. It was reported he started home and apparently misjudged a lane through brush as the usual road to his place.

He was believed to have stumbled, rolled over a bank and fell into a small ravine from which he was unable to climb out.

The body was found about noon Tuesday and authorities were notified.

Povasser leaves a sister, Mrs. Mary Baker, and a brother, John Povasser, both of New Kensington.

Mike Povasser

**Missing Bulger Man Found Dead Near Home
February 27, 1947-Burgettstown Enterprise Edition**

Angelina Povero

Angelina Povero, 91, of 115 Maple Avenue, Burgettstown, died Wednesday July 22, 1992, in Washington Hospital.

She was born Jan. 24, 1901, in Lozzo D'Codore, Italy, a daughter of Eugenio and Anna Baldwin Martin.

Mrs. Povero was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church of Burgettstown.

She also was a member of the Christian Mothers of Burgettstown.

Her husband, Peter Povero, died March 12, 1933.

Surviving are a son, Eugene Povero of McDonald; a brother, Leo B. Martin of Alexander, Va.; two sisters, Edith Martin and Lola Grabski, both of Burgettstown; three grandchildren, Mary Jean Evans, Linda Stiffler and William Bundy; two great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are a daughter, Emma L. Bundy, who died May 28, 1991; a brother, Elmo Martin; and a sister, Elsie Krzeczowski.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church with the Rev. Rudolph Smoley officiating. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Angelina Povero
January 24, 1901-July 22, 1992

MRS. LUCILLE POVERO

Mrs. Lucille Povero, wife of Eugene Povero of Dinsmore ave., died suddenly Wednesday, July 8, at 10 a.m., in Washington hospital as a result of burns suffered in an explosion at her home recently.

Born July 21, 1929, she was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith of Langeloth. Surviving besides her husband, is one daughter, Mary Jean.

Friends will be received after 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, July 9, at the Lee and Wilson funeral home. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 11, at 10 a.m., from Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. church in charge of Rev. John Boslet.

Lucille Povero
July 21, 1929-July 8, 1953

LOUIS POVICH

Louis Povich, 50, died on Saturday January 3rd, at his home in Slovan.

Mr. Povich was born in Yugoslavia in 1891 and came to this country 35 years ago. He had resided in Slovan for the past 25 years. He was a member of the Serbian National Federation Lodge.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Louis Povich, and the following children: three daughters, Mrs. William Bohn of Weirton, W. Va., Dinah and Sophie at home; one son, Eli, also at home, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, January 6, at 1 p.m., at his home in charge of Rev. Brkich of Mineo Junction, Ohio. Burial was made in the Serbian cemetery in Weirton, W. Va.

Louis Povich
Died-January 3, 1942

Mildred Louise Powell

February 18, 1937

- June 25, 2014



Mildred Louise Powell, 77, of McDonald, died Wednesday, June 25, 2014, in Allegheny General Hos-

pital, Pittsburgh.

She was born February 18, 1937, in Doddridge County, W.Va., a daughter of the late Claude Uriah and Essie Mae Swigger Glaspell.

Mrs. Powell worked in housekeeping at the former Holiday Inn and Howard Johnson in Oakdale for 21 years, before retiring in 1999.

She enjoyed chatting with friends at Giant Eagle's hot dog stand in McDonald and loved helping at Pittsburgh Guild for the Blind in Bridgeville.

Surviving are two daughters, Linda Lou Leadbitter of McDonald and Trish L. (Shawn) Cerezo of Carnegie; a son, Roger L. Powell of McDonald; two stepsons, Dennis L. (Rene "Toots") Powell and Kenneth L. Powell, both of Bridgeville; a sister, Katherine Marie Kesling of Clarksburg, W.Va.; a brother, James Glaspell of McMechen, W.Va.; seven grandchildren, Jeremy T. and Thomas G. Leadbitter, Amity B. Powell, Erin M., Tim W., Christina "Nina" and Matt R. Cerezo; two stepgrandchildren, Greg and Jeff Powell; and a step-great-grandchild, Paige Powell.

Deceased are 13 brothers and sisters and a grandchild, Amanda A. Leadbitter.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, July 1, with the Rev. Angela Kress, pastor of Imperial Church of the Nazarene, officiating.

The family suggests memorial donations be made to Blind & Vision Rehabilitation Services of Pittsburgh, 1800 West Street, Homestead, PA 15120. Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Mary Louise Powell

February 18, 1937-June 25, 2014

MICHAEL POWELL

Michael James Powell, of 195 Greenhill Drive, Washington, died in the Washington Hospital at 8 a.m. Tuesday, March 19, 1968.

He was born in Beaver Falls, a son of Westly and Marie Poole Powell.

Mr. Powell was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, of Washington.

He had been a salesman for the Beatty Buick Pontiac GMC agency in Washington for a number of years. He graduated from Woodlawn High School, Woodlawn, now Aliquippa.

Mr. Powell served with the Pennsylvania State Police from August 1, 1926, to July 31, 1932. He was also chief of police at Burgettstown from 1934 to 1936, and served as chief of the Washington County Detectives a period of four years.

Mr. Powell was a member of the United States Marine Corps during World War II, and was a member of the Edwin Scott Linton American Legion Post 175, a charter member of the Burgettstown Lions Club and a member of the Washington Lions Club.

On January 8, 1949, he married Gladys Spillman, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Nadeen, wife of Robert Kilzer, of New York City; four brothers, Samuel Powell, of Burgettstown; Joseph and Peter Powell, of Aliquippa; and Ed Powell, of Akron, Ohio; and a sister, Mrs. Ann Keletz, of Aliquippa.

Friends were received at the Piatt Funeral Home, Washington, where services were performed at 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 22, by Dr. Joseph R. Hookey, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, of Washington. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

**Michael James Powell
Died-March 19, 1968**

Blanche J. Powelson

Blanche J. Powelson of Bradenton, Fla., died April 14, 1996, in Freedom Village. She was 82.

She was born in Bulger and moved to Bradenton in 1978 from Hanlin Station.

She was a homemaker and was a member of Florence Presbyterian Church.

She is survived by a niece, Dolores Stankavich of Burgettstown.

Services were held April 18 in Manasota Memorial Funeral Home, Bradenton, the Rev. William Kemp officiating. Interment was in Skyway Memorial Gardens.

Blanche J. Powelson
Died-April 14, 1996

CLARENCE POWER

Clarence N. Power Sr., 90, of 106 Archer Lane, Burgettstown, died Friday, January 23, 1970, in Washington Hospital.

He was born in Montgomery County, Tenn., Nov. 8, 1879, and had lived in Burgettstown for 46 years.

Mr. Power was a member of the Hillcrest United Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are four sons: Samuel R., of Clearwater, Fla.; Thurman (Cy), of Nashville, Tenn.; William K., of Uniontown, and Clarence N. Jr., of St. Charles, Mo.; two daughters: Lois, wife of Edwin Wagner, and Gretchen, wife of Morris Harvey, both of Burgettstown; 12 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

His wife, Florence, died in 1952, and as on, Clarence M., in 1927.

POWER — Friends of Clarence Power, of 106 Archer Lane, Burgettstown, who died Friday, January 23, 1970, will be received after 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 24, at the Lee Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held Monday, Jan. 26, at 2:30 p.m. in charge of Rev. John P. Borter. Burial in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Clarence N. Power Sr.
November 8, 1879-January 23, 1970

JOHN W. POWER

John W. Power died in the Fuller-Gilliam Hospital, Mayfield, Ky., on March 16, 1962. He had been a patient in the hospital two weeks, suffering from pneumonia and a heart condition.

For a number of years he made his home here with his brother, C. N. Power of Archer Lane, a former employee of the American Zinc Co., at Lange-loth.

He was 88 years of age Nov. 22, 1961. He was a member of the Olivet Baptist church near Guthrie, Ky., where he made his home.

~~He was married. In addi-~~
tion to his brother, he is surviv-
ed by several nieces and nep-
hews.

Services were held Sunday, March 18, from the Roberts Funeral home with Rev. J. C. Gilbert officiating. Interment was in Mayfield, Ky.

C. N. Power and daughter, Mrs. Edwin Wagner, left for Kentucky as soon as they learned of Mr. Powers' illness. They spent a week with him. Before returning home, they visited in the T.D. Power home in Nashville, Tenn.

John W. Power
November 22, 1873-March 16, 1962

MICHAEL POWERS

Michael Powers, 81, Slovan, died Friday, February 24, 1961, at 9:23 p.m. in Washington hospital.

He was born July 17, 1879, in Ohio, a son of Patrick and Rachel Wilson Powers. He was a former miner and formerly resided in Avella for 29 years.

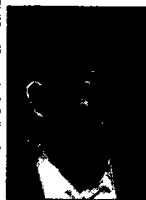
Surviving are nine sons and two daughters; John J., of Youngstown, O.; James R., Miami, Fla.; William T., Akron, O.; Mrs. Patricia Lisko, Youngstown, O.; Robert Mike, Joe, Hobart and Eddie all of Avella; David, in the U.S. Navy; and Mrs. Nellie Thomas, Burgetts-town; 18 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Requiem mass was held on Tuesday, Feb. 28 at 9 a.m. in St. Michael's R. C. church, Avella, in charge of Rev. Paul Schuetz. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Michael Powers
July 17, 1879-February 24, 1961

Michael P. Powers Jr.

Lifelong resident of Avella



Michael P. "Peanuts" Powers Jr., 81, of Avella, died at 9:25 a.m. Tuesday, March 10, 2015, in Don-

nell House, Washington.

He was born November 28, 1933, in Avella, a son of the late Michael P. and Laura Butlar Powers.

Prior to his retirement in 1977, Mr. Powers was employed by Washington Penn Plastic.

He was a member of Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society and SNPJ Lodge 292, both of Avella. He was also a social member of Bert C. Siders American Legion Post 643, Avella.

Mr. Powers enjoyed bowling and attending car shows. He was a car enthusiast.

He was a lifelong resident of Avella.

Mr. Powers was married to Dessie Elliott, who is deceased.

Surviving are a brother, Edward (Pearl) Powers of Avella; a sister, Nellie Thomas of Slovan; two sisters-in-law, Wanda Powers and Dolores Powers, both of Avella; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his wife and parents, are four brothers, Robert, Joseph, Hobart and David Powers.

There will be no visitation. Burial will be private. Arrangements are being handled by Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella.

Memorial contributions may be made to Avella Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box G, Avella, PA 15312.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Michael P. Powers Jr.
November 28, 1933-March 10, 2015

Wanda J. Powers

Longtime Avella resident



Wanda J. Powers, 81, of Avella, died Friday, December 4, 2015, in Washington County

Health Center, Chartiers Township.

She was born March 15, 1934, in Bertha Mine, a daughter of the late Albert Prevost Sr. and Rosie Katherine Nance Prevost.

Mrs. Powers enjoyed crocheting and doing crossword puzzles. She lived in Avella since 1952. On May 11, 1952, she married Robert E. Powers, who died December 27, 2004.

Surviving are two sons, Robert (Kathnee) Powers of Apopka, Fla., and Leonard (Roji) Powers of Washington; two daughters, Cathy (Jerome) Anderson of Wellsburg, W.Va., and Karen Adams of Avella; six grandchildren, Tonee, Amy, Jerome V, Robert III, A.J. and Jacob; seven great-grandchildren, Jasmine, Moriah, Jerome VI, Christina, Jonathan, Joseph and Anastasia; two sisters, Annie Grenell and Linda Pierson, both of Avella; two brothers, Phillip Prevost of Washington and Charles Prevost of Avella; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her husband and parents, are three sisters, Betty Gordon, Marceline Hopkins and Gertrude Reed, and two brothers, Albert Prevost Jr. and Thomas Prevost.

All funeral services are private. Memorial contributions can be made to Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., P.O. Box 65, Avella, PA 15312.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

Wanda J. Powers

March 15, 1934-December 4, 2015

George Powlikosky Jr.

George Powlikosky Jr. of Sun City West, Ariz., died Dec. 18, 1996, at his residence. He was 82.

Born Jan. 9, 1914, in Bannock, Ohio, he was the son of the late George and Katerina Dugopolska Powlikosky.

He was a retired assistant roller in the strip steel department of Weirton Steel Corp.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church; American Legion Post 10; and No. 9 Sportsmen's Club of McDonald; and a former member of St. Paul and St. Joseph churches in Weirton, W. Va.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Clara Solonika; and two brothers, Stanley Pavlic and Joseph Powlikosky.

He is survived by his wife, Edith Mae (Massa); a son, Michael of Glendale, Ariz.; a sister, Sophia Doumont of McDonald; and two brothers, Jack Pavlic of Paris and Andrew Pavlic of McDonald.

Friends were received Dec. 22 in Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, Weirton. Services were held Dec. 23 in St. Paul Roman Catholic Church, Weirton. Entombment was in St. Paul Mausoleum.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to St. Paul Roman Catholic Church, 140 Walnut St., Weirton, W. Va. 26062.

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George Powlikosky Jr.
January 9, 1914-December 18, 1996

Mary Powlikoski

Burgettstown homemaker

Mary Ann Powlikoski, 86, of Burgettstown, died Wednesday, August 25, 1999, in Vencor Hospital.

She was born September 8, 1912, in Sturgeon, a daughter of John and Rose Baldigowski.

Mrs. Powlikoski, a homemaker, was married to Jack Powlikoski, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, Frank Powlikoski; a daughter, Rose Mary Powlikoski; three sisters, Ann Vincenti, Clara Harouse and Elizabeth Poznak; three brothers, John, Joseph and Francis Baldigowski; five grandchildren, Frank Jr., John, Theresa, Jackie Ann and Rosalie; and six great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a son, Jack Jr., who died in 1988; a sister, Martha Miller; and two brothers, Ernest and Paul Baldigowski.

POWLIKOSKI - Friends of Mary Ann Powlikoski of Burgettstown, who died Wednesday, August 25, 1999, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 28, in St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church, with the Rev. Edward Trzeciakowski officiating. Interment in Resurrection Cemetery.

Mary Powlikoski
September 8, 1912-August 25, 1999

Theodore Poznak

World War II Navy veteran

Theodore "Ted" Poznak, 89, of Midway, died Tuesday, December 30, 2014, in his home.

He was born November 20, 1925, in Smithfield, Ohio, a son of the late Andrew and Catherine Sikorski Poznak.

Mr. Poznak was a member of St. Alphonsus R.C. Church and was a World War II Navy veteran. He was a heavy equipment operator for Aloe Coal Co.

He was an avid sandlot baseball pitcher, enjoyed reading, traveling and spending time with his grandchildren.

Surviving are his wife, Dolores "Dolly" Romestan of Midway; daughters, Judy (Mark) Kramer of Bulger, Sandy (Bill) Wauthier of Midway, Mary (Dom) Pulice of Ohio, Bonnie (Ken) McLain of Midway, Gloria (Bob) Trolley of West Virginia, Peggy Albert of Midway and Cathi (Larry) Clark of Washington; son,

Teddy (Rosemary) Poznak of Castle Shannon; sisters, Josephine Lonchick of Lancaster, Clara Maga of McDonald and Frances Aloe of Pittsburgh; 14 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are a grandson, Andrew Trolley; and brothers, Karl, Victor, Joseph and John Poznak.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday and noon to 8 p.m. Sunday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 106 St. John Street, Midway, 724-796-3301. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Monday, January 5, in St. Alphonsus R.C. Church, McDonald. Interment will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township, with full military honors.

Please sign a guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Theodore Poznak

November 20, 1925-December 30, 2014

Irene Pradetto

Member of Our Lady of
Lourdes Church

Irene Pradetto, 67, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, June 17, 1997, at home.

She was born February 9, 1930, in Burgettstown, a daughter of John and Anna Gregor Pescho.

Mrs. Pradetto was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church of Burgettstown.

On July 12, 1948, in New Cumberland, W. Va., she married Louis Pradetto, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Cathy Dalfol of Burgettstown; a son, Ron Pradetto of Jacobsburg, Ohio; two grandsons, Robert Jr. and Jeffrey Dalfol; a brother, Paul Pescho of Willowick, Ohio; four sisters, Pauline Cullari of Slovan, Mary Denny of Weirton, W. Va., Anne Boulson of Steubenville, Ohio, and Dorothy Liptak of Broadway, Ohio.

Deceased are a grandson, Dominic Pradetto; four brothers, Andy, John, Mike and George Pescho; and a sister, Helen Tope.

PRADETTO - Friends of Irene Pradetto of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, June 17, 1997, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Friday, June 20, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment in Grandview Cemetery, Florence. A wake service will be held by Rev. Richard J. Tusky at 8:30 p.m. Thursday in the funeral home.

Irene Pradetto
February 9, 1930-June 17, 1997

Anna F. Prado

Anna Fernandez Prado of Bavington died Sept. 2, 1995, in her home. She was 80.

Born Nov. 28, 1914, in Clarksburg, W.Va., she was the daughter of Alfred and Josephine Fernandez Garcia.

She operated Prado Service and Grocery Store in Bavington until it closed when she retired.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph M. Prado, who died May 18, 1995; a son, Phillip Prado, who died Oct. 20, 1951; and two brothers, Tony and Joseph Garcia.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Michael (Renee) Hargett of Bavington; a brother, Alfred Fernandez of Moundsville, W.Va.; six sisters, Freda Vasquez and Emily Menendez, both of Mingo Junction, Ohio; Olga Slonaker and Wesa Lancaster, both of Moundsville, W.Va.; Marge Rodriguez of Follansbee, W.Va.; and Blanche Preniczky of Imperial; and three grandchildren, Matthew, Heather and Jessica Hargett.

Services were held in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, Burgettstown, Sept. 6 with the Rev. David Dobi officiating.

Anna F. Prado
November 28, 1914-September 2, 1995

Caeser Prado

Former owner of Kitty's Service Center

Caeser Prado, 90, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, September 17, 2002, in Tandem Health Center, Canonsburg.

He was born September 8, 1912, in Cherry Vale, Kan., a son of Armando and Flora Suarez Prado.

Mr. Prado was a partner with his wife in Kitty's Service Center, Burgettstown, prior to retirement.

His wife, Anita Menendez Prado, survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Ronald of Myrtle Beach, S.C., Arthur of Gibsonia and Jerry of McMurray; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Deceased are four brothers and a sister.

PRADO - Friends of Caesar Prado of Burgettstown, who died Tuesday, September 17, 2002, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 19. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Burgettstown. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Alzheimer Center of Pittsburgh, 5168 Campbell's Run Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15205.

CORRECTION

IN THE OBITUARY of Caesar Prado, published Wednesday, misspelled was his first name.

Caesar Prado
September 8, 1912-September 17, 2002

Joseph M. Prado

Joseph M. Prado, 85, of Bavington, died Thursday, May 18, 1995, in his home.

He was born March 24, 1910, in Kansas, a son of Armando and Flora Suarez Prado.

Mr. Prado was a retired chemist, having worked for Barium Chemical Company and American Vitro Company.

He was married to Ann Fernandez Prado, who survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Michael (Renee) Hargett of Bavington; three grandchildren, Matthew, Heather and Jessica Hargett; and two brothers, Floyd Prado of McKees Rocks and Ceasar Prado of Langeloth.

A son, Phillip, is deceased.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. with the Rev. David Dobi officiating. Burial was in Grandview Cemetery.

Joseph M. Prado
March 24, 1910-May 18, 1995

ALPHONSO PRATA

Alphonso Prata, 78, of Bulger, died at his home Monday at 8 a.m., after an illness of several months.

Born June 24, 1863, he had been a resident of Bulger for 35 years. His wife died 17 months ago.

Surviving are two sons, Mayo and William; one daughter, Mrs. Guido Fratini, 19 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Fratini in Bulger with

Pollock of the Midway Methodist Episcopal Church in charge. Burial was in Midway Cemetery.

Alphonso Prata
June 24, 1863-June 23, 1941

Injury Fatal To Bulger Youth

Union High Gridder Dies

After two weeks of unconsciousness at the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, William Francis Prata, 16, of Bulger, died Friday, September 26, 1969, of head injuries sustained in a football game September 12 at Waynesburg.

A senior and starting tailback for the Union High School team, Prata had been in critical condition at the Mercy Hospital and in a coma since being taken from the Waynesburg field in the second quarter of play. He had undergone brain surgery twice.

Prata was born October 22, 1952, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Prata, Jr., of Bulger. He was a member of the Center United Presbyterian Church, Midway.

Prata was a versatile athlete at Union High, earning letters in three sports. He earned varsity letters in both football and baseball the past two years, and lettered in basketball his sophomore year.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are one sister, Leslie, and two brothers, James and David, all at home; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Gratchen, of Joffre, and his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Prata, Sr., of Bulger.

Friends were received in the Freville Funeral Home, Midway. Services were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Center United Presbyterian Church, conducted by Rev. Robert Veydt. Burial was in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.



BILL PRATA

**Bill Prata-Injury Fatal to Bulger Youth-Union High Gridder Dies
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Courtesy of For Vance Historical Society

Elizabeth Pratt

West Virginia homemaker

Elizabeth Pratt, 86, of New Cumberland, W.Va., died Monday, March 27, 2006, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born October 19, 1919, in Eldersville, a daughter of John and Sophie Petrina Wargo.

Mrs. Pratt was a homemaker and a member of New Cumberland Christian Church.

Her husband William J. Pratt, died July 13, 1976.

Surviving are her sons, Harold Richard Pratt and wife Jean of Weirton and James W. Pratt and wife Vaneta of New Cumberland; grandchildren, Richard Pratt, Susan Fletcher, Adam Pratt, Andrew Pratt and Angela Pratt; great-granddaughter Abbey Pratt; and great-grandson James Marshall Fletcher.

Deceased are brothers and sisters John, Andrew, Mike, George, Paul, Steve, Adam, Sophia, Mary, Kathryn and Helen.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Greco-Hertnick Funeral Home, 3219 Main Street, Weirton, where services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 30, with Minister Rick Tinsky presiding. Interment will be in St. John Cemetery, Colliers, W.Va. Share tributes with her family at www.grecohertnick.com.

Elizabeth Pratt

October 19, 1919-March 27, 2006

Laura Pratt

Burgettstown resident

Laura Pratt, 45, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, September 29, 2015.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 6 p.m. Saturday, October 3, in Nation Funeral Home Inc., McDonald, where services will be held at 5 p.m.

Laura Pratt
Died-September 29, 2015

Margaret Jane Preaux

1929 - 2016

Margaret Jane Preaux, 87, of Cecil, died Monday, October 31, 2016 in Concordia Hospice of Washington.

She was born August 18, 1929, in Avella, a daughter of the late Victor and Margaret Constance Broutin.

She worked as a cashier for Pittsburgh Parking Authority and was a homemaker.

Surviving are four sons, George Preaux of Washington, Gerald (Linda) Preaux of Cecil, Wayne Preaux of Washington and Mark Preaux of Cecil; 8 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Deceased are her husband, George Preaux in 1997; a brother, Victor

Broutin; and a sister, Dorothy Biondi.

At the wishes of the deceased, there will be no visitation and burial in Venice Cemetery will be at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements are entrusted to Coleman-Taylor Funeral Services, Cecil.

Visit at www.coleman-taylorfuneralservices.com.

Margaret Jane Broutin Preaux
March 2, 1956-May 19, 2017

Betty Ruth Prebeg

Retired secretary for
magistrate in Burgettstown

Betty Ruth Prebeg, 67, of
McDonald, died Tuesday,
January 29, 2002, in Canonsburg
General Hospital.

She was born June 5, 1934, a
daughter of Jennie Dye Chiff and
the late Willis Chiff.

Mrs. Prebeg was a secretary in
the magistrate's office in
Burgettstown for 25 years, prior
to her retirement in 1996.

She was a member of St.
Alphonsus Roman Catholic
Church in McDonald.

Surviving are her husband,
John F. Prebeg Sr.; three sons,
John F. "Pudgy" Prebeg Jr. of
Bulger, Jeffrey Prebeg of
McDonald and Daniel Prebeg of
Weirton, W. Va.; a daughter, Jana
Barney of Eighty Four; five
grandchildren, John III, Eric,
Jeffrey Jr. and Kyle Prebeg and
Shawn Barney; four brothers,
Paul Richard Chiff of McDonald,
Gary Chiff of the state of
California, Raymond Chiff of
Bulger and Willis Chiff of
Primrose; and several nieces and
nephews.

Deceased is a sister, Janet
Stankowski.

PREBEG - Friends of Betty Ruth Prebeg of
McDonald, who died Tuesday, January 29,
2002, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m.
Thursday and 2 to 9 p.m. Friday in Thomas-
Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lin-
coln Avenue, McDonald, where a blessing
service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday,
February 2, with the Rev. John Harvey, pas-
tor of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic
Church, McDonald, officiating. Interment
will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Ceme-
tery, Burgettstown.

Betty Ruth Prebeg
June 5, 1934-January 29, 2002

John F. Prebeg Sr.

U.S. Army veteran



John F. Prebeg Sr., 88, of McDonald, Cecil Township, died Thursday, March 23, 2017, in

his home.

He was born August 24, 1928, in Bulger, a son of the late Slavko and Mary Shearson Prebeg.

Mr. Prebeg was a member of St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church and Slovan Veterans of Foreign Wars and was a retired brick layer at Union Electric Steel. He was a Korean War U.S. Army veteran and enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping at Cameron/Elk County and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his children, John F. "Pudgy" (Deanna Schmac) Prebeg Jr. of Bulger, Jeffrey (Kim) Prebeg of McDonald, Daniel Prebeg of Mingo and Jana Barney of McDonald; grandchildren John Prebeg III, Eric Prebeg, Jeffrey Prebeg Jr., Kyle Prebeg and Shawn Barney; great-grandchildren Owen John Prebeg and Chloe Ann Platek; and sister Margaret Puchany.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Ruth Chiff Prebeg; infant son, Cory A. Prebeg; brother Michael Prebeg; and sisters Helen Navoski and Marie Schons.

Friends will be received 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in the Thomas-Little Funeral Service, Inc., 314 W. Lincoln Avenue, McDonald (724-926-2800) where a blessing service will be held 10 a.m. Monday, March 27.

Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery.

Sign a guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

John F. Prebeg Sr.
August 24, 1928-March 23, 2017

Norma M. Pressler

Norma Marie "Peg" Pressler of Washington died Sept. 22, 1997, in Humbert Lane Health Care Center. She was 72.

Born Jan. 6, 1925, she was the daughter of Roy A. and Ethel Penberthy Cochran of Oakdale.

She was a homemaker who enjoyed card club and playing cards. She also enjoyed bowling and was a member of the Route 19 Bowling League and the Tan-O-Bell Lanes in Bentleyville.

She was Protestant.

In 1950, she married Albert "Bud" Pressler, who survives.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Eugene Cochran.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Connie VonScio of Washington; a son, Willard Hertley of Washington; and two grandsons, Kevin and Keith VonScio.

At the request of the deceased, there was no visitation. A service was held Sept. 27 in the William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., Washington, the Rev. Floyd Marasco officiating.

Memorial gifts may be contributed in the name of the deceased to the Diabetes Association or the American Cancer Society.

Norma Marie (Peg) Pressler
January 6, 1925-September 22, 1997

Grace R. Preston

Church of the Nazarene member

Grace R. Preston, 68, of Burgettstown, died Tuesday, February 8, 2005, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born July 21, 1936, in Atlasburg, a daughter of Robert D. and Sara B. McClemens Preston.

Miss Preston was a member of Atlasburg Church of the Nazarene, where she taught Sunday school. She was a department consultant for 5 & 10 and Open Pantry and a graduate of Union High School, Burgettstown.

Surviving are four siblings, John T. Preston of West Virginia, Mary Martha Chaluapa of Aliquippa, Margaret L. Weber of Clinton and Leroy Preston of Langeloth; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased are three siblings, Frank C. Preston, Sara Jean Haggerty Preston and Robert D. Preston.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, February 11, with the Rev. Douglas Keith officiating. Interment will be held in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

Grace R. Preston
July 21, 1936-February 8, 2005

Jeffrey Michael Preston

*Langeloth man was Carter
Woodcraft employee*

Jeffrey Michael Preston, 51, of Langeloth, passed away unexpectedly Sunday, June 28, 2015, in his home.

He was born May 26, 1964, a son of the late Robert D. Preston Jr. and Thelma R. Bennett Preston.

Mr. Preston was a graduate of Burgettstown High School.

He served in the U.S. Army National Guard.

For more than 25 years, Mr. Preston worked for Carter Woodcraft in Atlasburg.

He enjoyed playing cards, shooting pool, bocce, hook and hunting and fishing.

His wife, Tammy J. Pant Preston, died July 26, 2010.

Surviving are two children, Kaitlyn Ione Preston and Jeffrey Michael Preston Jr.; three brothers, Robert D. Preston III, Mark C. Preston and Troy D. Preston, all of Langeloth; a sister, Marci DePaul of Weirton, W.Va.; his companion, Tracy Taggart; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents and wife, is a brother, Gregory A. Preston.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, July 2. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Memorial donations may be made in Mr. Preston's memory to his family.

Jeffrey Michael Preston
May 26, 1964-June 28, 2015

Leroy E. Preston Jr.

1970 - 2018



Leroy E. Preston Jr., 48, of Weirton, W.Va., formerly of Langeloth,

passed away unexpectedly of natural causes Monday, December 10, 2018, in his home.

He was born November 28, 1970, a son of Leroy E. Preston Sr. and Alice Noga Preston of Langeloth.

A 1990 graduate of Burgettstown High School, he also completed training in mechanics and auto body at Western Area Career and Technology Center and worked for Carter Lumber in Atlasburg for 25 years. Most recently, he was employed as a security guard by Kellington Protection Services.

An avid outdoorsman, he enjoyed hunting and fishing, as well as using his carpentry and woodworking skills to build houses. He also enjoyed working on cars and motorcycles.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are his wife, Michelle Farrell Preston; stepchildren Natasha Decker and Zachary Capps; two sisters, Michelle Morgan and husband Bradley of Santa Barbara, Calif., and Debbie Bender and husband Mike of Langeloth; brother Michael Preston of Cherry Valley; his father and mother-in-law Lloyd and Betty Leasure; and several adored nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 15. Interment will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Due to Leroy's love of animals, especially his dogs, memorial donations may be made to his family to be directed to local animal shelters.

Leroy E. Preston Jr.
November 28, 1970-December 10, 2018

Robert D. Preston Jr.

Robert D. Preston Jr., 56, of Langeloth, died Friday, Feb. 17, 1995, in his home.

He was born April 6, 1938, in Cherry Valley, a son of the late Robert D. Sr. and Sarah McClements Preston.

Mr. Preston retired as an ore bridge operator from J & L Steel Company of Aliquippa.

Surviving are his wife, Thelma R. Bennett Preston; five sons, Robert D. Preston III, Mark Preston, Jeffrey Preston, Gregory Preston and Troy Preston, all of Langeloth; a daughter, Marci Lynn Preston, at home; 10 grandchildren; two brothers, John Preston of Florence and LeRoy Preston of Langeloth; and three sisters, Grace Preston of Burgettstown, Mrs. John (Margaret) Weber of Clinton and Mrs. Robert (Martha) Chalupa of Aliquippa.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are a brother, Frank Charles Preston, and a sister, Mrs. Russell (Sarah Jean) Haggerty.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, where services were held Monday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Tracy Ogden Johnson officiating. Interment was in Grandview Cemetery, Florence.

Robert D. Preston Jr.
April 6, 1938-February 17, 1995

Frank A. Presutti

Frank Anthony Presutti of Slovan died Jan. 4, 1998, in the Greenery Nursing Center, Canonsburg. He was 51.

Born Dec. 7, 1946, in Steubenville, Ohio, he was the son of Margaret Hudson Presutti of Weirton, W.Va., and the late Frank A. Presutti.

He was employed by P&G Chevrolet-Oldsmobile in Slovan.

He was a U.S. Army Reserve veteran during the Vietnam War.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by two brothers, Robert and Joseph Presutti, both of Burgettstown.

Friends were received Jan. 5 and 6 in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Services were held Jan. 7 in the funeral home. Interment was in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Paris.

Frank A. Presutti
December 7, 1946-January 4, 1998

Katherine Marie Presutti

1932-2017



Katherine Marie Presutti, 84, of Burgettstown, passed away Friday morning, March 17, 2017, in

Donnell House, Washington.

She was born August 23, 1932, a daughter of the late Angelo and Antonetta Tonetti Vettorel.

Mrs. Presutti was a 1951 graduate of West Allegheny High School. Throughout her life, she had a number of interesting careers.

She loved watching the Pittsburgh Steelers and working in her garden and was very talented at crocheting. She loved her dog, Misty.

On April 12, 1958, in St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church, Noblestown, she married Anthony, her husband of 58 years, who survives.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are a daughter, Kathy Wilson (Randy) of Fredricksburg, Va.; a son, Marc Presutti (Lisa Wuycheck) of Presto; five grandchildren, Valentino, Brenna

and Talia Presutti and James and Brianna Wilson; a brother, Emile Vettorel of Oakdale; two sisters, Edith Vannelli Muggar of Sturgeon and Evelyn Horkey of Warren, Ohio; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to her parents, are two brothers, Angelo and John Vettorel, and three sisters, Angelina Vettorel, Flora Uzlik and Orelia Muggar.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 21, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, with the Rev. George Moneck and the Rev. Bob Staszewski as co-celebrants. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

If so desired, memorial donations may be made in Mrs. Presutti's memory to Donnell House, 10 Leet Street, Washington, PA 15301.

Kathleen Marie Presutti

August 23, 1932-March 17, 2017

Robert L. Presutti

**U.S. Army veteran was
Weirton Steel retiree**

Robert L. Presutti, 55 of Burgettstown, died Sunday, August 31, 2003, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

He was born August 25, 1948, in Steubenville, Ohio, a son of the late Frank A. Sr. and Margaret Hutson Presutti.

Mr. Presutti was retired from Weirton Steel.

He was a U.S. Army veteran, serving during the Vietnam War.

He was a member of American Legion of Weirton, Polish Club of Slovan and Veterans of Foreign Wars in Burgettstown.

He made his home with Nancy Sabatasse.

Surviving are a brother, Joseph Presutti of Burgettstown; two sons, Jason and Josh Presutti, both of Burgettstown; and a daughter, Karrie Presutti of Burgettstown.

Deceased is a brother, Frank A. Presutti Jr.

PRESUTTI - Friends of Robert L. Presutti of Burgettstown, who died Sunday, August 31, 2003, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown, where a blessing service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, September 3, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. Interment will be in Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Paris.

Robert L. Presutti
August 25, 1948-August 31, 2003

Thomas G. Presutti

1939 - 2018



Thomas G. Presutti, 78, of Burgettstown, Hanover Township, passed away unexpectedly

Monday evening, March 19, 2018, in his home.

He was born July 21, 1939, a son of the late Dominic and Eness Iocozzi Presutti.

A graduate of Union High School in Burgettstown, Mr. Presutti retired from Weirton Steel, where he worked in the blast furnace.

He enjoyed golf, especially at Ponderosa Golf Course.

Surviving are his two children, Shaun T. Presutti of Kennedy Township and Sherry L. Presutti, with whom he made his home; two beloved grandchildren, Dante and Bella Presutti; former wife, Joan Spears Presutti of Weirton, W.Va.; two brothers, Anthony Presutti and Sam Presutti, both of Burgettstown; a sister, Nancy Presutti of Springfield, Va.; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are five sisters, Betty Meholic, Delores Pollard, Joanne Granger, Rita Presutti and Gloria Cooke, and a brother, Frank Presutti.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, PA 15021, where a blessing service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 23, with the Rev. George Moneck officiating. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Thomas G. Presutti
July 21, 1939-March 19, 2018

NICK PREVOL

Nick Prevol, of Avella, died Wednesday, October 23, 1963, at 9:45 a.m.

He was born February 4, 1887, in Russia. He came to the United States in 1912 and lived in the Avella area 30 years. He was a member of U.M.W.A. local No. 9239, Canonsburg.

There are no known survivors.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held Friday, October 25, at 2 p.m. by Rev. David Wallace, of the Grove U. P. church, West Middletown. Burial was in West Point Cemetery, Avella.

Nick Prevol
February 4, 1887-October 23, 1963

ALEXANDER PREVOST

Alexander Prevost, of Primrose died Sunday, Oct. 1, 1950, at 2:45 p. m., in his home following a lingering illness.

He was born in France Feb. 6, 1874, and had been a resident of the Primrose district for the past 51 years.

Mr. Prevost was united in marriage with Annie Worstell, in 1899, who survives.

He was a son of the late Desire and Fedeline Freville Prevost.

Mr. Prevost was a retired coal miner. He was a member of Center United Presbyterian Church, Midway.

Besides his wife he leaves the following sons and daughters: Desire, of Butler; Merle and Ronald, of McDonald, R. D. 3; Olive, wife of Warren Piazza, of McDonald, and 14 grandchildren and a brother, Harry, of Ambridge.

Funeral services were held in Center United Presbyterian church, Midway Wednesday, Oct. 4 at 2 p.m. in charge of Rev. W.D. Mercer. Burial was in Center Cemetery, Midway.

Alexander Prevost
February 6, 1874-October 1, 1950

David A. Prevost

Loved working on cars



David A. Prevost, 54, of Scenery Hill, formerly of Avella, passed away Saturday, November 12, 2016, in UPMC-Shadyside hospital, Pittsburgh.

He was born April 4, 1962, in Avella, a son of the late George A. and Dorothy Marie Ward Prevost.

Mr. Prevost attended Avella High School.

He worked as a parts salesman for Woltz and Wind Ford Dealership of Heidelberg for 13 years, before moving to Indianapolis, Ind., where he lived for seven years and became a member of United Steelworkers Union.

Mr. Prevost moved back to the area in 2007 and was working at TA Robinson of Bridgeton as a heavy equipment mechanic and was recently promoted to shop supervisor.

He was a member of Avella Volunteer Fire Department since the 1980s, a past member of Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society, and a social member of American Legion Post 643 and Avella Sportsmen's Club, all of Avella.

Mr. Prevost loved working on cars and was his happiest

when he was laying in the dirt under a car. He enjoyed spending time with his family and watching NASCAR.

On March 30, 2001, he married Kathy Wicker, who survives.

Also surviving are a son, David A. Prevost II of Brooklyn, N.Y.; a daughter, Bethany R. Prevost of Holyoke, Mass.; two stepsons, James T. Wratten Jr. of Verona and Eugene L. Wratten of Indianapolis; four brothers, Harry (Mary) Prevost of Burgettstown, George Prevost of Avella, Robert (Sherry) Prevost of Attica, Kan., and Lewis Prevost of Washington; two sisters, Sandra Shekerko of Cross Creek Township and Georgene (Don) Czap of Kountze, Texas; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends and family will be received from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday in Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., 18 Campbell Street, Avella, PA 15312, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, November 16. Burial will be private.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society.

Condolences may be expressed at www.stefkovichfuneralhome.com.

David A. Prevost

April 4, 1962-November 12, 2016

Rosie Prevost

Rosie K. Prevost of Avella died June 27, 1996, in her home. She was 83.

Born Nov. 3, 1912, in Fairfield County, Ohio, she was the daughter of Phillip and Mary Nance.

She was married in 1927 to Albert Prevost, who died March 14, 1972.

She lived most of her life in Avella.

She was preceded in death by two daughters, Marceline Hopkins and Mary Barbara Prevost; three sons, Albert, Tommy and a son who died in infancy; six sisters, Josephine Nance, Mary Snyder, Ada Patterson, Dorothy Kelper, Laura Bishop and Bertha Nance; and five brothers, Sam, Joe, Pearl, Phillip and Charlie Nance.

She is survived by five daughters, Wanda Powers, Gertrude Reed, Anna Grennell, Betty Gordon and Linda Pierson, all of Avella; two sons, Phillip Prevost of Graysville and Charles Prevost of Avella; 44 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

Friends were received June 28 in the Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella. Services were held June 29 in the funeral home, the Rev. John E. Adams officiating. Burial was in West Point Cemetery, Avella.

Memorial contributions may be made in the name of the deceased to the Avella Volunteer Fire Department.

Rosie Prevost
November 3, 1912-June 27, 1996

Violet M. Prevost

Violet M. Prevost, 68, of Hookstown, died Friday, February 16, 2001, in her home.

She was born August 12, 1932, in Florence, a daughter of William H. and Dora Blanche Star Wilkins.

Her husband, John T. Swiridow, died in 1967.

Surviving are two daughters, Ann Marie Brown and Rose Marie Lyons, both of Burgettstown; eight grandchildren, Ronald E. Brown Jr., Paula M. Swiridow, Melissa A. Brown, Violet M. Swiridow, Marie Porto, Bobbie Tustin, Joey Tustin and Christopher Tustin; 12 great-grandchildren; a sister, Ada Mae Brown of Hookstown; and one brother, Ralph E. Wilkins of McDonald.

Deceased are two children, Rebecca Ann Swiridow and Jonathan Lewis Swiridow; and 19 brothers and sisters.

She had made her home with Richard W. Spaulding.

PREVOST - Friends of Violet M. Prevost of Hookstown, who died Friday, February 16, 2001, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, February 19, with the Rev. Mason Johnson officiating. Interment will be held in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Violet M. Prevost
August 12, 1932-February 26, 2001

MRS. ANNA PRIBISH

Mrs. Anna Pribish, 63, wife of John Pribish, Sr., of Avella, died at 12:48 p. m., Monday October 15, 1956, in Washington Hospital. She had been in failing health for the past two years.

Born July 15, 1893, in Austria, she came to the United States in 1912 and had resided in Avella for the past 28 years. She was a member of St. John's the Baptist Greek Catholic Church in Avella.

Surviving are her husband, four sons, John, Jr., Joseph, Steve and Michael, all of Avella; three daughters, Anna, wife of Henry Sarnicke, of Atlasburg; Mary, wife of Edward Kakina, of Coraopolis;; and Susan, wife of John Orencheck, of Avella; and six grandchildren.

Friends called at the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, Tuesday, October 16, 1956, after 4 p.m.

Anna Pribish
July 15, 1893-October 15, 1956

EMMA PRIBISH

Emma Pribish, 70, of Avella, R. D. 1, died on Wednesday, November 15, 1978, at 2:15 p.m. in her home.

She was born in Van Voorhis March 6, 1908, a daughter of the late Angelo Valdiserri and Laudomina Valdiserri, who survives.

Surviving are her mother, Laudomina Valdiserri, Horning Road, Pittsburgh; two sons, Joseph Michael Pribish, Uniontown, and Eugene Levi, Oakdale; two daughters, Mrs. Cleo Polium, Philadelphia, and Mrs. Gloria Tavoletti, Pittsburgh; one brother, Silas Valdiserri, Library; one sister, Lillian Morelli, Carnegie; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held Saturday at 11 a.m.

Emma Pribish
March 6, 1908-November 15, 1978

JOHN PRIBISH, SR.

John Pribish, Sr., 80, of Avella, died unexpectedly in the Washington hospital Thursday, November 4, 1965, at 10:45 a.m.

He was born December 8, 1884 and had lived in the United States for 60 years. He resided in Avella the past 38 years.

Mr. Pribish was a member of the United Mine Workers of America.

His wife, Anna Bokish Pribish, died October 15, 1956.

Surviving are four sons, John, Jr., Joseph, Steve and Michael, all of Avella; three daughters, Anna, wife of Henry Sarnicke, of Atlasburg; Mary, wife of Edward Yakima, of Coraopolis; and Susan, wife of John Rencheck, of Avella; ten grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

A sister is deceased.

Friends were received in the Thompson Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held Saturday, November 6, at 2 p.m., Rev. Paul Bovankovich, pastor of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Avella, officiating. Burial was in Independence Cemetery.

John Pribish Sr.
December 8, 1884-November 4, 1965

Michael Pribish

Michael Pribish, 70, of Avella, died at 6:30 a.m. Sunday, March 27, 1994, in Washington County Health Center.

Born Oct. 9, 1923, in Dixonville, he was a son of John and Anna Bokosh Pribish.

He was employed as a construction worker for 30 years for White Construction Co. of Weirton, W.Va., and Murphy Construction Co. of Follansbee, W.Va., retiring in 1986.

Mr. Pribish lived in Wellsburg, W.Va., and the Avella area all his life. He was a member of Brooke Hills Free Methodist Church and American Legion Bert C. Siders Post 643 of Avella.

Surviving are a brother, Steve Pribish of Avella; two sisters, Mary Yakima of Coraopolis and Sue Pribish Ograyensek of Avella; five nieces; and five nephews.

Deceased are two sisters, Catherine Pribish and Anne Sarnicke, and two brothers, John and Joseph Pribish.

Friends were received in the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella, where services were held Tuesday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. John Kelley, pastor of Brooke Hills Free Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Independence Cemetery.

Michael Pribish
October 9, 1923-March 27, 1994

Steve Pribish

WWII veteran

Steve Pribish, 93, of Avella, passed away Thursday, April 16, 2015, in his home.

He was born October 9, 1921, in the state of Indiana, a son of the late John and Anna Bokosh Pribish.

Mr. Pribish was a veteran of World War II, where he served in Normandy, Northern France, Baltic Rhineland, Ardennes and Central Europe under the command of Gen. Purshing.

In his younger days, he enjoyed hunting, trapping and fishing.

He worked as a farmhand, coal miner and carpenter. He was employed by Hunts Contracting, finishing up his career at Wheeling Pitt Coke plant, where he retired some 30 years ago, with more than 30 years of service.

In 1947, he married the late Cora Duke, inheriting three daughters, Irma Huntick of Hobart, Ind., Kathleen Brozstek of Wellsburg, W.Va., and Bertha Hunt of Avella, where he made his home.

Mr. Pribish will be greatly missed by a grandson, Wm. Curtis (Sue) Hunt of Wellsburg; a great-granddaughter, Kristen (Keith) Scott; and two great-granddaughters, Karmalia and Gianna Scott of New Cumberland. Also surviving is a sister, Mary Yakima of Coraopolis.

Deceased, in addition to his parents and wife, are three sisters, Anna Sarnicke, Susan Ograyensek and Katherine Pribish; three brothers, John, Joe and Mike Pribish; two sons-in-law, Joe Hutnick and John Brozstek; a grandson, John David Brozstek; and great-grandsons Thomas Roberts and Dan McAllester, and two twin great-grandsons that were stillborn.

He will be missed by many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

At the family's request, services were held privately at Reasner Funeral Home, 1515 Charles Street, Wellsburg. Private interment was held at Independence Cemetery, with full military graveside rites by Avella American Legion Post 643.

Condolences may be made at www.ReasnerOfWellsburg.com

Steve Pribish

October 9, 1921-April 16, 2015

Carl L. Price

· WWII veteran
from Burgettstown

Carl L. Price, 69, of Burgettstown, died Friday, November 27, 1998, in Veterans Administration Hospital, Oakland Division, Pittsburgh.

He was born January 1, 1929, in Slovan, a son of Albert and Margaret Webster Price.

Mr. Price served with the U.S. Army during World War II.

Surviving are a brother, William Price of Burgettstown; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are four brothers, Clarence, Howard, Cassius and Albert; and three sisters, Dorothy and Margaret Price and Irene Williams.

PRICE Friends of Carl L. Price of Burgettstown, who died Friday, November 27, 1998, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, December 1. Interment in Fairview Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Carl L. Price
January 1, 1929-November 27, 1998

MARGARET A. PRICE

Margaret A. Price, 46, of Monroe Street, Aliquippa, died Saturday, April 29, 1978, in the Aliquippa Hospital.

She was born May 7, 1931, in Burgettstown, a daughter of Albert and Margaret Price.

Surviving are five brothers, William, Carl, Howard, Cassius and Albert, Jr., all of Burgettstown; and one sister, Irene Williams, of Burgettstown.

Friends were received in the Hayden Funeral Home, where services were held Wednesday. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

Margaret Price
May 7, 1931-April 30, 1978

REV. PEARL PRICE

The Rev. Pearl Duesenberry Price, 73, of Jamestown, N.Y., formerly of Erie, died Saturday, May 14, 1988, in Jamestown.

She was born March 13, 1915, in Morgantown, W.Va., a daughter of Henry Cefest and Laura Bell Mills Duesenberry.

The Rev. Price resided in the Erie area most of her life, moving to Jamestown in 1967. Her ministry included the care and counseling for people in the community.

Surviving are a brother, Paul Duesenberry of Burgettstown; a sister, Mrs. Gene (Ellen) Davison of Uniontown, Ohio; and several nieces.

Deceased is her husband, John Richard Price.

Friends were received in the Dusckas Funeral Home, Erie, where services were held Thursday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. John Wynkoop and the Rev. Gene Kennett officiating. Interment was in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Mount Morris.

Reverend Pearl Duesenberry Price
March 13, 1915-May 14, 1988

ETHEL ESTHER PINTER

Ethel Esther Pinter, 81, of Slovan, died at her home Saturday, February 17, 1962, at 7:05 a.m.

She was born in Hungary January 1, 1881, and lived in Slovan the past 50 years. She was a member of the Slovan United Presbyterian church.

Surviving are one daughter, Elizabeth, wife of Bruno Thomas, Slovan; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Lee Funeral home where services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, by Rev. Ernest L. Robertson. Interment in Fairview cemetery, Burgettstown.

Ethel Esther Pinter
January 1, 1881-February 17, 1962

HELEN S. PRITCHARD

Helen S. Pritchard of the Humbert Lane Health Care Center, formerly of Bellmead, Washington, died at 8:40 a.m. Monday, Dec. 28, 1987, at Humbert Lane following a long illness.

She was born at Ninevah in Greene County, a daughter of the late Wray M. and Edna Myrtle Barker Salsbury.

Until her retirement in 1968, she had been employed at the George Washington Hotel in Washington as a salad maker.

She was a member of the Grace Brethren Church.

On July 4, 1939, she married James I. Pritchard, who died Nov. 23, 1968.

Surviving are a stepson, James I. Pritchard, Jr., of Chandler, Ariz.; two brothers, William Fisher of Washington and James Fisher of Avella; two sisters, Mrs. Warren (Geogia) Zimmerman and Mrs. Frank (Laura) Wise, both of Washington; 13 step-grandchildren; and several step-great-grandchildren.

Deceased are one sister, Margaret (Peggy) Strain; one brother, David Fisher; and one step-daughter, Shirley Allen.

Services were private, and burial was in the Upper Buffalo Cemetery.

**Helen S. Pritchard
Died- December 28, 1987**

Charles Proctor

Charles "Ed" Proctor formerly of Avella died April 1, 1997, in Florida after a lengthy illness. He was 63.

He served in the U.S. Navy from 1952, until his retirement in 1985.

He was preceded in death by his father, Charles.

He is survived by his wife, Marcelle of Orange Park, Fla.; his mother, Mary Proctor of Franklin Care Center, Waynesburg; and his brother, Frank of Cokeburg.

A military service was held in Florida.

**Charles "Ed" Proctor
Died-April 1, 1997**

MISS DAISY PROCTOR

Miss Daisy Proctor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Proctor, of Ravenna, Ohio, died Friday night, January 20, 1916, at Winter Lake, Florida, where she had gone January 1 for her health. She was about 25 years old. Besides her parents she is survived by two sisters and two brothers. She was a niece of Mrs. Ben Webster, of Burgettstown. The body was taken to her home at Ravenna on Tuesday and funeral services held there.

Daisy Proctor
Died-January 20, 1916

Edith B. Profio

McDonald woman was
retired registered nurse

Edith Bennett Profio, 82, of
McDonald, died Sunday, June 29,
1997, in University of Pittsburgh
Medical Center.

She was born October 1, 1914,
in Alderson, W. Va., a daughter of
Lou and Ida Florence Burns
Bennett.

Mrs. Profio was a retired
registered nurse, and had been
employed at Woodville State
Hospital for more than 20 years.
She had also been employed at
West Penn Hospital, Pittsburgh,
and Canonsburg General
Hospital.

She was a member of St.
Mary's Roman Catholic Church
in Cecil.

Deceased is her husband,
Dominic Profio, who died June
11, 1979.

Surviving are three sons,
David A. Profio of Los Gatos,
Calif., Dominic Profio Jr. of
Houston, and Charles A. Profio of
McDonald; one sister, Dulcie
Baker of Aldron, W. Va.; five
grandchildren, and six great-
grandchildren.

PROFIO - Friends of Edith Bennett Profio of
McDonald, who died Sunday, June 29,
1997, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7
to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday in Eu-
gene C. Coleman Funeral Home, Route 50,
Cecil. A Mass of Resurrection will be said
at 10 a.m. Thursday, July 3, in St. Mary's
Roman Catholic Church, Cecil, with Mon-
signor Robert P. Garland as celebrant. In-
terment in Robinson Run Cemetery, Mc-
Donald.

Edith B. Profio

October 1, 1914-June 29, 1997

Thelma M. Progar

Thelma M. Progar of Paris died May 27, 1997, at her home. She was 66.

Born Sept. 23, 1930, in Atlasburg, she was the daughter of the late Domenick and Rose Breen Nicola.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown.

She owned and operated Nicola Progar Country Store in Paris, and also was a postmistress in Paris from 1974 to 1991.

On Oct. 24, 1964, she married Anthony J. Progar, who died Aug. 30, 1989.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Rose Dragnett; and two brothers, George and William Nicola.

She is survived by two sons, Anthony J. Jr. and Thomas J., both of Paris; and two sisters, Margaret Ostop of Atlasburg and Helen Zablocki of Langeloth.

Friends were received May 28 and 29 in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial was held May 30 in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. A wake service was held May 29 in the funeral home. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Thelma M Progar
September 23, 1930-May 27, 1997

Justin David Prokop

2011 Burgettstown High School graduate



Justin David Prokop, 23, of Burgettstown, died Monday, January 18, 2016, from injuries sustained in an accident in Las Vegas, Nev.

He was born October 17, 1992, in Pittsburgh, a loving son of Daniel and Lori Grzeczka Prokop of Burgettstown.

Mr. Prokop was a 2011 graduate of Burgettstown High School. He was attending California University of Pennsylvania and majoring in criminal justice. During his high school years, he was a member of Burgettstown High School track team and holds the record in the triple jump.

He had a smile that would light up a room and always put everyone before himself. He had a wonderful sense of humor and appreciated the little things in life. He truly loved his siblings and was a great brother.

Mr. Prokop lived life to the fullest. He enjoyed riding dirt bikes and listening to music, knowing the words to each and every song.

He was a light to others and will be missed by many. His family is comforted knowing

that he is now with his pap, Joseph Grzeczka, whom he loved so much.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are a sister, Danielle; a brother, Dylan; his maternal grandmother, Barbara Grzeczka of Peters Township; his paternal grandparents, John and Ann Prokop of North Huntingdon; Aunt Barbara and Uncle Charles Kalanish and cousins Ryan and Devin of Wexford; Uncle Joseph and Aunt Debra Grzeczka and cousins Corey and Shila of Sacramento, Calif.; Uncle Stephen and Aunt Sherri Prokop of Port Vue; Uncle Michael and Aunt Debra Prokop and cousins Michael, Lisa and Ryan of Elizabeth; Uncle John and Aunt Sue Prokop of Pittsburgh; Uncle Joseph and Aunt Meg Prokop and cousins Joseph and Matthew of Pittsburgh; and many other cousins and friends.

Family and friends are welcome from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday, January 24, in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A private Mass will be held for immediate family.

To access additional information or leave a condolence, visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Justin David Prokop

October 17, 1992-January 18, 2016

ELIZABETH A. PROUDFIT
Elizabeth A. Proudfit, 92, formerly of Burgettstown, died on Friday, February 23, 1979, in the Presbyterian Home, Washington.

She was born December 9, 1886, in Smith Township, a daughter of Thomas and Margaret Scott Ackleson, and had lived her entire life in the Burgettstown area.

She was a member of the Westminster United Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are two sons, William A., of Shippenville, and Donald A., of Burgettstown; one sister, Jean Smith, of Towanda; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Her husband, William R. Proudfit, died in 1961.

One grandson is also deceased.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral Home. Services were held Monday at 1 p.m. by Dr. Howard Eshbaugh. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Elizabeth A. Proudfit
December 9, 1886-February 23, 1979

Helen Proudfit

Member of Westminster
Presbyterian Church

Helen "Lorraine" Proudfit, 74, of Burgettstown, died Thursday, December 29, 1999, in her home.

She was born April 15, 1925, in Luke, Md., a daughter of William T. and Orpha Hoover Durst.

Mrs. Proudfit was a member of Westminster Presbyterian Church and Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are her husband, Donald A. Proudfit; two daughters, Patricia Younger of Moundsville, W. Va., and Lynne Quader of Burgettstown; and two sisters, Lorna Lee McHaffie of Georgetown and Ila McGeehan of Homeland, Calif.

PROUDFIT - Friends of Helen "Lorraine" Proudfit of Burgettstown, who died Thursday, December 29, 1999, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and noon to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, January 3, with the Rev. Bruce Ballantine officiating. Interment in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

CORRECTION

INCOMPLETE information was provided for the obituary of Helen "Lorraine" Proudfit, published Friday. Mrs. Proudfit was administrator and director of nurses for Washington County Health Center. Surviving are four grandchildren, Haley Quader of Burgettstown, Hilary Zola of Hawaii, and Donald and Katey Younger of Moundsville, W. Va.; and a great-grandchild.

Helen "Lorraine" Proudfit
April 15, 1925-December 29, 1999

TOWN MOURNS DEATH OF ESTEEMED WOMAN

Miss Ida Proudfit Passes Away
Following Apoplexy Stroke
Suffered March 4th

Miss Ida Proudfit, well known and highly esteemed lady of town, passed away in her home on Dinsmore avenue Saturday, May 2nd, at 2:30 a. m., the result of a stroke suffered on March 4th, last. For two or three weeks prior to the time of the stroke she had been slightly indisposed with a cold, but had always been in rugged health and news of her serious illness came as a surprise and shock to the community.

Miss Proudfit was born in Smith township and was 69 years old, although she appeared many years younger. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Proudfit. The father was born in Smith township and the mother in Jefferson township. They were descendants of pioneer settlers of Scotch-Irish ancestry. The father died in 1910 and from that date to the death of the mother in 1916, mother and daughter resided in Burgetts-town, where Miss Proudfit continued to reside up to the time of her death.

Winfield R. Allison, a cousin, and his wife and daughter Dorothy resided with Miss Proudfit. Mrs. Allison died in 1922 and Mr. Allison and daughter continued to make their home with Miss Proudfit.

Miss Proudfit was a graduate of the Washington Seminary. She was very active in religious work and was for several years the teacher of a Mission Sunday School at Francis mine. She was for 14 years the secretary-treasurer of the local First Presbyterian church and was a member of the Friday Club. Four years ago in a fall in her home she suffered a broken ankle which had caused her some inconvenience in walking.

Funeral services were held in the late home Monday afternoon and were largely attended. The Rev. R. E. Carman, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, conducted the services. Burial was in Fairview.

Ida Proudfit
Died-May 2, 1936

Mr. James A. Proudfit, one of Hanover township's oldest citizens, was buried on March 30th. Mr. Proudfit had been sick for the last six weeks, enduring intense suffering. The deceased was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church of this place. As he was one of the boys in blue of '61-'65, his request was to be buried with the honors of war. Word was sent to the G. A. R. Post at Burgettstown, Pa., but owing to the deplorable condition of the roads, word was received that they could not come. As the deceased was well known and beloved by all who knew him, and the walking was still good, many persons came miles to pay their last tribute of respect to a worthy friend.

Zero.

James A. Proudfit
Member of the G.A.R. Post in Burgettstown
November 13, 1831-March 28, 1899

MRS. ANDREW PROUDFIT

Mrs. Mildred Simpson Proudfit, 76, widow of Andrew Proudfit, died at 10:30 p.m., Thursday, June 5, 1947, in her home on Shady avenue, Burgettstown. Her death followed a short illness as the result of a stroke suffered Monday, June 2.

Born at Follansbee, W. Va., Oct. 8, 1870, she spent a greater part of her life there, but had been a resident of Burgettstown the last 30 years. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church, Burgettstown, and of the Women's Bible Class of the church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Mary Lynch, Clendenin, W. Va., and Mrs. Kate Baxter, Follansbee; two brothers, James Simpson, of Power, W. Va., and Granville Simpson, of New Kensington, and one step-son, W. R. Proudfit of Burgettstown.

Friends were received at the James Funeral home, Follansbee, W. Va., where funeral services were held Sunday, June 8, at 2 p. m., in charge of Rev. Jacob C. Ruble and Rev. Carl W. Beckman. Interment was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Mildred Simpson Proudfit
October 8, 1870-June 5, 1947

WILLIAM R. PROUDFIT

William R. Proudfit, 72, of 79 Center avenue, Burgettstown, died at his home Wednesday, July 5, 1961, at 9:55 p.m.

He was born in Smith Township September 22, 1888, a son of Andrew C. and Rowena McBride Proudfit, and spent his entire life in Burgettstown.

Mr. Proudfit was a teacher in area schools for a number of years. At the time of his retirement in 1951, he was principal of Raccoon School. He was a member of the First United Presbyterian church, Burgettstown.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth Ackleson Proudfit; two sons, William, of Whitehall, and Donald, of Burgettstown, and four grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Lee Funeral home, where services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, July 8, in charge of Dr. J. L. Thome. Interment was in Fairview cemetery.

William Proudfit
September 22, 1888-July 5, 1961

Ida M. Provenson

**Member of Westminster
Presbyterian Church**

Ida M. Provenson, 92, of Atlasburg, died Saturday, December 7, 1996, in Weirton (W. Va.) Medical Center.

She was born March 14, 1901, in Helvetia, W. Va., a daughter of George W. and Bertha Tevscher Sutton.

Mrs. Provenson was a member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Burgettstown.

Surviving are one son, Stan Scott of Wintersville, Ohio; a stepdaughter, Geneva Casey of Atlasburg; nine grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren; two brothers, Dave and Ed Sutton, both of Ohio; and two sisters, Maybel Lynn of Wyoming and Elda Lahman of West Virginia.

PROVENSON - Friends of Ida M. Provenson of Atlasburg, who died Saturday, December 7, 1996, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, at the Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held on Wednesday, December 11, with the Rev. David A. Dobi officiating. Interment in Mount Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Ida M. Provenson
March 14, 1901-December 7, 1996

Samuel Provenson

**Was owner of Provenson
Pottery of Atlasburg**

Samuel Provenson, 97, of Atlasburg, died Monday, March 20, 1995, in his home.

He was born September 7, 1897, in Bretz, W. Va., a son of Pasquale and Anna Bruno Provenson.

Mr. Provenson was the owner of Provenson Pottery of Atlasburg, which he operated until his retirement.

Surviving are his wife, Ida Sutton Provenson; a daughter, Geneva Casey of Atlasburg; a stepson, Stan Scott of Wintersville, Ohio; nine grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Victor Provenson of Pittsburgh; and a sister, Helen Siriannai of Akron, Ohio.

Deceased are a son, Pat Provenson; three brothers, James, Robert and Anthony Provenson; a sister, Josephine Bucculo; and two grandchildren.

PROVENSON — Friends of Samuel Provenson of Atlasburg, who died Monday, March 20, 1995, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, where services will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 23, with the Rev. David A. Dobi officiating. Interment in Mt. Prospect Cemetery, Hickory.

Samuel Provenson
September 7, 1897-March 29, 1995

Eugene L. Povero

*Burgettstown man was
car dealer, real estate developer*



Eugene L. (Gene) Povero, 76, of Burgettstown, died Thursday, July 15, 2004, in Washington Hospital, Washington.

He was born May 27, 1928, in Burgettstown, a son of Peter and Angelina Martin Povero.

After graduating from Union High School, Mr. Povero began selling Fords in Burgettstown. In 1955, he started Povero Buick in McDonald, now Oliverio Buick. He was a real estate developer with numerous properties throughout Western Pennsylvania and Florida.

He was a parishioner of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown and a member of Burgettstown Knights of Columbus Council 3440 and Bishop Hugh C. Boyle Assembly 0922 of Canonsburg.

Mr. Povero was on the board of directors of First Commonwealth Bank in Indiana and was a member of many social, political and community organizations.

His wife, Margaret Lucille Griffith Povero, died July 8, 1953.

Surviving are a daughter, Mary Jean Povero-Evans of Imperial; and a niece, Linda Stiffler of Washington.

POVERO - Friends of Eugene L. (Gene) Povero of Burgettstown, who died Thursday, July 15, 2004, will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Lee & Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, July 19, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Robert Connolly, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will be private for the immediate family. Knights of Columbus Council will hold rosary services at 7 p.m. Sunday in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to OLOL Angel Fund (Tuition Assistance), 1109 Main Street, Burgettstown, PA 15021.

Eugene L. Povero
May 27, 1928-July 15, 2004

OBITUARY

MRS. LUCILLE POVERO

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Lucille Povero, 23, who died in Washington hospital at 7:45 a.m. July 8, were held at 10 a.m., Saturday, July 11, at a requiem mass from Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic church in charge of Father Michael Conroy of McDonald. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Surviving besides her husband, Eugene and one daughter Mary Jean of Dinsmore ave., are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Griffith of Langeloth and the following brothers and sisters: William, Shirl and Betty, Langeloth and Mrs. George Moldavan of Monaca.

Lucille Povero
Died-July 8, 1953

Peter Povero

Peter Povero, aged 47 years, merchant, of Maple avenue, died in Mercy Hospital, Pittsburgh, at 8:40 o'clock Sunday morning after a brief illness. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church Tuesday afternoon. Interment was in Fairview cemetery. He leaves his widow, two children and one brother, He Povero of Burgettstown.

Peter Provero
Merchant
Died-March 12, 1933

THOMAS PROWITT

Thomas Bernard Prowitt, Jr., 23, of 45 1/2 South Street, Washington, died at 10:30 p.m. Friday, July 23, 1976.

He was born April 7, 1953 in Washington, a son of Thomas Bernard and Glenna Marie Kidwell Prowitt, Sr. He attended the Grace Brethren Church and was employed as a tree surgeon by the Davey Tree Expert Company.

He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the Elks Lodge and the Slovak Club, all of Canonsburg, and had served with the U.S. Army in Germany.

On October 14, 1972, he was married to Irene Charlene Thomas of McDonald R.D. 4, who survives along with the following sons, Thomas W., William Henry and Ralph Raymond, all at home; his mother and father, of Peters Township; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Prowitt, of R.D. 1, Burrettstown; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Florence Kidwell, Canonsburg, and one brother, Lewis Prowitt, Canonsburg.

Friends were received in the William G. Neal Funeral Home, Washington, where services were held Tuesday, July 27, at 11 a.m. with Rev. Shimer E. Darr, officiating. Burial was in Washington Cemetery.

Thomas Bernard Prowitt
April 7, 1953-July 23, 1976

Andrea Pruce

*Faithful parishioner of
St. Patrick Church*



Andrea
"L u L u"
Pruce, 75, of
Canonsburg,
passed away
peacefully
Sunday
morning,

December 16, 2018, in her home.

She was born December 17, 1942, in Canonsburg, a daughter of Michael and Carmella Fusco DelBene, who preceded her in death.

On August 31, 1963, she married Joseph F. Pruce, the love of her life, who passed away February 28, 2017.

Andrea was Catholic and was a faithful parishioner of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Canonsburg.

She was a 1960 graduate of Canon-McMillan High School.

Mrs. Pruce was employed by DeConcilis Eye and Vision Center in Canonsburg for 34 years, where she was the office manager.

From 1994 until 2015, alongside her husband, she managed JP Awards, a business that provided trophies, plaques and other high quality awards to local schools, organizations and businesses.

Lulu was extremely charitable. She also had many interests and hobbies including cooking for her family during all of the holidays, attending her grandchildren's events and helping anyone in need. Previously, she was an avid bowler in several bowling leagues and also enjoyed playing cards with friends. Above all, her joy was her grandchildren and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her sons Scott (Cindy Rotunda Pruce) of Nashua, N.H., and Gary (Linda Bruner Pruce) of Frederick, Md.; two grandsons, Alexander Pruce of Manhattan, N.Y., and Jordan Pruce of Nashua; two granddaughters, Paige Pruce of Vienna, Va., and Jarin Pruce of Fredrick, Md.; brother Michael DelBene (Rosie) of Bethel Park; sisters Constance Dadowski (Gilbert) of Coraopolis and Victoria DelBene of Canonsburg; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday in Salandra Funeral and Cremation Services Inc., Joseph P. Salandra, LFD, owner/supervisor and Darla A. Tripoli, LFD, 304 West Pike Street, Canonsburg, where departing prayers will begin at 9:30 a.m. Saturday, December 29. A Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 10 a.m. in St. Patrick Catholic Church, 3017 West Pike Street, Canonsburg. Interment will be private. Memorial contributions are suggested to Amedisys Hospice of PA, 480 Johnston Road #230, Washington, PA 15301. To view or leave condolences, visit www.salandrafunerals.com.

Andrea "Lulu" Pruce

December 17, 1942-December 16, 2018

Belle Purdy

Miss Belle Purdy died Monday afternoon, June 26th, at the home of her brother, A. J. Purdy, in Imperial. Funeral services were held at the Clinton United Presbyterian church on Thursday afternoon, June 29th, with interment in the Clinton cemetery. Besides Mr. Purdy she leaves another brother, Thomas Purdy of Beaver.

Belle Prudy
Died-June 26, 1933

**Anna Eleanor Brownlee
Prutzman**

*Lifelong member
of Seventh-Day Church*



Anna Eleanor
Brownlee
Prutzman, 104,
of Washington,
died Friday,
June 4, 2010, in
Presbyterian
Senior Care,

Washington, where she was a resident for the past 10 years and was the oldest resident at the time of her death.

She was born January 27, 1906, in Beaver Falls, a daughter of Archie and Ida Perrine Brownlee.

Mrs. Prutzman graduated from Mt. Vernon Academy in Mt. Vernon, Ohio, where she met her husband, William E. Prutzman. They were married November 23, 1925, and was married 71 years until her husband's death in 1997. They lived in Canonsburg and several locations in Washington County and later lived in North Port, Fla., before retiring back to Western Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Prutzman loved farming and gardening. Over the years, she operated dairy farms and a chicken farm. She always had a warm smile and sparkling clear eyes.

She was a lifelong and active member of Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Surviving are three children, Eleanor June Prutzman (Arlin) Owen of Collegedale, Tenn., Harold E. (Jean) Prutzman of Washington and Archie R. (Leona) Prutzman of Lumberton, N.C.; 16 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; 27 great-great-grandchildren; and two great-great-great grandchildren.

Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday in William G. Neal Funeral Homes Ltd., 395 East Maiden Street, Washington, where services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Friday, June 11, with Dr. Robert Williams officiating. Entombment will follow in Washington Cemetery. Additional information and an online guest book are available at www.NealFuneralHome.com.

Anna Eleanor Brownlee Prutzman
January 27, 1906-June 4, 2010

Abram Pry

Abram Pry, in his 80th year, formerly of the Cross Creek district, died at his home in Massillon, O., Wednesday, February 14th. He had lived in the Ohio city for the past 10 years. Mr. Pry was born and reared in the Cross Creek district, moving to Ohio after the oil excitement there. His wife, Lizzie Dimit Pry, survives with two sons, B. K. and Wiley C. Pry; two grandsons, Wiley and Raymond Pry, and one great-grandson, Donald Pry, all of Massillon. Funeral services were held at Massillon Saturday afternoon. Burial was at that place.

Abram Pry
Died-February 14, 1934

BERNARD K. PRY

Mrs. C. W. Farnier, of Avella, received word of the death of her brother-in-law, Bernard K. Pry, 85, of Massillon, Ohio. Mr. Pry died Friday, November 23. He was born in Cross Creek, and lived there for a number of years. He was educated in the Cross Creek schools. He followed the occupation of farming all his life.

Surviving are two sons, Raymond and Wiley, both of Massillon, and three grandchildren. Services were held Monday afternoon, November 26, in Massillon.

Bernard Pry
Died—November 23, 1962

REV. JOHN F. PRY

The Rev. John F. Pry, 85, retired Methodist minister, died at 1:30 o'clock Friday morning, May 28, in the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. M. Sneddon, at Midway. Death was due to infirmities of his age. He was confined to his bed for the last nine months.

The Rev. Mr. Pry was born January 12, 1857, at Cross Creek Village, and was a son of William L. Pry and Catherine Pascal Pry. He attended the Hickory schools.

For 38 years he was affiliated with the Methodist Church, retiring about 10 years ago.

October 4, 1882, he married Margaret Amanda Neil. After her death he married Mary Elliott, on November 27, 1924. She survives, residing at South Heights.

Also surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Frances Jones, of Steubenville, Ohio, Mrs. Katherine McClaren, of Knoxville, and Mrs. Winifred Sneddon of Midway, and five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Two sons, Charles Raymer Pry and Wilfred Lyle Pry are deceased.

Funeral services were held from the Midway Methodist Church, in charge of the pastor, the Rev. C. B. Chapman. Burial was in the Center cemetery.

Rev. John F. Pry
January 12, 1857-May 28, 1942

Dorothy Ann Przenkop

Dorothy Ann Urista Przenkop, 81, of Atlasburg, died Thursday, April 27, 1995, in Weirton Medical Center, Weirton, W.Va.

She was born July 6, 1913, in McKees Rocks, Pittsburgh.

Prior to her retirement in 1978, she was employed as a baker in the cafeteria at The Washington Hospital.

She was married to Andrew Przenkop, who survives.

Also surviving are three sons, John Przenkop of Morgantown, W.Va.; Andrew Przenkop of Heath, Ohio; and Stanley Przenkop of Brooklyn, N.Y.; two daughters, Alberta Vaccaro and Patty LaMonte, both of Brooklyn; a brother, George Urista of Washington; 14 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Deceased are a brother, Eli Urista, and a sister, Mary Dubina.

Friends were received in the Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, where a blessing service was held Monday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. Interment was in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, McMurray.

Dorothy Ann Przenkop
July 6, 1913-April 27, 1995

Andrew Przenkop

Andrew Przenkop of Atlasburg died Dec. 16, 1997, at Vencor Hospital, Oakdale. She was 78.

Born Oct. 21, 1919, in Atlasburg, he was a son of Frank and Elizabeth (Sofka) Przenkop.

Prior to retirement, he was employed by J&L Steel in Aliquippa.

He was U.S. Army veteran of World War II, having served in the Philippines.

He was a member o the VFW in Atlasburg.

Survivors are two daughters, Alberta Vaccaro and Patty LaMonte, both of Brooklyn, N.Y.; three sons, John of Brooklyn, Andrew of Heath, Ohio, and Stanley of Long Island, N.Y.; and three sisters, Betty Hibbs, Dorothy DiBenedetto and Mary Matthews.

Friends were received at Hayden-Toucher Funeral Home, Burgettstown. Services were held Dec. 19, the Rev. Richard J. Tusky officiating. Interment was in Queen of Heaven Cemetery, McMurray.

Andrew Przenkop
October 21, 1919-December 16, 1997

CARL L. PSOLINSKI
Carl L. Pcsolinski, 18,
of Burgettstown, R.D. 3,
was killed Thursday, July
7, 1966, at 9:45 p.m. in an
automobile accident near
Burgettstown.

He was born in Wash-
ington, May 11, 1948, the
son of Paul and Ruth Cline
Pscolinski.

He attended Union High
School and was employed
by the Sutherland Lumber
Company, Burgettstown.

He was a member of
the Christian Church of
North America.

Surviving, in addition to
his parents, are two bro-
thers, Paul and Gary, both
at home, and his maternal
grandfather, Earl Cline of
Slovan.

Friends were received
in the Lee Funeral Home,
where services were held
Monday, July 11, at 2 p.m.,
Rev. Domenick Sgro of-
ficiating. Burial was in
Fairview Cemetery.

Carl L. Pscolinski
May 11, 1948-July 7, 1966

John V. Puchi

John V. Puchi, 54, of Harker Heights, Texas, formerly of Canonsburg, died unexpectedly Tuesday, Sept. 28, 1993, in Metroplex Hospital, Killeen, Texas.

He was born in Canonsburg on Oct. 1, 1938, a son of Mary E. Donnelly Puchi of Canonsburg and the late Angelo (Banjo) Puchi.

Prior to his retirement, he served as a counterintelligence agent with the U.S. Army for 28 years.

He was awarded the Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon, National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal with four bronze service stars, Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal, Army Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Bronze Star Medal, Vietnam Cross of Gallantry Unit Citation with palm, Army Good Conduct Medal, Meritorious Unit Commendation, NCO Professional Development Ribbon and Legion of Merit.

His wife, Alma Dora McCullough Puchi, died Dec. 10, 1990.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are two sons, John V. Puchi Jr. and Robert T. Puchi, both of Harker Heights, Texas; three daughters, Mrs. Joseph (Mary Elizabeth) Hines and Mrs. George (Dora Jean) Perez, both of Harker Heights, and Mrs. Larry (Tina) Wright of Syracuse, N.Y.; four brothers, William Puchi of Sefner, Fla.; Eugene Puchi of Muse; David Puchi of Canonsburg; and Martin Puchi of Cecil; four sisters, Mrs. Michael (Mona Lee) Wood of Muse; Mrs. Ron (Ellen) Carr and Mrs. William (Rose Marie) Gouirand, both of Canonsburg; and Mrs. Ray (Amelia "Penny") White of Hickory; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Sollon Funeral Home, Canonsburg, where services were held Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. George W. Hall, pastor of First Baptist Church of Canonsburg, officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Gardens, McMurray.

John V. Puchi
October 1, 1938-September 28, 1993

ANNA PUHLIK

Mrs. Anna Puhlik, of Avella, was dead on arrival Wednesday, June 25, 1969, at 7:10 a.m. at Washington Hospital.

She was born in June, 1885, in Czechoslovakia, and came to the United States in 1912. She lived in Avella the past 52 years, where she was a member of St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church and the Altar Society of the church. Her husband, Michael, died in 1952.

Surviving are two sons, Joseph Gregas, of Aliquippa, and John Puhlik, of Avella; a half sister, Mrs. Agnes Malo, of Cleveland, Ohio; two grandsons; and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Pittman Funeral Home, Avella. Requiem Mass was held Friday at 9 a.m. in St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church, Avella, with Rev. George Evancho, pastor, in charge. Burial was in St. Michael's Cemetery, Avella.

Anna Puhlik
June 1885-June 25, 1969

MRS. KATIE PUHLIK

Mrs. Katie Puhlik, died at 2 a.m. Friday, August 28, 1953, at her home in Avella.

She was born March 20, 1883, in Czechoslovakia. Mrs. Puhlik lived in Avella 41 years. She was a member of the St. Michaels Roman Catholic church of Avella.

Surviving are: Three daughters, Mary, wife of Paul Hemmes, Verona; Anna, wife of Warren Higley, Trona, Calif.; Mrs. Julie Malinky Fekula, Burgettstown, R. D. 2; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Her husband, Joseph Puhlik died in 1930.

Requiem Mass was held Monday, Aug. 31, at 9 a.m., in St. Michael's Catholic church, Avella, in charge of Rev. F. J. Wivell, pastor. Interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

Katie Puhlik
March 20, 1883-August 29, 1953

Lewis E. Pulver

Retired truck driver worked
for Starvaggi Industries

Lewis E. (Red) Pulver, 72, of
Burgettstown, died Sunday,
August 19, 2001, in his home.

He was born November 18,
1928, a son of Raymond and
Florence Sauer Pulver.

Mr. Pulver retired from
Starvaggi Industries of Weirton,
W. Va., where he was employed as
an off-road truck driver.

Surviving are his wife,
Florence Rakowski Pulver; a son,
Roy Scott Pulver of
Burgettstown; two daughters,
Sandra Lee Knisley and Tracy
Duffy, both of Burgettstown;
eight grandchildren, Bryan,
Heather and R. J. Pulver, Bruce
Jr. and Ryan Knisley, and Taylor,
Connor and Brady Duffy; two
sisters, Bertha McCutcheon and
Mary Kuntz, both of West
Virginia; and two brothers,
Theodore Pulver of Paris and Jim
Pulver of Crafton.

Deceased is a brother, Marion
Pulver.

PULVER - Friends of Lewis E. (Red) Pulver
of Burgettstown, who died Sunday, August
19, 2001, will be received from 2 to 4 and
7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday in Lee & Martin Fu-
neral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Bur-
gettstown, where services will be held at
11 a.m. Wednesday, August 22, with the
Rev. Robert Kem of Community Bible
Church of Aliquippa officiating. Interment
will follow in Grandview Cemetery, Bur-
gettstown.

Lewis E. "Red" Pulver
November 18, 1928-August 19, 2001

RAYMOND F. PULVER

Raymond F. Pulver, 68, of Burgettstown, R.D. 1, died Tuesday, November 19, 1968, at 1:30 a.m. at the West Allegheny Hospital.

He was born May 10, 1900, in Steubenville, Ohio, a son of the late Fred and Catherine Pulver, and was a retired employee of the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation, Aliquippa.

He is survived by his wife, Martha Troy Pulver; two daughters, Bertha, wife of Weir McCutcheon, of Parkersburg, West Virginia, and Mrs. Mary Kuntz, of Florence; four sons, Theodore and Ralph, both of Burgettstown; Louis, of Florence; and James, of Carnegie; four brothers, Theodore and Ralph Pulver, of Weirton, West Virginia; Ben Zurcher, of New Philadelphia, Ohio; and William Zurcher, of Paris; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Williams, of Weirton; Mrs. Mary Morrow, of Pittsburgh; and Mrs. Elma Dunlevy, of New Wilmington; 23 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Schwerha Mortuary, Weirton. Services were held Thursday at 1 p.m. with Rev. Marvin D. Ackerman, a nephew from Gibsonia, officiating. Burial was at Chestnut Ridge Cemetery, Florence.

Raymond F. Pulver
May 10, 1900-November 19, 1968

Andrew Punola

34-year career service with
the U.S. Army

Master Sgt. Andrew Punola, 77, formerly of McDonald, died Sunday, February 9, 1997, in Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D.C., following a lengthy illness.

He was born October 3, 1918, in Tyre, a son of John and Hafia Wasko Punola.

Mr. Punola attended McDonald High School before enlisting in the U.S. Army.

He served during World War II and following the war, he made the service his career for 34 years until his retirement in 1987.

After retiring, Mr. Punola resided at the retirement home of U.S.S.A.H. until his death.

Surviving are two sisters, Anne Punola and Alice Frank, both of New York City.

Deceased are three brothers, George, John, and Charles Punola; and one sister, Julia Heath.

Private graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, February 12, in the family plot at Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

Master Sgt. Andrew Punola
October 3, 1918-February 9, 1997

Barbara J. Purdy

*Enjoyed spending time
with grandchildren*

Barbara J. Purdy, 75, of McDonald, died Wednesday, June 4, 2014, in St. Clair Hospital, Pittsburgh.

She was born July 29, 1938, in Southview, a daughter of the late William John Charles and Anna Marie Malinak Duke.

Mrs. Purdy was a member of St. Alphonsus Roman Catholic Church and was retired as a secretary for District Magistrate Gary Havelka. She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren.

Surviving are her children, Robert (Kathleen) Spencer of Southview, Charles (Kimberley) Spencer of Avella, Candace (Michael) Irwin of Oakdale, Tracey (Jerry) Bastaroli of Sturgeon and Harold (Nicole) Purdy of Ohio Township; grandchildren Bethany Geisler, Kayla Spencer, Kara Ruffalo, Mitchell Spencer, Rebecca Spencer, Courtney Drahos, Kristin Hotz, Kelsey Vidak, Emily, Abigail, Hannah and Joseph Bastaroli, Cole Purdy and Tessa Purdy; six great-grandchildren; and sisters Liz Yilit, Evelyn Logar, Dorothy Markle and Patricia Rolek.

Deceased are a sister, Anna Marie Hete, and a brother, John Duke.

Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday and from noon to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday in Thomas-Little Funeral Service Inc., 314 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, 724-926-2800. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, June 9, in St. Alphonsus Church, 219 West Lincoln Avenue, McDonald. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Cemetery, McMurray.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Community Meals on Wheels, 119 Station Street, McDonald, PA 15057. Please sign the guest book at thomas-littlefuneralservice.com.

Barbara J. Purdy
July 29, 1938-June 4, 2014

Miss Estella May Purdy died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Purdy, near Robinson church, Saturday evening, October 24, aged 29 years and nine months. The funeral services were held from her late home on Tuesday at one o'clock p. m. Interment in Robinson cemetery. The deceased was a very estimable and popular young lady, and a consistent member of the Robinson United Presbyterian church. She is survived by her parents and two brothers—Charles M., of Jewett, Ohio, and Melvin, at home.

Estella May Purdy
Abt. 1874- October 24, 1903 (?)

Mrs. Rebecca Reddick Purdy, wife of John Purdy, died at her home near Robinson church on Saturday evening, Nov. 28, of acute pneumonia, aged 68 years. Mrs. Purdy's maiden name was McCoy, and she was born on the farm on which she died. She is survived by her husband and two sons—Ohas. M., of Jewett, Ohio, and Melvin, at home; also by one brother—Dr. J. G. McCoy, of Corsica, Pa. A daughter, Miss Stella, died on the 24th of October. Funeral services Monday afternoon at one o'clock from her late home. Interment in Robinson cemetery.

Rebecca Reddick McCoy Purdy
Abt. 1835- November 28, 1903(?)

Purdy Family
Daughter and Mother

Mrs. Lulu Witherspoon Purdy

Mrs. Lulu Witherspoon Purdy, native of Robinson Township, wife of Lee B. Purdy, 709 Maple Lane Sewickley, died suddenly of a heart attack at her home in Sewickley, Wednesday, July 9 at 12:30 p.m.

Funeral services were held at the home Saturday, July 12 at 2 p.m. Interment was at Robinson Church cemetery.

Mrs. Purdy is survived by her husband and two sons Samuel of Ravenna, Ohio and George of Sewickley; also three grandchildren. Two sisters, Clara of Robinson Township and Mrs. E. A. Cully of New York City also survive.

Lulu Witherspoon Purdy
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Rebecca Reddick McCoy Purdy
Abt. 1835- November 28, 1903(?)

Purdy Family
Daughter and Mother

William Lockhart Purdy

*Retired crew leader for
O'Hommel from McDonald*

William Lockhart "Locky" Purdy, 90, of McDonald, died Friday, July 29, 2005, in his home.

He was born August 21, 1914, in Midway, a son of Thomas and Veronica Lockhart Purdy.

Mr. Purdy was a 1934 graduate of McDonald High School.

He was a crew leader employed by O'Hommel in Heidelberg for 33 years before retiring in 1977.

Mr. Purdy was a life member of McDonald Volunteer Fire Department, a member of Washington County and Western Pennsylvania Fireman's associations and a member of Chartiers Lodge 297 F&AM in Canonsburg.

On December 3, 1941, he married Vera Stokes, who died April 30, 2004.

Surviving are a daughter, Karen Lee Farren of Plum Borough; a granddaughter, Shelley Cowan; and three great-grandchildren, Lindsay, Shane and Chelsea Cowan.

Deceased are four sisters, Agnes Irene Daniels, Irene Agnes Brockman, Florence Parkinson and Henrietta Lewis.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, August 1. Interment will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald.

William Lockhart Purdy
August 21, 1914-July 29, 2005

Agnes A. Pusateri

*Burgettstown woman was
U.S. Airways retiree*

Agnes A. Pusateri, 84, of Burgettstown, died Friday, August 11, 2006, in Wyngate Assisted Living Community, Weirton, W.Va.

She was born February 8, 1922, in Toronto, Canada, a daughter of Salvatore and Antonia LaForte Azzarello.

Mrs. Pusateri retired from U.S. Airways.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, where she served as a eucharistic minister. She was a member of Christian Mothers and Catholic Daughters, serving as grand regent.

Mrs. Pusateri volunteered for American Cancer Society.

She lived her winter months in Port Charlotte, Fla.

On October 20, 1948, she married Anthony Pusateri, who died in February 1994.

Surviving are two sons, Salvador Pusateri, husband of Linda, of Tampa, Fla., and Anthony Pusateri, husband of Marina of Burgettstown; a daughter, Lucy Lagnese, wife of Pat of Waynesville, N.C.; six grandchildren, Frank Lagnese, Anthony Lagnese, Adam (Tony) Pusateri, Elizabeth Pusateri, Rebecca Pusateri and Alex Pusateri; four brothers, Salvatore Azzarello of Burgettstown and Bart Azzarello, Anthony Azzarello and Charles Azzarello, all of Toronto.

Deceased are three sisters, Sarah Azzarello, Josephine Lopresti and Lena Blum.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at noon Tuesday, August 15, in Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Robert Connolly as celebrant. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Agnes A. Pusateri
February 8, 1922-August 11, 2006

Anthony J. Pusateri Sr.

Anthony J. Pusateri Sr., 69, of Port Charlotte, Fla., and Burgettstown, died Monday, Feb. 21, 1994, in St. Joseph Hospital, Florida.

He was born April 15, 1924, in Burgettstown, a son of Salvadore and Lucy Longo Pusateri.

Mr. Pusateri was a member of St. Charles Borromeo Roman Catholic Church in Florida and Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown.

He was a veteran of World War II, serving with the 9th Infantry.

He was a retired salesman, having worked for Coll Tire Distributors.

Mr. Pusateri was a member of Burgettstown Council 3440 Knights of Columbus.

He was married to Agnes Azzarello Pusateri, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Anthony Pusateri Jr. of Paris and Sal Pusateri of Syracuse, N.Y.; one daughter, Lucy Lagnese of Port Charlotte; two brothers, Joseph Pusateri and Salvadore Pusateri, both of Burgettstown; one sister, Sara Azzarello of Burgettstown; and six grandchildren.

Deceased is one brother, John J. Pusateri.

Friends were received in the Lee and Martin Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Friday at 10 a.m. in Our Lady of Lourdes Church with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky as celebrant. Interment was in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Anthony J. Pusateri Sr.
April 15, 1924-February 21, 1994

Salvadore J. Pusateri

*U.S. Army
Korean War veteran*



Salvadore J. Pusateri, 85, of Sewickley, formerly of Burgettstown, died Sunday, June 28, 2015, in Sewickley Valley Hospital.

He was born January 1, 1930, in Burgettstown, a son of the late Salvatore and Lucy Longo Pusateri.

Mr. Pusateri was a 1948 graduate of Union High School in Burgettstown and a 1956 graduate of Duquesne University.

He was employed for 37 years as a history teacher for Fort Cherry School District and was also employed at The Meadows Racetrack. He retired from both jobs in 1993.

He was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, where he served as an usher and was a member of Knights of Columbus.

Mr. Pusateri served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was a member of Slovan Veterans of Foreign Wars and Burgettstown American Legion.

He was an avid reader and liked to travel, but spending time with family was what he enjoyed most.

On August 3, 1963, he married Enod Barnhart, who survives.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are four children, Susan Pusateri (Mark Dempster) of McDonald, Kevin (Michele) Pusateri of Washington, Christine (William) Bishop of McDonald and Michelle (Scott) Burge of Bloomingdale, Ohio; five grandchildren, Samantha Pusateri, Joshua Pusateri, Jessica Bishop, Nathan Bly and Jacob Bishop; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased, in addition to his parents, are a sister, Sara Az-zarello, and three brothers, Joseph, Anthony and John Pusateri.

Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Thursday, July 2, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. George Moneck as celebrant. Interment will follow in National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, Cecil Township, with full military honors accorded by Slovan-Burgettstown Veterans of Foreign Wars.

To access further information or leave a condolence, visit www.taucherfuneralhome.com.

Salvadore J. Pusateri
January 1, 1930-June 28, 2015

Kathryn L. Puskar

Loved spending time with her grandsons



Kathryn L. Puskar, 73, of Sturgeon, died Friday, July 8, 2016, in Donnell House, Washington.

She was born October 15, 1942, in Pittsburgh, a daughter of Chester and Elizabeth Fisher Multunas.

Mrs. Puskar worked for 25 years as a clerk at McDonald Pharmacy and then for 25 years as a produce clerk at Giant Eagle in McDonald.

She was a member of St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church, Noblestown.

Mrs. Puskar enjoyed playing the lottery, shopping and going out to eat. She loved spending time with her grandsons and watching them grow up.

On September 4, 1964, she married Carl J. Puskar, who died June 21, 2000.

Surviving are a daughter, Barbara Weaverling of Mc-

Donald; a brother, Chester (Eileen) Multunas of Houston; two sisters, Gloria (John) Hans and Carol (Robert) Redlinger, both of Sturgeon; two grandsons, Thomas and Chad Weaverling; and a great-grandson, Braydon Weaverling.

Deceased is a daughter, Karen Cain.

Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m., the time of a blessing service, Sunday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, with the Rev. Ben Vaghetto, pastor of St. Patrick Roman Catholic Church, Noblestown, officiating.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made on behalf of the family to Nation Funeral Home Inc., 218 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, PA 15057.

Condolences, photos and additional information are available at www.nationfuneralhome.com.

Kathryn L. Puskar
October 15, 1942-July 8, 2016

Laura S. Puskar

Member of Our Lady
of Lourdes Church

Laura S. Puskar, 84, of Burgettstown (Erie Mine), died Monday, February 17, 2003, in Washington County Health Center, Washington.

She was born January 14, 1919, in Washington, a daughter of William and Eliza Morris Ullom.

Mrs. Puskar was a homemaker.

She was a member of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Burgettstown and its Christian Mothers and Catholic Daughters.

Mrs. Puskar was a member of Burgettstown Senior Citizens.

Her husband, John Puskar, died June 10, 1979.

Surviving are a son, John C. Puskar of Weirton, W. Va.; two grandchildren, John and Jennifer Puskar; a sister, Virginia Hamilton of Lake City, Fla.; and three great-grandchildren.

Deceased are two brothers, William and Frank Ullom; and three sisters, Blanche Ullom, Olive Riggs and Helen Heatley.

PUSKAR - Friends of Laura S. Puskar of Burgettstown (Erie Mine), who died Monday, February 17, 2003, will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday in Hayden-Taucher Funeral Home, 23 Erie Mine Road, Burgettstown. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday, February 20, in Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Richard J. Tusky, pastor, as celebrant. Interment will follow in Our Lady of Lourdes Cemetery, Burgettstown.

Laura S. Puskar

January 14, 1919-February 17, 2003

Anne M. Puskarich

Lifelong member of St. John the Baptist Church, Canonsburg

Anne M. Puskarich, 83, of Washington, formerly of Canonsburg, died at 4:25 p.m. Friday, March 10, 2006, in Washington Hospital.

She was born February 20, 1923, in Canonsburg, a daughter of John Sr. and Anna Czap Matyuf.

Mrs. Puskarich was a lifelong member of St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, Canonsburg.

She graduated from Canonsburg High School.

Mrs. Puskarich was a legal secretary for Vince Massick for many years and was a hearing stenographer for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for 10 years until her retirement.

On February 15, 1964, she married George Puskarich Jr., who died May 6, 1986.

Surviving are a daughter, Paula (Joseph) Phillis of Washington; a stepson, Jerry (Bette Jo) Puskarich of Washington, a stepdaughter, Georgianne (Al) Summers of Muse; two sisters, Eva Piri of Washington and Julia Spetek of Burgettstown; a brother, William Matyuf of Canonsburg; and eight grandchildren, Aileene and David Bell, Hollan, Amanda and Morgan Puskarich and Rachel, Ben and Luke Phillis.

Deceased, in addition to her husband, are five brothers, soldier Michael, Harry, Pete, Steve and John Jr. Matyuf; and a sister, Mary Kacvinsky.

Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday in Salandra Funeral Home, 304 West Pike Street, Canonsburg, Joseph P. Salandra, supervisor, where a blessing service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 14, followed by a funeral at 10 a.m. in St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church with the Rev. Joseph Oleynik officiating. Burial will follow in Oak Spring Cemetery, Chartiers Township. A parastas service will be held at 7 p.m. Monday in the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, 601 Boone Avenue, Canonsburg, PA 15317. Please add or view tributes at www.salandrafuneralhome.com.

Anne M. Puskarich
February 20, 1923- March 10, 2006

- CHARLES PUSKARICH

Charles Puskarich, 80, of Tent church road, Colliers, W. Va., R.D. 1, died at 4:15 a.m. Saturday, May 5, 1962, in Weirton General hospital, after an illness of one year.

Mr. Puskarich was born Dec. 4, 1881, in Yugoslavia, a son of the late John and Mary Bertovich Puskarich. He came to the United States in 1901 and had resided in West Virginia since 1949. He resided near Eldersville several years. He was a retired coal miner and farmer.

He was a member of St. Anthony's R.C. church, Follansbee, W. Va.

Surviving are his wife, Frances Ivanac Puskarich; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Boric, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. Ann Resnik, Burgettstown, R.D. 2; and Mrs. Frances Welsh, Colliers, R.D. 1; five sons, Thomas, Burgettstown, R.D. 2; Steve, Milwaukee, Wis.; Joseph, Niles, O.; John, Follansbee, W. Va., and George Sarasota, Fla.; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the James Funeral home, Follansbee. Requiem high mass was sung at 9 a.m. Tuesday, May 8, in St. Anthony's R.C. church, Follansbee, in charge of Rev. John L. O'Reilly. Burial was in Oak Grove cemetery, Follansbee.

Charles Puskarich
December 4, 1881-May 5, 1962

MRS. FRANCES
PUSKARICH

Mrs. Frances Puskarich, 75, of 2401 Eldersville Road, Follansbee, West Virginia, died at 3:45 p.m. Monday, January 1, 1968, in the Weirton General hospital.

Mrs. Puskarich was born June 20, 1892, in Yugoslavia, a daughter of Anthony and Mary Ivanac. She was a member of St. Anthony Roman Catholic Church, Follansbee.

Her husband, Charles Puskarich, died on May 5, 1962.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Mary Borich, Wilmette, Illinois; Ann, wife of Anthony Resnik, of Burgettstown, R.D. 2; and Frances, wife of Charles Welsh, of Eldersville Road, Follansbee; five sons, Thomas, of Burgettstown, R.D. 2; Steve, Chillicothe, Ohio; Joseph, Niles, Ohio; John, Follansbee; and George, Phoenix, Arizona; 17 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the James Funeral Home, Follansbee.

Frances Puskarich
June 20, 1892-January 1, 1968

Helen D. Puskarich

Helen D. Puskarich, 64, of Avella, died Friday, Feb. 24, 1995, in Wheeling (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born Jan. 22, 1931, in Brooke County, W.Va., a daughter of the late John and Mary Mozingo DeGarmo.

Mrs. Puskarich worked at Bethany College, and as a county clerk at Brook County (W.Va.) Courthouse. She also worked for 16 years as a mail carrier in Avella.

She lived in Avella since 1958. She was a member of Eldersville United Methodist Church.

Surviving are two sons, Tim Puskarich of Churchton, Md., and David Puskarich of Avella; five grandchildren; and five sisters, Evelyn Cline of Wellsburg, W.Va.; Violet Hercules of Murfreesboro, Tenn.; Margaret Cunningham of Eldersville; Irene Puskarich of Follansbee, W.Va.; and Betty Baileys of Eldersville.

Deceased are two brothers, Earl and David DeGarmo.

Services and interment were private. Arrangements were handled by the Stefkovich Funeral Home, Avella.

Helen D. Puskarich
January 22, 1931-February 24, 1995

Thomas Puskarich

Thomas Puskarich of Avella died Oct. 3, 1997, at the home of his son in Follansbee, W.Va. He was 85.

Born July 22, 1912, in Cokeburg, he was the son of Charles and Frances Bertovich Puskarich.

He worked for 25 years for Climax Molybdenum Co. of Langloth, retiring in 1977.

He lived the past 17 years in Avella, where he was a member of St. Michael Roman Catholic

Church, Avella Sportsmen's Association, Polar Star Mutual Benefit Society, SNPJ Lodge 292 and Cross Creek Valley Senior Citizens.

In 1943, he married Mary Dolinar, who died July 31, 1976.

In addition to his wife, he was preceded in death by a brother, Steve.

He is survived by a son, Thomas L. Sr. of Follansbee; three sisters, Frances Welsh of Follansbee, Anna Resnick of Eldersville and Mary Borich of Chicago, Ill.; three brothers, John of Orlando, Fla., George of Arizona and Joe of Niles, Ohio; three grandchildren, Thomas L. Puskarich Jr., Joseph Puskarich and Lisa Puskarich; and a great-granddaughter.

Friends were received Oct. 5 in the Jerome A. Stefkovich Funeral Home Inc., Avella. A Mass of Christian Burial was held Oct. 6 in St. Michael Roman Catholic Church, Avella, the Rev. Pierre G. Sodini as celebrant. Burial was in West Point Cemetery, Avella.

Thomas Puskarich

July 22, 1912-October 3, 1997

MRS. ELIZABETH PUTKOVICH

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Putkovich, were held at the St. Rose church, Bradenville, Pa., May 25th. Mrs. Putkovich, aged 65, widow of the late Steve Putkovich, who died in 1936, died May 21st at the Latrobe hospital.

Mrs. Putkovich lived in Slovan from 1920 to 1938 when she went to Latrobe to live with her daughter, Mrs. Helen Zidak. Besides Mrs. Zidak, she leaves two other daughters, Mrs. Mary Petrus of Slovan, and Mrs. Margaret Taylowski of Detroit and two sons, Private Charles of Detroit, who is serving with the armed forces at Fort McAlister, Okla., and Steve of Joffre and eleven grandchildren.

**Elizabeth Putkovich
Died-May 21, 1943**

Katherine M. Putt

*McDonald homemaker
raised many foster children*



Katherine M. (Kate) Putt, 90, of McDonald, died Wednesday, March 26, 2008, in her home.

She was born December 12, 1917, in Cecil Township, a daughter of Fred and Mary DeWald Cook.

Mrs. Putt was a homemaker, and although she and her husband never had any children, she raised 23 foster children in her home.

She enjoyed growing flowers, especially beautiful roses. She loved animals and traveling. One of her favorite trips was going to see Daniel O'Donnell sing and perform.

On December 7, 1948, she married Floyd Putt, who died February 16, 1990.

Surviving are four sisters, Dorothy Krehnovi, Viola M. Chwala and Jeanie (Lou) Libert, all of McDonald, and Patricia L. Murgel (Ted) Redhair of Marshfield, Mo.; a brother, Donald A. (Betty) Cook of McDonald; three daughters, Dottie Cook of McDonald, Sally Dendy of Michigan and Wilma McMillan of Tionesta; 20 other foster children; and several nieces and nephews.

Deceased are four brothers, Henry, Fred Jr., Richard and Robert Cook.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday in Nation Funeral Home Inc., 220 East Lincoln Avenue, McDonald, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 29. Interment will follow in Robinson Run Cemetery, McDonald. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Three Rivers Hospice or the Humane Society.

Katherine M. Putt
December 12, 1917-March 26, 2008

Frank Puzik

Frank Puzik, aged 50 years, a resident of the Reed plan, Burgettstown, died in St. John's Hospital, Pittsburgh, at 4 a. m. last Saturday of injuries sustained in an accident at Cedar Grove mine on January 8th. Funeral services were held in the home Tuesday afternoon. Interment in Fairview cemetery. He leaves his widow and seven daughters. He had been a resident of the community for about 15 years.

Frank Puzik
Died-January 6, 1934

BRAINARD R. PYLE

Brainard R. Pyle of Springdale died unexpectedly at his home Monday, Oct. 9, 1950. Mr. Pyle was employed as a foreman for the West Penn. Power Company and was a veteran of the first World War. He is survived by his wife, Pearl Selykvo Pyle; brothers Thomas, Mingo Junction, O.; Wm. S. of Latrobe; Joshua of Santa Anna, Calif.; H. B. Pyle, Burgetts-town; Robert W. of Tenn.; Lee of Ambridge; and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Malone and Mrs. Flora Milligan of Sewickley.

Funeral services were held from the Clowell Funeral home at Springdale, Pa., Tuesday, Oct. 10 and by the Veterans of Foreign Wars at Wellsburg, W. Va., on Thursday, Oct. 12. Interment was in Wellsburg cemetery, Wellsburg, W. Va.

Brainard R. Pyle
Died-October 9, 1950

George W. Pyle Succumbs To Illness Was Rural Carrier

Funeral services for the late George William Pyle, who died Monday, May 26 after a long illness were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by his pastor, Rev. Jacob C. Ruble from the Lee and Wilson funeral home. Burial was in Hebron Cemetery, Clinton.

Mr. Pyle, probably one of the best known men in this community completed 27 years service in the Burgettstown post office as a rural mail carrier and was retired from duty on March 31, 1952. Since then he had been confined to his home in ill health.

He was 66 years of age and was born August 1, 1885 on a farm a few miles east of Burgettstown and had lived all his life in this community. He was the son of Joseph Day and Katherine Henwood Pyle. He served with the United States Navy from 1908 to 1912. In 1914 he was united in marriage with Mary McClusky of Burgettstown, and to this union, one daughter was born, Katharine who survives at home.

Prior to affiliating with the postal service, Mr. Pyle was employed on the Pennsylvania railroad and in local mines. He was a member of the First Presbyterian church, the Vaux Masonic Lodge, Court Street Consistory, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and the Rural Carrier's Society.

Surviving besides his wife and daughter are four brothers: John of Aliquippa; Joseph of Emporium; Wayne and Marion of Bethany, W. Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Kline of Detroit, Mich.; and Mrs. Cora Gallagher of Isabella; and a stepmother, Mrs. Bird Pyle of Bethany, W. Va.

**George W. Pyle (Rural Carrier)
August 1, 1885-May 26, 1952**

Miss Hilda Pyle

Why should we start and fear to
die

What tim'rous worms we mortals
are,

Death is the gate of endless joy
And yet we dread to enter there.

Jesus can make a dying bed
Feel soft as downy pillows are,
While on his breast I lean my head
And breathe my life out sweetly
there.

At the quiet hour of night, one hour after midnight, the Angel of Death came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pyle on Center avenue, Burgettstown, Pa., Wednesday morning, April 1, 1914, and took Hilda, age 18. Her life went out as peaceful and quiet that morning as the sun came up a few hours later and all was still. Tenderly and carefully she was cared for during her hours of suffering by her fond mother and father and friends, but He who does all things well took Hilda from this home and her father, mother, brother and sisters are left to mourn her absence. Heads were bowed in sadness, when the word went the rounds this morning that Hilda was dead. When an old person dies we say, He could not live always, but one in the teens in the prime of life, all we can say is, The Master says, prepare to meet thy God for he comes at all times of life.

Cease ye mourners, cease to
laugh

O'er the grave of those you love,
Pain and death and night and
anguish

Enter not the world above.

Hilda Pyle

February 16, 1896-April 1, 1914

JESSE C. PYLE

Jesse C. Pyle, 68, brother of H. B. Pyle of Main street, died at his home in Cleveland, Ohio, January 24. He is survived by his wife Mary, four sons and two daughters; also seven brothers and two sisters. Interment was in the North Cleveland cemetery.

Jesse C. Pyle
Died-January 24, 1947

Katherine Pyle

Former Burgettstown Area
School District teacher

Katherine Asenath Pyle, 85, of Burgettstown, died Friday, March 23, 2001, in Weirton (W.Va.) Medical Center.

She was born November 15, 1915, in Burgettstown, a daughter of George and Mary McCluskey Pyle.

Miss Pyle was a graduate of Union High School in Burgettstown; graduated from the Pennsylvania College for Women (now Chatham College) in 1937, with a bachelor of arts degree; and from Duke University in 1944, with a master's degree.

She taught for 39 years in Burgettstown Area School District from 1937 to 1976; worked for the *Burgettstown Enterprise* from 1945 to 1952; and also worked part-time at Burgettstown Community Library from 1949 to 1969.

She was a member of Hillcrest Presbyterian Church; Fort Vance Historical Society; Washington County and Pennsylvania State education associations; and National Education Association.

PYLE — Services for Katherine Asenath Pyle of Burgettstown, who died Friday, March 23, 2001, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 26, at the Lee and Martin Funeral Home, 73 Highland Avenue, Burgettstown, with the Rev. Clara Jean Haury officiating. Interment will be private at Hopewell Hebron Cemetery, Clinton.

Katherine Pyle
November 15, 2013-March 23, 2001

Death of Mrs. Margaret Pyle.
Mrs. Margaret Pyle, formerly of Burgettstown, died at the home of her son W. S. Pyle of Youngwood, Tuesday evening at 4:30 o'clock. She leaves two sons, W. S., of Youngwood, and F. C., of New Mexico, one sister, Mrs. F. I. Scott of Burgettstown. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the home of her sister Mrs. F. I. Scott, Florence avenue, Burgettstown.

Margaret Pyle
Died-December 10, 1935

Death of Old Resident.

Mrs. Martha Jane Pyle, aged 77 years, wife of Albert Pyle, died at the Washington Hospital at 9:47 o'clock Tuesday evening, following illness induced by a fall from her home on September 21st, pneumonia developing. Funeral services will be held in the Center avenue home at 2 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) afternoon with interment in the Robinson Run cemetery, McDonald. Besides her husband the deceased leaves two daughters, Mrs. T. L. Mansfield of Washington and Mrs. R. B. McKee at home. Mrs. Pyle had been married 57 years and was a life-long resident of Burgettstown. She was a charter member of the Westminster Presbyterian church and was very active in church and community affairs.

Martha Jane Pyle
Died-October 13, 1931

MRS. ALBERT PYLE DIES IN HOSPITAL

Lifelong Burgettstown Resident Succumbs to Pneumonia After Fall in Which Hip Was Fractured.

BURGETTSTOWN, Oct. 14.—Martha Jane Pyle, a lifelong resident of this place, died in the Washington Hospital Tuesday night at 9:45 o'clock. She fell while walking about her home September 21 and fractured her hip, and was taken to the hospital, where pneumonia developed, causing her death.

Mrs. Pyle was the wife of Albert Pyle, the couple having been married 57 years. Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. T. L. Mansfield, of Washington, and Mrs. R. B. McKee, at home. She was a charter member of the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Burgettstown and active in all church organizations.

Funeral services will be held in the home Friday at 2 o'clock, interment will be in the Robinson Run Cemetery.

Martha Jane Pyle
June 19, 1854-October 13, 1931

DEATH ROLL

MRS. MARY LOUISE PYLE

Mrs. Mary Louise Pyle, the oldest resident of Burgettstown, died at her home on Friday night, January 12, 1917, in the 93d year of her age. Mrs. Pyle was sick less than one week. On Saturday, the 6th, she was taken ill with pleurisy, which developed into pneumonia and caused her death.

The deceased was a daughter of Samuel and Amelia Shipley and was born in Maryland, June 4, 1824. When she was six years old her parents came to Burgettstown, locating on the Lilburn Shipley farm. Later they lived on the McMurray and Ackleson farms, and then moved to West Virginia, near Hollidays Cove, where they lived when Mary Louise Shipley became the bride of William Pyle, in 1841. After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Pyle lived on the Donnan farm and then purchased the Clokey place, now known as the Pyle farm. It was here that Mr. Pyle died, about 36 years ago. Mrs. Pyle came to Burgettstown 32 years ago and had since lived here.

Twelve children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Pyle—nine sons and three daughters. Four sons survive, as follows: Paul M. Pyle, of Steubenville, Ohio; W. Albert Pyle and Joshua G. Pyle, both of Burgettstown, and Joseph D. Pyle, of Bethany, W. Va. She is also survived by 43 grandchildren, 74 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Until her last illness Mrs. Pyle enjoyed good health and was remarkably active in both mind and body. After she had passed her ninetieth milestone she worked about her garden, and continued to do her own housework until she was stricken down. For 76 years she had been a member of the First Presbyterian church of Burgettstown.

Funeral services were held from her late home on Monday afternoon

at 2 o'clock, conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. M. Hays, Ph. D., who was assisted by Rev. R. Harlan McCarty, pastor of the First United Presbyterian church. The interment was made in Fairview cemetery.

Mary Louise Shipley Pyle

MISS NETTIE PYLE

Miss Nettie Pyle, 69, a daughter of the late William Westley and Laura Jane Pyle, died at her home near Burgettstown, Saturday evening, September 12, at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Pyle had been a resident of the Burgettstown district for the past 50 years.

Nine brothers and two sisters survive: J. McCorkel Pyle, Creston, O.; Thomas H. Pyle, Deanale, O.; William S. Pyle, Derry; Jessie C. Pyle, Cleveland; James O. Pyle, Santa Ana Calif.; Harry B. Pyle, Burgettstown; Brainard Ray Pyle, Springdale; E. Lee Pyle, Coraopolis; Mrs. Anna Malone, Mrs. Samuel Millgan, Sewickley, and Wallace Pyle, at home.

Funeral services were held at the Lee and Wilson Funeral Home, Tuesday, September 15, at 2 o'clock. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Nettie Pyle
Died-September 12, 1942

THOMAS PYLE

Thomas Pyle, a well-known resident of Smith township, died at his home near Raccoon on Saturday morning, December 19, 1914, aged 45 years. The cause of death was apoplexy. He had been in poor health for about six months and six weeks ago was compelled to give up his work as section foreman on the Panhandle railroad. However, he had not been confined to bed and until a few hours before his death there was nothing alarming in his condition.

Deceased was a son of the late George Pyle and Ackleson Pyle, and was born in Smith township, where he always lived. His wife, who was Miss Allie Hemphill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hemphill, of Burgettstown, survives him with eight children, the oldest of whom is twelve years and the youngest about eight months. He is also survived by his mother, who lives at Amsterdam, Ohio, and the following sisters: Annie, wife of David Carlisle, of New Brighton, Pa.; Laura, wife of Edward Stewart, of Toronto, Ohio, and Miss Georgie, of Amsterdam, Ohio. Deceased was a grandson of Mrs. Louise Pyle, and a nephew of Thomas H. Ackleson, W. A. Pyle and J. G. Pyle, all of Burgettstown.

He was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Burgettstown and the pastor, Rev. W. M. Hays, D. D., conducted the funeral from his late residence on Friday afternoon at 1:30.

**Thomas Pyle
Died-December 19, 1914**

Thomas Harold Pyle

Calif. man started
at W&J at age 16

Thomas Harold Pyle, 93, of Mill Valley, Calif., died May 24, 2003.

He was born February 10, 1910, in Smith Township, a son of Thomas Henry and Allie Rae Pyle.

Mr. Pyle's education at Washington & Jefferson College began at the age of 16, but was interrupted for several years before he graduated in 1934 as class president. He was active in athletics at W&J and during his adult life.

He worked with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers before and during World War II, serving in Hawaii and the South Pacific. He worked in the sugar cane industry while in the Pacific islands.

Mr. Pyle later worked for Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. for 25 years as an auditor, spending a majority of time in Sacramento, Calif.

Following retirement, he moved to Mill Valley, where he worked as a volunteer at the library and for the Meals on Wheels program. His many interests included history, travel, politics, fishing and athletics.

In 1941, he married Phyllis C. Duggan.

Surviving are a son, Tom Pyle of Sunnyvale, Calif.; a daughter, Lani Raymond Howe of Homer, Alaska; six grandchildren, Michael and Matthew Pyle, Christine, Sonja and Erik Matson and Jeffrey Raymond; four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Grace Petrucci and Louise Short; and many nieces and nephews.

Deceased are three sisters, Mary Young, Catherine Ramsey and Dorothy Chambon; and two brothers, Howard and George Pyle.

Thomas Harold Pyle
February 10, 1910-May 24, 2003

PYLE—On Friday, January 24, 1936, at 11:20 a. m., **WILLIAM ALBERT**, aged 83 years. Funeral services at his late home, 114 Center Ave., Burgettstown, Pa., on Monday, January 27, at 2:30 p. m. Friends invited.‡

William Albert Pyle
April 15, 1852-January 24, 1936