

Lincoln, area deaths

J. I. Holland

Jeremiah I. Holland, 59, of Springfield, a New Holland native, died at his residence at

3:53 p.m. Monday.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Thursday at Bisch Memorial Home in Springfield with the Rev. David Houghton officiating. Burial will be in Camp Butler Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Funeral home.

He was born in New Holland June 27, 1917, a son of Charles and Beatrice Friend Holland. He married Frances Melton.

Among survivors are his wife of Springfield; one daughter, Colleen, at home; one brother, Mark of Dallas, Texas; one sister, Mrs. Virginia Samonds of Westchester; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Homer of Houston, Texas Jan. 11.

A veteran of World War II, he was a member of First United Methodist Church of Lincoln.

Mrs. E. Thompson

Mrs. Elizabeth Mary Thompson, 79, of Lincoln, died at 8:15 a.m. Tuesday at ALM Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Fricke Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Wilson R. Forbush officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

The deceased was born in Lincoln Dec. 22, 1897, a daughter of Louis A. and Katherine Zurkammer Stolz Sr. She married Edgar C. Thompson Sr. in Latham Dec. 27, 1917. He died Oct. 13, 1918.

Among survivors are two brothers, Louis Stolz of Lincoln, and Henry Stolz of Muncie, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Pearl Beverman of Lincoln, and Mrs. Marie Thompson of Pomona, Calif.; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one son, one brother, and two sisters.

A member of First United Methodist Church of Lincoln, she was also a member of the Royal Neighbors and the Past Oracles Club. She was a retired receptionist having been employed by several doctors in Lincoln.

Tickets available

A few tickets are still available for the Greater Lincoln Area Chamber of Commerce dinner-dance Saturday night at the Elks Country club in Lincoln. Tickets may be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce office. A limited number of tickets are being sold for the annual event.



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OLD AND NEW COUPON SPECIAL

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Walter Jaggi

CHESTNUT — Walter C. Jaggi, 56, died at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln, of a heart attack.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Immanuel Lutheran Church, the Rev. Don Beckman officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, and beginning at noon Wednesday at the church.

He was born Oct. 16, 1920, in Bloomington, a son of William and Olga Jaeger Jaggi. He married Clarice Yauch Aug. 23, 1942, in Chestnut. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, John, Decatur; two daughters, Mrs. Janice Andrews and Mrs. Susan Hull, both of Decatur; a sister, Mrs. Louise Haning, Morton; a brother, Carl, Morton, and three grandchildren.

He farmed 27 years, was a

machinist instructor at Caterpillar Tractor Co. 12 years and taught adult education classes at Lincoln Community High School.

He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, and the council and brotherhood of the church.

The deceased was on the board of directors of Farmers Grain Co., Chestnut.

Memorials may be made to Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Perry Hilliard

MOUNT PULASKI — Funeral services for Perry C. Hilliard, 92, of Mount Pulaski, will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Charles Monroe officiating.

Visitation will be at the funeral home two hours prior to service time. Burial will be in Lake Bank Cemetery.

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Everett Koehler

MOUNT PULASKI — Everett V. Koehler, 74, died at 7:25 p.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

His funeral will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, the Rev. Al Morehead officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Masonic rites will be accorded at 8:15 p.m.

The deceased was born Sept. 3, 1903, at Lake Fork, a son of Louis and Rena M. Brothers Koehler. He married Geraldine Jenkins. She died Sept. 16, 1971.

Surviving are three brothers, William A., Lake Fork, Lloyd C., Athens, and Orville L., Mount Pulaski; a sister, Mrs. Nellie Wyland, Onawa, Iowa; and several nieces and nephews.

Two sisters and two brothers preceded him in death.

He was a retired building contractor in Mount Pulaski and a member of Mount Pulaski Masonic Lodge AF and AM 87, Mount Pulaski Chapter 121, Mount Pulaski Commandary 39 and Ansar Shrine of Springfield.

John W. Werth

John W. Werth, 95, of Lincoln, died at 10:50 a.m. Tuesday at Lutheran Medical Center in St. Louis, Mo. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Zion Lutheran church in Lincoln with the Rev. A.J. Goldberger officiating. Burial will be in Union cemetery. Visitation is from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home with the casket being taken to the church at noon Friday.

The deceased was born in Logan County Dec. 8, 1881, the son of Henry and Meta

(Ellinghouser) Werth. He married Matilda Stoll Sept. 23, 1909 in Lincoln and she died May 1, 1955.

Surviving are a son, Orville E. of St. Louis and four sisters, Mrs. Henrietta Steffen, Mrs. Louise Steffen and Mrs. Alma Gehlbach, all of Lincoln and Mrs. Olga Schroeder of Emden. Two brothers and two sisters are deceased.

A retired carpenter, he was a member of the carpenter local union and Zion Lutheran church. Memorials may be made to the church.

Deadline extended for license plates

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (UPI) — Secretary of State Alan Dixon says frozen-fingered motorists can have an extra two weeks to get 1977 license plates and put them on their cars.

The deadline for displaying new plates had been Feb. 15. Dixon Tuesday ordered it extended to March 1, the latest date permitted by state law.

Dixon said the weather has made plates a "low priority item." So far, he said, only about half of Illinois' 5.6 million cars have been registered.

The difficulty of travel, immobilization of some snowbound vehicles and the strain imposed on budget by higher than normal heating bills all have combined to slow the pace of license plate purchases, he said.

"The weather also is a factor in installing plates," Dixon said. "Even motorists who already have new plates aren't putting them on yet for fear of freezing their fingers."

Dixon said he will announce a plan later this year to change the state's license plate system.

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Ananias Sparks

MIDDLETOWN — Ananias A. (Turk) Sparks, 72, died at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday at his residence.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Middletown Methodist Church with the Rev. Arthur Ferguson officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday at Holland & Barry Funeral Home. The casket will be taken to the church at 11 a.m. Saturday.

The deceased was born Jan. 17, 1904 in Lincoln, a son of Jesse and Bessie Logan Sparks. He married Dorothy Sapp in April, 1936. She died in 1936.

Among survivors are one daughter, Dorothy Mae Sparks of Middletown; four brothers, Paul and Thomas of Middletown; Andres of Beason, and Allen of Lincoln; five sisters, Mrs. Alberta Danley of Lincoln, Mrs. Jessie Boward, Mrs. Elizabeth Dobey and Mrs. Pauline Ellegood, all of Middletown, and Mrs. Leona Debonis of Plainview, Long Island, N.Y.

He was preceded in death by two brothers.

A retired farmer and World War II Army Veteran, he was a member of Middletown American Legion Post 672, Logan County Farm Bureau, and Lincoln Eagles 2708.

Otto Goeman

ATLANTA — Otto Goeman, 91, of 100 S. Josephine died at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday at his home.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at the Quiram Funeral Home, the Rev. Lynn Hieronymus officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

He was born June 16, 1885, in Auburn, a son of Thomas and Kathryn McKnight Goeman. He married Bertie Reeves in Davenport, Iowa. She died Aug. 19, 1969.

There are no survivors.

He was employed by the City of Atlanta for 35 years. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

MEET MONDAY

HARTSBURG — Hartsburg

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Rabbe infant

MASON CITY — Todd Michael Rabbe, eleven-month-old son of Michael and Holly Treadway Rabbe, died Friday morning at St. Francis Hospital in Peoria. Funeral arrangements are pending at Cain Funeral Home, Mason City.

according to the Sangamon County coroner's office.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with Pastor Charles Monroe and the Rev. S.M. Davis officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

She was born Oct. 12, 1908 in Lincoln, a daughter of Charles L. and Margaret G. Kingsley.

They survive as do two sisters, Keena and Konda, both at home; and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kingsley of Latham.

She attended Mount Pulaski High School and was a member of the school band and of State Street Baptist Church.

Kellie Conaway

MOUNT PULASKI — Kellie Jo Conaway, 16, of 319 S. Marion St., died at 9:45 p.m. Thursday at St. John's Hospital in Springfield where she had been transferred from ALM Hospital in Lincoln.

An autopsy has been scheduled.

Courier markets

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Area Death

Rabbe infant

MASON CITY — Private family services for Michael Todd Rabbe, eleven-month-old son of Michael and Holly Treadway Rabbe of Clinton, will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at Cain Funeral Home. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

He was born March 5, 1976, in Bloomington.

Surviving are his parents, paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rabbe, Mason City; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Treadwell, Rockford, and maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Lou Raskin, Rockford.

A fund has been established at Farmers State Bank, Heyworth, in memory of the child. His mother is a first grade teacher at Heyworth Elementary School.

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Carl Kurtz

Carl Kurtz, 81, of 528 Seventh St., a retired farmer and former director of Logan County Farm Bureau, died at 6:45 p.m. Saturday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at St. John United Church of Christ, the Rev. Wallace W. Reifsteck officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home and an hour before the service Wednesday at the church.

He was born March 3, 1895, in Lincoln, a son of Lewis and Anna Flick Kurtz. He married Lena Oltmanns Dec. 12, 1917, in Hartsburg. She died Jan. 20, 1944. He married Lena Wrage in February, 1957, in Lincoln.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Donald, R.R. 1, Lincoln; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Virginia Otte, Lincoln; Mrs. Margaret Dingeldein, Peoria, and Mrs. Ruth Quisenberry, rural Emden; a brother, Ray Kurtz, Lincoln; four sisters, Miss Irene Kurtz and Miss Mildred Kurtz, both of Lincoln; Mrs. Alma Armstrong, Rock Island, and Mrs. Hazel Small, Bethesda, Md.; five grandchildren; 11 step-grandchildren, and 14 step-great-grandchildren.

Three brothers preceded him in death.

Kurtz was a member of St. John United Church of Christ and the church council and brotherhood.

Memorials may be made to the church.

Remus Pickering

LEXINGTON — The funeral for Remus Pickering, 85, who died Friday, was Monday at Musselman Funeral Home.

The Rev. Raymond Harrison officiated. A Masonic service was conducted prior to the funeral. Burial was in Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

He was born May 10, 1891, in rural Cooksville, a son of George and Rosetta Gosnel Pickering. He married Nettie McClellan in 1913. He married Edith Smith Goliday in 1938 in Missouri.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Jack Pickering, Bloomington, and Allen Pickering, Lincoln; two step-children, Mrs. Ernest Radley, Nashville, Tenn., and Robert Goliday, Lexington; 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, two sisters, one grandchild, and one great-grandchild.

Pickering, a 50-year member of Heyworth Masonic Lodge, was a member of the Evangelical United Methodist Church, Lexington.

Mrs. M. Broadwell

NORTH FORT MEYERS, FLA. — Mrs. Mary (Lessie) Broadwell, 73, of North Fort Meyers, Fla., formerly of this area, died Saturday in Fort Meyers, Fla.

She was born Sept. 16, 1903, a daughter of Isaac C. and Annis (Peal) Marshal, in Saxton, Mo. She moved to Florida from Illinois in 1960.

Among survivors are her husband Norman M. Broadwell; two sons, Dr. Norman M. Bradburn, Chicago, and Dr. Hubert B. Bradburn, New Haven, Conn.; one daughter, Mrs. Richard (Betty) Hullehn, Paynesville, Ohio; one brother, Alfred Marshal, St. Louis, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Stubbs and Mrs. Rebecca McClarren, both of Blochet, Mo.; and ten grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at North Meyers Memorial Funeral Home.

Defeat referendums

CARLINVILLE, Ill. (UPI) — Two Macoupin County school districts have defeated property tax referendums, increasing the possibility for large deficits next year.

Girard School District Saturday defeated a proposal 643 to 44 that would have increased the tax 65 cents for every \$100 valuation of the property.

The primarily agricultural district has defeated six referendums since 1967, and School Superintendent Tom Eson said the district is expected to be \$200,000 in debt by next year.

Also Saturday, almost half the voters turned out for the referendum in Staunton School District and defeated a 50-cent increase per \$100 valuation. The margin was 1,135 to 773.

School Superintendent Marlin Hawkins said over \$110,000 has already been cut from the budget and the defeat will mean \$100,000 debt for the district next year.

Area death

Presly J. Holland

KENNEY — Presly J. Holland, 53, a farmer at R.R. 1, died at 3:45 p.m. Monday at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton, of an apparent heart attack.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at the Pullen-Boos Funeral Chapel, Clinton. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Mr. Holland was born March 29, 1923, in DeWitt County, a son of Henry and Edna Moretz Holland. He married Virginia Wene Holland May 10, 1947, in Clinton. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Bonnie Buraglio, Tuscola, and Mrs. Peggy Haycraft, Wapella; a son, Daniel J., Bloomington; two brothers, Lloyd, Kenney, and Carl, McLean; a sister, Mrs. Jennie Strauman, Pekin; two grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Dr. John Warner Hospital building fund.

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Area deaths

Mrs. M. Johnson

Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, 85, Lincoln, died at 1:05 p.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Her funeral will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home with the Rev. Warren Freibelt officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 5 p.m. Wednesday (today) at the funeral home.

She was born March 10, 1891, in Logan County, a daughter of William and Martha Farris Lucas. She married Peter G. Johnson. He died Jan. 12, 1968.

Surviving are a son, Lloyd, R.R. 1, Lincoln; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Carl Shull

CHESTNUT — Carl Shull, 77, died at 12:10 p.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Paul Beach officiating. Burial will be in Laenna Cemetery, Chestnut.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

Shull was born April 30, 1899, in Lincoln, a son of Tom and Effie Richard Shull. He married Eva A. Caskey July 30, 1922, at Mount Pulaski.

Surviving are his wife; a brother, Dorrell, Chestnut; four sisters, Mrs. Ben (Ada) Row and Mrs. Clifford (Neva) Rouston, both of Lincoln; Mrs. William (Hallie) Bertrang and Mrs. Eerett (Lucille) Sams, both of Mount Pulaski.

Three brothers preceded him in death.

He was a member of Chestnut United Methodist Church.

Memorials may be made to the church.

Lincoln, area deaths

Oscar F. Maurer

Oscar F. Maurer, 80, of Lincoln, died at 6:55 Thursday at Lincolnland Nursing Home. His body has been donated to medical science.

He was born in Chester Township, Logan County, Aug. 31, 1896, a son of Frederick and Marie Hahn Maurer.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. William (Evelyn) Rice, Decatur; two sisters, Mrs. Edward (Corinne) Rethaber, Lincoln, and Mrs. Hulda Armstrong, Lincoln; two brothers, Victor Maurer, Lincoln, and Louis Maurer, Scottsdale, Ariz.; and two grandchildren.

One sister and six brothers preceded him in death.

Maurer was a retired employee of East Lincoln Township Highway Department and Lincoln Developmental Center.

There will be a private memorial service at Zion Lutheran Church chapel at 10:30 a.m. Friday.

Mrs. M. W. Harnish

Mrs. Marie W. Harnish, 82, of 715 N. Logan St., died at 8:50 p.m. Wednesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 1:30 p.m. at Fricke Funeral Home, Lincoln, with Pastor A. J. Goldberger officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be Friday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mrs. Harnish was born July 22, 1894, in Altamont, a daughter of August and Ernestine Zimmerman Hasley. She married Albert Harnish March 6, 1916, in Altamont. He died in March, 1973.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Edward B. (Mildred) Campbell, of 520 N. Sherman St.; one sister, Miss Emma Hasley, Springfield; one brother, William Hasley, Lincoln; one granddaughter, Sharon Purviance, Lincoln; and four great-grandchildren.

One son, two sisters, and two brothers preceded her in death.

Mrs. Harnish was a member of Zion Lutheran Church.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Parochial School, Lincoln.

Mrs. Lillie Dial

Mrs. Lillie Dial, 84, of Lincoln, died at 8:17 a.m. Thursday at Lincoln Christian Nursing Home.

Arrangements are pending at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

She was born April 5, 1892, in Kentucky, a daughter of Isaac and Melinda Hagan Garman. She married Ambrose Dial June 17, 1907. He died March 7, 1949.

Surviving are one son, Ralph Dial, Lincoln; one daughter, Mrs. Beverly Buttell of rural Elkhart; one sister, Mrs. Betty Dingler, Lincoln; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Two sons, three brothers, and one sister preceded her in death.

She was formerly employed as a cook at Odd Fellow's Children's Home and was a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

Area death

Mrs. Lillie Dial

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillie Dial, 84, of Lincoln, will be at 1 p.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Ken Monson officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Dial was preceded in death by one sister, three brothers, and two sons.

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian Nursing Home.

Lincoln, area deaths

Howard Bushell

LINCOLN—Howard H. Bushell, 78, of 819 Pulaski St., Lincoln, died at 2:05 p.m. Friday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital. Funeral Services will be at 9 a.m. Monday at St. Patrick's Church, the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Kerrigan Funeral Home. A Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m.

The deceased was born June 28, 1898, in Lincoln, a son of John and Mary Ann Perdue Bushell. He was married to Wilmeta J. Braka Feb. 10, 1926, by Msgr. Henkel at St. Mary's Church, Lincoln, and she survives. Also surviving are two sons, John C., Lincoln, and William H., Decatur, and four grandsons.

He was a member of St. Patrick's Church, an honorary member of the VFW, and a lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus and the Elks. He owned and operated Bushell's Tavern for more than 50 years in Lincoln before retiring several years ago. Memorials may be made to the donor's choice.

Mrs. Nellie Gilchrist

EMDEN—Mrs. Nellie M. Gilchrist, 96, died at 7 p.m. Friday at Bartmann Nursing Home, Atlanta.

Her funeral will be at 2:30 p.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, the Rev. Bruce Allison officiating. Burial will be in Bethel Cemetery, Emden. Visitation will be from 3 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

The deceased was born Dec. 7, 1880, in Eminence Township, a daughter of James and Frances Ferguston Hawes. She married David G. Gilchrist March 22, 1900, in Atlanta. He died April 25, 1971. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Leonard J. (Donnabel) McCormick, Emden; a sister, Mrs. Maureen Lake, Atlanta, and three grandsons, Dr. David G. Gilchrist, Davis, Calif., Lynn D. Gilchrist and Lance McCormick, both of Emden. A son, a daughter, two sisters and a

brother are deceased.

She was a member of the Union Presbyterian Church and the then First Presbyterian Church, Lincoln the Bethel-Union Missionary Society, and was a trustee of the Bethel Cemetery Association. Memorials may be made to Bartmann Nursing Home.

Mrs. Bessie Faulkin

SAN JOSE—Mrs. Bessie C. Faulkin, 89, died Saturday morning at 5:55 a.m. in the Mary Henry Nursing Home, Lincoln. Her funeral will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the Moeller Funeral Home, San Jose with the Rev. Don Doty officiating. Burial will be in Green Hills Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1 to 3 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

She was born Nov. 6, 1887 in San Jose, a daughter of William and Christina Ginther Mangold. She married George H. Faulkin, Feb. 8, 1912. Surviving are her husband and a son, Leroy, both of San Jose; a brother, John Mangold, Winter Park, Florida; one granddaughter, two grandsons and several nephews and nieces. She was preceded in death by eight brothers and one sister.

Mrs. Shirley Ward

MASON CITY—Mrs. Shirley L. Ward, 50, died at 2:12 p.m. Friday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital where she had been taken an hour earlier. Mrs. Ward had been in ill health for three years. Her funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the Cline Funeral Home in Beardstown. The Rev. Robert Padback of the First Christian Church of Mason City will officiate. Burial will be in Messerer Cemetery near Frederick. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Surviving are her husband, Mason City; a son Niles and daughter Mrs. Joe (Janet) Zimmerman, both of Sherman; a grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Bellomy of South Holland; and two grandchildren. She was

preceded in death by her parents, Glenn and Anna Park Bellomy.

Memorials may be given to the First Christian Church where she was a member.

Delivers son

Lynn Kaufman, 18, of rural McLean, delivered his second son early Friday morning moments before the ambulance service arrived.

Kaufman's wife, 19-year-old Sandra, became mother of an eight and one half ounce baby boy at 5:15 a.m. He was named James Lee and is the second son born to the Kaufmans.

Kaufman had been present in the delivery room during their first birth, and had apparently learned his lessons well. Mother and son were admitted to Brokaw Hospital, Bloomington, at 6:41 a.m. Friday and were in good condition Saturday morning.

TEMPERATURE REPORT

The Friday temperature soared to 57 degrees and dropped to a low of 36 according to Lincoln's weather man, Vernon Gehlbach. There was a trace of precipitation by 6 a.m. Saturday. The outlook for the next few days shows a slight cooling trend and little precipitation. Highs are expected to range from 30 to 40 degrees and lows from 15 to 25.

TEANEY GIVES PROGRAM

EMDEN — The Emden - Hartsburg Kiwanis Club members heard a recording Monday night of "Acres of Diamonds," a 100-year-old motivational speech, which was played by program chairman, Wendell Teaney. Its theme was as relevant today as it was in the 1800s.

Next Monday is Valentines Day and Ladies Night at Kiwanis. A special program is being planned.

Six Kiwanians, headed by president Fred Ananias, plan to attend the Midwinter Training Conference held in Springfield Sunday afternoon and evening.

A board meeting was held following the regular meeting.

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Mrs. Ruth Stringer

Mrs. Ruth Stringer, 84, of 421 Decatur, a retired occupational therapist at Lincoln Developmental Center, died at 11:20 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Her funeral will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, the Rev. Elmer H. Hofer officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

She was born June 24, 1892, in Warrensburg, a daughter of William H. and Julia A. Ogle Gillenwater. She married William Henry Stringer March 19, 1910, in Lincoln. He died May 19, 1964.

Surviving are two sons, Richard W. Stringer and C. Loren Stringer, both of Lincoln; four grandchildren, and nine great-

grandchildren.

Two sisters and a brother preceded her in death.

Mrs. Stringer, a former president of Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, was a member of Royal Neighbors of America. She was also a Pink Shutter volunteer.

Harry Jackson

MASON CITY — Harry G. Jackson Sr., 82, a retired farmer, died at 8:55 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at United Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Mark Kim officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery, where the Mason City American Legion Post will accord military rites.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Cain Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 3, 1894, in Bureau County, a son of William and Grace Bell Jackson. He married Bertha Thompson Aug. 5, 1916, in Bureau Township. She died Nov. 26, 1970.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Marie Stapleton, Peoria; and Mrs. Lorene Blair, Cottonwood, Ariz.; three sons, Harry Jackson Jr., Mason City; Willard Jackson, Canton, and Robert Jackson, Canoga Park, Calif.; three sisters, Mrs. Vivian Christiansen, Ottawa; Mrs. Lelia Stephenson, Rock Falls, and Mrs. Rena Barnett, Buda; eight grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

A granddaughter preceded him in death.

Jackson, a veteran of World War I, belonged to the Mason City American Legion Post and United Presbyterian Church. He once commanded the World War I Barracks.

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Area Death

Mrs. F. Washburn

MACKINAW — Mrs. Frances M. Washburn, 74, of Mackinaw, was found dead of apparently natural causes in her home at 5:50 p.m. Sunday. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Haensel Funeral home with the Rev. Phillip Woodworth officiating. Burial will be in Mackinaw cemetery. There will be no visitation.

The deceased was born Dec. 22, 1902 in Mackinaw, the daughter of William and Grace (Layton) Bailey. She married David C. Washburn Dec. 28, 1918 at Pekin and he died April 27, 1962. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Louis (Dorothy) Cramer of Lincoln; a son Wayne, of Pendleton, Ore.; a sister Mrs. Myrtle Leaser of Decatur, five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

She was a member of the Caterpillar retirees club, having retired in 1967, and the Royal Neighbors of America.

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Lincoln, area deaths

Kenneth A. Aery

TEMPE, Ariz. — Kenneth A. Aery, 64 of Tempe, Ariz. died there Saturday. Burial services were held at Hillcrest Park Cemetery in Springfield, Mass. Wednesday.

He was born in Lincoln April 23, 1912 and was educated here. He was a World War II and Vietnam veteran, serving in the Air Force and retiring as a technical sergeant.

Among survivors are his wife Ruth (DeJarnette) Aery; a brother, Herald of Peoria; three sisters, Mrs. Iva Wheeler of Lincoln and Mrs. Mabel Armstrong and Mrs. Connie Winslow,

both of Tempe, Ariz.; and five grandchildren.

Maj. Iva Rogers

CLINTON — Maj. Iva Anderson Rogers, 68, of Colorado Springs, Colo., formerly of Clinton, a retired major in the Marine Corps, died at 8 a.m. Monday in her home.

Her funeral was today at Law Mortuary, Colorado Springs. After cremation, burial will be in Ft. Logan Cemetery, Colorado Springs.

She was born Jan. 21, 1909, in Clinton, a daughter of Russell and Bertha Chamberlain Anderson. She married Otha Rogers

July 4, 1937, in Clinton. He was a major in the Marine Corps in World War II and died on Guadalcanal.

Surviving are her father, Hallsville; three brothers, Joe, Wapella; Ray, Clinton, and Arthur, Jacksonville; a sister, Mrs. Viva Rogers, Tulsa, Okla.

Her mother and a brother preceded her in death.

She attended Clinton schools and was a graduate of Browns Business College, Decatur. She had been an employee of the postal office in Washington, D.C.

After her husband's death, she joined the Marines Corps. She retired from the corps for health reasons.

Russell Harford

KENNEY — Russell F. Harford, 77, Rockford, former Kenney resident and a retired dispatcher for Illinois Central Gulf Railroad, died at 10 p.m. Monday at Rockford Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Pullen - Boos Funeral Chapel, Clinton, with the Rev. Dale Baldwin and the Rev. Kevin Boll officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday (today) at the funeral home, with masonic rites accorded at 8 p.m.

Harford was born Jan. 11, 1900, in Palmyra, a son of Louis and Nelhe Myra Young Harford. He married Huidah Michel, who preceded him in death. He married Vera V. Jones Oct. 27, 1973 in Rockford. She survives.

Also surviving are two stepsons, William Jones, Sycamore, and Harry Thomas Jones, Lakeside, Calif.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Stephen Haughey, Richardson, Tex.; two brothers, Ralph, Springfield, and Earling, Cola, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Robert Debene, Sullivan, and eight grandchildren.

He was a member of Kenney Christian Church, Henderson Masonic Lodge, Kenney American Legion Post and Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a veteran of World War II.

Memorials may be made to the church.

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Area death

Louis Woodward

Louis Woodward, 70, of Loudonville, O., former Lincoln resident, died at 5 a.m. Thursday at Loudonville.

Funeral arrangements are pending.

He was born May 16, 1906, in Lincoln, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Woodward. He married Katherine Broa Nov. 2, 1947, in Ohio. She survives along with a sister, Mrs. Evelyn Woodward of Lincoln.

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Area death

William Reichle

William Reichle, 72, died Wednesday at his home in Morton Grove. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Martha's church, Morton Grove. Burial will be in All Saints' cemetery at Des Plaines.

Visitation will be at Meyer - Simkins Funeral Home, Morton Grove, from 7-9 p.m. Friday (today).

Mr. Reichle was born in East Lincoln Township Dec. 24, 1904, a son of Jacob and Mary Ryan Reichle Jr. He married Alice McCarthy Aug. 14, 1938, in Chicago.

Surviving are his wife; a son, William Reichle, Morton Grove; three daughters, Mrs. Pamela Scelsi, Mount Prospect; Sharon Reichle and Debra Reichle, both of Morton Grove; one brother, Walter Reichle, Lincoln; four sisters, Mrs. Marie Schreiber, Lincoln; Mrs. Ellen Woolf and Mrs. Margie Bell, both of Lauderhill, Fla.; and Mrs. Mary Bald, Titusville, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

Two brothers and four sisters preceded him in death.

He was a member of St. Martha's church, Morton Grove.

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Lincoln, area deaths

Carl Halsey

WAYNESVILLE— Carl B. Halsey, 79, of Waynesville was dead on arrival at 5:55 p.m. Friday at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton. He was taken to the hospital from Crestview Nursing Home, Clinton.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Pullen-Boos funeral Chapel, Clinton, with the Rev. Ronald Jarrett officiating. Burial will be at Evergreen Cemetery, Waynesville.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

He was born June 27, 1897, in Waynesville, a son of Robert M. and Martha Winkle Halsey. He married Anna Ruble Oct. 14, 1917, in Peoria. She died Sept. 1, 1964.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Carmen Mearida, Wapella; Mrs. Melba Neaville, Mount Pulaski, and Mrs. Mary Rich, Waynesville; two sons, Glenn, Atlanta, and Thomas, Waynesville; 17 grandchildren and 29 great-grandchildren.

Three sons preceded him in death.

He was a retired livestock buyer and a member of Waynesville Christian Church.

Walter Surface

MASON CITY — Walter T. Surface, 88, of Peoria, formerly of Mason City, died at 6:55 p.m. Thursday at Proctor Community Hospital, Peoria, where he had been a patient for a day.

Graveside services were today at Mason City Cemetery.

Davison Funeral Home, Peoria, was in charge of arrangements.

He was born July 2, 1888, a son of John and Minerva Suffield Surface. He married Alma Dare Nov. 23, 1913. She died July 8, 1953, in Mason City.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Darlene Stolp, Peoria, and Mrs. Donna Carter, South Roxana, and three grandchildren.

Four brothers preceded him in death.

Surface was a retired farmer and a member of Modern Woodman of America.

Memorials may be made to the missionary fund of Germantown Hills Baptist church.

Walter Horrom

ATLANTA — Walter Lester Horrom, 85, of Adrian, Mich., formerly of Atlanta, died Friday at Provenial House Nursing Home, Adrian.

His funeral will be at 8 p.m. today at Braun Funeral Home, Adrian, with the Rev. William Winch officiating.

NAMED SUPERIOR

Teena Harbert achieved a superior academic standing during the fall semester at Lincoln Land Community College. She earned a grade point average of 3.63 with 16 credit hours. Teena is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harbert, 314 S. Butler St., Lincoln.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Atlanta Cemetery.

Horrom was born Sept. 3, 1891, in Atlanta. He married Nell Powers May 3, 1912, in Atlanta.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Norma Freisen, Adrian, Mich.; Mrs. Lucille Myers, New Albany, Ind., and five grandchildren.

Three daughters, three sisters and a brother preceded him in death.

He was a member of Presbyterian Church of Adrian. He retired in 1962 after working for the GM&O Railroad for 45 years.

Hospital notes

Admitted Friday

Wayne Bree, Lincoln
John Dowdel, Middletown
Mrs. Sylvia Jenkins, Atlanta
Marvin Louis, Lincoln
Harold Reynolds, Lincoln
Mrs. Mary Shunnefield, Lincoln

Dismissed

Rene Broster, Lincoln
Perry Clary, Lincoln
Mrs. Alvin Flot, Lincoln
Mrs. Jerry Heath, Lincoln
William Johnson, Mason City
Mrs. Michael Kelsey, Mason City
Mrs. Roy Lahr, Lincoln
Mrs. Michael Lolling, and son, Lincoln
Christina Maltas, Lincoln
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Lincoln, area deaths

Charlie Suddeth

MIDDLETOWN — Charlie Suddeth, 81, of Peoria, formerly of Middletown, died at 5:45 a.m. Sunday at Proctor Hospital, Peoria.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Middletown Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Steve Blaum officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9

p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln.

He was born Aug. 1, 1895, in Flora, a son of James and Nancy Lee Suddeth. He married Lena Wright June 2, 1935, in Bloomington. She died Nov. 11, 1957.

Surviving are a sister-in-law, Mrs. Lilhan Suddeth, Peoria; and three nephews, Kenneth, Galesburg; Arnold, Peoria; and Robert.

One brother preceded him in death.

Suddeth was a retired farmer and a veteran of WW I.

He was a member of Middletown American Legion.

Mrs. M. Schmidt

MASON CITY — Mrs. Minnie B. Schmidt, 91, died at 8:35 a.m. Sunday at St. Clara's Manor, Lincoln.

Her funeral will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Mason City United Methodist Church, with Dr. James Bortell officiating. Burial will be in Mason City Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. today at Cain Funeral Home.

She was born Sept. 22, 1885, in Mason County, a daughter of John and Frances Clemens Lockenour. She married Henry Schmidt Sept. 2, 1914, in Lincoln. He died Oct. 17, 1974.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Mrs. Cleo Sutton, Hedrick, Iowa; four step-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Schmidt, a 50-year member of Madeline Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, was a member of Mason City United Methodist Church, Rebekah Lodge and Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Jessie Tracy

MASON CITY — Mrs. Jessie M. Tracy, 83, of rural Mason City

died at 2:15 a.m. Monday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in Lincoln. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Moeller Funeral Home in Mason City with the Rev. Robert Paddock officiating. Burial will be in Mason City cemetery. Visitation is from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

The deceased was born Feb. 16, 1894, in Mason City, the daughter of John and Anna (McCreery) Hill. She married John Tracy Feb. 11, 1914 in Havana and he survives. Also surviving are a son, Ray of Mason City; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. She was a member of the First Christian church of Mason City to which memorials may be made.

Elected president

ROSEMONT, Ill. — Mel Smith, a teacher of economics at Elgin Larkin High School, has been elected president of the 60,000-member Illinois Education Association.

Smith, now IEA vice president, will begin a two-year term in July at a salary of \$32,000, replacing Woody Lee of Danville.

At the IEA's convention Saturday, Smith received 385 votes. Ben Loyd, an English teacher at Stulman Valley High School, got 165 votes and Ray Diebert, a government teacher at Rock Falls High School, got 88.

Smith said his first priority will be to work toward a collective bargaining bill for teachers passed by the Illinois General Assembly.

Gov. James R. Thompson announced that he will sign a bill Sunday that would allow teachers to elect their own representatives to the public employees' contract commission. The bill would also allow



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Lincoln, area deaths

Mrs. Marie Lehne

MOUNT STERLING — Mrs. Marie Lehne died at 11 a.m. Sunday of a heart attack.

Among survivors is a daughter, Mrs. Lester Petersen of 38 Northbrook Court, Lincoln.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Huffnagle Funeral Home at Mount Sterling. Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday (today) at the funeral home.

Doctor Ringland

MASON CITY — Dr. Raymond R. Ringland, 78, a retired orthodontist, died Saturday at Venice, Fla.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Cain Funeral Home with the Rev. James Bortell officiating. Burial will be in Mason City cemetery.

There will be no visitation. He was born Dec. 17, 1898, in

Mason County, a son of Irvin and Elizabeth Zimmerman Ringland. He married Doris Chadwick. She survives at Englewood, Fla.

Also surviving is a brother, Hal, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Three sisters and a brother preceded him in death.

He was a veteran of World War I.

Mrs. Ollie Johnson

CLINTON — Mrs. Ollie L. Johnson, 88, died at 8:59 a.m. Monday in DeWitt County Nursing Home, Hallsville.

Her funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in Pullen - Boos Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. John O. McIntyre officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Visitation will be one hour before the service at the funeral home.

She was born Jan. 15, 1889, in Pine Bluff, Ark., a daughter of

James L. and Eva Bradshaw Ford. She married Thomas W. Johnson Oct. 12, 1912, in Clinton. He died in August, 1939.

Surviving are a son, Robert B., Clinton; a brother, Valle Ford, Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Dixie Johnson, Springfield; and a granddaughter.

Four brothers and four sisters preceded her in death.

She was a member of First Presbyterian Church and a 50-year member of Myrtle Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. She was a member of American Legion Auxiliary.

Memorials may be made to Dr. John Warner Hospital building fund.

James P. Brown

ATLANTA — James P. Brown of Long Beach, Calif., formerly of Atlanta, died late Saturday afternoon in Long Beach.

His funeral will be in California at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Church of Our Father, with burial in Forrest Lawn Cemetery, at Cypress in Orange County.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 tonight in California.

Surviving is his wife, Edith, who lives in Long Beach. They moved from Atlanta in the early 1940s.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Cleo Clark, Long Beach, Calif.; a son, Jack, Lancaster, Calif.; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

He operated a combination gas station and cafe for many years.

Miss Lottie Hahn

Miss Lottie Hahn, a resident of Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski, died at 11:55 p.m. Monday Feb. 21. Funeral arrangements are pending at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

She was born in Bath March 22, 1886, a daughter of Frederick William and Julia Spilker. Surviving are several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers and seven sisters.

She was a member of Mount Pulaski Zion Lutheran Church and Ladies Aid.

Mrs. Nina Bly Bear

Nina Bly Bear (Mrs. Ralph Bear), 79, of Monticello, died Monday at Kirby Hospital, Monticello.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Mackey Funeral Home, Monticello.

There will be no visitation. Surviving are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Raymond Merry and Mrs. W. Herbert Alexander, both of Lincoln, and six grandchildren.

Courier markets

Livestock

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AT JOLIET

JOLIET, Ill. (UPI) — Livestock:

Cattle 100; market unestablished

Hogs 1,200; 1.00-1.25 lower; No 1-2 200-230 lb 40.00-40.50; No 1-3 200-250 lb 39.50-40.00; No 2-3 250-270 lb 38.50-39.50.

Wednesday estimated receipts 2,500 cattle, 1,500 hogs

PEORIA

PEORIA, Ill. (UPI) — Livestock:

Cattle 400; not enough steers or heifers for test; few choice steers 950-1100 lb 37.50-37.75, mixed good and choice 900-1150 lb 36.50-37.50; choice heifers 850-950 lb 35.50-36.50, mixed good and choice 800-1000 lb 34.00-35.50, good 31.00-34.00.

Hogs 3,900; mostly 1.00 lower; No 1-2 200-240 lb 40.00-40.50, 235 head 40.75-41.00; No 1-3 200-250 lb 39.50-40.00; No 2-3 250-280 lb 38.50-39.50; No 3-4 280-300 lb 36.50-38.50.

GRAIN FUTURES

CHICAGO (UPI) — Wheat was substantially lower and corn and soybeans lower at noon today on the Board of Trade.

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Mar 2.83¹/₂ off 2¹/₄

May 2.91¹/₄ off 3¹/₄

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Corn

Mar 2.57³/₄ off 1¹/₄

May 2.64¹/₄ off 1¹/₄

Jly 2.69¹/₂ off 1³/₄

Soybeans

Mar 7.44 off 1

May 7.49¹/₄ off 1¹/₄

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N.Y. Stocks

NEW YORK (UPI) — IBM was a standout today as prices pushed slightly higher in fairly active trading of the New York Stock Exchange.

IBM, one of the top glamor issues, was ahead 6¹/₈ after a delayed opening. The computer giant offered to buy up to 4 million of its own shares at \$280 a share. Company officials said the stock was "attractively priced" and a good investment. The company has bought its own shares from time to time in the past.

Buying of other stocks was restrained, however, because of investor concern inflation was becoming a major problem in the United States. This fear was fanned Friday by the government's report the cost of living rose at a 9.6 per cent annual rate in January.

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Lincoln, area deaths

Miss Lottie Hahn

Funeral services for Miss Lottie Hahn, a resident of Vonderlieth Living Center who died Monday, will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Mount Pulaski Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Louis Koke officiating.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday (today) at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Miss Hahn was the daughter of Frederick William and Julia Spilker Hahn.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church.

Mary Shinnefield

Mary Helen Shinnefield, 84, of Lincoln, died at 2:25 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, at ALM Hospital. Funeral arrangements are pending at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Sherman Abshier

KENNEY—Sherman Abshier, 85, of Kenney died at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday at Crestview Nursing Home, Clinton.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at Pullen-Boos Funeral Chapel, Clinton, with the Rev. John Lazell officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney.

Visitation will be 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Pullen-Boos Funeral Chapel.

He was born Nov. 16, 1891, in Spencer County, Ind., a son of Grant and Rose Abshier. He married Georgiana Ice May 30, 1917, in Rockport, Ind. She is deceased.

Surviving are a son, Donald, Normal; a daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Abbott, Bloomington, five sisters, Mrs. Tessie Meyers and Mrs. Alice Brown, both of Midway, Ind.; Mrs. Ethel Fortune, Hatfield, Ind.; Mrs. Gertrude Leingang, New Holland, Ind.; and Mrs. Ruby Jones, Tell City, Ind.; eight grandchildren.

20 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

A daughter, a brother, and a sister preceded him in death.

He was a member of Kenney United Methodist Church and a veteran of WWI.

Samuel E. Seaman

Samuel Edward Seaman, 56, of Hartsburg, died at 7:40 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 22, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at Bowden and Rhodes Funeral Home, Brookfield, Mo. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery, Brookfield, Mo.

Visitation will be 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln.

He was born April 6, 1920, in Lynn County, Mo., a son of James and Minnie Dell Seaman. He was first married to Mary Ellen Clark, July, 1940, in Marceline, Mo. She died Sept. 26, 1964. He then married Carol Cage Aug. 22, 1970, in Emden. She survives.

Also surviving are one son,

Eddie Seaman, Hartsburg; three stepsons, Dale Spencer, Tim Spencer, and Ronnie Spencer, all of Hartsburg; two brothers, Glenn Seaman, Brookfield, Mo., and Jay W. Seaman, Springfield; two sisters, Mrs. Viadell Wise, Hartsburg, and Mrs. Doris Eads, Brookfield, Mo.; and two grandsons.

One daughter preceded him in death.

He was an assemblyman at Caterpillar Tractor Company, East Peoria.

Robert J. Thorpe

Robert J. Thorpe, 67, of 115 Southgate, Lincoln, died at 10:10 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, at ALM Hospital. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 25, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Visitation will be 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Kerrigan Funeral Home, with the Rosary being recited at 8:15 p.m.

He was born Oct. 28, 1909, in Dalton City, a son of James and Catherine Welsh Thorpe. He married Elsie Mae Leathers June 30, 1934, at Bourbonnais College, Kankakee. She survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Beverly Heinzel, Lincoln and two grandchildren.

He was co-owner of B and B Tire Company for 35 years, retiring two years ago.

He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, the Third and Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, Lincoln Elks Lodge, Lincoln Eagles Lodge, and Ancient Order of Hibernians.

FUNERAL NOTICE

THORPE, Mr. Robert J.
 Funeral Services 10:00 A.M. Friday, February 25th at St. Patrick's church with Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross cemetery. Friends may call at the Kerrigan Funeral Home Thursday from 6:00 to 9:00 P.M. The rosary will be recited at 8:15 P.M. Friday. Kerrigan Funeral Home

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Lincoln, area deaths

Mrs. Hazel Barrick

Mrs. Hazel C. Barrick, 59, of Oakley, a former Lincoln resident, died at 5:14 a.m. Thursday at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur. Funeral services will be at 11:30 a.m. Saturday at Dawson and Wikoff Funeral Home in Decatur. Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. at Glendale Memorial Gardens at Pekin. Visitation is from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday at the Decatur funeral home.

The deceased was born in Hammond April 27, 1917, the daughter of Jess and Mayme (Dettling) Foreman. She married William Barrick Sept. 4, 1946, and he died Dec. 31, 1973. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mark (Janice) Montgomery of Decatur and Mrs. Larry (Barb) Smith of Oakley; two stepsons, William R. Barrick of Peoria and Robert L. Barrick of Blue Field Hills, Mich.; her mother of Decatur; four brothers, Harold of Hammond, Herbert of Decatur, Dean of Tuscola and Duane of Argenta; three sisters, Mrs. Hester Jones of Casner, Mrs. Dorothy Byard of Macon and Mrs. Delores Slifer of Decatur; and six grandchildren.

She was a member of the Ladies of the Moose.

Mrs. Eva M. Baker

Mrs. Eva M. Baker, 81, of Lincoln, died at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, at ALM Hospital. Funeral arrangements are pending at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

She was born March 1, 1895, in Jacksonville, a daughter of John and Mary Ellen Reeves Jeffers. She married George Adam Baker March 6, 1914, in Jacksonville. He died Feb. 8, 1945.

Surviving are one son, Donald Baker, Longview, Wa.; four daughters, Mrs. Margaret Marks, Sierra Vista, Arizona; Mrs. LaVeta Zurkammer, Mrs. Eloise Schreiber, and Mrs. Mildred Sullivan, all of Lincoln; one brother, John Jeffers, Ewing, Mo.; 10 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Two sons, one daughter, two brothers, and two sisters preceded her in death.

She was formerly employed at ALM Hospital and Lincoln-Garment Factory.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church, V.F.W. Auxiliary, and WWI Auxiliary.

Mrs. Maude Floyd

ATLANTA — Mrs. Maude Floyd, 75, of 206 S.W. Fourth, died at 3 a.m. Wednesday at St. Clara's Manor, Lincoln.

Her funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Quiram Funeral Home, with the Rev. Harry McFadden officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

She was born Feb. 20, 1902, in Waynesville, a daughter of William and Lina Foote Kraft. She married Albert Floyd Nov. 11, 1920, in Clinton. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Albert Floyd Jr., and Eugene H. Floyd, both of Atlanta; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Chatham and Mrs. Jessie Symmes, both of Chicago; a brother, Oscar Kraft, Atlanta; and three grandchildren.

A sister preceded her in death. She was a member of Waynesville Christian Church.

Helen Shinnfield

Helen Shinnfield, 84, of Lincoln, died at 2:25 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 23, at ALM Hospital. Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 26, at Walnut Hill Cemetery, Williamsville, with the Rev. Harold Flessner officiating.

Visitation will be from noon to 1 p.m. Saturday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

She was born Nov. 1, 1892, in Mechanicsburg, a daughter of Richard and Mary Pierson Baldwin.

Surviving are one son Richard Miller, DeKalb, and several nieces and nephews.

One files for board

Lincoln elementary school district will be electing three candidates at the April 9 election this year. The terms of Tonita Reifsteck and Joyce Kinzie expire this year and Dick Woods Jr., recently resigned his position on the board.

Peter J. Frantz had filed a

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Area death

Mrs. R. J. Gardner

Mrs. Rebecca Jane Gardner of Spokane, Wash., died Thursday, Feb. 24. She was the sister of Lee A. Ball of Lincoln and Mae Kretzinger of Chestnut.

Funeral services will be at Hayes and Yeager Funeral Home, Spokane, Wash., Monday, Feb. 28.

She was born in Lincoln Feb. 8, 1905, a daughter of James and Margaret Ball. She is survived by her husband Lester Gardner.

Also surviving are her brother and sister, Lee A. Ball and Mae Kretzinger, and several nieces and nephews.

Lincoln, area deaths

Mrs. Eva Baker

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva M. Baker, 81 of Lincoln, who died at 11:30 p.m. Wednesday will be Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral home. The Rev. Wilson R. Forbush will officiate at the 1:30 p.m. Services and burial will be in Zion cemetery. Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Maxine Finley

Mrs. Maxine W. Finley, 45 of 390 Northgate, died at 5:35 a.m. Saturday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Monday at the First United Methodist church of Lincoln with the Rev. Wilson R. Forbush officiating. Burial will be at Harmony cemetery near Beason. Visitation is from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday at Holland and Barry Funeral

home. The casket will be taken to the church at 12:30 p.m. Monday.

The deceased was born Nov. 23, 1931 in Lincoln the daughter of Garland and Claria (Broch) Shull. She was married to William T. Finley Jan. 14, 1955 in Springfield and he died June 3, 1973.

Surviving are a son, Stuart and a daughter, Tammy both at home; her mother and step father, Mr. and Mrs. John Childers of New Holland; her father and step mother, Garland and Emma Lee Shull of Paris, Mo.; three brothers, Larry of Waterloo, Ill., Donald of Lincoln and Dean of Morton; and a half brother Lloyd of Phoenix, Ariz.; and 12 nieces and nephews.

She was a 1949 graduate of Beason high school, a 1952 graduate of Springfield Memorial school of nursing, and a former registered nurse at A.I.M. hospital and Cutler-Hammer. A member of the First United Methodist church, she was also a member of the Rachel Circle.

Area deaths

William Bavester

ATLANTA — William Bavester, 76, a retired employee of Eureka Company, Bloomington, died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday at his home.

His funeral was Monday (today) at Quiram Funeral Home, with the Rev. Harry R. McFadden officiating. Burial was in Park Hill Cemetery, Bloomington.

He was born March 20, 1900, in Straffordshire, England, a son of John and Sarah Higgenbottom Bavester. He married Fern Schapmire Feb. 13, 1924, in Bloomington. She died Nov. 10, 1965.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Wilma Howser, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Lorinda Bristow, both of Atlanta; a sister, Ms. Lucy Hendricks, 1605 W. Washington, Bloomington, and two great-grandchildren.

Three brothers preceded him in death.

Bavester, who retired from Eureka Company in 1965, was a member of First Christian Church, Bloomington, and International Association of Machinists Local 1000.

Memorials may be made to Atlanta Public Library or Atlanta Christian Church.

Mrs. Opal Woomer

Mrs. Opal Woomer, 71 of Los Angeles, died at 5:20 p.m. Sunday in Los Angeles. Funeral arrangements are pending at Holland and Barry Funeral Home in Lincoln.

The deceased was born Oct. 8, 1905 in Phoenix, Mo. the daughter of Samuel B. and Myrtle (Willis) Grace. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Earl (Jessie) Hargrove of Lincoln and Mrs. Kenneth (Donna) Hargrove of Glenview. A sister is deceased.