

# Lincoln, area deaths

## Clarence Allison

Clarence Allison, 83, formerly of Elkhart, died at 3:50 a.m. Monday (today), May 2, at Dirksen House Nursing Home, Springfield.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 4, at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Bruce Allison officiating. Burial will be in Elkhart Cemetery.

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

He was born Dec. 10, 1893, in Greenview, a son of William and Addie Stone Allison. He married Alice Coffey Oct. 20, 1915, in Middletown. She died Oct. 2, 1964. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Marjorie Rees and Mrs.

Mary Kitchen, and one son, Robert Allison, all of Springfield; three sisters, Mrs. Bessie Shores, Springfield; Mrs. Florence Stroud, Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. Ina Ingram, Fancy Prairie; ten grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

He was a member of Irish Grove Presbyterian Church.

## Frank Owens

MASON CITY—Frank "Jim" Owens, 34, of 110 S. Logan, a self-employed auto mechanic, died at 12:45 a.m. Saturday at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

A private graveside service will be today at Oak Hill Cemetery, Lewiston.

He was born Dec. 23, 1942, in

Havana, a son of LeRoy and Onetia Chambers Owens. He married Barbara Wells April 11, 1964, in Bryant.

Surviving are his wife; his father, Lewiston; three sons, Frank, John and David, and two daughters, Stephanie and Onetia, all at home; two brothers, LeRoy Owens, Mason City, and Clare Owens, Havana, and three sisters, Mrs. Betty Gill, Lockport, Mrs. Dorothy Sheff, Manitor and Miss Dina Owens, Strum, Wis.

His mother preceded him in death.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

## Vernon Pugh

MASON CITY—Vernon W. Pugh, 79, a former Mason City resident, died Sunday morning at St. Petersburg, Fla., where he lived.

Moeller Funeral Home here is in charge of arrangements.

## Mrs. Mestinek

CLINTON — Mrs. Minnie M. Mestinek, 86, of Clinton died at 11:55 a.m. Saturday, April 30, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Graveside services were today (Monday) at Mausoleum Park Cemetery, Clinton, with Bill Fink officiating. Herington-Calvert Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

She was born Sept. 1, 1890, in Logan County, a daughter of Jacob F. and Mary Fette Gehlbach. She married Louis Mestinek Oct. 12, 1912. He died in 1957.

Surviving are one son, John Mestinek, and one daughter, Erma Mestinek, both of Clinton.

## Mrs. Huddleston

MATTOON — Anna Mae Huddleston died early Monday morning after a long illness. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Mitchell-Jourdon Funeral Home in Mattoon. Visitation is from 6-9 p.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Huddleston was the mother of Mark Huddleston, a teacher at Lincoln Community High school.

## FIRE REPORT

A trash fire Saturday night at 1413 Fourth St. was doused by Lincoln firemen Saturday night. The small fire caused no damage.

# What's happening?

## MONDAY, MAY 2

CITY COUNCIL—Council Chambers, 8 p.m.  
LINCOLN PARENTS ANONYMOUS—Centennial Courts Community Room, 7:30 p.m.  
EAGLES AUXILIARY—Eagles Lodge, potluck, 6:30 p.m.

## TUESDAY, MAY 3

BAND CONCERT—Lincoln Junior High, 7:30 p.m.  
KIWANIS—Hotel Lincoln, noon  
ST. MARY'S SOCIETY POTLUCK SUPPER—Carroll School, 6:30 p.m.  
GOLDEN AGE PINOCHELE CLUB—Lincoln Community Center, 7 p.m.  
LINCOLNLAND PHILATELIC SOCIETY—Lincoln Public Library, 7 p.m.  
ALPHA OMICRON ESA—Carroll School, 7:30 p.m.  
ORPHANS HOME REBEKAH LODGE—IOOF Home gym, 8 p.m.

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

RECOGNITION DINNER—LDC employe awards, 7 p.m.  
REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION—529 S. McLean, 7:30 p.m.  
LADIES GOLF ASSOCIATION LUNCHEON—Elks Club, 10:30 a.m.  
ROTARY CLUB—Hotel Lincoln, noon  
WHITE SHRINE OF JERUSALEM—Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.  
ELKS LODGE—Country Club, 8 p.m.

## THURSDAY, MAY 5

THE IMPERIALS CONCERT—Lincoln Christian College, 7:30 p.m.  
OKLAHOMA—Mason City high school play, 8 p.m.  
EXCHANGE CLUB—Heritage Inn, 7 a.m.  
LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE—Moose Lodge, 8 p.m.

# Emden man killed in truck collision

A 30-year-old Emden man lost his life Sunday night when his pickup truck was sliced in half by a passing semitrailer truck near Lincoln.

According to State police, Stephen J. Rademaker of R R 1, Emden, was making a left turn from U.S. 66 onto Rt. 10 when the northbound semitrailer truck driven by James R. Richards of Kansas City, Missouri, collided with the Rademaker truck.

Rademaker was rushed to A.L.M. Hospital and later transferred to St. John's Memorial Hospital in Springfield by the Lincoln Logan Ambulance Service. The Emden man died at 1:13 a.m. Monday in Springfield.

There were no traffic citations issued following the fatal accident.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at St. Peter's Lutheran church in Emden with the Rev. Robert Spann officiating. Burial will be in Hartsburg Union cemetery. Visitation is from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Hallmann Funeral home in Delavan.

The deceased was born July 14, 1946 in Lincoln, the son of

Lawrence and Marian (Janssen) Rademaker. He married Dianne Springer Oct. 31, 1964 and she survives as do his parents of Emden. Also surviving are two daughters, Cris and Dawn at home; a brother Tim of Emden; a sister, Mrs. Jill Bruns of Atlanta; a grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Graver of Green Valley. Three grandparents are deceased.

An employe of Illinois Power in Bloomington, he was a member of St. Peter's church to which memorials may be made.

## NO HINDERANCE

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Federal Energy Administrator John O'Leary told a gathering of skeptical coal industry leaders today that a proposed federal strip mine control law will not seriously hinder coal production. O'Leary told the American Mining Congress that the Carter administration will not permit artificial constraints on strip mining that will hinder production.

"I think something will be worked out that environmentalists can live with and you can live with," he said.

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St. John United Church of Christ, 7th and Maple Streets, Friday, May 6 at 7:30 p.m. A potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. will precede her presentation.

Mrs. Hazel was secretary of the Volta Regional Committee on Christian Marriage and Family Life in Ho, Ghana from 1965 to 1975. She was previously senior housemother and head of the home economics department of the Mawuli Secondary School in Ho.

A missionary since 1955, Mrs. Hazel is the widow of the Rev. Dr.

As she moved from city to city with her husband, she gained a wealth of experience that has helped her in her missionary work. She taught home economics in schools in Wisconsin and Iowa for 15 years. She was a home missionary of the Evangelical and Reformed Church for two years, working in Portland, Oregon, with shipyard workers and their families. She also worked for two years as director of the Fellowship Center in St. Louis, Mo., aiding underprivileged youth.

**MASON CITY** — Vernon Wilson Pugh, 79, a former resident of Mason City, died Sunday in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Graveside services will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday at Mason City cemetery, with the Rev. Mark Kim officiating.

Visitation will be one hour before the service at Moeller Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 21, 1897, in Mason County, a son of Charles and Annabel Wilson Pugh. He married Leonore Chamblin. She died in April, 1968.

thington, Ohio, and Mrs. Annabel Boeses, Rota, Spain; one son, Robert, Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Grace Brooks, Peoria; 10 grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

He was a 50-year member of the Mason City Masonic Lodge and also served as a past master. He was a member of the United Presbyterian church of Mason City.

Memorials may be made to the Heart Fund.

### Charles Carlson

**CLINTON** — Charles P. H. Carlson, 63 of Clinton died at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Dr. John Warner Hospital here.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Clinton United Methodist church with the Rev. Don C. Ferrill officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley cemetery near Kenney.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

He was born at Beason on Dec. 15, 1913, a son of John and Anna Powley Carlson. He married Evelyn Westray at Chestnut on Sept. 20, 1935.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Shirley Schoch of Clinton; a son, the Rev. Tim Carlson of Clinton; five sisters—Mrs. Ben (Fern) Hall, Pekin; Miss Pearl Carlson, Decatur; Mrs. Ed (Verna) Laramee, Clinton; Mrs. Glen (Hazel) Liesman, Lincoln; and Mrs. Merl (June) Roquet of Peoria; and

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## Mildred McMath

Miss Mildred McMath, 80, of Lincoln died at 2:25 a.m. Friday (today), May 6, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 9, at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Wilson R. Forbush officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home, with Rebekah services at 8 p.m.

She was born Nov. 14, 1896, in Lincoln, a daughter of John and Minnie Woland McMath. Surviving is one sister, Mrs. Frances Steinhour, Springfield.

Five brothers preceded her in death.

She was formerly the operator of Bee's Ice Cream Store in Lincoln.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Rebekah Lodge 9, Willing Workers of the church, and VFW Awuxiliary.

Memorials may be made to the Methodist Church or the cancer fund.

## Emma Hagenbuch

MOUNT PULASKI - Miss Emma E. Hagenbuch, 95, died at

6 p.m. Thursday at the Vonderlieth Living Center.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at St. John's Lutheran Church, the Rev. Craig Gibrich officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday at the Fricke Funeral Home in Mount Pulaski and from noon until time of service Sunday.

She was born May 6, 1881, in Laenna Township, a daughter of Louis and Emma Pfau Hagenbuch.

Surviving are a nephew, Walter Hagenbuch, Mount Pulaski.

A brother and two sisters preceded her in death.

She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church and a retired telephone operator. She also was a member of the Ladies Aid, Life member of American Legion-Auxiliary, and Willing Workers of the church, to which memorials may be made.

Memorials may also be made to the Vonderlieth Living Center.

## William J. Sandel

William J. Sandel, 79, of Lincoln died at 6 a.m. Friday (today), May 6, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Monday, May 9, at St. John United Church of Christ, with the Rev. Wallace W. Reifsteck officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home. The casket will be taken to the church at noon Monday.

He was born June 3, 1897, in New Holland, a son of George and Frances Weber Sandel. He married Dora Strampp Oct. 8, 1921, in Lincoln. She died Feb. 22, 1971.

Surviving are two sons, Roland Sandel, Lincoln, and Merlin Sandel, Wakefield, N. Hamp.; two daughters, Mrs. Vera Brown, Peoria, and Mrs. Eugenia Stebbins, Seattle, Wash.; one brother, Raymond Sandel, Lincoln; and fourteen-grandchildren.

Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

He was a retired farmer and a member of St. John United Church of Christ.

Memorials may be made to St. John United Church of Christ.

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## Frank A. Looney

Frank Aloysius Looney, 71, of 314 Peoria St. died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at St. Patrick's Church, with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Kerrigan Funeral Home, with the rosary at 8 p.m.

He was born May 26, 1906, in Jersey City, N.J., a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Looney. He married Dorothy Magdaline Ellin Sept. 5, 1936, in Hillsdale, N.J. She survives.

Also surviving are children George and Theresa Cox of Lincoln; Frank and Marjorie Looney of Heyworth; Joseph Looney of Lincoln; and Bernard (Hoppy) and Maureen Looney of Geneva; brothers and sisters James Looney of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. Margaret Moore of North Arlington, N.J.; Mrs. Alice DeCresce of Jersey City, N.J.; and Mrs. Claire Looney of Clifton, N.J.; and five grandchildren.

His parents and three brothers preceded him in death.

He was a member of St. Patrick's Church, Knights of Columbus, Ancient Order of Hibernians, and American Association of Retired People, and was active in Boy Scouts.

He was employed at Lehn and Fink for 27 years as supervisor of customer service, coming to the Lincoln plant in September, 1950. He retired in May, 1970.

## Floyd Miller

CHESTNUT — Floyd Miller, rural Chestnut, died in his home at 9:30 p.m. Sunday from an apparent heart attack.

Logan County Sheriff's department, Mount Pulaski ambulance service and the Logan County paramedics were at the Miller residence providing aid. Cardio-Pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) was administered by the paramedics.

Mr. Miller, 74, was born March 29, 1903 in Rochelle, the son of George Walter and Mary Elizabeth Williams Miller.

He married Neve Alberta Jett Feb. 15, 1929 in Kenney. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters: Marilyn Schmidgall of Mackinaw; Beverly Krough of Kent, Washington; and Gayle West of Mariland, Texas and ten grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Miller's two sisters, Estella Morris of Toulca and Esther Durbin of Wapella, also survive.

He was proceeded in death by one brother and four sisters. He was a member of the Logan County Farm Bureau and the Assembly of God Church, Clinton.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Assembly of God church with the Rev. B.L. Butts officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley cemetery at Kenney. Visitation is from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Pullen-Boos Chapel in Clinton.

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## Jesse Stubblefield

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**MCLEAN** — Jesse Stubblefield, 78, died at 8 p.m. Monday at Brokaw Hospital.

Funeral arrangements are pending at McReynolds Funeral Home, McLean.

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## Thomas Halleland

Thomas J. Halleland of Lincoln died Tuesday morning (today) at Lincoln Christian Nursing Home.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

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## Miss Faye Jones

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**MASON CITY** — Miss Faye L. Jones, 83, of Miami, Fla., a retired registered nurse and former Mason City resident, died at 10 a.m. Monday at Baptist Hospital in San Antonio, Texas. Funeral arrangements are pending at the Moeller Funeral Home in Mason City.

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The deceased was born Jan. 15, 1894, in Mason City, the daughter of Jeremiah and Anna (Tomlin) Jones. She is survived by a brother, R. Glenn Jones of San Antonio, Texas; and three sisters, Mrs. Helen McEntire of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mrs. Ruth Webb of Evanston; and Mrs. Gladys Kinne of Tacoma, Wash. Two brothers and a sister are deceased.

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Alderman Bill Wilson said the man in question had said, "If the city isn't going to stop the water (from flooding his property), then I'll stop it myself."

Attorney Peters intimated a civil suit might be in order if the man persists in causing damage to other people's property and to city owned property.

Mayor Edward Malerich, as a last item of business, recommended the council to seriously consider utilizing the old depot as a new site for City Council chambers and offices. He said the parking lot there could be used effectively for additional city parking. The mayor also said the Lincoln Savings and Loan has offered to donate \$5,000 for the renovation of the depot.

### SCHOOL EVENTS

**HARTSBURG** — Upcoming school events include a band trip

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### Jesse Stubblefield

McLEAN — The funeral for Jesse "Jay" Stubblefield, 78, a retired farmer who died Monday night at Brokaw Hospital, Normal, will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Funks Grove Church in Funks Grove, the Rev. Raymond Krutz officiating. Burial will be in Funks Grove Cemetery. Visitation is from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the McReynolds Funeral Home and from noon until the time of services at the church.

Mr. Stubblefield was born Oct. 22, 1898, at McLean, a son of James and Nellie Yates Stubblefield. He married Ethel Tyson in 1922. She died Nov. 26, 1961. He then married Jean Roberts Feb. 25, 1966. She survives. Also surviving are a son James, of McLean; five grandchildren, four great grandchildren, two step-granddaughters and two step-great-granddaughters.

He was a veteran of the First World War and a member of the

McLean American Legion. He also was a member of the Masonic Lodge of McLean, the Bloomington Consistory and the Peoria Shrine.

Mr. Stubblefield was manager of the Funks Grove Elevator co. for six years. He also was president of the Funks Grove Cemetery Association.

Memorials may be made to the Robert Stubblefield Memorial Fund for the Funks Grove Association or the Ebenezer Church Ladies' Aid.

### Thomas J. Halleland

Thomas J. Halleland, 89 of Lincoln, died at 9:40 a.m. Tuesday at the Christian Nursing Home in Lincoln. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, the Rev. Don Beckman officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove cemetery.

Visitation will be one hour before the service at the church Saturday.

He was born Aug. 16, 1887, in Etne, Norway, the son of John and Kristie Halleland. He married Kristine Wettland, Nov. 28, 1925 in Aurora and she died Feb. 11, 1976.

He is survived by two daughters Mrs. Adrienne Chesnut of New Holland and Mrs. Avis Goddard of Grand Fork, North Dakota; one sister, Kristie of Norway, six grandchildren and one great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters.

Mr. Halleland was a retired carpenter and a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Brotherhood of the church, an Army veteran of WW I, a 50 year member of Cantigny VFW Post in Joliet, and a 50 year member of the Carpenter and Joiners Union in Joliet.

### Miss Faye Jones

MASON CITY — Graveside services for Miss Faye Jones, 83, who died Monday in San Antonio,

Texas, will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Mason City Cemetery with the Rev. Mark Kim officiating. Moeller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### FIREMEN ELECT

**HARTSBURG** — Hartsburg volunteer firemen have elected officers for the new year. They are Billie Timm, fire chief, with Gene Bathe and Walter "Bud" Weers, assistants and Raymond Leesman, secretary and treasurer. Tom Rohlf, who was fire chief, has resigned.

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May 12, 1977

## Lincoln death

### Mrs. Bertha A. Ely

Bertha A. Ely of 1500 Pulaski St. died at 2:20 a.m. today, Thursday, May 12, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, May 14, at Fricke Funeral Home, with Pastor Joe Wilkey officiating. Burial will be in McClimmans Cemetery, Hallsville.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

She was born Dec. 17, 1907, in DeWitt County, a daughter of Francis and Ida Mae Works Gandy. She married Raymond H. Ely Sept. 17, 1925, in Clinton. He survives.

Also surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Wanda L. Herrell, Bloomington; Mrs. Alma Dunham, Lincoln; Mrs. Mable Kisinger, Bedford, Ohio; and

Mrs. Clara Grice, Bloomington; three sons, Raymond Ely, Palmetto, Fla.; Kenneth Ely, Lincoln; and Donald Ely, Lincoln; two sisters, Mrs. Sylvia Pearl Berger, Clinton, and Mrs. Nellie Wheeler, Farmer City; 23 grandchildren; and 7 great-grandchildren.

Six brothers and four sisters preceded her in death.

She was a member of Broadwell Christian Church.

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## Mrs. Ann Dacar

Mrs. Ann Dacar, 69, Waukegan's first woman alderman, died at 12:20 p.m. Thursday at her Lincoln home.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday at Northshore Garden of Memories, Waukegan.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday (tonight) at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln.

She was born Feb. 6, 1908, in Waukegan, a daughter of Charles and Agnew Sabliskas. She married August Christensen in 1927 at Waukegan. He died Nov. 22, 1959. She later married Daniel Dacar in 1964 at Great Lakes. He died in 1972.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Kay Hanner, Elkhart; five grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

A brother preceded her in death.

Mrs. Dacar, a former president of Waukegan American Legion Auxiliary, was formerly of Lincoln and was a member of Lincoln Emblem Club and American Association of Retired Persons.

Memorials may be made to the oncology department of St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

## Bert Irvin Graber

ARMINGTON — Bert Irvin Graber, 73, Superior, Wis., a retired Chicago and Northwestern Transportation Co. employe and former Armington resident, died May 2 in a Superior nursing home.

His funeral and burial were May 5 in Virginia, Minn.

He was born June 12, 1903, near Armington.

Surviving are his wife, Sophia V. Graber, a son, Robert J. Graber, Eveleth, Minn.; a brother, William R. Graber, Springfield, and three granddaughters.

Graber, who attended Atlanta Grade School and Hittle Township High School, left Armington to work for Simmons Bed and Mattress Co. at Kenosha, Wis.

He later moved to Superior, Wis., where he worked 23 years for the transportation company before retiring 11 years ago.

## GRADUATE SATURDAY

EMDEN — Mrs. Wendell (Bonnie) Klockenga, Jr. of rural Emden will be graduated from Lincoln Christian College Saturday. She will receive a bachelor of arts degree in Christian education.

Her brother, Mark Seggelke of Lincoln, also a member of the graduating class, will receive his B.A. degree in Christian ministry.

Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seggelke of Lincoln will honor the two at a buffet luncheon in their home immediately following the graduation.

One furlong is 220 yards. One league is 5,280 yards (three miles).

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# Lincoln, area death

## Mrs. Emma Bays

Emma Steinhour Bays, 86, of Lincoln and formerly of Clarinda, Iowa, died Friday at Christian Nursing Home.

Her funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home with the Rev. Ken Monson officiating. Burial will be in Lucas Chapel cemetery. Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

She was born Aug. 11, 1890 in Logan County, a daughter of John and Adora Brown Sheley. She married Abraham Steinhour in Lincoln in 1910. He died March 30, 1927. In 1943, she married Earl Bays at Clarinda, Iowa. He died in 1963.

Survivors include three sons — Robert Steinhour of Springfield,

Homer Steinhour, Dallas, Texas, and Doran Steinhour of San Bernadino, Calif., a stepson; Howard Bays of California, and a step daughter, Mrs. Cretchen Sperry of Clarinda, Iowa.

Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Risavy of Lincoln, two half sisters, Mrs. Nellie Evans of Collinsville and Mrs. Violet Hunter of Springfield, a half brother, Sam Sheley of Lincoln, nine grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a stepson, three borthers and two sisters.

Mrs. Bays was a member of Lincoln Christian church and a charter member of Lucas Chapel Womans Club.

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## Mrs. Arthur Ward

Mrs. Arthur (Helen) Ward, formerly of Lincoln, died Friday at Hinsdale Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at Clarendon Hills. Mrs. Ward's husband survives.

## Michael B. Melnick

LINCOLN—Michael B. Melnick, 73, of 226 Latham, a retired employe of Underwriters' Laboratories, died at 10:45 p.m. Saturday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Trinity Episcopal Church, with the Rev. Laurence Larson officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Monday (today) at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

He was born Dec. 31, 1903, in McKees Rocks, Pa., a son of Peter and Catherine Husla Melnick. He married Dorothy E. Vogel Dec. 2, 1933, in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, twins Michael A. Melnick and Louis D. Melnick, both of Evanston, and Peter G. Melnick, Lincoln; a brother, Alexander Melnick, and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Hammerberg and Mrs. Ann Donofrio, all of Chicago.

A brother preceded him in death.

Melnick, who worked for Underwriters' Laboratories for 49 years, was a member of the Russian Orthodox Church and Lincoln Tri-Police Association.

## Esther L. Martin

LINCOLN—Mrs. Esther L. Martin, 65, of 902 Pulaski St., a cook at Central Grade School, died at 11 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Her funeral will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Wallace W. Reifsteck officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

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

She was born Dec. 1, 1911, in Lincoln, a daughter of John and Louise Klein Lenhardt. She married Paul Martin Aug. 27, 1937, in St. Charles, Mo.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Larry Paul Martin, Laguna Beach, Calif.; three brothers, George Lenhardt, Raymond Lenhardt and Jake Lenhardt, and a sister, Mrs. Louise Sapp, all of Lincoln.

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

Mrs. Martin was a member of St. John United Church of Christ.

Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

## George A. Dreher

DELAVAN—George A. Dreher, 80, a resident of Hallmark House at Pekin, formerly of Delavan, died at 3 a.m. Sunday at Pekin Memorial Hospital. He had been admitted May 3.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Hallmann Funeral Home with the Rev. Guy Storm officiating. Burial will be in Prairie Rest Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday (today) at the funeral home.

He was born Feb. 7, 1897, in Armington, a son of Otto and Dell Lancaster Dreher. He married Helen Ray June 10, 1919, in Springfield. She died Dec. 25, 1965. He later married Laura Kampf on June 1, 1967. She died Oct. 24, 1961.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alberta Kemper, Delavan; two sons, Ray Dreher, Peoria, and Tony Dreher, Marquette Heights; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Betty Vance, LeRoy; Mrs. Mary Ann Lewis, Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Donna Tedrow, Yuma, Ariz.; two stepsons, Mark Kampf, Normal, and Dean Kampf, Atlanta; a brother, Clarence Dreher, Peoria; 12 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Two grandchildren preceded him in death.

Dreher, who retired from Caterpillar Tractor Company in 1960, was a member of Delavan United Methodist Church, Delavan Order of Easter Star, Delavan Masonic Lodge and Delavan American Legion Post. He was a veteran of WWI.

Memorials may be made to the Heart Fund.

## Arthur J. Washam

LINCOLN—Arthur J. Washam, 79, of 1001 Sangamon, retired caretaker of St. Mary's Catholic Church, died at 9 p.m. Saturday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Don Galehr officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday (today) at the funeral home.

He was born Aug. 27, 1897, in Lawndale, a son of James and Minnie Sullivan Washam. He married Geraldine Farnam July 28, 1924, in Kansas City, Mo.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Robert Washam, Lincoln; four grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

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# Lincoln, area deaths

## Mrs. Rilla Davis

Mrs. Rilla Davis, 92, of Lincoln died at 7 a.m. Tuesday (today) May 17, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday, May 20, at Second Baptist Church, with the Rev. James Lewis officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

She was born Feb. 14, 1885, in Grandview, Ind., a daughter of Edward and Fannie Beckman Robinson.

She married William Davis Oct. 28, 1906, at Grandview, Ind. He died Feb. 10, 1961.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Eloise Owens, Springfield, and Mrs. Deloris Hickman, Lincoln; two sons, Ralph Davis, Lincoln, and Guy Davis, Springfield; one brother, Russell Robinson, Atlanta; 18 grandchildren, 46 great-grandchildren, and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

Three sons, four sisters, and five brothers preceded her in death.

A member of Second Baptist Church, she served as a church stewardess and member of the church missionary society.

## Stella Carpenter

Mrs. Stella M. Carpenter, 95, of Lincoln, died at 3 p.m. Monday at Greenbriar Nursing Home in Champaign. Graveside services and interment will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Union Cemetery. Officiating will be the Order of Eastern Star 351. Visitation is from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to the Order of Eastern Star 351.

The deceased was born Sept. 22, 1881, in Buchanan County, Mo., the daughter of Adolph and Sarah Masoner. She married

William C. Carpenter Oct. 12, 1898, in Missouri and he died Dec. 6, 1960. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ethel Wurth of Lincoln; three sons, C.I. Carpenter of Ft. Worth, Texas, Harry L. and Burton Carpenter, both of Lincoln; a brother, Ralph Masoner of Edgerton, Mo.; seven grandchildren; nine great grandchildren and nine great-great grandchildren. Two brothers and a sister are deceased.

She was a member of the Lincoln Christian church, a 50-year member of the Order of Eastern Star 351, the Past

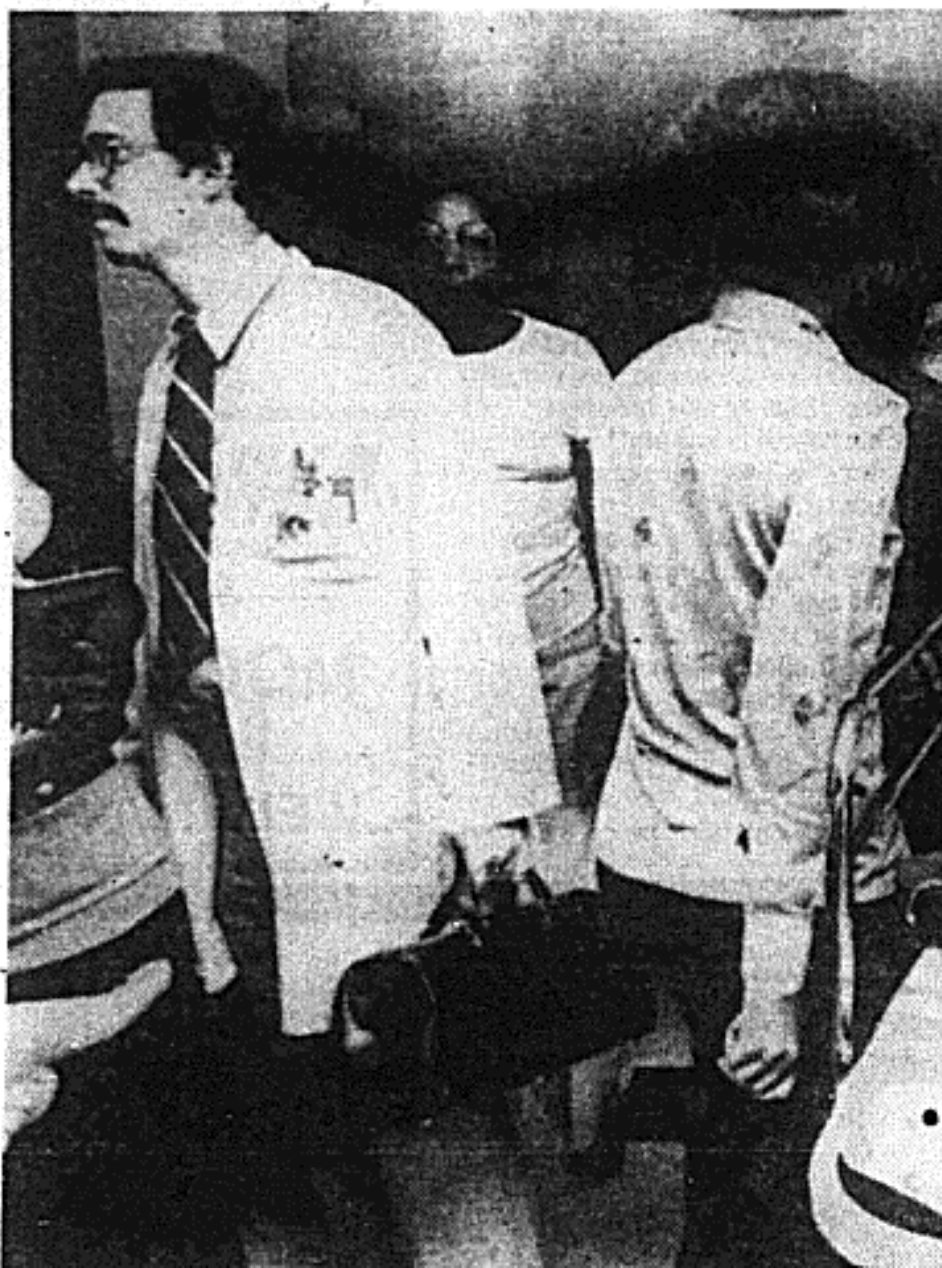
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## Funeral

### Bertha A. Ely

Funeral services for Bertha A. Ely were at Fricke Funeral Home, with Pastor Joe Wilkey officiating. Burial was in McClimans Cemetery at Hallsville.

Pallbearers were Michael Kisinger, Donald W. Ely, Larry Dunham, Gregory Ely, Kenneth R. Ely, and Daniel Herrell.



# Area deaths

## Asa Smith

MASON CITY — Asa L. Smith, 88, of Mason City, a retired farmer, died at 7 a.m. Tuesday at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Moeller Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert Paddock officiating. Burial will be in Mason City cemetery.

There will be no visitation.

He was born June 4, 1888, in Mason County, a son of Lewis and Elizabeth Halley Smith. He married Anna Hoehn Feb. 21, 1916. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Merle of Tremont; a daughter, Miss Barbara Smith of Springfield.

Seven brothers and a sister preceded him in death.

Mr. Smith was a member of the First Christian church.

Memorials may be made to the cancer fund.

## Mrs. Betty Dengler

Mrs. Betty Dengler, 81, of Lincoln died at 2:45 a.m. today, Wednesday, May 18, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 21, at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with Stuart Couve officiating. Burial will be in Waverly Cemetery, Waverly.

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

She was born July 12, 1895, in Kentucky, a daughter of Isaac and Melinda Hagan Garman. She married Peter Dengler, who is deceased.

Surviving are a nephew, Ralph Dial of Lincoln, and a niece, Mrs. Beverly Buttell of Elkhart.

Three brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

She was a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian Nursing Home.



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# Area death

## Frank Thompson

MASON CITY — Private services and burial were Tuesday in Mason City Cemetery, for Frank C. Thompson, 71, of Fort Wayne, Ind., who died Saturday at Fort Wayne.

He was a former resident of Mason City.

He was born at Mason City Oct. 1, 1905, a son of Isaac and Nina Moffett Thompson. He married Sarah Litts and she survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Leona Kostoff, Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Frances Swan, Elburn; seven grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Mr. Thompson had retired after 30 years of teaching. He taught last in the Aurora school system.

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## Area deaths

### Carolyn Rivera

Carolyn Denise Rivera, 22, of 431 Oglesby St., died at 3 a.m. today, Friday, May 20, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 23, at Second Baptist Church, with the Rev. James Lewis officiating. Burial will be in Union cemetery.

Visitation will be from noon until time of service at the church Monday.

She was born June 12, 1954, in Chicago, a daughter of Samuel and Marguerite Steele Rivera.

She is survived by her stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Peck of Lincoln; a daughter, Juanita Rivera, Lincoln; two sisters, Linda Rivera and Debbie Sue Ross, both of Lincoln; grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steele, Chicago; and great-grandmother, Mrs. Pauline Moore, Chicago.

She was employed as a mental health technician at Lincoln Developmental Center.

### Sherri Hainey

Word has been received of the death of the 22-year-old daughter, Sherri, of Carl and Frances Hainey, former Lincoln residents. The girl was killed May 15 in an auto accident near Flippin, Ark., where the family now resides. Funeral services and burial were May 18 in Flippin. Surviving in addition to her parents are three sisters, Bonnie, Marcia, and Donna and a brother, Mike, all of Flippin. Also surviving are aunts and uncles in the Lincoln area.

### Elwyn E. Mattingly

Word has been received here of the death of Elwyn E. Mattingly of Robertsdale, Ala. a former Lincoln resident. He was killed in a 6 p.m. Thursday auto accident near Robertsdale. Among survivors are a sister, Mrs. William Mitchell of Arrington.

### Merlin E. Rousey

MCLEAN — Merlin E. Rousey, 61, of McLean died at 10:10 p.m. Thursday, May 19, at Brokaw Hospital in Normal, following several years of illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 22, at McReynolds Funeral Home. Burial will be in McLean Cemetery.

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

He was born May 25, 1916, in Downs, a son of Alonzo and Alma Nichols Rousey. He married Louise Austin in September, 1939. She died in 1958.

He is survived by his mother, Alma Rousey, McLean; three brothers, Kenneth and Alonzo Rousey, McLean, and Stanley Rousey, Lincoln.

A retired farmer, he farmed in the McLean area for 24 years.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

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## Area death

### Debra D. Barber

Debra Denise Barber, 19, a resident of the Lincoln State School, died there Friday at 9:45 a.m.

Born Oct. 27, 1957, in Wichita, Kansas, she was the daughter of Donald and Betty Louise Barber.

She is survived by her father of Clinton, and her mother, Mrs. Betty Friend of Kansas City, Missouri, and one brother, Mark of Chester.

Her funeral will be Monday at 1:30 p.m. Bishop Benjamin Hudson will preside. Friends may call from 7 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the Herrington Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Burial will be in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney.

She was a member of the Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints Church, Clinton.

May 23, 1977

## Area death William Nelson

MASON CITY — William L. Nelson, 67, died at his home at 12:10 p.m. Saturday of an apparent heart attack.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at the United Presbyterian church with the Rev. Mark Kim officiating. Burial will be in Mason City cemetery.

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

He was born Feb. 4, 1910 in Monroe County, a son of Lewis and Celia Frei Nelson. He married Rosalee Prell in Nashua, Iowa, Nov. 23, 1938. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Jerry, Mason City; a brother, Harry, Tomah, Wisc.; a sister, Mrs. Louella Scharlau, Arcadia, Wisc., and two grandchildren.

He was a member of the United Presbyterian church.

Mr. Nelson was a retired contractor.

Memorials may be made to United Presbyterian church.



# Lincoln, area deaths

## Floyd Severns

MASON CITY — Floyd Severns, 68, of rural Easton, died at 2:30 p.m. Sunday May 22, at his home. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Easton Methodist Church, with the Rev. Steven Burgener officiating. Burial will be in Walkers Grove Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Cain Funeral Home.

He was born June 1908, in Easton, a son of Oscar and Jennie Vannaken Severns. He married Zelda Stone Sept. 29, 1934, at Havana. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Nelda Freeman, Mason City, and Miss Quanita Severns, Park Forest; two sisters, Mrs. Berniece Thomas, Pekin, and Mrs. Quanita Carter, Assumption; two brothers, Earl Severns, Morton, and LeRoy Severns, Brook Port; one half-brother, Don McHenry, St. Louis, Mo.; one half-sister, Mrs. Mary Powell, Evansville, Ind.; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

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

## Brooks infant

MASON CITY — Erica Brooks was stillborn at 7 p.m. Sunday, May 22, at St. John's Hospital in

Springfield.

Graveside services will be at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday at Mason City Cemetery.

Surviving are her parents, James and Sonia Parks Brooks; one sister, Charity, at home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Singley, Mason City; paternal grandfather, Edward Brooks, Mason City; and paternal grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Brownfield, Havana.

She was preceded in death by one sister.

## Mrs. Cecelia Sheary

NEW HOLLAND — Mrs. Cecelia R. Sheary, 87, of New Holland died at 8:05 p.m. Sunday, May 22, at Mary Henry Nursing Home.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 25, at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Steve Blaum officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery, New Holland.

Visitation will be from noon to 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

She was born March 18, 1890, in Moberly, Mo. She married John W. Sheary in 1909 in Lincoln. He died Feb. 8, 1962.

Surviving are one son, John L. Sheary, New Holland; one brother, John Leonard, Decatur; three sisters, Mrs. Anna Conroy and Miss Ada Leonard, Decatur; and Mrs. Elizabeth Carter, Long

Beach, Ca.

She was a member of New Holland Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

## Mrs. Eva Splain

Mrs. Eva Gardner Splain, 99, of Lincoln died at 7:55 a.m. today, Monday, May 23, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 25, at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. Wilson R. Forbush officiating. Burial will be in Harmony Cemetery, Beason.

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

She was born Oct. 23, 1877, in Beason a daughter of John and Sarah Armstrong Gardner. She married Philip H. Splain Aug. 26, 1903, in Beason. He died Aug. 30, 1965.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mary Cadwallader, Lincoln, and Mrs. Marjorie Tomlin, Orlando, Fla.; two sons, Donald W. Splain, Lincoln, and Paul G. Splain, Morris; twelve grandchildren; and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Seven sisters and two brothers preceded her in death.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church, Willing Workers class of the church, and Chester Woman's Club. She was a former member of United Methodist Women.

# Area deaths

## Frank M Devine

Frank M. Devine of Chicago, brother of Saunders Devine of Lincoln, died at Wesley Pavillon at Northwestern University Medical Center, Chicago, at 9:40 a.m. Monday.

Former advertising manager for Newsweek Magazine, he was on the staff of the Chicago Association of Commerce and Industry. He is survived by his brother, his wife, Katherine of Chicago, and his sister Jane of St. Louis, Mo.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

## Mrs. Elfrieda Oxley

Mrs. Elfrieda Oxley, 88, of Lincoln, formerly of Poteau, Okla., died at 5:45 p.m. Monday, May 23, at Christian Nursing Home.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 26, at Evans Funeral Home in Poteau, Okla., with the Rev. Larry Becker officiating. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery in Poteau.

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

Memorials may be made to Christian Nursing Home.

She was born June 28, 1888, in Hagen, Germany, a daughter of Bernhardt and Frederika Wolf Weishaupt. She married John A. Oxley Aug. 22, 1908, in St. Louis, Mo. He died July 13, 1944.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Doris Spellman, Lincoln, and Mrs. Mary V. McEachron, Wilmette; eight grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She was a member of Poteau Methodist Church, the women's society of the church, and Poteau Garden Club.

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# Lincoln, area deaths

## Elwin Mattingly

ARMINGTON — Elwin E. Mattingly, 67, of Robertsdale, Ala., died in a car accident Thursday near Robertsdale. He formerly lived in Lincoln.

Services were held Sunday at Robertsdale Baptist Church. Burial was in Robertsdale cemetery.

He was born Sept. 11, 1909, at Mount Pulaski, a son of George P. and Cora Boggs Mattingly.

He married Virginia DeBane on March 8, 1945.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Larry Thomas, Catlin; three sons, Ned, Ronnie, and Jeffrey, all of Robertsdale; six grandsons and a sister, Mrs. William Mitchell, Armington.

## Legals

### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, FOR THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ILLINOIS, LOGAN COUNTY, LINCOLN, ILLINOIS

JAMES L. HOHIMER and  
LONDA K. HOHIMER,  
Petitioners vs. RALPH  
MICHAEL GODSEY, a minor,  
and DONALD RAY GODSEY,  
Defendants.

No. 77 F 10

Petition for Adoption of a Child  
Named RALPH MICHAEL  
GODSEY

#### PUBLICATION— ADOPTION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you and each of you DONALD RAY GODSEY of 4687 Monterray Circle, Las Vegas, Nevada and to whom it may concern, that on the 3rd day of May, A.D. 1977, JAMES L. HOHIMER and LONDA K. HOHIMER filed a petition in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of LOGAN-COUNTY, Illinois, for the adoption of a child named RALPH MICHAEL GODSEY, that summons was duly issued, returnable according to law, and that said petition is still pending.

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## Clifford H. Ash

KANSAS CITY, MO. — Clifford H. Ash of Kansas City, Mo., formerly of Williamsville, died Monday, May 23, at Grosse Nursing Home, Kansas City.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Our Lady of Good Counsel, Kansas City. Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Leavenworth, Kan.

The rosary will be given at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday (today) at Melody-McGilley Midtown Chapel, Kansas City, Mo.

He was born Oct. 23, 1916, a son of Leo H. and Beulah Ash of Lincoln. He served with the U.S. Navy during WWII.

He is survived by his wife, Louise Ash, Kansas City; his mother, one brother, Leo A. Ash, Lincoln; one sister, Mrs. Alma M. Jones, St. Louis, Mo.; three daughters, Janet R. Meredith and Mrs. Barry (Carol) Dutz, both of Lincoln, and Helen Jones, Kansas City; two sons, Sf. Sgt. James C. Ash, USAF, Rantoul, and Sf. Sgt. Howard L. Ash, USAF, Korea; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father and one grandson.

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## Lincoln, area deaths

### Fred Wallace

Fred 'Skeeter' Wallace, 72, of rural Lincoln, died at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Danville Veterans Administration Hospital in Danville. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Fricke Funeral Home in Lincoln, with Pastor Stuart Couve officiating. Burial will be in Irish Grove cemetery at Middletown.

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

The deceased was born in Lincoln Jan. 25, 1905, the son of

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David and Elizabeth Jane (Church) Wallace. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Jessie Estes of Rock Island and several nieces and nephews. Two brothers and six sisters are deceased.

A veteran of World War II, he was a former mechanic at Eimers garage in Lincoln.

### Margaret J. Wessel

Margaret J. Wessel, 79, of Christian Nursing Home, Lincoln died at 2 a.m. Wednesday May 25, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday, May 27, at Board-

man-Smith Funeral Chapel in Springfield, with the Rev. Charles Lee officiating. Burial will be in Oak Ridge Cemetery.

Visitation will be Friday from noon until time of service.

She was born in Sangamon County July 1, 1897, a daughter of Edwin J. and Emma Leaverton Smith. Her husband, Walter L. Wessel, preceded her in death Jan. 8, 1972.

Surviving are one step-daughter, Mrs. Adele Whitehead of Kettering, Ohio; three sisters, Mrs. Ridgely Watts, Springfield; Mrs. Haldon Foutch, Lincoln; and Mrs. Charles Summers, Springfield; one niece and one nephew.



# Area death

## Mrs. Mary Osborn

NEW HOLLAND — Mrs. Mary Nell Osborn, 52, R.R. 1, died at 12:35 p.m. Thursday at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. She had been in failing health.

Her funeral will be at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Lincoln Christian Church, with Kenneth Monson and Stuart Couve officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln.

She was born May 6, 1925, in New Holland, a daughter of Carl C. and Ruth Mountjoy Hawes. She married Clifford Osborn Feb. 26, 1944, in Champaign. He survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Connie Miller, R.R. 1, New Holland, and Mrs. Karen Long, Lincoln; a son, Richard, R.R. 1, New Holland; her mother, New Holland; four sisters, Mrs. Mildred Struebing and Mrs. Phyllis Blaum, both of New Holland; Mrs. Helen Betzelberger, Lincoln; and Miss Marjorie Hawes, Portugal; a brother, James Hawes, New Holland, and seven grandchildren.

She was a secretary at Lincoln Developmental Center and a member of Lincoln Christian Church.

Memorials may be made to Carle Foundation Hospital.

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## Lincoln, area deaths

### Harry W. Larson

Harry William Larson, 85, of Elkhart, died at 6:45 a.m. today, Saturday, May 28, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Elkhart United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home. The casket will be taken to the church at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday.

He was born Feb. 26, 1892, in Menard County, the son of Nils and Johanna Pierson Larson. He married Anna Henrickson Feb. 20, 1926, in Athens. She survives.

Also surviving are two sisters, Miss Edna and Miss Esther Larson, both of Elkhart; one brother, Ninnian Larson of Mount Pulaski; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three sisters.

A retired farmer, he was a member of Elkhart United Methodist Church, to which memorials may be made.

### Mrs. Connelly

CLINTON—Mrs. Mary B. Connelly, 53, of Clinton died Thursday evening at Decatur Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Her funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the Pullen-Boos Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Bill Fink officiating. Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday at the funeral chapel.

She was born May 4, 1924, at Waynesville to Farris and Carrie Isaac Gentry. She was married Nov. 19, 1940 to Robert Connelly at Waynesville.

Surviving are her parents, of Clinton; her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Sharon Dillo of Decatur and Mrs. Linda Stuckey of Bloomington; two sons, Jim and Mike of Clinton; four sisters, Mrs. Edith Balster, Mrs. Bea Malloy, Mrs. Viola Woodrun, and Mrs. Hilda Long, all of Clinton; three brothers, Bill and Herb of Clinton and Larry of Rochelle, and seven grandchildren.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society

# Hospital

# Lincoln, area deaths

## Mrs. Katharine Stahl

Mrs. Katharine Stumpf Stahl, 76, of Wheeling, W. Va., formerly of Lincoln, died at 7 p.m. Saturday in Wheeling.

A graveside service will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Holy Cross Cemetery, the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday at Kerrigan Funeral Home.

She was born Feb. 10, 1901, in Lincoln, a daughter of Hartman and Alice Mowen Stumpf. She married Robert J. Stahl. He died in September, 1975.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alice Schaff, Camp Springs, Md., and four grandchildren.

Mrs. Stahl belonged to the Christian Mother's Society and the St. Vincent De Paul Catholic Church, Wheeling, W. Va.

## Arthur Mittelsteadt

Arthur F. Mittelsteadt, 76, of 1703 N. Ottawa, a retired Loudon County farmer, died at 4:10 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln

Memorial Hospital.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. A.J. Goldberger officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Tuesday (today), at Fricke Funeral Home.

He was born Sept. 2, 1900, in Mount Pulaski, a son of Joseph and Matilda Yagow Mittelsteadt. He married Norma M. Maxheimer Feb. 5, 1921, in Mount Pulaski.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Loren Mittelsteadt, Mount Pulaski, and Raymond J. Mittelsteadt, Atlanta; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth E. Schroeder, Lincoln, and Mrs. Dorothy L. Bernahl, rural Lincoln; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Schabl and Mrs. Evelyn Schmidt, both of Mount Pulaski; three brothers, Otto Mittelsteadt, DeLand, Fla.; Elmer Mittelsteadt, Rockford, and Joseph Mittelsteadt, Davenport, Iowa; 14 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or Zion Lutheran Parochial School.

## Wiggers infant

Felisha Kay Wiggers, daughter of Eldon and Nancy Kirk Wiggers of Lincoln, died at birth at 7 p.m. Friday, May 27, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Graveside services were today, May 31, at Hartsburg Union Cemetery, with the Rev. Wilson R. Forbush officiating.

Surviving are her parents; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sweeter T. Wiggers, Lincoln; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis D. Kirk, Lincoln.

## CHILD BORN

James and Maria Ruckman, Lot 47, Grand Oak Park, are the parents of their first child, a son, Bryan James, born May 30, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Ruckman, Bloomington, and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen G. Chffe, August, Ga.

Estimates by the Federal Aviation Administration predict that airline passenger traffic will double by 1988, to a figure of 428.5 million.

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