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WAYNESVILLE — John F. Humphreys, 47, R. R. Waynesville, a retired farmer who bred and trained appaloosa horses, died at 12:30 p.m. Monday at Good Samaritan Hospital, Mount Carroll.

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His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Herrington Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Ronald E. Garner officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

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He was a member of the Clinton Presbyterian Church.

Memorial service will be held Wednesday, Nov. 2, 10 a.m. at Herrington Funeral Home, Clinton. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton. Inquiries may be made to the funeral home.

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Lincoln, area deaths

Ed Luther

HARRISBURG - Ed Luther, 76, of Chandler, Ind., died at 2:15 p.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Hospital, Evansville, Ind.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Gaskins Funeral Home, Harrisburg. Burial will be in Brookly Cemetery, Harrisburg.

Visitation will be after 5 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

He was born Sept. 4, 1901 in Murphysboro a son of James Godfrey and Maggie Brecken Luther. He married Katherine Donley.

Surviving are his wife, Chandler, Ind.; two daughters, Doris Hartline, Evansville, Ind. and Irene Wade Phoenix, Ariz.; three sisters, Ruby Ward, Gary, Ind.; Bernish Holt and Dorothy Hatcher, both of Harrisburg; one brother, George Luther, Detroit, Mich.; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

One son, two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

He attended Chandler, Ind. Baptist Church, Chandler, Ind.

Frank BOWEN

ATLANTA - Frank Bowen, 77, of Atlanta, died at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Lincoln with the Rev. George Napier officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Hilliard and Berry Funeral Home, Lincoln. He will be taken to the chapel at 1 p.m. Thursday.

Bowen was born July 21, 1899, at Lenoirville, a son of John and Maudie McKinney Bowen. He married Iva Fought Sept. 14, 1922, at Mount Pleasant.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, John and Jim, both of Lincoln; Wayne, Atlanta; three daughters, Helen Bowen and Mildred Fox, both of Lincoln; and Mary Howard, Burbank, Calif.; a sister, Mary Woodard, Lincoln; 12 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A brother preceded him in death.

Bowen was a house painter and a member of Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

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ARMINGTON - Mr. and Mrs. Rod Brandt of Carterville are parents of a daughter, Kelly Lynn Brandt, who was born Oct. 28.

Grandparents are Mrs. Marilyn Ikegami of Milledgeville and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brandt of Broomington. Great grandparents are Joe Dunn of Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. John Brandt of Arrington; and Mrs. Nelson Chapman of Ottawa.

NEW DIRECTOR

NEW YORK (AP) - The Association of American Publishers says Phyllis L. Ball has been named staff director of its General Publishing Division.

Ms. Ball is a former editor at Prentice-Hall Inc.



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James Ryan

FINDEN James W. Prairie Creek Jan. 99 of Finden formerly of San Jose died at 10:11 p.m. Wednesday at Hopestate Nursing Home.

His funeral will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Tassara, with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

His visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday at Mattman's funeral home. Burial will be in the cemetery listed at right.

He was born Jan. 18, 1908 in Eugene, Ore. Following a career in electrical work, Mary Elizabeth Ryan, his married daughter, Mrs. James Ryan, 2006 Alameda St., Berkeley, Calif., died Sept. 1, 1976.

Surviving are a son, Frederick W. Montoya, a dentist, 10000 California St., Berkeley, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Arthur Ryan, 1455 Alameda St., Berkeley, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Ryan, 1455 Alameda St., Berkeley, Calif.

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James O'Bryan

James O. O'Bryan 63 of Lincoln died at 8:30 p.m. Thursday at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home. Burial will be in Union Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

He was born July 22, 1914 in Midland, Okla., a son of Lee and Helen Holliday O'Bryan. He married Sarah Gibbs Oct. 13, 1945 in Tucson, Ariz. She survives.

Also surviving are his father, Lee O'Bryan, Lincoln; one son, James J., Springfield; one brother, Herman, Lincoln; and one sister, Elizabeth Hartman, Tucson, Ariz.

He was formerly a farmer in the Mount Pulaski area and retired as a crane operator from Cutler Hammer. He served in the army during World War II and was a member of the V.F.W.

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Clara Hennig

Clara Hennig, 89, of Elkader, Iowa died at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

She will be taken to William Witt Funeral Home at Elkader. Burial will be in East Side cemetery, Elkader.

She was born Oct. 29, 1888, in Elkader, a daughter of Jacob and Ida Leneve Steen. She married Fred Hennig, May 26, 1920, in Elkader. He died Dec. 28, 1964.

Surviving are two daughters, Minerva Hennig of Lincoln, and Norma Quarrell of Hamilton, Iowa; one son, Loren Hennig, Salt Lake City; one grandchild, and two great-grandchildren.

Three brothers and one sister preceded her in death.

Lincoln, area deaths

Paul Burdick

MILWAUKEE, WIS. Paul Burdick of Milwaukee, Wis. former pastor of Mount Pulaski Christian Church, died Sunday in a Milwaukee hospital. Funeral services and burial will be in Wisconsin.

Among survivors is a son, Lloyd Burdick, of Lincoln.

Leo Canfield

MCLEAN. Leo A. Canfield, a farmer in the McLean, Atlanta area, died at 11 p.m. Sunday at St. Joseph Hospital Medical Center. He had been a patient at the hospital for two weeks.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at McKeynolds Funeral Home, McLean, with the Rev. Richard Garabrand officiating. Burial will be in McLean cemetery.

Canfield was born Sept. 1, 1889, in Mount Hope Township, the son of Byron and Florence Adams Canfield. He married Lena Weick June 7, 1917, at McLean. She survives.

Surviving are three sons, Robert, Norman, and Alvin, all in McLean, and Gene, Lake Worth, Fla.; three grandchildren, and one brother, Ralph, of McLean.

The brother preceded him in death.

He was a member of McLean cemetery Board for 25 years. He also was a member of Mason lodge in McLean. Burial will be in McLean cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to the family at the donor's choice.

Martin Voelker

MOUNT PULASKI. Martin Voelker, 77, of Mount Pulaski, died at 8:45 p.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, after a brief illness.

His funeral will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Mount Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Robert Kaufman officiating. The Rev. Ronald Schultz will conduct graveside services at 11 a.m. Tuesday at a Mount Pulaski cemetery. Altamont.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at Frank Kauter Home, Mount Pulaski.

Voelker was born July 7, 1888, at Altamont, a son of Frank and Lydia Mervel Voelker. He married Hilda Engel Dec. 22, 1924, at Altamont. She died in January, 1935. He then married Ernesta Schahl Feb. 8, 1942, at Mount Pulaski. She died June 27, 1967.

Surviving are a son, Vernon, Mount Pulaski; two daughters, Bernice Sisk, Lincoln, and Carol Ann Schirshuhn, Mount Pulaski; four brothers, Theodore, Lockport, N.Y., Herman and Reinhardt, both of Altamont, and Edmund, Decatur; two sisters, Jane Rath, Springfield, and Anna Kandelow, Altamont; six grandchildren, one great-grandchild, and one step great-granddaughter.

Two sisters preceded him in death.

He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church. Memorials may be made to the church or the Bereavement Foundation.

Rose Bergman

HARTSBURG. Mrs. Rose Bergman, 83, died at 10:25 a.m. Sunday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln. She had been a patient since Sept. 10.

Her funeral will be at 10 p.m.

Tuesday at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, at Emden, with the Rev. Robert Speas officiating. Burial will be in Hartsburg Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday (today) at Hallmann Funeral Home at Delavan and an hour before the service at the church.

Mrs. Bergman was born June 26, 1894, at Pekin, a daughter of Adam and Louise Faith Hoerbert. She married John U. Bergman Sept. 19, 1925, at Emden. He died July 22, 1932.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Vernell Kathryn Bahn, Lincoln, and Mrs. Leroy Eugene Faulkin, San Jose; a son, John Hartsburg; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Schleder, Hartsburg, and Mrs. Louise Harmsen, Emden; two brothers, Alfred Hoerbert, San Jose, and William Hoerbert, Woodstock; nine grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. Bergman was a member of St. Peter's Lutheran church at Emden, the Ladies Aid of the church and a former member of the Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital Auxiliary.

She was a former representative for Avon products.

Memorials may be made to St. Peter's church.

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Rena Ubbenga

Rena K. Ubbenga, 83, of Lincoln died at 3 p.m. Thursday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Her funeral will be at 2 p.m. Sunday at St. John's Lutheran Church, Hartsburg, with the Rev. O.C. Mitchell officiating. Burial will be in Hartsburg Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home and an hour before the service at the church Sunday.

She was born Sept. 25, 1894, at Atlanta, a daughter of George and Martha Harris Klockenga. She married Henry M. Ubbenga Dec. 4, 1919, at Hartsburg. He survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Catherine Ape, Atlanta; three sons, Leo M., George M. and H. Robert, all of Hartsburg; a sister, Frances Zentman, Hartsburg; 10 grandchildren; seven great grandchildren.

Her sister, Virginia, brother-in-law, preceded her in death.

She was a member in St. John's Lutheran Church and the Ladies Aid of the church.

Memorial contributions to the church or the American Cancer Society will be accepted.

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Fanny Funderburg

NEW HOLLAND Fanny Funderburg, 88, died at 12:25 p.m. Saturday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

Her funeral will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Harry Funeral Home, with Ken Monson presiding. Burial will be in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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

She was born March 30, 1889 in Rochester, a daughter of William and Edna Walker Blackley. She married George E. Funderburg March 9, 1933, in Sangamon County. He died in May 1974.

Surviving are a son, Russell New Holland, a daughter, Christine Gobbie, Oak Creek, Wis., three brothers, Ralph Blackley, Dawson; Paul Blackley, Springfield; and Richard Blackley, Riverton, a sister, Maude Brown, New Douglas, and six grandchildren.

Five brothers preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Christine Doty

ELKHART Christine Doty, 58 of Elkhart, died at 5:15 a.m. Monday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Holland and Harry Funeral Home.

She was born Jan. 2, 1918 in Hubbard City, Texas, the daughter of Charles and Hobie Lutzke Copeland. She married George Doty Dec. 1, 1934 in Lawton, Okla. He died July 14, 1973.

Surviving are a daughter, Lois Hager of Elkhart; a sister, Charlen Barnhart of Weston, W. Va.; two brothers, Jerry of Texas City, Texas, and Billie of League City, Texas; seven grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and four step-great-grandchildren. Two brothers preceded her in death.

She was a member of Elkhart Christian Church and a retired Lincoln Developmental Center employee.

Homey infant

Ryan Michael Homey of Lincoln died at 7:30 a.m. Friday at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Funeral services were Monday at Zion Cemetery with Ken Monson officiating.

He was born Nov. 1, 1977 at Springfield, a son of Michael and Annette Grimsley Homey.

Surviving are his parents, a half-sister, Amy Ann at home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Aher, Elkhart; and William Robert Grimsley, also at home; and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Mote and Rose Mote, all of Lincoln.

Holland and Harry Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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Alma Mathoney

MASON CITY — Alma Mathoney 85, of Mason City died at 7 a.m. Tuesday at her home. Funeral arrangements are pending at Cain Funeral Home.

Christine Doty

ELKHART — Funeral services for Christine Doty, who died Monday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, with John Webb officiating.

Burial will be in Elkhart Cemetery. Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Edward Jumper

SAN JOSE — Edward H. Jumper, 81, Warsaw, a retired farmer and a former San Jose resident, died at 8:15 p.m. Sun-

day at Keokuk Iowa Area Hospital East.

His funeral will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Lamporte Funeral Home, Warsaw, with the Rev. Von Waggoner officiating.

A graveside service will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose, with the Rev. Ron Doty officiating.

Visitation will be after noon Tuesday at the funeral home.

He was born May 22, 1893, in Oakland, Iowa, a son of William and Louise Howell Jumper. He married Lydia Schlipman Miller May 1, 1963, in Macomb.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter, Mrs. Charvise Bree Mason City, one step-daughter Mrs. Lloyd Purkin, Warsaw, four grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren and seven step-grandchildren.

Two brothers and a sister preceded him in death.

Jumper lived in Warsaw for 41 years.

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Reuben Horn

MOUNT PULASKI Reuben J. Horn Jr. of Mount Pulaski died at 4:30 a.m. Thursday at Vanderlath Living Center.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Fricke Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. D.E. Kirchner officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

He was born Sept. 5, 1890, in Mount Pulaski, a son of John and Margaret Fishback Horn. He married Lydia Horn Feb. 4, 1914, at Chestnut. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Jack and Hob, both of Mount Pulaski, and John of Imperial Beach, Fla., and one brother, Albert of Mount Pulaski.

He was a member of Logan County Farm Bureau and was past board director of Mount Pulaski Farmers Elevator. He was a member of Zion Lutheran church.

Memorials may be made to the church.

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Area deaths

Leonora K. Johnson

Mrs. Leonora K. Johnson, 88, 600 Woodlawn Road, Lincoln, died at 1:40 p.m. Friday at the Christian Nursing Home.

Her funeral will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Fricke Funeral Home, with Pastor Warren Freshet officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

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

Mrs. Johnson was born in Lincoln, a daughter of Herman and Alvina Schmieder Koopman. Her husband, Roy E. Johnson, died July 13, 1957.

Surviving are a son, Julian, a sister, Mrs. Pauline Davison of Murton, and several nieces and nephews.

She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Ladies Aid, American Legion Auxiliary, and the Chester Woman's Club.

Memorials may be given to Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Loren A. Guy

PEORIA — Loren A. Guy, 56, of Peoria, died Tuesday in Iowa City, Iowa.

Funeral services were Saturday. Burial was in Swan Lake Memory Gardens, Peoria.

He was born April 19, 1922, in Mounds, a son of Joseph and Julia Britt Guy.

He was an army veteran of WW II and a Caterpillar Tractor employee.

Among survivors is a son, Robert Guy, Tulsa, Okla., for merly of Mason City.

Area deaths

Evelyn Malone

CHESTNUT Evelyn Malone 92, Chestnut, died at 8:45 a.m. Saturday at St. Clara's Manor, Lincoln.

Her funeral will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, with William Evans presiding. Burial will be in Camp Butler Cemetery, Springfield.

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

She was born Dec. 14, 1884, in Boston, England, a daughter of John Robert and Mary Lightfoot Martin. She married Jesse Malone April 10, 1933, in St. Louis. He died July 13, 1971.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Mary Martin Borden, Ind., a stepson, Harold Malone, East Rochester, N.Y., one sister-in-law, Hazel Robertson, Lincoln, and four stepgrandchildren.

She was a member of Church of Christ of Clinton and Chestnut, Beason, American Legion Auxiliary.

Mrs. Malone formerly operated a grocery store in Beason and was the last of her immediate family.

T. Zimmerman

MOUNT PULASKI Theodore Frederick Zimmerman, 62, Mount Pulaski, a retired grocery store owner, died at 2 p.m. Sunday at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Frank's Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

He was born June 29, 1915, in Mount Pulaski, a son of Theodore William and Mary Berse Zimmerman. He married Gertrudine White, nee Miller, of Walnut Grove, Wis.

Surviving are his wife, a son, Art Zimmerman, Springfield, a daughter, Ann, Supton, Ill., a son-in-law, a brother, John Zimmerman, Springfield, and four grandchildren.

Zimmerman was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Mount Pulaski. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Memorials may be made to the Zenkerite Society.

Jeff J. Springer

Jeff J. Springer, 63, of Lincoln, died at 1:30 a.m. Monday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Immanuel Lutheran Church, with the Rev. Don Beckman officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral home. Theasket will be taken to the church at noon Wednesday.

He was born July 15, 1914, in Junipers, a son of Jeff and Margaret Hoffman Springer. He married Betty Andrae July 28, 1940, in Pekin. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Jim, Lincoln; one daughter, Duane Rademaker, Bloomington; two brothers, Myron, Morton, and Robert, Springfield; three sisters, Kathryn, Gorman, Lincoln; Helen, Schmittgall, Morton; and Viola, Keller, Port Charlotte, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

Two brothers preceded him in death.

He was a farmer and a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church.

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Nolan Horath

ATLANTA — Nolan Horath, 38, a retired Caterpillar Tractor Co. employee, died at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Quaran Funeral Home, with Lynn Hironomous officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta cemetery.

There is no formal visitation, but friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

He was born Aug. 12, 1939, at Clay County, a son of Andrew and Betty Lilley Horath. He married Barbara J. Mitchell Oct. 12, 1964, in Ellingham. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Michael Ray, Atlanta, four sisters, Pansy Woods, Gainesburg, Theima Allen, McLain, Nellie Bruner Atlanta, and Dorothy Gordon, McLain; six brothers, Alfred, East Point, Wilham, Edgewood; Roy, Mathson, Carl, Crete, La., Thermopola, Wyo. and Verne Atlanta.

Two brothers and a sister preceded him in death.

He worked for Caterpillar Tractor Co. for 30 years. He was a veteran of World War II with the U.S. Army Air Force.

Memorials may be made to the heart fund of the Atlanta rescue squad.

Myrtle Kief

HARTSBURG — Myrtle E. Kief, 79, died at 4:20 p.m. Tuesday at Christian Nursing Home, Lincoln.

Her funeral will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Hartsburg United Methodist Church with the Rev. Henry Cox officiating. Burial will be in Glendale Memorial Gardens, Pekin.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, and an hour before the service at the church Friday.

She was born Jan. 14, 1898, at St. Louis, a daughter of Thomas and Mae Sutherland Ashby. She married F. J. Peter Kief Oct. 29, 1921, at Carlisle. He survives.

Also surviving are a son, Robert W. Norma, a daughter, Lysle Lewis, Pekin, six grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Two brothers preceded her in death.

Mrs. Kief was a member of Hartsburg United Methodist church, to which memorials may be made.

She was a former member of the Pekin First Presbyterian church, a member of its Missionary Society, a Sunday school teacher and was on the church board.

She also was a former member of Alliance Missionary Church, Kemer, Minn., where she and her husband owned a fishing resort.

She was a member of the Pekin Women's Republican Club.

Dean Johnson

ATLANTA — Dean Johnson, 73, of Atlanta, died at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday at St. Clara's Manor, Lincoln.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Quaran Funeral Home, Atlanta.

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Dean Johnson

ATLANTA Dean Johnson, 71, of Atlanta, died at 8:25 a.m. Wednesday at St. Clara's Manor in Lincoln.

His funeral will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Quarram Funeral Home in Atlanta, with the Rev. Oscar Owens officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta cemetery.

He was born Dec. 12, 1904, in Logan County, a son of William and Martha Mullins Johnson. He married Lula Edith Pharis Nov. 15, 1924, in Atlanta. She died in 1969.

Surviving are two sons, Harry Fairburn and William P. Atlanta; a brother, Ted, of Pensacola, Fla.; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded by a son, six brothers and five sisters.

Glenn Hilscher

Glenn Hilscher, 73, of 214 1/2 S. McLean St., a retired worker from Obeas Nestor Glass Co., died at 2:30 p.m. Thursday at his home.

His funeral will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with Stuart Couve officiating. Burial will be in Union cemetery.

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

Hilscher was born Aug. 30, 1904, at Lincoln, a son of Jacob and Clara Bree Hilscher.

He married Lillian White in Lincoln. She preceded him in death in 1964.

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

Surviving are one son, Donald, Lincoln; one brother, Noel, Lincoln; and four grandchildren.

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Lincoln, area deaths

Allen Sparks

Allen "Sparky" Sparks, 65, died at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with the Rev. G. Albert Murphy officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery.

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

He was born Jan. 17, 1911, in Logan County, a son of Jesse and Bessie Logan Sparks. He married Delta Mae "Toodles" Hancock Sept. 20, 1934, in Lincoln. She died Oct. 12, 1977.

Surviving are two sons, Donald Lincoln and Eugene, Middletown; two daughters, Bessie Newhouse Lincoln, and Shirley Conaway, Mount Pleasant; two brothers, Paul and Thomas, both of Middletown; five sisters, Alberta Dunsley, Lincoln; Jessie Boward, Elizabeth Dohy and Pauline Ellgood, all of Middletown; and Leona DeHonn, Plainview, N.Y., and 10 grandchildren.

He was a member of First United Methodist church of Mount Pleasant and the Lincoln Eagles Lodge. He was a member of the operating engineers union.

Edna Barnett

CLINTON - Edna K. Barnett, 90, rural Clinton, died at 12:15 a.m. Saturday at Creative Nursing Home.

Her funeral was Monday at Pullen Ross Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Wallace Watson preaching. Burial was in Mt. Zion cemetery, Hillsville.

She was born Sept. 25, 1887, in Kenney, a daughter of W.W. and Adie Turkey Johnson. She married Arthur A. Barnett July 28, 1923. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are a sister, Folen Brinkley, Pearis, and several nieces and nephews.

Four sisters and four brothers also preceded her in death.

She was a member of Kenney Christian church.

Arthur Sutton

KENNEY - Arthur Wayne Sutton, 65, of Kenney, died at 4:25 p.m. Saturday at his home.

His funeral will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Kenney United Methodist church, with the Rev. Robert Swain presiding. Burial will be in Millersville cemetery with graveside rites at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. Monday at Herrington Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

He was born Oct. 28, 1912, in Taylorville, a son of Arthur W. and Olive Marie Stettner Sutton. He married Mary Smithcamp March 28, 1937, in Penna.

Surviving are his wife, a daughter Betty Jerse, Clinton Park, two sons, Arthur, Bowling Brook, and Carl, Campbell, Calif.; two brothers, Claude, Kansas City, Mo., and A. Dale, Trenton, N.J.; and nine grandchildren.

He retired in 1974 as a maintenance employee at Revere Copper and Brass, Clinton.

He was a member of Kenney United Methodist church and DeWitt County Amateur Radio Club, and was a veteran of World War II.

Memorials may be made to the church.

Funeral

IRMA BRUCKMAN

ARMINGTON - Irma D. Bruckman, 68, of rural Delaware, died at 5:20 a.m. Nov. 16 at her home.

Funeral services were at Davis Mortuary, Hopedale, with the Rev. Philip Woodworth officiating. Burial followed in Oak View cemetery, Armington.

She was born at Hopedale, Nov. 28, 1908, the daughter of Sylvester and Beata Hess Rodde. She married George Bruckman Sept. 11, 1929, at Birmingham. He survives.

Also surviving are three brothers, Paul Rodde, New York City; Ralph Rodde, Pearis; Leo Rodde, Armington; three sisters, Frances Dally, Mahanet; Marguerite Wynn, Armington; and Avis Reed, Madras.

One brother preceded her in death.

Mrs. Bruckman was a member of Armington Christian church.

Area deaths

Robert Bruce

—ENTRATA— Robert Bruce, 20, a resident of Lincoln Land Nursing Home, Lincoln, died at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Funeral arrangements are pending at Irwin Funeral Home, entrata.

Frances Shelley

Frances Gehlbach Shelley, 81, a former Lincoln resident, died Tuesday at Long Beach, Calif. where she resided.

Funeral services will be in California and burial will be in a cemetery at Peoria.

She was born in Lincoln on Sept. 19, 1896, a daughter of David and Caroline Keston Gehlbach. She married Edward Flynn and following his death, was married to William Shelley.

Survivors include a son, Edwin, and a grandson, both of California; two sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Kest and Mrs. Clifton Amberg, both of Lincoln. Two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.