

Obituaries

Virgie Lay

Virgie M. Lay, 83, of Lincoln, died at 7:45 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, Lincoln.

Mrs. Lay retired in 1970 from Elder Manufacturing Co., St. Louis, where she had been a seamstress.

She was a member of Jefferson Street Baptist Church, St. Louis. She had been a former foster grandparent at Lincoln Developmental Center.

She was born Aug. 16, 1908, in Smithville, Miss., a daughter of James W. and Martha R. Clayton Garrett. She married Manuel Duncan July 10, 1924. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are one daughter, Martha "Cleo" Prince of Lincoln; one sister, Verma Vowell of West Memphis, Ark.; three grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

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

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. Dennis Blankenship officiating. Burial will be in Zion Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be one hour before services at the funeral home on Friday.

Paul Funk

Paul Funk, 80, of Lincoln died at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1992, at El Paso Health Care Center in El Paso.

Mr. Funk worked at the former Armour Creamery Co. in Lincoln for 32 years, retiring in 1963. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Lincoln.

He was born April 15, 1911, in Lincoln, a son of Daniel and Lula Huff Funk. He married Florence Cronin May 27, 1934, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Edward P. Funk of Morton and Joseph M. Funk of New Holland; four daughters, Roberta Bradley, Carroll Britsch, Shirley Wolpert and Laura Worth, all of Lincoln; four brothers, Richard, Buford and Kenneth, all of Lincoln, and Larry of Roodhouse; one sister, Alice Taylor of Bartonville; nine grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Two brothers and one sister preceded him in death.

His funeral will be at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at Holy Family Church, Lincoln, with the Rev. Norman

Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Kerrigan Funeral Home, Lincoln. The rosary will be recited at 6 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or the American Heart Association.

Edwin Stahl

ELKHART — Edwin C. "Eddie" Stahl, 44, of Bartlesville, Okla., formerly of Elkhart, died at 8 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1992, at Jane Phillips Hospital, Bartlesville.

Mr. Stahl was born Feb. 23, 1947, in Springfield, a son of Henry and Geraldine Mann Stahl.

Surviving are his parents of Bartlesville; three brothers, Gregory Stahl of Fair Oaks, Calif., and Henry Stahl Jr. and Jerry Martin Stahl, both of Bartlesville; four sisters, Janice Bigby of Skiatook, Okla., Sandra Warren of Bartlesville, Debra Rice of Owasso, Okla., and Sheila Stahl of Covina, Calif.; and 11 nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Stumpfs Funeral Home, Bartlesville, with burial in Bartlesville.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or the First United Methodist Church of Bartlesville.

Robert Schahl

LAKE FORK — Robert L. Schahl, 67, of Lake Fork died at 11:35 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at Decatur Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Mr. Schahl was a retired Springfield implement plant forklift operator. He was a member of Lake Fork Community Center. He was a prisoner of war during World War II, when he served in the Army infantry.

He was born April 11, 1924, in Lincoln, a son of Frederick G. and Florence Buttell Schahl. He married Jeanette Gaffney May 15, 1954, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, James Mark Awe of Schertz, Texas; two daughters, Diane Pepmeyer of Easton and Jeanene Schahl of Lake Fork; two brothers, Donald of Decatur and Paul of Lake Fork; two sisters, Patricia Schahl of Lake Fork and Dorothy Eeten of Emden; and two grandsons.

A grandson preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with Dennis Durst officiating.

Burial will be Carlyle Cemetery, Lake Fork, where military rites will be accorded by the Mount Pulaski Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 777.

Memorials may be made to Mount Pulaski Ambulance Service or Cancer Care Specialists of Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Alice Gaultney

CLINTON — Alice Marie Gaultney, 52, of Clinton died at 10:21 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mrs. Gaultney was born Dec. 11, 1939, in Clinton, a daughter of Offie and Edith Anderson Lobb. She married John W. Gaultney June 7, 1957 in Clinton. He survives.

Also surviving are her mother, Edith Maple of Hoopston; two sons, John L. and Scott D., both of Clinton; and three brothers, Wilbur D. Lobb of Bolder, Larry D. Lobb of Hoopston and Charles Steven Lobb of Clinton.

Her father preceded her in death.

Graveside services were held today at Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney, with Robert Winger officiating.

Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, had charge of arrangements.

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

Leona Hinds

MASON CITY — Leona Hinds, 76, of Mason City died at 1:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

Mrs. Hinds was born Sept. 30, 1915, in Arkansas, a daughter of John and Melinda Jane Ballard Fenison. She married Richard Hinds Dec. 18, 1943, in Camden, Ark. He died May 10, 1990.

Surviving are two brothers, Charles Fenison of Mason City and Dock Fenison of Dayton, Colo.

She was preceded in death by two sisters.

Funeral services were held today at Cain Funeral Home, Mason City, with the Rev. Mark Kim officiating. Burial was in Mason City Cemetery.

Mabel Lampe

CLINTON — Mabel Lampe,

84, of Clinton, died at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at Crestview Nursing Center, Clinton.

Mrs. Lampe was a retired teacher from DeWitt County schools. She was the last teacher at Prairie Center School in Birkbeck. She was a member of the Clinton United Methodist Church and the Delta Kappa Gamma teacher sorority.

She was born Dec. 17, 1907, in Clinton, a daughter of Henry F. and Della May Lampe.

Surviving are three nephews. One brother and three sisters preceded her in death.

Her funeral will be at 3 p.m. Friday at Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Glen Stewart officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be two hours before the service Friday.

Memorials may be made to the Clinton United Methodist Church.

Florence Haney

WAYNESVILLE — Florence Mary Haney, 88, of Waynesville died at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at her home. She had been ill.

Mrs. Haney was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Centralia, and the Lady of Our Snows Shrine and the Diocese in Belleville.

She was born Dec. 15, 1903, in Cairo, a daughter of Manning and Fredrica Arnold Makassee. She married Guy Haney, who preceded her in death.

Surviving are a sister, Dortha Yogterst of Springfield; and a grandson, Frank Haney of Waynesville, with whom she lived. Two other grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Centralia, with the Rev. Gerald Mariani officiating. Burial will be in Bell Cemetery, Centralia. There will be no visitation.

Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, has charge of local arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Foundation for AIDS Research.

Naomi Kurtock

Naomi Kurtock, 79, of Lincoln, died at 4:45 a.m. today, Jan. 2, 1991, at Bartman Health Care Center, Atlanta.

Arrangements are pending at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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Naomi Kurtock

Graveside services for Naomi Kurtock, 79, of Lincoln, will be held at 9:30 a.m. Monday at Steenbergen Cemetery, rural Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Bill Shanle officiating.

There will be no visitation. Cremation rites will be accorded.

Mrs. Kurtock died at 4:45 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, 1992, at Bartman Health Care Center, Atlanta.

She was a member of Copeland Christian Church.

She was born Feb. 15, 1912, in Logan County, a daughter of George W. and Nellie L. McCain DeFrees. She married Anthony H. Kurtock Sept. 9, 1931, at Sioux Falls, S.D. He died Aug. 3, 1972.

Surviving are one sister, Gladys Litterly of Cornland, and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

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

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, is in charge of arrangements.

Rosetta Klemm

Rosetta Klemm, 78, of Lincoln

Lakes died of cancer at the Terre Haute Regional Hospital, Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 16, 1991.

She was born Oct. 3, 1913, in Albion, the daughter of Nelson and Rada Naylor. She married Harold B. Klemm in 1934. He preceded her in death.

Survivors include two brothers, Murwin Naylor and Fredrick Naylor, both of Albion; a sister, Laverne Friend of Robinson; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Klemm was preceded in death by two brothers.

Cremation rites were accorded and there will be no services.

Robert Schahl

LAKE FORK — Visitation for Robert L. Schahl, 67, of Lake Fork will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski. The rosary will be recited at 8 p.m.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home, with Dennis Durst officiating.

Burial will be in Carlyle Cemetery, Lake Fork, where

military rites will be accorded by the Mount Pulaski Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 777.

Mr. Schahl died at 11:35 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1991, at Decatur Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

Louis Metelko

Graveside memorial services for Louis C. Metelko, 76, of Lincoln will at 1 p.m. Saturday at Holy Cross Cemetery, Lincoln, with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating.

Mr. Metelko died Dec. 24, 1991, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

Kerrigan Funeral Home, Lincoln, is in charge of arrangements.

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Norma Morrow

Norma Morrow, 61, of Lincoln died at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1992, at St. Clara's Manor. She was born Jan. 29, 1930, in Lincoln, the daughter of Jesse and Nellie Griffin Zimmerman. She married Thomas E. Morrow Sept. 19, 1957, in Lincoln. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Thomas E. Morrow and Timothy E. Morrow, both of Lincoln; two sisters, Vivian Hatfield and Marie Osborne, both of Lincoln; and two grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Old Union Cemetery in Lincoln with the Rev. Dennis Blankenship officiating.

There will be no visitation.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Foundation.

Edythe Stokes

Graveside services for Edythe M. Stokes will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Union Cemetery, with the Rev. Marvin Goll officiating.

There is no visitation.

Kerrigan-Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Mrs. Stokes, 84, of Lincoln, died at 3:55 p.m. Friday, Jan. 3, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

She was born Aug. 11, 1907, in Norris City, a daughter of Augustus and Lucille Vinson Denny. She married Willard Stokes on June 11, 1967, in Decatur. He survives.

Also surviving is one sister, Kay Fielding of Marietta, Ga.

She was preceded in death by one son.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimers Disease Research Foundation.

Kenneth Vogel

Kenneth E. Vogel, 27, of Lincoln died at 11:25 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, at Rush Presbyterian St. Luke's Medical Center, Chicago. He had been ill.

Mr. Vogel formerly had been employed at Monical's in Bloomington. He was a 1982 graduate of Lincoln Community High School and was a 1989 graduate of Illinois State University, where he received a bachelor of science degree in industrial technology.

He was a member of Lincoln Christian Church and Sigma Pi fraternity.

He was born Feb. 15, 1964, in Lincoln, the son of Ben and Carol Arnett Vogel. They survive.

Also surviving is one sister, Kris Dolbear of Bloomington.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home, with Tom Gerds officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Christian College or to the American Cancer Society.

Robert Theobald

MOUNT PULASKI — Robert C. Theobald, 69, of Mount Pulaski died at 8:54 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Theobald had worked in maintenance and had been an electrician at Ball-Incon, retiring in 1988, and was a World War II Army Air Force veteran.

He was a member of Scroggin-Gee Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 777 and Mount Pulaski Christian Church.

He was born April 11, 1922, in

Lincoln, a son of Alex and Trula Martin Theobald. He married Marilyn Johnson on Feb. 12, 1950, in Elkhart. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Kay Davis of Elkhart and Pam McCurry of Auburn; one brother, Ernest "Gene" of Lincoln; two sisters, Alice Henrichsmeyer of Cornland and Gladys Skelton of Middletown; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Mount Pulaski Christian Church, with Marvin Flowers officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

Memorials may be made to Mount Pulaski Christian Church or to the American Cancer Society.

Bennie Birk

CLINTON — Bennie Wayne Birk, 50, of Clinton died at 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mr. Birk, a laborer, was a member of the Eagles Lodge of Clinton.

He was born June 4, 1941, in Newton, a son of George and Nellie Stanley Birk. He married Verna Lee Christen on Jan. 25, 1959, in Clinton. She survives.

Also surviving are his father and stepmother, George and Verna Birk of Lincoln; two sons, Steve and Greg, both of Clinton; three brothers, Hobert of Manchester, N.H., Pete of Lincoln and Gilbert of Wapella; four sisters, Eloise Jones of Lincoln, Katie Lee of Carlsbad, Calif., Patty Salvo of Escalon, Calif., and Linda Sue Smith of Ponca City, Okla.; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother and two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating. Burial will be in Oak Park Cemetery, Clinton.

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

Memorials may be made to the DeWitt County Heart Fund.

Goldie Newcome

CLINTON — Goldie M. Newcome, 85, of Clinton died at 10:15 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mrs. Newcome, a life member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Moweaqua, was a member of Clinton Presbyterian Church and the Locomotive Firemen's Ladies Auxiliary.

She was born March 13, 1906, in Moweaqua, a daughter of James and Mabel Moore Adams. She married Stephen A. Newcome on June 4, 1927, in Stonington. He died Feb. 1, 1973.

Surviving are two daughters, Donna Stephenson of Peoria, and Leah Delle Breighner of Clinton; one brother, Dale Adams of Clinton; two sisters, Lois McPeck of Farmer City and Gertrude Hemer of Moweaqua; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and one great-grandson.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Clinton Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Robert Urquhart officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8

p.m. today at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Memorials may be made to the Clinton Presbyterian Church's furnace or organ fund.

Pellegrino Preciosi

CLINTON — Pellegrino N. "Perry" Preciosi, 69, of Clinton died at 8:56 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mr. Preciosi was a retired superintendent of Revare Copper and Brass Inc., Clinton, and was an Air Force veteran of World War II.

He was a member of St. John's Catholic Church, Clinton, the Clinton Elks Lodge, the Clinton Eagles Lodge, and the Thursday Night Bowling League.

He was born April 30, 1922, in Rome, N.Y., a son of Constantino and Lena Dargeno Preciosi. He married Carmella Mast-rangelo on Sept. 13, 1941, in Rome, N.Y. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Ellen Eisgrau of Chicago, Sandra Davenport of Seymour, and Sharon Connors of Clinton; five grandchildren; and two stepgrandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one grandson.

Funeral services were this morning at St. John's Catholic Church, Clinton, with the Rev. Robert Hoffman officiating. Burial was in Mausoleum Park Cemetery, Clinton, with military rites accorded.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Heart Association or Lung Association.

Alvin Pfeiffer

DELAVAN — Alvin E. Pfeiffer, 76, of Delavan died at 8:45 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 4, 1992, at Pekin Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Pfeiffer was a farmer in the Forest City area most of his adult life, retiring in 1972. He was a member of the Mason County Farm Bureau, Christ Lutheran Church, Delavan, and the church's Lutheran Layman's League.

He was born March 7, 1915, in Easton, a son of Louis and Sophia Schmidt Pfeiffer. He married Lucille Swefeldt on Nov. 25, 1937, in Wisconsin. She died Sept. 14, 1966. He married Lillian Wiemer Deteris on Aug. 27, 1967. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, A. Karl of Abingdon; one stepdaughter, LaVerda Ohmart of Mackinaw; three brothers, Clarence of Easton, and Leo and Earl, both of Forest City; three grandchildren; one great-grandson; two stepgrandsons; and two stepgreat-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Christ Lutheran Church, Delavan, with the Rev. David Kuchta officiating. Burial will be in St. John's Cemetery, Topeka.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Maas Funeral Home, Manito.

Memorials may be made to Christ Lutheran Church, Delavan, or to the St. John's Cemetery Fund.

Beulah Wilson

CLINTON — Beulah Fern Wilson, 91, of Clinton died at 7:40 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

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Obituaries

January 7, 1992

Lloyd Rosenfeld

ELKHART — Lloyd D. Rosenfeld, 61, of Elkhart died at 11:50 a.m. Monday, Jan. 6, 1992, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.



He retired in 1979 after working just over 30 years as an electrical engineer for General Telephone Co. He had been employed the past four years with

the Elkhart Water Department.

Mr. Rosenfeld served in the Air Force during the Korean War and was a member of Elkhart American Legion Post 616, Genoa Masonic Lodge 288 AF and AM, and the Independent Telephone Pioneers Association.

He was born June 24, 1930, in Sycamore, a son of Walter and Carolyn Reister Rosenfeld. He married Gwen Suttory Best on June 28, 1980, in Bloomington. She survives.

Also surviving are his mother in Genoa; two sons, Mike of Eureka and Mark of Greenville, S.C.; one daughter, Cynthia Wilson of Indianapolis, Ind.; four stepsons, Greg Best of Greeley, Colo., Ray Best and Dan Best of Salem, Ore., and Bill Best of Lincoln; one stepdaughter, Laura Haacke of Dwight; one sister, Lois Stroud of California; four grandchildren; and six step-grandchildren.

Cremation rites are being accorded.

A memorial service will be at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home with Micheal Drake officiating. Burial will be in Elkhart Cemetery, with military rites accorded by the Elkhart American Legion.

There is no visitation.

Memorials may be made to the Elkhart Rescue Squad.

Beulah Wilson

CLINTON — Funeral services for Beulah Fern Wilson will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson

officiating. Burial will be in Dewitt Cemetery, Dewitt.

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

Miss Wilson, 91, of Clinton died at 7:40 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 5, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

She was a retired aide from Brokaw Hospital, and a member of the Rebekah Lodge in Clinton.

She was born March 15, 1900, in Dewitt, a daughter of Grant and Etta Seneff Wilson.

Surviving are: one sister; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four brothers.

Memorials may be made to Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton, or to the DeWitt County Friendship Center.

Minnie Duncan

CLINTON — Minnie L. Duncan, 97, of Clinton died at 1:40 a.m. today, Jan. 7, 1991, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

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Obituaries

January 8, 1992

Minnie Duncan

CLINTON — Funeral services for Minnie L. Duncan will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Glen Stewart officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Thursday at the funeral home.

Miss Duncan, 97, of Clinton died at 1:40 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

She was a retired receptionist for Dr. F.A. Williams in Clinton.

Miss Duncan was a member of and Sunday School teacher at Clinton United Methodist Church. She also was a member of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, the Fin-De-Siecle Club, and a past president of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

She was born April 10, 1894, in Wapella, a daughter of John and Harriett Hammond Duncan.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by five brothers and six sisters and was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Memorials may be made to Clinton United Methodist Church.

Florence Pryor

GREENVIEW — Florence Ada Pryor, 79, of Greenview, died at 6:53 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1992, at the Menard Convalescent Center, Petersburg.

Mrs. Pryor was a member of Greenview Christian Church, the church's Circle Club and the Royal Neighbors of America.

She was born Oct. 23, 1912, in Peoria, a daughter of Luther and Lillie Hayes Buhl. She married Davis Pryor on March 17, 1929, in Greenview. He survives.

Also surviving are one son, Bob of Springfield; three daughters, Ella Lee Bohannon of East Peoria, Margaret Fowler of Springfield, and Vivian Stout of Litchfield; two brothers, Frank Buhl of Girard and Eldon Buhl

of Ashland; four sisters, Lucille DeBault of Jacksonville, Theresa Otkens of Springfield, Eva Grogan of Tallula, and Charlotte Byerline of Peoria; 11 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

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

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Styninger Funeral Home, Greenview, with the Rev. Dale Sanders officiating. Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery, Greenview.

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

Memorials may be made to Greenview Christian Church.

Nolan Gentry

CLINTON — Nolan D. Gentry, 93, of Macomb, formerly of Clinton and a former DeWitt County treasurer and county clerk, died at 4:25 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, 1992, at the Macomb Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

Mr. Gentry served in public office in DeWitt County in the 1930s. He later managed grain companies in Niantic and Macomb. He was supervisor of assessments in McDonough County when he retired at age 79.

He was a World War I veteran and a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Lodge in Macomb.

Mr. Gentry was born May 26, 1898, in Locust Branch, Ky., a son of William and Maggie Kindred Gentry. He married Nile Greene on July 25, 1933, in Clinton. She died on Nov. 28, 1984.

Surviving are two daughters, Margaret Chambers of Wonder Lake and Martha Weldon King of Peoria; one foster daughter, Lana Gamage Myers of Macomb; two sisters, Zona Armstrong and Mioma Shaw, both of Clinton; and one grandson.

He also was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

His graveside service was Monday in Mausoleum Park

Cemetery, Clinton.

Clugston-Tibbitts Funeral Home, Macomb, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Logan School Playground Equipment Fund.

Clara Browning

CLINTON — Clara Mae Browning, 67, of Clinton died at 7:38 p.m., Jan. 7, 1992, at her home.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.



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Norman McAfee

MOUNT PULASKI — Norman McAfee, 74, of Mount Pulaski died at 2:35 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 8, 1992, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield.

A retired farmer, Mr. McAfee was a member of Lake Fork Christian Church and an Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of Ryman-Fuiten American Legion Post and Scroggin-Gee Veterans of Foreign Wars Post, both in Mount Pulaski, and the Lincoln Moose Lodge.

He was born July 13, 1917, in Williamsville, the son of Chester and Martha Matilda Draper McAfee. He married Nellie Smith Jan. 14, 1972, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Larry W. McAfee of Springfield; four daughters, Linda Moore of Lincoln and Sharon DeTar, Sandy Bowles and Shirley Bailey, all of Mount Pulaski; three sisters, Helen Munyon of Lincoln, Rena Berry of Mount Pulaski and Clarissa Petrauskas of Villa Park; six grandchildren; and even great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one brother and two sisters.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Fricke Calvert Schrader Funeral Home in Mount Pulaski. Marvin Flowers and Bill Shanle will officiate.

Burial will be in Steenbergen Cemetery at rural Mount Pulaski with full military rites accorded.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7

p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Mount Pulaski Food Pantry or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Clara Browning

CLINTON — Funeral services for Clara Mae Browning of Clinton will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Banks and Beals Funeral Home in Stronghurst. The Rev. Jack Edmisson will officiate and burial will be in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Media.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home in Clinton and from 1 to 2 p.m. Saturday at Banks and Beals Funeral Home in Stronghurst.

Mrs. Browning, 67, died at 7:38 p.m., Jan. 7, 1992, at her home.

Mrs. Browning was born Oct. 11, 1924, in Clinton, a daughter of Benjamin and Lillie Owen Kepner. She married H. Stuart Browning on March 24, 1947, in Rock Island. He died March 3, 1989.

Survivors include one son, Gary Browning of Jackson, Miss.; two daughters, Lynn Grant of Roseville and Rita Browning of Clinton; two brothers, John Kepner of Clinton and Carl Kepner of Selma, Ala.; two sisters, Jerri Nunnery of Clinton and Ruth LaRue of Lima, Ohio; and two grandchildren.

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Sylvia Tate

Sylvia Mae Tate, 96, of Lincoln, formerly of Elkhart, died at 4:40 a.m. today, Jan. 10, 1992, in the Christian Nursing Home.

Mrs. Tate was a member of the Church of the Nazarene.

She was born Jan. 30, 1895, in Fayette County, a daughter of William and Mary Jane Beckham Spinger. She married George W. Tate on March 8, 1920, in Lincoln. He died on Nov. 3, 1966.

Surviving are two sons, Arthur Tate of Lincoln and Edward of Washington.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with Frank Bush officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 3 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the Christian Nursing Home.

Helen Porter

CLINTON — Helen Davis Porter, 85, of Bloomington, a Clinton native, died at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, 1992, at her residence.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

Pauline Hedrick

Pauline M. Hedrick, 82, a resident of Monroe, Mich., since 1935, died at 11:20 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 2, 1992, in Monroe.

Among her survivors are two sons, including Robert Hedrick of Lincoln, and 13 grandchildren, including Laura Adams, Holly Woodhall, Robert W. Hedrick and William B. Hedrick, all of Lincoln.

Mrs. Hedrick was a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Monroe.

She was born June 8, 1909, in Mount Clemens, a daughter of Paul and Jennie James Willoughby. She married William V. Hedrick on Feb. 4, 1925, in Detroit, Mich. He died on Sept. 21, 1983.

Also surviving are two sons, including Paul Hedrick of Monroe; two daughters, Jean Pete of Monroe, and Shirley Richards of Ypsilanti, Mich.; one sister, Blanche Sharkey of Taylor, Mich.; 25 great-grandchildren; as well as two great-great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Earle Little Funeral Home, Monroe, with the Rev. Dean Klump officiating.

Burial was in Roselawn Memorial Park in LaSalle, Mich.

Memorials may be made to the Humane Society of Monroe, Mich.

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Thelma Vipond

Thelma Marie Vipond, 72, of Lexington died at 6:45 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992, at Saint James Hospital, Pontiac. Among her survivors is a son, Jim Vipond of New Holland.

Mrs. Vipond was born Jan. 28, 1919, in Sterling, a daughter of David and Gertrude Obrian Gebhardt. She married James E. Vipond on Jan. 25, 1941, in Sterling. He survives.

Also surviving are two other sons, Tim Vipond of Sugarland, Texas, and Tom Vipond of Bloomington; two daughters, Carol Kauth of Normal and Mary Kay Gibson of Poolersville, Md.; two sisters, Velma Gilroy of Sterling and June Shaw of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.; 11 grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by a brother and a sister.

Private funeral services will be held at the family home. Burial will be in Lexington Cemetery. There is no visitation.

Musselman-Beck Funeral Home, Lexington, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to Saint James Hospice in Pontiac.

Clyde Robb

KENNEY — Clyde Edwin Robb, 82, of Kenney died at 5:15 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992, at Crestview Nursing Center, Clinton.

Mr. Robb, a retired television repairman, was a World War II veteran.

He was born Sept. 30, 1909, in Windsor, a son of George and Mary Catherine Hooten Robb. He married Clara Lane. She died on Aug. 8, 1986.

Surviving are two sons, Edwin of El Centro, Calif., and Earl of Kenney; a daughter, Evelyn Miller of Kenney; a sister, Iva Young of Windsor; 10 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by three brothers, and a sister.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Dean Williams officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney, with military rites to be accorded.

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

Memorials may be made to Crestview Nursing Center.

Theresa Luby

Funeral services for Theresa Luby will be held at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Holy Family Church with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6:30 to 8 p.m. today at Kerrigan Funeral Home, with the rosary recited at 8 p.m.

Miss Luby, 95, of Lincoln died at 12:10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10, 1992, at her home.

She was a bookkeeper for many years in the Chicago area, retiring in 1969.

Miss Luby was born Nov. 8, 1896, in Minonk, a daughter of Charles and Mary Pokorski Luby.

Surviving are three brothers, Frank Luby, John Luby and Charles Luby; and three sisters, Agnes Luby, Helen Bertoni and Rose Arnold.

She was preceded in death by three brothers.

Bessie Burris

CLINTON — Bessie I. Burris, 82, of Wapella died at 6:20 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992, at Crestview Nursing Center, Clinton.

Mrs. Burris, a retired food service employee in the Clinton school system, was a member of First Baptist Church, Clinton.

She was born July 9, 1909, in Dewitt, a daughter of Alvin and Ruth Welch Reynolds. She married Harold Burris in 1956 in Decatur. He preceded her in death.

Surviving are three sons, Ethan Thornton of Poplar Bluffs, Mo., Gerald Thornton of Wapella and Donald Thornton of Arcola; two daughters, Virginia Noel of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Patricia Dietsch of Altamonte Springs, Fla.; one sister, Doris Toreson of Melvin; 24 grandchildren; 39 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by a daughter, two brothers, and four sisters.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Lloyd Wages officiating. Burial will be in Dewitt Cemetery, Dewitt.

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

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

Herman Eller

DEWITT — Herman Eller, 80, of Dewitt died at 6:49 a.m. Sat-

urday, Jan. 11, 1992, at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Eller was a retired farmer. He was born Aug. 8, 1911, in Jefferson County, a son of Claude and Meda Whitson Eller.

He is survived by Ida Thurber of Dewitt, with whom he lived for several years; a daughter, Gladys Strohl of Argenta; and two grandchildren.

Graveside services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday in Dewitt Cemetery, Dewitt.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Homer Israel

ARMINGTON — Homer L. "Hodie" Israel, 68, of Armington died at 4:50 p.m. Friday, Jan. 10, 1992, at Saint Francis Medical Center, Peoria.

Mr. Israel was employed by the State of Illinois Highway Maintenance Division for many years, retiring Dec. 31, 1991.

A World War II Army veteran, he was a member of the Armington American Legion, the Lincoln Veterans of Foreign Wars post, and Armington Christian Church.

Mr. Israel was born April 23, 1923, in Delavan, a son of Ralph and Leatha Burt Israel.

Surviving are his mother of Armington; a daughter, Leatha Lou Israel of Minier; a sister, Ollie Tammeus of Armington; a brother, Robert of Armington; and a granddaughter.

Funeral services were held this morning at Armington Christian Church with Harold Williamson officiating. Burial will be in Oak View Cemetery, Armington, with military rites accorded by Armington American Legion Post 913.

Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, handled arrangements. Memorials may be made to the Armington Rescue Squad.

Myrtle Jenkins

DELANAVAN — Myrtle L. Jenkins, 82, of Eureka, formerly of Delavan, died at 1:36 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 11, 1992, at Eureka Community Hospital.

Mrs. Jenkins was a member of First United Methodist Church, Delavan.

She was born June 22, 1909, near Hopedale, a daughter of George and Lula Donelson Detmers. She married Harold Jenkins on April 12, 1940, in Bowling Green, Mo. He died in 1976.

Surviving are two daughters, Helen Cheek of Metamora and Linda Harris of Montgomery; one son, Gerald Detmers of East Peoria; one brother, Roy Detmers of Delavan; one sister, Laura Mae Rademaker of Emden; and seven grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by one brother and one sister.

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon at Woolsey Funeral Home, Delavan, with the Rev. Robert Hamish officiating. Burial was in Prairie Rest Cemetery, Delavan.

Memorials may be made to the Maple Lawn Homes, Eureka.

Anna Berger

Anna R. Berger, 86, of Lincoln died at 5:17 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Berger was a retired employee of Bartmann Nursing Home of rural Atlanta and the Lincoln Developmental Center. She was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church.

She was born Sept. 12, 1905, in New Holland, a daughter of Reiner and Gesina Koester Bartmann. She married Walter Berger on Aug. 24, 1929, in Lincoln. He died Nov. 20, 1962.

Surviving are three sons, Daniel Berger of New Holland, Rex Berger of Lincoln, and Thomas Berger of Fredericksburg, Va.; one daughter, Jo Ann Edwards of Dittmer, Mo.; three sisters, Amke Bartmann of Lincoln, Frieda Bartmann of Atlanta, and Mathilda Mills of Mesa, Ariz.; 16 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters.

Cremation rites were accorded. Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

There is no visitation. Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association or the Arthritis Foundation.

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James Blocker

MIDDLETOWN — James K. Blocker, 86, of Middletown died at 5:38 a.m. today, Jan. 14, 1992, at Sunny Acres Nursing Home, Petersburg.

Holland and Barry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

Helen Long

Helen Long, 89, of Lincoln died at 6:45 a.m. Monday, Jan. 13, 1992, at the White County Skill Care Unit in Carmi.

Mrs. Long had been an employee at the Lincoln State School, now the Lincoln Developmental Center, for 53 years.

She was born July 7, 1902, in Broughton, a daughter of Alvin and Rachel Hollister McMurtry. She married Lowell Long on Dec. 21, 1945, in Lincoln. He died Sept. 21, 1989.

Surviving are one sister, Pauline Willard of Denton, Texas; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Donald Campbell Funeral Home, Carmi, with the Rev. Edward Minor officiating. Burial will be in Mount Oval Cemetery, Norris City.

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

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Obituaries

Eules Miller

ATLANTA — Eules D. Miller, 83, of Atlanta died at 3:20 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Miller farmed in the Atlanta-Armington area, retiring in 1972 and also was employed several years at the Graff Implement Co. in Minier. He helped organize



Mr. Miller

a Milking Shorthorn organization and was a member of the International Order of Odd Fellows in Lincoln.

A member of Atlanta Christian Church, he formerly taught Sunday School many years at Armington Christian Church, where he also served on the board.

He formerly served on the Armington Grade School board and was a former Eminence Township road commissioner.

He also had been a member of the Atlanta Zoning Commission and in his earlier years, he sang in an Armington men's quartet.

Mr. Miller was born Nov. 29, 1908, in Brown County, Ind., a son of John and Sarah Bell Wilson Miller. He married Edith Pech on Dec. 25, 1931, in rural Atlanta. She survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Sarah Speciale of Atlanta, Shirley Aper of Elkhart and Jo Anne Hill of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two sons, Robert of Visalia, Calif., and John of Moneta, Va.; one brother, Lloyd of Bloomington; three sisters, Edell Pech of Wenona, Venita Crego of Royal, Ark., and Norma June Rabe of Virginia Beach, Va.; 13 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, one sister, one step-sister, and one stepbrother.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Atlanta Christian Church with Norman Howard officiating. Burial will be in Mountjoy Cemetery, rural Atlanta.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, and an hour before the service Friday at the church.

Memorials may be made to Atlanta Christian Church.

James Blocker

MIDDLETOWN — Funeral services for James Kistler Blocker of Middletown will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at Park Meadows Baptist Church. The Rev. S.M. Davis will officiate and burial will be in Laurel Hill Cemetery at Havana.

Visitation will be from noon to 1 p.m. Thursday at the church.

Holland and Barry Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Mr. Blocker, 86, died at 5:38 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at Sunny Acres Nursing Home, Petersburg.

He was employed at Newport News Ship Building and Dry Dock Co., Newport News, Va., until he retired in 1970. He was a member of Park Meadows Baptist Church.

He was born May 15, 1905, in Walterboro, S.C., a son of Albert Siftley and Janie Louella Adams Blocker. He married Isabelle Crosby on May 12, 1934, in Charleston, S.C. She died July 11, 1988.

Survivors include two daughters, Fannie Lou Bertram of Middletown and Carolyn R. Ramey of Suffolk, Va.; one brother, Lewis A. of Charleston,

S.C.; four sisters, Bessie Reid of Walterboro, S.C., and Mattie Lou Yawn, Cora Herron and Nadeen Calahan, all of Charleston, S.C.; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Three brothers preceded him in death.

Memorials may be made to the Park Meadows Baptist Church Building Fund.

Nancy Reeves

ATLANTA — Nancy Jane Reeves, 56, of DeKalb, an Atlanta native, died Monday, Jan. 13, 1992, at her home. She had been ill.

Mrs. Reeves had worked for Steak 'n Shake in Springfield from 1961-78 and had worked at the Julian Lodge in Julian, Calif.

She was a member of the American Association of Retired People.

She was born Aug. 26, 1935, in Atlanta, a daughter of Lyle and Florence Church Chrisman.

Surviving are one daughter, Kittie Lynn England of DeKalb; one sister, Julia Ann Chrisman of Springfield; two brothers, Joseph of Vista, Calif., and George of Bloomington; and a close friend, Stella Clayton, with whom she made her home.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother and one sister.

Cremation rites will be accorded and burial will be scheduled at an Atlanta cemetery.

There will be no visitation. Ronan-Moore Mortuary, DeKalb, handled arrangements.

Arvid Nelson

SAN JOSE — Arvid H. Nelson, 87, of San Jose died at 2:10 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at St. Clara's Manor.

Styner Funeral Home, San Jose, is handling arrangements.

Marcia Steffens

MCLEAN — Marcia Anne Haughey Steffens, 57, of Lyons, Colo., a former resident of McLean and Danville, died Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at her home after a long illness.

Mrs. Steffens had been employed as a secretary by J.C. Penney Co. in Boulder, Colo. She attended McLean schools and graduated from McLean High School. She had been a resident of Colorado since July 1967.

She was a member of St. James Methodist Church in Danville, where she sang in the choir. She was also a member of ESA and had served as its president. She was a volunteer at Longmont United Hospital.

She was born Feb. 15, 1934, in McLean, a daughter of Marvin and Jeanne Canfield Haughey. She married Herbert Sage Steffens June 22, 1952, in McLean. He survives.

Other survivors include her parents of McLean; one son, Scott Steffens of Longmont, Colo.; two daughters, Renee Burgess of Thornton, Colo., and Lisa Steward of Bayfield, Colo.; one brother Stephen Haughey of Thornton, Colo.; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at the Community Church of the Rockies in Estes Park, Colo., with the Rev. Don Botic officiating. Burial will be in Estes Valley Memorial Gardens.

Allnutt Funeral Services, Estes Park, Colo., handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the McLean Cemetery Association, McLean; the United Scleroderma Foundation, P.O. Box 350, Watsonville, Calif. 95077; or the Salvation Army in care of Allnutt-Estes Park Chapel, P.O. Box 4380, Estes Park, Colo. 80517.

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Alfred Schmitz

Alfred C. Schmitz, 85, of Springfield died at 12:08 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield. Among his survivors is a daughter, Anna Bode of Lincoln.

Mr. Schmitz was an electrician, retiring in 1989. He was a member of St. Joseph Church, Springfield, and the church's Holy Name Society.

He was born Sept. 22, 1906, in Springfield, a son of Mathias and Mary Greiner Schmitz. He married Ellen Kelly in Springfield. She died in 1981.

Surviving are: one son, Larry Schmitz of Mountain Home, Ark.; three other daughters, Theresa Tinsley of Nauvoo, Mary Fox of Rochester, and Kathleen Jones of Springfield; one sister, Mary Thean of Springfield; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandsons.

He also was preceded in death by one daughter, three brothers, three sisters, and one grandson.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Joseph Church, with the Rev. John Eck officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Springfield.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Kirlin-Egan-Butler Funeral Home, 900 S. Sixth St., Springfield, with a wake service at 5 p.m.

Memorials may be made to the St. John's Hospital hospice.

Jean Stromske

Jean P. Stromske, 55, of Alton, formerly of Lincoln, died at 1:12

a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1992, at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis.

Mrs. Stromske was a member of St. Peter's and Paul's Catholic Church, Alton.

She was born Jan. 10, 1937, in Alton, a daughter of Ambrose and Irene Acker. She married Thomas Stromske on Oct. 5, 1957, in Godfrey. He survives.

Also surviving are her mother in Alton; one son, Michael Stromske of Naples, Italy; five daughters, Julie Heitz and Jacqueline Klockenkemper, both of Godfrey, Joyce Stromske, Joan Stromske and Jane Stromske, all of Alton; and seven grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her father and two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 7 p.m. Sunday at St. Peter's and Paul's Catholic Church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Godfrey.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the church.

Staten Funeral Home, Alton, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the St. Peter's and Paul's School, the Pride Tree Memorial, or to the American Cancer Society.

Arvid Nelson

SAN JOSE — Funeral services for Arvid H. Nelson will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Styninger Funeral Home, San Jose, with Rev. Jeff Rasche officiating. Burial will be in Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.

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

Mr. Nelson 87, of San Jose

died at 2:10 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1992, at St. Clara's Manor in Lincoln.

He was retired from Keystone Steel and Wire, Bartonville, where he worked for 34 years. He was a member of San Jose United Methodist Church.

He was born Oct. 4, 1904, in Brooklyn, N.Y., a son of Axel and Hilda Person Nelson. He married Estella Phillips on June 20, 1936, in Decatur. She died Sept. 3, 1990.

Survivors include three daughters, Phyllis Hitchcock of Emden, Nancy Bree of San Jose, and Janet Sublett of Springfield; one brother, Leonard Nelson of San Jose; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister.

Memorials may be made to the San Jose United Methodist Church children's choir fund.

Howard Smith

CLINTON — Howard T. Smith, 94, of Clinton, died at 3:08 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

Laura Sparks

MASON CITY — Laura J. Sparks, 51, of Fairfield, formerly of Mason City and Lincoln, died at 5:56 a.m. today, Jan. 16, 1992, at Fairfield Hospital, Fairfield.

Cain Funeral Home, Mason City, is handling arrangements.

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Lucille Grathwohl

MOUNT PULASKI — Lucille W. Grathwohl, 85, of Mount Pulaski, died at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

Miss Grathwohl was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski.

She was born May 24, 1906, in Chestnut, a daughter of Martin and Emma Baumann Grathwohl.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters.

Graveside services were held this afternoon in Mount Pulaski Cemetery, with the Rev. Paul Droege Mueller officiating.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, or to the American Cancer Society.

Laura Sparks

MASON CITY — Funeral services for Laura J. Sparks will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Cain Funeral Home, with the Rev. Robert Paddack officiating. Burial will be in Prairie Repose Cemetery, Dover.

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

Miss Sparks, 51, of Fairfield, formerly of Mason City and Lincoln, died at 5:56 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at Fairfield Hospital, Fairfield.

She was a mental health technician at Lincoln Developmental Center.

Miss Sparks was born April 25, 1940, in Amboy, a daughter of Henry and Berniece Smith Sparks.

Surviving are one son, Brian Sparks of Bloomington; two brothers, Richard Sparks and Charles Sparks, both of Mason City; one sister, Mildred Willet of Fairfield; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one sister.

Memorials may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Association.

Ruth Ball Brown

McLEAN — Ruth Ball Brown, 50, of rural Decatur, Tenn., formerly of McLean, died Jan. 9, 1992, at Athens, Tenn., Community Hospital. Among her survivors is a sister, Mary Barr

of McLean.

Mrs. Brown was a licensed practical nurse who, with her husband Seldon, operated Brown's Down Home Restaurant in Decatur, Tenn. She had attended McLean schools and was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

She was born March 26, 1941, in Bloomington, a daughter of Paul and Lucy Cash Ball. She married Seldon Brown in 1957 in Fort Madison, Iowa. He survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Beth Brown of Decatur, Tenn.; three sons, Kevin Brown, Robert Brown, and William Brown, all of Decatur, Tenn.; one brother, Paul Ball of Bloomington; one half sister, Connie Gilmore of Peoria; three half brothers, William Ball of Morton, Robert Ball of Eureka, and James Ball of Florida.

Funeral services were Sunday at Ziegler Funeral Home, Athens, Tenn. Burial was in Shiloh Baptist Cemetery, Decatur, Tenn.

Howard Smith

CLINTON — Funeral services for Howard T. Smith will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home, with a Masonic service at 8 p.m.

Mr. Smith, 94, of Clinton, died at 3:08 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 15, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

He was a machinist for the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad and a member of Maroa United Methodist Church.

Mr. Smith was born Sept. 17, 1897, in Maroa, a son of Francis Marion and Elizabeth Dill Smith. He married Ruby Rogers on Sept. 16, 1976, in Clinton. She survives.

Also surviving are one daughter, Juanita Fort of Los Alamos, Calif.; one stepdaughter, Pat Bowman of Farmer City; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to First Christian Church of Clinton or to Dr. John Warner Hospital.

Edith Maple

CLINTON — Edith Maple, 79, of Hoopeston, formerly of Clinton, died at 4:18 a.m. today, Jan. 17, 1992, at Hoopeston Com-

munity Hospital.

Mrs. Maple was born Jan. 14, 1913, in Coles County, a daughter of John and Laura Rector Anderson. She married Otha Lobb in 1931. He died in 1948. She then married Ted Maple in 1955 in Clinton. He died in 1960.

Surviving are three sons, Wilbur Lobb of Boulder, Larry Lobb of Hoopeston, and Steve Lobb of Clinton; one brother, Charlie Anderson of Clinton; one sister, Flora Smith of Terre Haute, Ind.; 13 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by one son, two daughters, and nine brothers and sisters.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Monday in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating.

There is no visitation.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

Mary Wilson Denny

CLINTON — Mary Wilson Denny, 94, of Elk Grove Village, formerly of Clinton, died at 9:45 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

Mildred McGlasson

GREENVIEW — Mildred Irene McGlasson, 76, of Greenview died at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at her daughter's residence in Springfield.

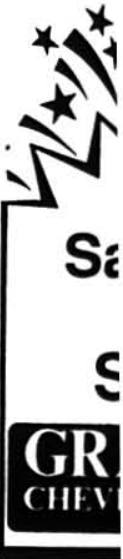
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James Patterson Sr.

James W. Patterson Sr. 67, of Lincoln died at 10:09 a.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Patterson had been a janitor and union member at Ball-Incon. He retired in 1987. He was a U.S. Army veteran.

He was born Nov. 6, 1924, in Fairgrove, Mo., a son of Roscoe and Mary Norton Patterson. He married Lottie White on March 30, 1951, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are his father in Lincoln; five sons, Donald of Beason, James Jr. of Springfield, Michael of Urbana, Steve of Lexington, and Ronnie of Normal; two daughters, Debbie Pantier and Tina Patterson, both of Lincoln; one brother, Roscoe of Maroa; two sisters, Betty Kacshak and Ferne Pollock, both of Lincoln; and 12 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother, one son, one brother, and one grandchild.

Funeral services will be at

10:30 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with Tom Gerds officiating. Burial will be Zion Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Foundation.

Lucille Grathwohl

MOUNT PULASKI — Graveside services for Lucille W. Grathwohl were Friday afternoon in Mount Pulaski Cemetery, with the Rev. Paul Droegemueller officiating.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, handled arrangements.

Miss Grathwohl, 85, of Mount Pulaski, died at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

Miss Grathwohl was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski.

She was born May 24, 1906, in Chestnut, a daughter of Martin and Emma Baumann Grathwohl.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, or to the American Cancer Society.

Mary Wilson Denny

CLINTON — Mary Wilson Denny, 94, of Elk Grove Village, formerly of Clinton, died at 9:45 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

Mildred McGlasson

GREENVIEW — Mildred Irene McGlasson, 76, of Greenview died at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at her daughter's residence in Springfield.

Styninger Funeral Home, Greenview, is handling arrangements.

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Obituaries

Charles Stopher

MOUNT PULASKI — Charles W. Stopher, 90, of Mount Pulaski, died at 12:15 a.m. today, Jan. 20, 1992, at Vanderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

Mr. Stopher, a retired farmer, was a member of Mount Pulaski Christian Church.

He was born April 12, 1901, in Wayne County, a son of George and Dora Nicolis Stopher. He married Beulah Poffenberger on Dec. 24, 1928, in Lincoln. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, John of Warrensburg, Harold of Hephzibah, Ga., and J. Norman of Mount Pulaski; two sisters, Bonnie Halstead of Mount Pulaski and Eileen Froehlich of Mount Zion; eight grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, one daughter, two brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with Marvin Flowers officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from noon until the time of service Thursday at the funeral home.

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

Ada Cates

ATLANTA — Ada Cates, 94, of Lincoln, formerly of Arlington and Atlanta, died at 9:04 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 19, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Cates was a member of Atlanta Christian Church.

She was born June 30, 1897, in Richmond, Ky., a daughter of Arch and Frances Whitaker White. She married Claude Cates in 1911 in Richmond, Ky. He died on Sept. 22, 1957.

Surviving are two daughters, Odessa Roadarmel of Bloomington and Donnita Bateman of Atlanta; 12 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and 25 great-great-grandchildren.

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

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Atlanta Christian Church with Norman Howard officiating. Burial will be in Atlanta Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Quiram Funeral Home, Atlanta, and an hour before the service Wednesday at the church.

Memorials may be made to Atlanta Christian Church or to the Sharlow Healthcare Center.

Edith Blankenship

RAMSEY — Edith Blankenship, 88, of Ramsey, died at 9:50 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 18, 1992, at Fayette County Hospital Long Term Care, Vandalia.

Mrs. Blankenship was a member of Ramsey Baptist Church.

She was born Dec. 31, 1903, in Ramsey, a daughter of Lambert and Minnie Kruse Holcompp. She married the Rev. Kenneth Blankenship on April 16, 1930, in Ramsey. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, the Rev. Dennis Blankenship of Lincoln and Norris of Sparta; nine grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers.

Funeral services were held today at Ramsey Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dee Spear and the Rev. Norris Price officiating. Burial was in Ramsey Cemetery. Miller Funeral Home, Ramsey, handled arrangements.

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

Blanche Hoff

KENNEY — Blanche Hoff, 93, of Kenney died at 7:44 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mrs. Hoff was a member of Kenney United Methodist Church.

She was born Sept. 12, 1898, in Sevier County, Tenn., a daughter of William and Nancy Morgan Andrews. She married Benjamin Hoff on Dec. 4, 1914, in Springfield. He died Dec. 12,

1970.

Surviving are a son, Eugene Hoff of Kenney; two daughters, Mildred/Meador of Maroa and Ruth Hitchens of Decatur; one sister, Inez Menapace of Springfield; two half sisters, Iva Gobleman of Lincoln and Irene Secrest of Niantic; eight grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

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

Funeral services were this afternoon at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Robert Swain officiating. Burial was in Pleasant Valley Cemetery, Kenney.

Memorials may be made to Kenney United Methodist Church.

Mary Willson Denny

CLINTON — Funeral services for Mary Willson Denny were held today at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Glen Stewart officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

Mrs. Denny, 94, of Elk Grove Village, formerly of Clinton, died at 9:45 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 1992, at Alexian Brothers Medical Center, Elk Grove Village.

A former teacher and social worker, she held a master's degree from Berkeley University in California. She was a member of Lincoln Park Presbyterian Church, Chicago.

She was born Feb. 25, 1897, in DeWitt County, a daughter of P.K. and Carrie Walker Willson. She married Elmer Denny on Oct. 29, 1932, in Chicago. He died Nov. 12, 1970.

Surviving are one son, Daniel Denny of North Chicago; one daughter, Judy Denny of Sherman Oaks, Calif.; and one grandson.

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

Memorials may be made to Lincoln Park Presbyterian Church, Chicago, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Wendell Myers

CLINTON — Wendell L. Myers, 94, of Clinton died at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mr. Myers, a retired cabinet maker for Illinois Central Gulf Railroad, was a member of First Christian Church, Clinton.

He was born Feb. 27, 1897, in Lane, a son of Joseph and Dora Jane Bird Myers. He married Mae Taylor in 1919. She died in 1929. He later married Eunice Mildred Shriver on March 30, 1931, in Shelbyville. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Russell Myers of Decatur and Samuel Myers of Noblesville; three daughters, Ileen Schumacher and Velma Thayer, both of Clinton, and Barbara Lund of Decatur; one brother, Herman of Clinton; one sister, Velma Sanders of Eugene, Ore.; 13 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son and one brother.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be from 6:30 to 8 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Pearline Brelsford

CLINTON — Pearlina F. Brelsford, 76, of Clinton died at 12:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 19, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mr. Brelsford was a retired member of the Clinton Cemetery Department and a World War II Army veteran. He attended First Baptist Church of Clinton.

He was born April 30, 1915, in Kenney, a son of Frank and Sara Vella Brelsford. He married Margaret Storey on Jan. 29, 1957, in Decatur. She died on April 24, 1987.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Peggy Reymans of La Mesa, Calif.; a stepgranddaughter and a

step-great-granddaughter.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Lloyd Wages officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be an hour before the funeral service Tuesday at the funeral home.

Henry Taylor

CLINTON — Henry L. Taylor, 77, of Clinton, died at 2:40 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 19, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mr. Taylor owned and managed the Taylor-Magill Hotel in Clinton for 26 years, retiring in 1976. He was a retired member of the board of directors of Central Illinois Building and Loan Association of Clinton.

He was a World War II Army veteran and was a member of the Clinton Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Mr. Taylor was past president and a 28-year member of the Clinton Country Club, a 56-year member of the Clinton Elks Club and a retired member of the Clinton Rotary Club.

He was the 1954 Illinois trapshoot champion and a member of Clinton United Methodist Church.

Mr. Taylor was born Nov. 19, 1914, in Clinton, a son of Edward and Martha Surdam Taylor. He married Eileen Vinson on March 27, 1939, in Linneus, Mo. She survives.

Also surviving are a son, Edward of Naperville; a daughter, Sandra Richard of Miami, Fla.; a brother, Franklin of Memphis, Tenn.; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a brother.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton.

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

Rev. Cecil Morris

The Rev. Cecil LeRoy Morris, 89, of Springfield died at 5:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 17, 1992, at Vanderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

The Rev. Morris, ordained in the Southern Illinois Conference of the Methodist church, held pastorates in Illinois until 1952, when he joined the church's Minnesota conference.

Following his retirement, he served as interim pastor of various area churches and served approximately nine years as a part-time counselor with the Salvation Army in Springfield.

As part of his higher education, he earned a master of arts degree at the University of Illinois and had attended Illinois Wesleyan University.

He was born July 13, 1902, in Hamburg, a son of Lee and Cora Etta Toulouse Morris. He married Lorena Mae Smith in June 1931. She preceded him in death. He married Gwendolyn Myers of Elkhart in June 1981. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Marilyn Cahill of Broomfield, Colo., and Jo Richner of Chestnut; seven grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a sister and one niece.

Funeral services were held this morning at Sherman United

Methodist Church, with the Rev. William Pruett and the Rev. Kenneth Zinn officiating. Burial was in Elkhart Cemetery.

Mott and Henning Funeral Home, Athens, handled arrangements.

Robert Black

WILLIAMSVILLE — Robert G. Black, 74, of Williamsville, died at 11:39 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 18, 1992, at his residence.

Mr. Black owned and operated H.N. Black and Sons in Williamsville for nearly 50 years.

A World War II Army veteran, he was a 53-year member of Williamsville United Methodist Church and a member of the Williamsville Lavelly Masonic Lodge No. 203. He also had served on the Williams Township Board of Trustees.

Mr. Black was born Dec. 30, 1917, near Williamsville, a son of Harvey and Irene Budd Black. Among his survivors is his wife Thelma.

Also surviving are three sons, Ronald of Williamsville, William of Rantoul, and John of Sherman; three daughters, Joyce Bell of Cantrell, Sandra Grant of Springfield, and Roberta Jones of White Bear Lake, Minn.; three stepsons, Danny Wright of Quincy, David Wright of St. Louis, Mo., and Jim Wright of Williamsville; three stepdaughters, Brenda Thompson of Williamsville, Judy VanDiver of Hanes City, Fla., and Linda Kiley of Montgomery; one sister, Helen Neavill of Williamsville; 25 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Mott and Henning Funeral Home, Athens, with the Rev. Thomas Wilbur officiating. Burial will be in Fancy Creek Cemetery, near Sherman.

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

Opal Tibbs

OPAL L. TIBBS, 79, of Springfield, formerly of Middletown, died at 12:05 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 18, 1992, at Doctors Hospital, Springfield.

Mrs. Tibbs was the former administrator for the Daily Bread program in Middletown and her memberships included Middletown Presbyterian Church, the Middletown Woman's Club, and the Middletown Home Bureau.

She was born July 6, 1912, in Fayette County, a daughter of Walter and Mabel Juffenmeyer Jones. She married Otto Hawk Sr. in 1931 in Girard. He died in 1954. She married Dennis Tibbs in 1963 in Peoria. He died in 1976.

Surviving are one daughter, Nancy Boward of Belmont, Iowa; two sons, Garry Hawk of Chatham and Otto Hawk Jr. of Clinton; three stepsons, Edward Tibbs of Middletown, Robert Tibbs of Williamsville, and Harry Tibbs of Lincoln; five brothers, Gerald Jones, Marvin Jones, Paul Jones, and Russell Jones, all of Carlinville, and Robert Jones of St. Louis, Mo.; two sisters, Pauline Strussell of St. Louis, Mo., and Ada Bryan of Norwalk, Calif.; 16 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at Davis-Anderson Funeral Home, Carlinville, with the Rev. David Berry officiating. Burial will be in Mayfield Memorial Park Cemetery, Carlinville.

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Obituaries

Bernice Mills

Bernice C. Mills, 70, of Lincoln died at 12:25 p.m. Monday, Jan. 20, 1992, at St. Francis Hospital, Peoria.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, is handling arrangements.

Harold Baker

Harold C. Baker, 76, of Dallas, Texas, a Lincoln native and former Lincoln businessman, died Dec. 29, 1991, of an apparent heart attack at his home.

Among his survivors are four sons, including William Gene Baker of Lincoln, and one sister, Helen Humbert of Lincoln.

Mr. Baker attended Lincoln schools and graduated from Lincoln High School in 1933. He farmed here in his early working years and owned and operated Harley-Davidson Motorcycle sales and service businesses in Lincoln and Champaign.

He later moved to Dallas, where he operated Baker and Sons Building and Repair Service until his retirement in 1987.

At the time of his death, he was a precinct committeeman in the Oakcliff area of Dallas.

Mr. Baker was born Feb. 5, 1915, in Lincoln, a son of Carl and Pearl Liesman Baker. He married Patricia Ally. She survives.

Also surviving are four sons, including Steven, Dennis and Paul Baker, all of Dallas; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son.

Cremation rites were accorded.

Private family services were conducted in Dallas.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association, 34 Northbrook, Lincoln, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Grace Cunningham

SAN JOSE — Grace Edna Cunningham, 97, of San Jose died at 8 a.m. Monday, Jan. 20, 1992, at her home. She had been ill.

Mrs. Cunningham was a former 4-H leader and a member of the Logan County Farm Bureau. She also was a member of New Holland United Methodist Church and the United Methodist

Women, the San Jose Women's Club, and the Garden Club.

She was born Feb. 2, 1894, in Delavan, a daughter of Darius and Mary Ruth Marshall. She married John Harness Cunningham on Dec. 2, 1911, in Dresden, Tenn. He died Feb. 14, 1963.

Surviving are one daughter, Mildred Blaum of New Holland; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by one son, one daughter, and three brothers.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Styninger Funeral Home, San Jose, with the Rev. Sharon Garretson officiating. Burial will be in Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Thursday at the funeral home.

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

Robert Woll

SAN JOSE — Robert Henry Woll, 91, of San Jose, died at 1:47 a.m. today, Jan. 21, 1992, at the Bartmann Health Care Center, rural Atlanta.

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Mabel Wilmet

Mabel I. Wilmet, 85, of Lincoln, died at 3:45 a.m. today, Jan. 22, 1992, at Sharwood Health Care Center.

Mrs. Wilmet was born Feb. 13, 1906, in Lawndale, a daughter of John and Elsie Nuckols Parice. She married Harold D. Wilmet on Aug. 21, 1923, in Lincoln. He died Feb. 23, 1971.

Surviving are a nephew, George Wilmet of Lincoln, and two nieces.

Mrs. Wilmet was preceded in death by a daughter, two brothers and five sisters.

Graveside services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Lawndale Cemetery, with the Rev. Richard Reinwald officiating.

Visitation will be from noon to 12:30 p.m. Friday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to Sharwood Health Care Inc.

Bernice Mills

Funeral services for Bernice C. Mills will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday at Holy Family Church, with the Rev. Joseph Danton officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln. The rosary will be recited at 7:45 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Mills, 70, of Lincoln died at 12:25 p.m. Monday, Jan. 20, 1992, at St. Francis Hospital, Peoria.

She was lead woman in the breaker room at Eaton Corp. for 20 years.

She was a member of Holy Family Church, where she was a eucharistic minister and a member of the Daughters of Isabella and Holy Family Society.

She also was a member of the Lincoln Emblem Club.

Mrs. Mills was born Dec. 6, 1921, in Lincoln, a daughter of Frederic and Gertrude Troendley Ruenzi. She married Dr. Ralph Mills on Feb. 14, 1969, in Rock Island. He survives.

Also surviving are one son, Joseph Foutch of Ann Arbor, Mich.; one sister, Emma Ruenzi of Lincoln; two stepsons, David Mills of East Peoria and John Mills of Springfield; two stepdaughters, Susan Fults of Mason City and Elizabeth "Betsy" Keefe of Belleville; two grandchildren; 10 stepgrandchildren; and one stepgreat-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by two brothers.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Robert Woll

SAN JOSE — Funeral services for local businessman Robert Henry Woll will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at San Jose United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Jeff Rasche officiating. Burial will be in Green Hill Cemetery, San Jose.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Styninger Funeral Home, San Jose.

Mr. Woll, 91, San Jose's unofficial historian, died at 1:47 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 21, 1992, at Bartmann Health Care Center, rural Atlanta.

He was president of San Jose Tri-County Bank from 1944 to 1980, was chairman of the board and past president of N. Woll, Inc., was a past treasurer of Green Hill Cemetery, and was chairman of the Mason County Housing Board from 1959 to 1974.

Mr. Woll, auditor of Allen's Grove Township from 1973 to 1977, was a former member of the advisory building committee of San Jose District 122 schools, served as a committeeman for the Boy Scouts of America from 1920 to 1946, and was a member of the Retail Grocer's Association, the Republican National Committee and the San Jose American Legion post.

Listed in "Who's Who in the World," Mr. Woll had established Amanda's Antiques in 1959.

He was a graduate of San Jose High School, was an Army veteran of World War I, and was a member of San Jose United Methodist Church.

Mr. Woll was born Sept. 7, 1900, in San Jose, the son of Henry and Kathryn Neikirk Woll. He married Amanda Williams on Christmas Day, 1925, in Pekin. She died in 1971.

Survivors include a son, Robert Nicolas Woll of Vienna, Va.

He also was preceded in death by two sisters and one brother.

Memorials may be made to San Jose United Methodist Church.

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Obituaries

Verne Garrison

MOUNT PULASKI — Verne G. Garrison, 83, of rural Mount Pulaski, died at 9 a.m. today, Jan. 23, 1992, at Vonderlieth Living Center, Mount Pulaski.

Mr. Garrison was a farmer and operator of the Garrison Brothers Christmas Tree Farm in the rural Mount Pulaski/Latham area 20 years.

He was born July 27, 1908, in Lake Fork Township, a son of Archie and Bessie Ellen Gasaway Garrison. He married Florence Stogdell on Nov. 13, 1931. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Verne of Broadwell and Larry of Springfield; two sisters, Catherine Williams of Latham and Gladys Dutz of Lincoln; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one sister.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Lake Bank Cemetery, rural Mount Pulaski, with Marvin Flowers officiating.

There is no visitation.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Vonderlieth Library Fund.

Matilda Coleman

Matilda Dolly Coleman, 73, of Pinckneyville died at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 18, 1992, at her home. Among survivors is a sis-

ter, Christine March of Lincoln.

Mrs. Coleman was retired after having worked at the Hosiery Mill in Pinckneyville for three years and at the Pinckneyville Garment Factory for 22 years. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Pinckneyville.

She was born Jan. 9, 1919, in Perry County, a daughter of Michael and Mathilda Roemhild Mayer. After her parents died when she was young, she was adopted and reared by an uncle and aunt. She married Lloyd Coleman on July 12, 1936, in Southern Illinois. He died Sept. 23, 1966.

Among survivors are two sons, Robert Coleman and Larry Coleman, both of Pinckneyville; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by two brothers, two sisters, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday at Pyatt Funeral Home, Pinckneyville, with the Rev. Philip Gruenbaum officiating.

Burial was in Mueller Hill Cemetery, near Pinckneyville.

Memorials may be made to the Pinckneyville Ambulance Fund.

Opal Eaton

Opal E. Eaton, 89, of Lincoln, died at 8:25 a.m. today, Jan. 23, 1992, at St. Clara's Manor.

Holland and Barry Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

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Obituaries

Robert Augustine

Robert I. Augustine, 68, of Lincoln, died at 5:20 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24, 1992, at his home. He had been ill.

Mr. Augustine retired in 1978 as a director of merchandising presentation for Carson Pirie Scott and Co. He was a member of the Lincoln Elks.

He was born May 10, 1923, in Decatur, a son of Henry and Petrah Hummel Augustine. He married Joyce Laughlin on June 7, 1951, in Peoria. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Kurt of Hoffman Estates; and one sister, Pauline Silvey of Sacramento, Calif.

He was preceded in death by one son.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. James McClarey officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home, with an Elks memorial service conducted at 4 p.m..

Memorials may be made to the Lincoln Elks Lodge or to the Elks Crippled Children's Fund.

Opal Eaton

Funeral services for Opal E. Eaton will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home with the Rev. Solomon Jadhav officiating.

Burial will be in Blue Grass Cemetery, in rural Lincoln, northwest of Beason.

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

Mrs. Eaton, 89, of Lincoln, died at 8:25 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 23, 1992, at St. Clara's Manor.

A former cafeteria worker at Beason Grade School, she was a member of Beason United Methodist Church and the church's Women's Society.

Mrs. Eaton was born May 20, 1902, in Bible Grove, a daughter of George and Cora O'Mara Newhouse. She married Alvin Eaton on Feb. 28, 1922, in Lincoln. He died Dec. 23, 1970.

Surviving are three sisters, Frances Kindred of Pekin, Esther

Knight of Peoria, and Mary Bruhn of Stauton.

She was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Memorials may be made to Beason United Methodist Church or to St. Clara's Manor.

Haldean Wright

CLINTON — Haldean Allen Wright, 76, of Clinton, died at 10:37 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1992, at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Wright was the retired former owner of Hal Wright Refrigeration Service. A Navy veteran of World War II and the Korean War, he was a member of the Clinton Veterans of Foreign Wars post. He also was a member of First Christian Church of Clinton.

He was born June 12, 1915, in Texas Township in DeWitt County, a son of George and Fanny Furman Wright. He married Alice Rogers in 1936. Later he married Beulah Reason on Dec. 7, 1968. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, Roy of Clinton; one daughter, Ann Wright of Lincoln, Neb.; two stepsons, Phillip Reason of Forsyth and Dennis Reason of Grand Canyon, Ariz.; two grandchildren; and two stepgreat-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, one brother, and three sisters.

Private graveside services were held this morning in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating.

Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association or to First Christian Church of Clinton.

Bertha Kozan

CLINTON — Bertha M. Kozan, 70, of Joliet, formerly of Clinton, died at 11:50 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 23, 1992, at St. Joseph Hospital, Joliet.

Herrington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

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Obituaries

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Pauline Stoltz

Pauline D. Stoltz, 82, of Lincoln, died at 2:25 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Stoltz was owner-operator of the Modern Beauty Shop in Lincoln and also had been a beautician with the Illinois Department of Mental Health, retiring in 1972. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

She was born Aug. 25, 1909, in Broughton, a daughter of Thomas and Mabel Matheny Douglas. She married John Stoltz on Aug. 3, 1935, in Carlinville. He died Aug. 16, 1967.

Surviving are one son, Dean Stoltz of Lincoln; one daughter, Alice Douglas of Tucson, Ariz.; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by two brothers, one sister, and one grandchild.

Cremation rites will be accorded.

A memorial service will be conducted at a later date.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

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

Bertha Kozan

CLINTON — Funeral services for Bertha M. Kozan will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Billy Bell officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be from 10 a.m. until the time of service Monday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Kozan, 70, of Joliet, formerly of Clinton, died at 11:50 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 23, 1992, at St. Joseph Hospital, Joliet.

She was a member of First Assembly of God Church in Joliet.

Mrs. Kozan was born Oct. 9, 1921, in Clinton, a daughter of Herbert and Grace Gardner. She married Marcus Kozan in 1969 in Mexico. He died in 1991.

Surviving are: three sons, Robert Smith of Miami, Fla., Gerald Florey of Custer Park, and Sidney Florey of Vienna, Va.; one daughter, Sandi Jones of Manassas, Va.; three sisters, Mary Elizabeth Reich of Kankakee, and Bea Cornell and Eileen Harrold, both of Fort Wayne, Ind.; eight grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

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John Herington

CLINTON — John Kenneth Herington, 85, of Clinton, founder and senior member of Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, died at 8:40 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.



Mr. Herington purchased the former Reeser Funeral Home in Clinton in 1950, having been a partner since 1945 and an employee of the firm from 1929 to 1945.

He served six terms as DeWitt County coroner, was a 1929 graduate of Worsham College of Mortuary Science, and was a member of the Illinois Funeral Directors Association and the National Funeral Directors Association.

Mr. Herington was a retired director of the DeWitt County Federal Savings and Loan, past president of the Clinton Kiwanis Club, and was a former board member of Dr. John Warner Hospital, the Clinton YMCA, and the Clinton Chamber of Commerce.

He was a member of First Christian Church, Clinton, where he had served as a deacon and trustee, the Clinton Roque Club, DeWitt Masonic Lodge 84 AF and AM, Bloomington Consistory, Ansar Shrine of Springfield, Goodbrake Chapter, Clinton Council, Clinton Commandry, Myrtle Chapter Order of Eastern Star and White Shrine of Jerusalem.

Mr. Herington also was a member of Odd Fellows Lodge and a former member of the Clinton Elks Lodge and the Clinton Country Club.

He was a graduate of Wapella High School.

Mr. Herington was born Feb. 20, 1906, in Wapella, a son of Byron and Kate Ives Herington. He married Lucy Jones on Sept. 21, 1930, in Decatur. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Patricia Wade of Chillicothe, and Mary Calvert of Clinton; one son, John of Urbana; two brothers, Thornton of Burton, Mich., and Byron of Springfield; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at First Christian Church, Clinton, with J. Kent Hickerson officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Visitation will be from 5:30 to 8 p.m. today at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Memorials may be made to the bus fund of First Christian Church, Clinton.

Rosalind Gillum

Rosalind "Rose" M. Gillum, 84, of Lincoln died at 11:04 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1992, at Sunshine Meadow Care Center.

Mrs. Gillum was a waitress and cook at Frazier's Coffee Shop and Hilltop Bowl in Mount Pulaski. She was a 15-year member of the Logan REACT team and a member of First United Methodist Church.

She was born April 1, 1907, in Wayne County, a daughter of Oscar and Bertha Galbreath Best. She married Bertram Gillum on April 17, 1929, in Mount Erie. He died Dec. 9, 1968.

Surviving are three sons, Bertram Gillum Jr. of Mount Pulaski, Donald Gillum of Marshall, Ark., and Paul Gillum of Effingham; two daughters, Shirley Gill and Sue Werschey, both of Lincoln; three sisters, Ruth Leonard of Mount Erie, Thelma Brummett of Mansfield, and Onita Petty of West Salem; 18 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; and nine stepgreat-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by one son, two grandchildren,

and three great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday at First United Methodist Church, with the Rev. James McClarey officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln.

Memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, the American Heart Association, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Pauline Stoltz

Memorial services for Pauline Stoltz will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, with the Rev. James McClarey officiating. Inurnment will be in New Union Cemetery, Lincoln.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Friday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Stoltz, 82, of Lincoln, died at 2:25 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Owner and operator of Modern Beauty Shop in Lincoln, she also had been a beautician with the Illinois Department of Mental Health, retiring in 1972. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

She was born Aug. 25, 1909, in Broughton, a daughter of Thomas and Mabel Matheny Douglas. She married John Stoltz on Aug. 3, 1935, in Carlinville. He died Aug. 16, 1967.

Surviving are one son, Dean Stoltz of Lincoln; one daughter, Alice Douglas of Tucson, Ariz.; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by two brothers, one sister, and one grandchild.

Cremination rites will be accorded.

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

Lillie Nilhas

MOUNT PULASKI — Lillie Agnes Nilhas, 93, of Mount Pulaski, died at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield, at 2:45 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, is handling arrangements.

Jewell Hoffman

CLINTON — Jewell Hoffman, 88, of Clinton, died at 1:40 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

Mrs. Hoffman was a member of Clinton United Methodist Church, the church's Tri-C Class and Naomi Circle, and the United Methodist Women. She also was a member of the Home Economics Club.

She was born Aug. 3, 1903, in Chenoa, a daughter of Charles and Sophia Williams Hostler. She married Ray Hoffman on June 29, 1929, in Bloomington. He died Dec. 2, 1979.

Survivors include two nephews, Kenneth Glenn and E.L. "Bus" Glenn, both of Clinton; and a niece, Elizabeth Miller of Clinton.

Funeral services were this afternoon at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. Glen Stewart officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

Memorials may be made to Chaddock Boys School of the United Methodist Church.

William Buck

MCLAN — William Ray Buck, 62, of Hermosa Beach, Calif., formerly of McLean, died at 6:50 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1992, at a hospital in California. He had cancer.

Mr. Buck, a graduate of McLean High School, authored five books under the pseudonym William Buchanan, including "Christopher Syn," later made into the movie, "The Scarecrow of Romney Marsh," by Walt Disney Productions.

Under the same pseudonym, he also wrote, "Doctor Anger's Island," "The Ghost of Dagger Bay," and "Eagles' Paradise." "Somewhere to Turn — a

Journal," his last book and not yet published, details Mr. Buck's battle with cancer.

Mr. Buck was a graduate of the University of Illinois, Northwestern University and UCLA. He held a master's degree in drama.

He had worked as a technical manual writer at Hughes Aircraft and spent several years with Turnabout Theatre in Hollywood. He taught drama in El Camino College in Torrance, Calif.

He was born Jan. 10, 1930, a son of H. Ray and Isla Wilde Buck.

Surviving are a sister, Dorothy Holland of McLean; three nieces, Susan Lawler of Lincoln, Marcia Shaffer of McLean and Jill Allen of Green Valley; and two nephews, Robert Holland and Jack Holland, both of McLean; and 13 grandnephews and grandnieces.

Mr. Buck was cremated and his ashes were scattered at sea.

Memorials may be made to Mount Hope Funks Grove Library.

Enoch Nunnery

CLINTON — Enoch C. Nunnery, 96, formerly of Clinton, died at 8:45 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1992, at DeWitt County Nursing Home, Hallsville.

Mr. Nunnery, a retired carman for Illinois Central Gulf Railroad, was a member of the Clinton Church of the Nazarene and Modern Woodmen.

He was born Feb. 10, 1895, in Lincoln County, Miss., a son of Ruben and Ella Terrell Nunnery. He married Hazel McCullough on Jan. 14, 1915, in Pike County, Miss. She died in 1917. He then married Minnie Huguley on Sept. 23, 1923, in Clinton. She died July 9, 1982.

Surviving are two sons, Grady and Enoch, both of Clinton; nine grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by one son, three brothers, and four sisters.

Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, with the Rev. David Nash officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton.

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

Memorials may be made to the Clinton Church of the Nazarene building fund.

Jacob Cisco

Jacob Allen Cisco, infant son of Keith and Tammy Morris Cisco of Lincoln, was stillborn at 11:25 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1992, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital.

Besides his parents, also surviving are a sister, Kendra, at home; his paternal grandparents, Bobby and Margene Cisco of Greenview; his maternal grandparents, Ralph and Trudy Morris of College Park, Ga.; his maternal great-grandparents, John and Arthie Morris of Alabama, and his paternal great-grandparents, Amos and Margaret Cisco of Springfield.

Gravesides services will be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Babyland in Union Cemetery, with the Rev. Joseph Hedges officiating.

Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, handled arrangements.

Chadwick Meade

CLINTON — Chadwick Wayne Meade, two-month-old son of Mark and Candace Meade of Clinton, died at 2:49 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

In initial reports, the infant's death was attributed to Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

Clifford Siscoe

DELAVAN — Clifford W. Siscoe, 17, of Delavan, was found dead at 9:15 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at his home. An autopsy is planned.

Woolsey Funeral Home, Delavan, is handling arrangements.

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Vivian Gehrke

NEW HOLLAND — Vivian I. Gehrke, 68, of rural New Holland died at 6 a.m. today, Jan. 28, 1992, at her residence. She had been ill.

Mrs. Gehrke was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, New Holland.

She was born March 5, 1924, in Middletown, a daughter of Roy and Elsie Montgomery Treakle. She married Gerald Gehrke on Dec. 10, 1947, in New Holland. He survives.

Also surviving are two sons, David Gehrke of DeKalb and John of Vandalia; five daughters, Marilyn Turner of Normal, Marjorie Medina of Seattle, Wash., Linda Yarcho of Lincoln, Brenda Roosevelt of Edwardsville, and Diane Paulus of Lincoln; one sister, Lois Groth of Ocala, Fla.; and 12 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one infant daughter and one brother.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday at Zion Lutheran Church, New Holland, with the Rev. Richard Bremer officiating. Burial will be in Richmond Grove Cemetery, New Holland.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church, New Holland, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Lillie Nilhas

CORNLAND — Funeral services for Lillie Agnes Nilhas will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with Bill Shanle officiating. Burial will be in Constant Cemetery, rural Buffalo.

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

Mrs. Nilhas, 93, of Springfield, formerly of Cornland, died at 2:45 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield.

She was a member of Cornland Christian Church.

Mrs. Nilhas was born Jan. 10, 1899, in Sangamon County, a daughter of Henry and Amanda Phares Shannon. She married George Nilhas on Jan. 21, 1918, in Springfield. He died April 2, 1978.

Surviving are one son, George of Buffalo; one daughter, Martha Pruitt of Blue Mound; 14 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

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

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

Chadwick Meade

CLINTON — Graveside services for Chadwick Wayne Meade will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton, with the Rev. Tracy Ray officiating.

Visitation will be an hour before the service Wednesday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Chadwick, the two-month-old son of Mark and Candace Meade of Clinton, died at 2:49 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

The infant's death was attributed to Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

Also surviving are a maternal grandmother, Virginia Mitchell of Decatur; and a paternal grandmother, Delores Meade of Clinton.

He was preceded in death by a grandfather and a great-uncle.

Memorials may be made to the Chadwick Meade Memorial Fund, c/o Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Clifford Siscoe

DELAVAN — Funeral services for Clifford W. Siscoe will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Woolsey Funeral Home, Delavan, with the Rev. Henry Miller officiating. Burial will be in Prairie Rest Cemetery.

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

Mr. Siscoe, 17, of Delavan, was found dead at 9:15 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at his home. The Tazewell County's coroner's office is continuing an investigation into the cause of death, but no foul play is suspected.

He worked at the Round Table Restaurant in Delavan.

Mr. Siscoe was born Feb. 6, 1974, in Dayton, Ohio, a son of Estelle and Marjorie Miller Siscoe.

Surviving are his parents of Delavan; one brother, Rodney of Austin, Texas; a grandmother, Imogene Bullerman of Peoria; and a grandfather, Milton Miller of Centralia.

He was preceded in death by a grandmother and grandfather.

Memorials may be made to the Delavan Ambulance Fund.

Harry Covey

DeWITT — Harry L. Covey, 84, of Decatur, a Dewitt native, died at 5:46 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1992, at his home. Among his survivors are two brothers, including Lloyd of Clinton.

Mr. Covey was a retired carpenter and woodcrafter and a member of Christ United Methodist Church, Decatur.

He was born April 11, 1907, in Dewitt, a son of Charles and Luella Cobb Covey. He married Mattie Burris in 1934, in Glen Ellyn. She survives.

Also surviving are two daughters, Jean Paddock and Karen Rivera, both of Decatur; two brothers, including Kent of Decatur; one sister, Floy Riggleman of Oceanside, Calif.; five grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Dawson and Wikoff Colonial Chapel North, Decatur. Burial will be in Dewitt Cemetery, Dewitt.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. today at the funeral home.



Obituaries

Margaret Schall

Margaret M. Schall, 54, of Lincoln died at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1992, at her residence.

Mrs. Schall was a former store clerk at Ace Hardware and Pete's True Value and was a member of Holy Family Church.

She was born Nov. 16, 1937, in Lincoln, a daughter of E. Earl and Mary Culnan Schmidt. She married Wayne Schall on Dec. 13, 1958, in Clinton. He survives.

Also surviving are her father in Lincoln; three daughters, Susan Tibbs of Middletown, Sandra Danley of New Holland, and Sharon Schall of Lincoln; two brothers, Edward Schmidt of St. Louis and Richard Schmidt of Lincoln; two sisters, Linda Myers of Kenney and Alice Jensen of Lincoln; and two granddaughters.

She was preceded in death by her mother.

Funeral services will be at 9:30 a.m. Friday at Holy Family Church, with the Rev. Norman Goodman officiating. Burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery.

There is no visitation.

Kerrigan Funeral Home handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Dr. Wayne J. Schall Hospice, Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital, or to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

Victor Maxheimer

MOUNT PULASKI — Victor H. Maxheimer, 80, of Mount Pulaski, a resident in recent years

of Vonderlieth Living Center, died at 5:35 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1992, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.

Mr. Maxheimer was a retired farmer and a member of Riverton Immanuel Lutheran Church.

He was born Dec. 26, 1911, in Laenna Township, a son of John and Anna Stoll Maxheimer. He married Fonda Matheny on Jan. 15, 1935. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Robert of Bingham and John of Watseka; two daughters, Norma Fish of Clyde, Ohio, and Mildred Byers of Buffalo; 15 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

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

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Zion Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Michael Koschman and the Rev. Paul Droegemueller officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church, the Vonderlieth Library Fund, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Martha Martin

CLINTON — Martha Martin, 56, of Clinton, died at 4:25 a.m. today, Jan. 29, 1992, at her residence. She had been ill.

Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton, is handling arrangements.

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Marie Seitz

Marie Helen Seitz, 83, of Decatur, formerly of Lincoln, died at 10:42 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1992, at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Seitz was a retired dietary worker at the Lincoln Developmental Center.

She was born Sept. 9, 1908, in Logan County, a daughter of Ernest and Lena Borchardt Hoffert. She married George Seitz in 1931, in Lincoln. He died May 30, 1965.

Surviving are one son, James Seitz of Decatur; two brothers, Robert Hoffert of Lincoln and Arthur Hoffert of Middletown; and two grandchildren.

She also was preceded in death by three brothers and one sister.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday with the Rev. William Craig officiating. Burial will be in Union Cemetery.

Visitation from be from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Holland and Barry Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the Foster Grandparents program at the Lincoln Developmental Center.

F. Jeanne Haughey

McLEAN — F. Jeanne Haughey, 77, of McLean died at 1:25 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1992, at Humana Mountain View Hospital, Thornton, Colo.

Mrs. Haughey was a secretary for McLean Grade School and had worked at General Electric and at First National Bank in Normal. She was a member of Ebenezer Methodist Church near McLean and the Junior Pleasant Hour Club in McLean.

She was born Nov. 11, 1915, in rural McLean, a daughter of Ralph and Faye Hopper Canfield. She

married Marvin Haughey on July 7, 1933, in Paris, Ill. He survives.

Also surviving are a son, Stephen Max Haughey of Thornton, Colo.; one sister, Mary Jane Golden of Hayworth; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter and two brothers.

Graveside services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in McLean Cemetery, with the Rev. Ron Kauffman officiating.

There is no visitation.

McReynolds-Beck Funeral Home, McLean, handled arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the McLean Cemetery Association.

Martha Martin

CLINTON — Graveside services for Martha Martin will be at 2 p.m. Friday in Memorial Park Cemetery, Clinton, with the Rev. Billy Bell officiating.

Visitation will be during the hour before the service Friday at Herington-Calvert Funeral Home, Clinton.

Mrs. Martin, 56, of Clinton, died at 4:25 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 1992, at her residence. She had been ill.

She was born Oct. 13, 1935, in Clinton, a daughter of Lyle and Zelma Rousey Evans. She married Henry L. Martin on Sept. 1, 1962, in Clinton. He survives.

Also surviving are one son, Robert Burke of Clinton; one brother, Gene Evans of Clinton; and two sisters, Donna Robinson and Beverly Moore, both of Clinton.

Memorials may be made to Dr. John Warner Hospital, Clinton.

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Seth Remmert

MOUNT PULASKI — Seth W. Remmert, 12, of rural Mount Pulaski, died of heart failure at 3:15 a.m. today, Jan. 31, 1992, at St. John's Hospital, Springfield.



Seth Remmert

Seth was a sixth-grade student and played in the band at Mount Pulaski Grade School.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Mount Pulaski, where he was active in the Senior Sunday School Class.

Seth was born Dec. 19, 1979, in Decatur, a son of Scot and Sandy Erlenbush Remmert. His parents survive.

Also surviving are two brothers, Sean and Shane, both at home; and his maternal grandmother, Juanita Erlenbush of Mount Pulaski.

He was preceded in death by his paternal and maternal grandfathers.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Mount Pulaski, with the Rev. Jacqueline Linden-Schade officiating. Burial will be in Mount Pulaski Cemetery.

Visitation from be from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to St. John's Lutheran Church or to Mount Pulaski Grade School.

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