

Obituaries

FRANK BIALOGOWICZ

Frank Bialogowicz, 84, of RR 1, Harveys Lake, died June 20, 1992 at home.

Born April 11, 1908, in Plymouth, he was the son of the late Florian and Mary Sajdak Bialogowicz. He resided at Harveys Lake for 46 years. He was a 1931 graduate of Plymouth High School. He was a member of Good Shepherd Polish National Catholic Church, Plymouth. He was the owner and operator of the Luzerne Wallpaper and Paint Store, Luzerne, for many years. He was past-president, financial secretary and a charter member of the Lions Club, Harveys Lake. He also received the Pennsylvania Counselor Award in 1992.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Carol Mangan; brothers, Albert, John, Joseph (Joby), Peter and Chester; sisters, Pauline Cislo, Frances Pyskaty and Rose Kennedy.

Surviving are his wife, the former Helen Redinski; daughters, Mrs. Jean Klein, Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. Nancy Werhun, Lawrenceville, GA; Mrs. Patricia Watson, Las Vegas, Nev.; nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; brother, Edward, Plymouth; several nieces and nephews.

Interment, Good Shepherd Polish National Catholic Church parish cemetery, West Nanticoke.

WILLARD CORNELL

Willard Cornell, 92, of Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, formerly of Meeker, died June 17, 1992 at the center.

Born in Five Forks, Jackson Township, Sept. 22, 1899, he was the son of the late Daniel and Mary Evelyn Atherton Cornell.

He had resided at Meeker for 67 years prior to moving to the Meadows Nursing Center, one year ago. He was a graduate of Harter High School, West Nanticoke and attended Bloomsburg Normal School. He owned and operated a dairy farm in Meeker for 65 years. He also ran a timber and sawmill business and an excavating and trucking business for many years, retiring three years ago.

He was a member of Maple Grove United Methodist Church, Pikes Creek.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Emma J. Naugle, June 3, 1991; sons, Ralph, Kenneth and Harold; brother, Theodore; sister, Beatrice.

Surviving are a son, Francis W. Jr., Meeker; daughters, Ruth Valick, Meeker; Dorothy Antablin, Santa Ana, Calif.; Mrs. John (Janet) Beccaria, Los Angeles, Calif.; Geraldine McKeel, Dallas; 22 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren.

Interment was Maple Grove United Methodist Church parish cemetery, Pikes Creek.

DOROTHY KRATZ

Dorothy I. (Whitesell) Kratz, 70, of Garden Village Apartments, West Pittston, died June 18, 1992, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident near Benton.

Born in Nanticoke, she was the daughter of the late Zigmund and Gertrude Lewin Harmond. She was a graduate of Dallas Township High School and was a resident of Dallas for many years, moving to West Pittston 10 years ago.

Surviving are sons, Gary H. and Ronald B. Whitesell, both of Sweet Valley; Douglas J. Whitesell, Nanticoke; brother, Zigmund, Shavertown; three grandchildren.

Interment, Fern Knoll Burial Park, Dallas.

Memorial donations, if desired, may be made to the American Diabetes Association, Kirby Health Center, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 18702.

LUCAS KREIDLER

Lucas B. Kreidler, 17, of Hillside Avenue, Harveys Lake, was pronounced dead June 19, 1992 at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston, after a drowning accident in Lake Township.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 1, 1974, he was the son of Jim R. and Peg Milbrodt Kreidler. He had resided in the Harveys Lake area with his parents for most of his life. He had just completed his sophomore year at Lake-Lehman High School.

Surviving in addition to his parents, are a brother, Jimmie Jr., at home; sisters, Jammie Tunis, Beaumont; Lori Kreidler, at home; half-brothers, Jim, Mehoopany; Tom, Outlet; half sisters, Brenda and Tammy Kreidler, both of Wilkes-Barre; paternal grandmother, Blanche Kreidler, Vernon; maternal grandmother, Susan Mildbrodt, Bloomsburg; one nephew.

Interment, Lehman Center Cemetery.

ANNABELLE JAYNE

Annabelle J. Jayne, 57, of Fort Street, Forty Fort, died June 17, 1992, in Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Forty Fort, she was the daughter of the late Howard and Sarah Shotwell Ellsworth.

She was preceded in death by a brother, John.

Surviving are her husband, Warren T.; sons, Ronald D., Athens, Ala.; Dale D., Bellevue, Wash.; David W., Luzerne; daughters, Mrs. Jacqueline Ichter, Mrs. Sharon Solan, both of Tampa, Fla.; Lori Jayne, at home; brothers, Glen, Kingston; Norman, West Wyoming; Asa, Larksville; George, Shavertown; Howard, Wilkes-Barre; sisters, Mrs. Alice Knorr, Wilmington, Del.; Mrs. Marjorie Zapusek, Kingston; Mrs. Elizabeth Gronski, West Wyoming; five grandchildren.

Interment, Chapel Lawn Memorial Park, Dallas.

NELLIE MASONIS

Nellie Masonis, of Meyers Street, Edwarsville, died June 18, 1992 at home.

A lifelong resident of Edwarsville, she was the daughter of the late Adam and Anna Radzavitch.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph P., brother, Dr. Leo Ransavage.

Surviving are daughters, Mrs. Vivian (Nancy) Roberts, Wyoming; Mrs. Emil (Ann) Roman, Sunnysvale, Calif.; Mrs. John (Dorothy) Duesler, Courtdale; Mrs. Ralph (Carol) Flowers, Dallas; 12 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Interment, St. Mary's Annunciation Church, parish cemetery, Pringle.

MARIE YURISH

Marie R. Yurish, 72, of Oak Drive, Oak Hill, Dallas, died June 17, 1992, at home.

Born in Luzerne, she was the daughter of the late Stanley and Elizabeth Kleinsorge Goble. She was a graduate of Kingston High School and had resided in Kingston until moving to Dallas 25 years ago. She was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Steve, Feb. 3, 1984.

Surviving are daughters, Betty King, Centermoreland; Kathleen Finarelli, Dallas; Christine Pizzano, Wyoming; Marie Yurish, at home; sister, Betty Albovich, Centermoreland; nine grandchildren.

Interment, Sacred Heart Cemetery, Dallas.

Memorial donations, if desired, may be made to Hospice St. John, 665 Carey Ave., Wilkes-Barre, 18702.

GEORGE SWARTWOOD

George F. Swartwood, 89, of Overbrook Road, Dallas, died June 17, 1992, in Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 7, 1902, he was the son of the late Frank and Mary Thompson Swartwood. He attended Wilkes-Barre area schools and graduated in 1920 from Coughlin High School. He attended Bucknell University and Penn State University.

He began his mining career in 1923 as a surveyor at the Truesdale Colliery of the Glen Alden Coal Co. Upon retiring from Glen Alden Corp., he became a mining engineer for the Pa. Department of Mines, retiring in 1972. He was a registered professional engineer and a senior member of the society of mining engineers (AIME). He also was a member of Shavertown United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, the former Ruth M. Morgan, Oct. 27, 1990; sisters, Ella Swartwood, Laura Davis, Arvilla Bray and Helena Fahey.

Surviving are daughters, Priscilla Drake, Baton Rouge, La.; Mildred Rath, Shillington; son, William R., Arlington, Va.; four grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Interment, Oak Lawn Cemetery, Hanover Township.

Memorial donations, if desired, may be made to the Shavertown United Methodist Church, 163 N. Pioneer Ave., Shavertown, 18708.

EDWARD KARASEK

Edward S. Karasek, 59, of Covert Street, Kingston, died June 19, 1992 at the Veterans Administration Medical Center, Wilkes-Barre.

Born in Scranton, he was the son of the late Walter and Alice Cieslik Karasek.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Ruth Tavella.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Joseph (Diane) Barush Jr., Harding; sons, Edward, Hunlock Creek; Kenneth, Kingston; brothers, Leo, Dallas; Stanley, West Wyoming; two grandchildren.

Interment, St. Ignatius Cemetery.

ELLEN MULLOY

Ellen Mulloy, former school teacher and long-time Wyoming Valley resident died June 20, 1992 at the Leader East Nursing Center, Kingston.

Born on a dairy farm near Pleasant Mount, she was the daughter of the late Maurice F. and Margaret Dalton Meagher.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Hugh P.; four sisters and four brothers.

Surviving are daughters, Elizabeth, Vestal, NY; Elizabeth Mulloy, Dallas; sons, Patrick, Alexandria, Va.; John, Dallas; seven grandchildren.

Interment, St. Agnes Cemetery, Forest City.

JOSEPH NOON SR.

Joseph J. Noon Sr., 77, of Shaver Street, Dallas, died June 18, 1992, in Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, from injuries sustained in a one-car accident on Route 487, Sugarloaf Township, Columbia County.

Born in Edwarsville, he was the son of the late Thomas and Jenny Handley Noon. He was formerly employed as a greens keeper for the Lehman Golf Club, and for the past 10 years was employed by the United Way of Wyoming Valley. He was a former Edwarsville resident, and had resided in Dallas for the past 45 years. He was a third-degree member of Our Lady of Czestochowa Knights of Columbus. He was a fourth-degree member of the Bishop Hafey Coun-

cil Knights of Columbus and was charter member of the fourth degree of the Our Lady of Czestochowa Knights of Columbus. He was a member of Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas.

He was preceded in death by wife, the former Josephine W. daughter, Jean Marie Hartman grandson, William J. Hartman brothers, Martin and Thomas Noon.

Surviving are daughters, Marion Noon, Dallas; Beverly McGlynn, Thousand Oaks, Calif.; son, Joseph J. Jr., Shavertown; five grandchildren; one great-grandson, Eugene, Wilkes-Barre. Interment, Mount Olivet Cemetery, Carverton.

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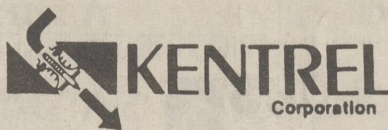
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