

SCHOOL

Obituaries

MARGUERITE BRACE

Marguerite T. Brace, 100, formerly of Lake Street, Dallas, died July 3, at Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, where she had been a guest since 1986.

Born in Plymouth, she was the daughter of the late David and Mary Ann Hughes Davies. She was a graduate of Plymouth High School. She had resided in Dallas for the past 50 years. She was a member of Dallas United Methodist Church and its women's societies.

She was a former member of the board of directors of the West Side Visiting Nurses Association and the book club of Back Mountain Memorial Library. She was chairlady of the baked goods stand at the Back Mountain Memorial Library Auction for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edgar S.

Surviving are a son, Edgar S. Jr., Dallas; daughter, Mrs. Ralph (Margaret) Garris, Dallas; sister, Mrs. Marian Chiappa, East Stroudsburg; four grandsons; three great-grandchildren.

Interment, Warden Cemetery, Dallas.

Memorial donations if desired, may be made to the Mrs. Edgar T. Brace Mission Endowment Fund, Dallas United Methodist Church, 4 Parsonage St., Dallas, 18612 or to Back Mountain Memorial Library, Huntsville Road, Dallas, 18612.

WILLIAM DICKSON JR.

William Dickson, 72, of Trucksville, Kingston Township, died July 4, 1992 at Nesbitt Memorial Hospital, Kingston, where he was admitted earlier after being stricken ill at home.

Born in Kingston, he was the son of the late William and Eunice Rebecca Geiger Dickson.

He was a graduate of the former Kingston High School and Wilkes-Barre Extension of Penn State University. He had resided in the Back Mountain area for the past 39 years.

In 1954, he established Kingdon Metal Specialties Inc., Luzerne and was serving as president at the time of his death.

A member of Trucksville United Methodist Church, he was the chairman of the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee, chairman of the Parsonage Building Fund and past president of the Board of Trustees. He also was a former Sunday School teacher at his church and coached the Back Mountain Baseball League.

Active in community affairs, he was a member of Irem Temple, having served as Potentate in 1982. He was also a past Director of the Irem Stagecrafters. In addition, he was a member of Kingston Lodge No. 395 F. & A. M., Caldwell Consistory, Melita Coer de Lion Commandary of Scranton and Lackawanna Royal Arch Chapter No. 185 of Scranton. He was also a member of the Shrine Club of Greater Wilkes-Barre, the Trucksville Volunteer Fire Co. and the fire company Relief Association of which he was a past president; the Black Diamond Post No. 395 American Legion of Kingston and its Survivors Club.

Surviving are his wife, Melba Rood-Dickson; son, Jeffrey Dickson, Dallas; brother, James Dickson, Luzerne; Harry Dickson, Seattle, Wash.; sisters, Mrs. Betty Warner, Glendale; Mrs. Eunice Raugh, Trucksville; three grandchildren.

Interment, Memorial Shrine Cemetery, Carverton.

Memorial contributions, if desired, can be made to Trucksville United Methodist Church, Church Road, Trucksville, 18708 or the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children, c/o Irem Temple, 71 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 18701.

ERNEST McCARTY SR.

Ernest Lester McCarty Sr., 65, of Ocala, Fla., died June 29, 1992 at home.

A native of Dallas, he moved from New Jersey to Ocala, two years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Hilda; daughter, Virginia McCarty, Bellville, NJ; son, Ernest Jr., Portland, Ore.; brothers, Victor, Shavertown; Eugene, Plymouth.

Funeral services were held in Ocala, Fla.

OLIVER MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial services for Alberta Himmeler Oliver, of Dallas will be held Saturday, July 11, at 2 p.m. at the Dallas United Methodist Church with Rev. Michael Bealla, pastor, officiating.

The family will receive friends at a reception immediately following the services at the church.

BESSIE PELTON

Bessie E. Pelton, 92, of Dallas, died July 5, 1992 in the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, a daughter of the late Reese and Gwen Jenkins Evans, she was a graduate of Coughlin High School, and Mansfield State College.

She was employed as an elementary school teacher for the Wilkes-Barre city school system. She was a former resident of Wilkes-Barre, Mill City and the Back Mountain area.

She was a member of the "Meadowlarks" of the Meadows Apartments, Dallas and the First United Methodist Church, Wilkes-Barre.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Leo A. Surviving are sons, Reese E., Dallas; and Wallace L., Brattleboro, Vt.; seven grandchildren; one great-grandchild.

Interment, Hanover Green Cemetery, Hanover Township. Memorial donations may be made to the First United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, 47 N. Franklin St., Wilkes-Barre, 18701.

**American Legion scholarship winners**

Daddow-Isaacs American Legion Post 672 recently presented their American Legion Award to the outstanding eighth grade boy and girl from the Dallas Middle School. The award recipients this year were Dean Evans and Lisa Tomaine. Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Yorath Evans of Dallas. Lisa is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tomaine of Dallas.

Pictured from left, Yorath Evans, Mrs. Evans, Dean Evans, Lisa Tomaine and Mrs. Arlene Tomaine.

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