

Deaths

WALTER REISINGER

Walter W. Reisinger, Sr., 78, of 127 North Gay Street, Marietta, died at his home at 12:15 p.m. Thursday. Although in ill health, his death was unexpected.

He was the husband of Mary E. Bayman Reisinger and was born in Columbia, a son of the late Harry C. and Mary J. Good Reisinger.

He was a retired security officer from the former Olmsted Air Force Base and at Marietta, retiring in 1961 after 20 years of service. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church Marietta, and a veteran of World War I. He served in the U.S. Army in the 109th Machine Gun Battalion of the 28th Division. He was wounded in France and received the Purple Heart and several decorations from the French government. He also served in the Mexican border campaign in 1916-17.

Surviving are his widow, two sons, Walter W. Jr., at home, Harry, Columbia; a daughter, Beulah, wife of Homer Sutton, Osteen, Fla.; nine grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and five sisters; Kathryn, wife of Warren Von Stetten, Lancaster; Sue, wife of Rea Wisman, Marietta; Mary, wife of Lewis Libhart, Marietta R1; and Annie, wife of Frank Seaman, and Helen, wife of Franklin Smith, both of Marietta.

JOSEPHINE BESHLE

Josephine F. Beshler, 73, Maytown, died Monday afternoon at Duke Convalescent Residence, where she had been a guest.

Prior to her retirement in 1970, she had been employed as an elementary school teacher for 50 years in the East Donegal and Elizabethtown area school district. She taught for many years at Bainbridge Elementary School.

She was a member of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Maytown; the PA Retired Teachers Association, Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority and Columbia Hospital Auxiliary.

Born in Maytown, she was a daughter of the late Henry C. and Elizabeth Floyd Beshler.

Surviving are three sisters: Elizabeth, wife of Paul Albright, and Mrs. Ruth Newcomer, both of Maytown, and Mrs. Janet B. Barry, Midwest City, Okla.; and two brothers, Chris H. Beshler, Coatesville, and Paul R. Beshler, Maytown.

AMOS J. KREBS

Amos J. Krebs, 82, former superintendent and principal of Marietta schools from 1939 to 1945, died Tuesday at 1:30 a.m. at York Hospital.

Krebs, of 1800 Eastern Blvd., York, had served as Codorus Township High School principal as well as principal at Glen Rock.

He was assistant superintendent of York county schools from 1924 to 1938 and taught at Edgar Fahs Smith Junior High School, York, from 1945 to 1959.

A graduate of Gettysburg College in 1916 he received his master's degree in the University of PA in 1924. He served in the Army from 1918 to 1919.

Surviving are his widow, Ada May Krebs, two children; Donald E., York and Mrs. Richard Walker, Cape Elizabeth; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Also surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Millard Erbrick, Enola, and Mrs. Beulah Hawk and Mrs. Louise Miller, both of Hanover.

RUTH S. SLY

Mrs. Ruth S. Sly, 53, 21 Fuller Avenue, Warren, died at Warren General Hospital at 1:45 p.m. Sunday, February 22, 1976, after having been admitted a short time earlier.

She was born on February 23, 1922, in Lancaster County, PA, the daughter of Maude Stickler Gainer and the late Maris Gainer. She graduated from Mount Joy High School, class of 1941. She was a graduate of the School of Practical Nursing, in Lexington, Kentucky. She was a member of the Licensed Practical Nurses Association of Pennsylvania, and had been employed by both Warren State and Warren General Hospitals at different times. She was a member of the Church of the Nazarene, the Berachah Class of the church, and served as the secretary for the W.C.T.U.

She was preceded by her husband, Merle A. Sly, who died on Jan. 12, 1976.

Survivors include her mother; one sister, Mrs. Richard (Erma) Yeakel, Lexington, VA, one niece and one nephew.

Services will be held at the Peterson-Blick Funeral Home at 10:30 Thursday. The Rev. Luther Watson, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will officiate. Interment will be in Westview Cemetery Starbrick.

The family has suggested that those wishing to remember Mrs. Sly make contributions to the Warren Church of the Nazarene or to the Cancer Society.

PIERRE deVITRY

Pierre deVitry, 81, of Bainbridge, died Friday at 10:45 a.m. in St. Joseph Hospital after an illness of several years.

Born in Rouillac, France, he was the son of the late Amadee and Lucey deVitry. He was the husband of Aline Van Vleck Brison deVitry.

A retired self-employed inventor, he was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Marietta, and of Third Order of Mount Carmel, Washington, DC.

Besides his widow, he is survived by two sons, Renaud deVitry, New Holland, and John J. deVitry, Marietta; three daughters, Dr. Luce Maubrey, Washington, DC; Christiane, wife of John C. Donohue, Mountain Lakes, NJ, and Guillemine deLacoste, Cambridge, Mass.; 28 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

THOMAS KAMINSKI

Thomas Kaminski, 49, of Bainbridge, R1 died unexpectedly at Harrisburg

Hospital on Monday. An autopsy showed his death to be a result of natural causes.

An employee of Fruehauf Company, Middletown, he was a veteran of World War II. He was the husband of Myrtle Platt Kaminski.

Surviving besides his widow are his mother, Mrs. Anna Kaminski, Perth Amboy, NJ; a son, Ricky, Elizabethtown; a daughter, Mrs. David Kessler, Middletown; four grandchildren; two brothers, Theodore and Anthony, both of Perth Amboy, and five sisters, Mrs. Anna Seybold and Mrs. Betty Goodwin, both of Perth Amboy; Mrs. Ruth Boyarski, Dover, NJ; and Mrs. Eleanor Banks and Mrs. Mary Cherr, both of Nanticoke.

MARY ALICE REIGLE

Mrs. Mary Alice Reigle, 89, of 153 New Haven Street, Mount Joy, died Saturday at 10:30 p.m. at Duke Convalescent Residence. A Mount Joy resident for the past 30 years, she was the wife of Amos Reigle.

She was born in Elizabethtown, a daughter of the late Anthony and Mary Acerman Shaffer.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, Leo Bitting, Marysville; a granddaughter, a great-granddaughter and three sisters, Evelyn, wife of John Nitzche, Lancaster; Mrs. Marion Greene, Hummelstown, and Stella Shaffer, Hershey.

Marietta Aux to meet Sun.

The Marietta Auxiliary to the Columbia Hospital will meet at the home of Mrs. George Houseal on Monday, March 8, at 1:30 p.m. A white-elephant auction will be held.

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