

OBITUARIES

Carl F. Schatz

Carl F. Schatz, 71, of Mount Joy R2, died Sunday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. Beatrice S. Brown, Mount Joy, following an extended illness.

His wife, Esther Collins Schatz, died in November, 1975.

He was a self-employed farmer and a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, Mount Joy. He was also a member of the Friendship Fire Company 1, Mount Joy.

Born in Mount Joy, he was a son of the late George W. and Mary Frank Schatz.

He is survived only by his sister, Mrs. Brown.

Willis R. Hersh

Willis R. Hersh, 88, formerly of Mount Joy R1, died Saturday at 1:35 p.m. at the Mennonite Home, 1520 Harrisburg Pike, following a lengthy illness.

He was a resident of the home for 25 years.

He was born in Mount Joy Township, the son of the late Benjamin F. Amanda R. Risser Hersh. His wife, Anna Miller Hersh, died in 1975.

He was a member of the Mount Joy Mennonite Church. He was a retired blacksmith and farmer.

He is survived by nieces and nephews.

James A. Avers

James A. Avers, 28, of 430 Florin Ave., Mount Joy, died at 8:55 a.m. Friday in Lancaster General Hospital. He had been ill seven months.

He was assistant pressman for Donnelley Printing Co., Lancaster. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy.

He was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Elizabethtown.

He was born in Keyser, W. Va., a son of Junior A. and Wanda Lantz Avers of Keyser, W. Va.

Surviving, besides his parents, are his widow, Gerri Rinard Avers; a daughter Rebecca L., at home; these brothers; Douglas L., Jerry L. and Dennis E., all of Mount Joy; a sister, Carole A., wife of Leston Daugherty, Elizabethtown, and a maternal grandmother, Lena Lantz Hutton, Maryland.

Anna M. Cramer

Mrs. Anna M. Cramer, 63, of 8 Apple Alley, Mount Joy, died in Lancaster General Hospital Sunday morning following a lengthy illness. She was the wife of John Cramer.

She was a member of Crossroads Brethren in Christ Church, Mount Joy, and had been a resident of Lancaster County for more than 50 years.

Born in Ohio, she was the daughter of the late John and Harriet Pfau Miller.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a daughter, Carol L., wife of Harry J. Ebersole, Mount Joy, and these stepchildren, Daniel S. Cramer, Gansville, Fla.; Melvin S. Cramer, Leola R1; Edwin S. Cramer, Denver R2, and Esther C., wife of John H. Zimmerman Jr., Bainbridge.

Also surviving are two brothers, Charles Pfau Miller Sr., Elizabethtown R3, and John Pfau Miller, Lancaster; a sister Beulah, wife of John L. Fuller, Elizabethtown R1; 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

George R. Shatto

George R. Shatto, a barber in Mount Joy for the past 52 years, died unexpectedly Monday at 11 p.m. at Columbia Hospital. He has been under the care of a physician.

Shatto, who was 65, lived at 17 E. Main St., Mount Joy. He was the husband of Mary E. Souden Shatto.

A barber for the past 52 years, Shatto owned and operated his own barber shop at 19 E. Main St., Mount Joy, for the past 34 years.

He was a member of Mount Joy Church of God, a life member of Friendship Fire Co. 1, Mount Joy; a member of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks 1074, Columbia; Florin Fire Co., Mount Joy, and Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 596, Elizabethtown.

Born in and a lifelong resident of Mount Joy, he was a son of the late Frank D. and Clara Reiler Shatto.

Besides his widow, he is survived by one daughter, Georgiann, wife of George McCue, Mount Joy, and two grandchildren.

He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hassinger, Hannah, wife of Paris Sweigart, and Clara, wife of Guy Meyers, all of Mount Joy.

Katie R. Wissler

Mrs. Katie R. Wissler, 82, of Pleasant View Rest Home, Manheim R5, died after a prolonged illness. She was a guest at the home for six years and previously resided at Prospect Road, Mount Joy R2.

Mrs. Wissler was the widow of Emmert W. Wissler, who died in 1970. She was a member of Manor Brethren in Christ Church.

Born in Silver Springs, she was a daughter of the Michael H. and Barbara Rohrbaugh Musser.

She is survived by a son, and two daughters: Edward M. Wissler, Landisville; Anna M. Bruno, Arlington, Va., and Barbara E. Wissler, Lancaster; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Henry H. Waltz

Henry H. Waltz, 70, Milton Grove, died Thursday at 3:20 p.m., at his home. He had been under the care of a physician.

Born in Ralph Township, he was a son of the late Abram and Leah Hartrennarf Waltz. He was the husband of Gertrude Zink Waltz.

He was retired from the J. U. Baker Co., after 30 years service with the company.

Besides his wife, at home, he is survived by six sons and six daughters: Betty G., wife of Ammon Hoke, Hummelstown R2; Henry H., Jr., Columbia R2; Vivian A., wife of Earl Brodhecker, Rohrertown; Ethel W., wife of Albert Acosta, Lancaster; Vera W., wife of Neil Strickler, Ephrata R2; Velma W., wife of Robert F. Lauver, Maytown; Ralph E., Mount Joy R1; Clifford G., Mount Joy R1; Richard W., Mount Joy R1; Shirley L., wife of Robert S. Waller, Columbia Luke W., Mount Joy; and Larry L., Columbia.

Thirty grandchildren also survive along with two brothers and three sisters: Amos H., Manheim; Marlin H., Oklahoma; Mrs. Agnes H., Antes, Landisville; Mrs. Leah Ruhl, Neffsville; and Emma, wife of Roy Good, East Petersburg.



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