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Delpha Karnes

Grave-side services for Delpha Karnes, who died Dec. 17, 1996 in Omaha, Neb. will be at 10:30 a.m., June 9, 1997, at Oak Hills Cemetery in Tompkinsville.

Strodes Funeral Home Tompkinsville, is in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Willia Ethel Unseld Kassens, 91

Willia Ethel Unseld Kassens, 91, Louisville, formerly of Lebanon, died at 11:45 a.m., April 16, 1996, in Louisville.

Kassens was born Oct. 8, 1904 in Marion County. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward J. Kassens, on Dec. 5, 1979, and a brother, Henry N. Unseld.

Survivors include: two sisters-in-law, Sally Unseld of Lebanon and Geneva Unseld of Cincinnati, Ohio; four nieces, Mabel Ester Noe of Louisville, Pat Gibson of Lebanon, Gracie Harris of Raleigh, N.C. and Eileen Hall of Georgetown, Ind.; and one nephew, James Unseld Jr. of Louisville.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. April 19 at Bosley Funeral Home with burial in Ryder Cemetery. Rec. John Longard, pastor of the First Christian Church Disciples of Christ, officiated.

Pallbearers were Maurice Spalding, Bobby Joe Borders, Louis Hamilton, Bernard Bland Jr., Richard Moraja Jr. and Dr. Joe Green.

Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Death of Dan Kavanaugh

Dan Kavanaugh, who was fatally hurt at Mr. Phillips' mill on Monday night of last week, died at 11:55 o'clock Tuesday night. Wednesday morning, Coroner Doody and a jury held an inquest over his remains. Messrs. John Mills, R.W. Walker, A. Lee, Fred Mouser, J.A. Hardesty and W.R. Spalding composed the jury. A number of witnesses were examined, after which the jury rendered the following verdict:

"We of the jury selected to inquire into the cause of death of Daniel Kavanaugh, bring duly sworn and having heard the evidence, do render the following verdict: We find that said Daniel Kavanaugh, while in the discharge of his duties as watchman at Phillips' Mill, in Lebanon, Ky., and while passing under what is known as the spring coupling wheel, was struck on the head by a projection or lug on said wheel, and that said lick caused his death. We further find that said accident occurred near 9 o'clock on said night of May 9.

W.R. Spalding, one of the Jury."

The funeral took place Thursday morning at St. Augustine's church, and the interment at the Catholic Cemetery.

(18 May 1887)

Emily Teresa Kay, 78

Emily Teresa Kay, 78, Texas, died June 25, 1995.

Kay, born Oct. 26, 1916 in Marion County, was preceded in death by her husband, Albert M. Kay, on July 17, 1994.

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Survivors include: five sons, Kyle Kay of Dallas, Tx.; Robert Kay of San Antonio, Tx.; Oma Whitcomb of Dallas, Ga.; Thomas Kay of Catroville, Tx.; and John Kay of San Antonio, Tx.; five grandchildren, David Richard, Jason and Lisa Kay and Cara Anderson; three great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. today, June 28, 1995, at Sunset Chapel in Texas with burial in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. Rev. David Connell will officiate.

Sunset Funeral Home, San Antonio, Tx., is in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 28 Jun 1995)

Clarence Elmo Kays, 76

Clarence Elmo Kays, 76, Bardstown, died Aug. 11, 1999, at his residence.

A native of Nelson County, Kays was a member of Botland Christian Church in Botland and a United States Navy Veteran of World War II. He was a retired boilermaker with TVA and a member of the Boilermakers Union Local 40.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, Oscar Demalvin and Ethel Parrot Kays; a daughter, Linda Kay Kays; a son, Michael Alan Kays; a brother, J.W. Kays; and a sister, Irene Neal Harris.

Survivors include: his wife, Mary Irene Wheatley Kays of Bardstown; four daughters, Sharon Yates, Sandy Kays, Lynn Foster and Mary Ann Rogers, all of Bardstown; eight sons, Kenny, Tony, Gary, Roger, Terry and Denny, all of Bardstown, and Dickie of Irvington and Donnie Kays of Fredricktown; 32 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Boilermaker Union Local 40 held a memorial service on Aug. 12.

Funeral services were held Aug. 13 at Greenwell Houghlin Northside Funeral Home in Bardstown, with burial in Bardstown Cemetery.

Pallbearers were all grandsons, Richie, Kevin, Troy, Brandon and Donnie Ray Kays Jr., John Thomas, Jamie and Justin Yates.

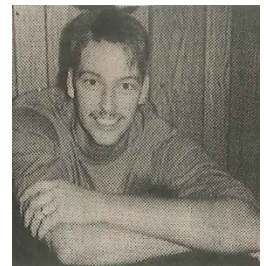
Memorial contributions may be made to Botland Christian Church, 5326 Springfield Rd., Bardstown, KY 40004.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

"Ace" Kearney – 2/15/70

Tears have fallen, time has past, since the day we say you last. It seems so long since you went away, but other times it seems only a day. We miss your laugh and miss your smile but we hope to see you in a little while. We'll keep you close and near to heart, because it's there you'll be a part.

Ace, we love & miss you dearly, Mom, Dad, Lynn, Lisa, Brett, Brooke, Libby, Randy, Lora, Heather, Shiny & Kelley.



PRIEST, CITY NATIVE, DIES – Rev. J.C. Kearns Passes Away In New Mexico After Long Illness – BURIAL AT MOBILE, ALA.

Rev. J. Clarence Kearns, who was born in this city and made his home here until he entered college, died in Albuquerque, New Mexico, last Friday, according to word received by relatives and friends here. He had been ill for the past three years and his death was not unexpected. He was a member of the Jesuit Order and former dean of Loyola University, New Orleans.

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News of the death of Father Kearns was received here at his old home with sincere sorrow. He was a son of John H. and Katherine Smith Kearns. Both his father and mother are dead.

Rev. Kearns, who was 52 years old, was educated at St. Mary's College, this county, and at Spring Hill College, Mobile, Ala. He was ordained in the Jesuit Order in 1912 at St. Louis University. He served as president of Spring Hill College for several years and later was made dean of Loyola University. This latter place he held until forced to retire on account of his health. The funeral and burial took place at Spring Hill College.

Surviving Father Kearns are four brothers, Dr. Leo P. Kearns of Louisville; Joseph W. Kearns, William Kearns and George Kearns of San Antonio, Texas, and three sisters, Mrs. E.E. Buchart and Miss Katherine Kearns, both of Louisville, and Mrs. G.G. Zorn of Springfield, Illinois.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 29 May 1931)

Terry Ward Keene

Thomas Ward Keene, 82, Springfield, died at 8:50 p.m., Sept. 14, 1996, at Medco Center in Springfield.

Keene, a native of Washington County had been a resident of Medco for three years. He was a road foreman for Nalley and Gibson for many years and served in the Horse Calvary of the National Guard. He was preceded in death by his wife, Susan Raley Keene, on Oct. 12, 1977, and his parents, John Richard Keene and Belle Smith.

Survivors include: two sons, Richard Keene of Springfield and Ward Keene of Bardstown; two daughters, Susan Parrott of Springfield and Mary Houck of Bardstown; two brothers, J.B. Keene of Springfield and Bob Keene of Loretto; one sister, Evangeline Clements of Springfield; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Sept. 17, at St. Rose Catholic Church with burial in St. Rose Cemetery, Springfield. Rev. David Butler O.P. and Rev. Leon Spalding officiated.

Pallbearers were Joe Mudd, Edwin Hamilton, Scott Keene, Milton Keene, Kevin Keene, and Bruce Clements.

Prayer services were held at 7 p.m., Sept. 16, at Hale-Polin-Robinson Funeral Home, Springfield, which was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

DEATH ENDS USEFUL LIFE – Dr. E. Kelly Dies Suddenly Of Apoplexy At Farm Near Lebanon – WAS GREATLY BELOVED

The entire community was shocked and saddened last Friday by the sudden death of Dr. Edward Kelly, 68 years old, who for forty-four years had been a prominent physician here. Death was due to apoplexy, he having been stricken about 12:30 o'clock at his farm on the Calvary Pike about two miles from town, as he was about to get into his car to return to town. Members of the family of J.L. Bohannon, who resides on the place, saw him fall and ran to him, but he was then unconscious. He never regained consciousness and passed away before physicians, who were hastily summoned, arrived.

Dr. Kelly was born in Somerset on May 4, 1860, a son of Judge O.G. Kelly, deceased, and Mrs. Margaret Louise Kelly. The family moved to Lebanon when he was five years of age. He attended the University of Nashville and Vanderbilt University, graduating with first honors from Vanderbilt in 1881, in a class of more than one hundred students. Following his graduation he was resident physician at the City Hospital in Nashville for eighteen months, but returned here in 1884 and had since continuously practiced his profession in this city.

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He was united in marriage to Miss Pearl Edmonds, daughter of R.B. Edmonds of this city, about thirty-five years ago. Her death occurred a few years later, and a little son born of the union died in infancy. Surviving are his mother, three brothers and one sister, as follows: J. Albert Kelly, president of the Citizens National Bank, and Oliver G. Kelly, editor of The Lebanon Enterprise, both of this city; Commander Herndon B. Kelly of the United States Navy, now stationed at Baltimore, and Mrs. Ethel Camp of this city.

J.A. Kelly and family were en route home from a motor trip to Canada and Commander Herndon Kelly was off duty, taking his vacation in New England. It was late Saturday before they could be reached with a message telling of their brother's death.

Dr. Kelly's place in the community is one which will be hard to fill. He was one of its best known and most beloved citizens. There are few homes in which he has not ministered at some time. His kindness, patience and sympathetic understanding peculiarly fitted him for his work. His services were constantly in demand. His very presence in the sick room was a comfort, for one felt that he would stay by until danger was past. Rich and poor alike loved and trusted him. He never spared himself when he could bring relief to others; his whole life was one of unselfish service.

Regardless of the many other calls upon his time and strength, Dr. Kelly always found time to devote to his family, especially his mother, with whom he made his home; he could also be counted upon to lend his hearty support to every progressive community enterprise, and few knew the extent of his private charities.

He was a charter member of the Lebanon Rotary Club and was the club's president, 1925-1926. At the time of his death he was chairman of the committee on Rotary Education and Crippled Children's Work, and he was present at the club's weekly dinner meeting last Thursday evening. He had for many years been a loyal member of the Presbyterian church. Several months ago he purchased the old Second Presbyterian church property on East Main street as a gift to the Public Library and, with other interested business men of the city, was planning to raze the front of the old church and remodel and improve the annex to make it a modern library building.

He erected the office building at the corner of Main Street and Spalding Avenue, known as the Kelly corner, in 1905. A few years ago he sold the building to Dr. T.I. Campbell, but continued to have his office there.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the residence by Rev. W.A. Hopkins. Burial was in Ryder cemetery. Pallbearers were the doctors of the city, Drs. R.C. McChord, John T. Boldrick, T.I. Campbell, T.F. Cleaver, H.R. Wilber, G.G. Thornton, O.M. Crenshaw and R.W. Wilson.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 17 Aug 1928)

George Kelly Dies

George Edelen Kelly, 63, president of the Citizens National Bank and widely known in local business, church and civic circles, died unexpectedly early Sunday at Mary Immaculate Hospital, where he was thought to be recovering from a severe heart attack suffered on September 1. The second attack came as he slept. He had been associated with the bank – of which his father, the late J.A. Kelly, was president – since 1921, and was made a director in 1930. He served as treasurer of the local United Presbyterian Church for more than 25 years. He was also senior member of the Kelly & Jackson insurance firm.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 24 Sep 1954)

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Georgia Ann Jarboe Kelly, 84

Georgia Ann Jarboe Kelly, 84, Lexington, died at 5:20 a.m., July 2, 1997, at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington.

A native of Marion County, she attended St. Augustine High School, was a 1936 graduate of Nazareth School of Nursing in Lexington and was a member of Cathedral of Christ the King Church.

During World War II she served with the 228th Station Hospital, Sherborne in Dorsetshire, England. After returning from the service she worked at General Hospital in Chicago and then at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington from which she retired.

She was preceded in death by: her husband, Dr. Richard Kelly; her parents, Joe B., Sr. and Rose Ellen Hilpp Jarboe; five brothers, Joe B. "Smokey" Jr., Frank, Richard, Louis and Thomas Jarboe.

Survivors include: a daughter, Ann Kelly of Lexington; a sister, Mary Belle Garner of Lexington; and a brother, Philip Jarboe of Lebanon.

Services were at 11 a.m., July 5, at Christ the King Catholic Church in Lexington. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery. Rev. Father Helman officiated.

Pallbearers were nephews Dr. Thomas M. Jarboe, Col. Joseph Jarboe, Terry Jarboe, and Ralph, Ricky and Randal Garner.

Milward Funeral Home, Lexington, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Daniel T. Keltner, 85, Campbellsville

Daniel T. Keltner, 85, of Wexford Place, Campbellsville, died at 9:45 a.m., Friday, Sept. 26, 1997, in Campbellsville due to an extended illness.

Son of the late Clem Keltner and Leona Baker Keltner, he was born in Adair County, Ky. on May 21, 1912.

Keltner was a member of St. Mark United Methodist Church, a veteran of World War II, having served in the United States Army, and was a retired carpenter and builder.

He was married to Avon Hulse on June 23, 1934, who survives.

Other survivors include two sons and one daughter-in-law, Danny Keltner and Ken and JoAyne Keltner of Campbellsville; six grandchildren, Jennifer Harris of Knoxville, Tenn., Becky Keltner of Murfreesboro, Tenn., Steven Keltner, Wesley Keltner, Jayson Crenshaw and Brandon Crenshaw, all of Campbellsville; and one niece, Virginia Hayes of Campbellsville.

He was preceded in death by one brother and three sisters, Garnett Keltner, Rosa Hollingshead, Mae Weatherford and Ruby Davis.

Funeral was at 2 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 28 at Parrott & Ramsey Funeral Home in Campbellsville.

The Rev. Richard Ramsey, the Rev. Richard Lowe and the Rev. Bennett Hulse officiated.

Burial was in Campbellsville Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers were Steven Keltner, Jennifer Harris, Becky Keltner, Wesley Keltner, Jayson Crenshaw and Brandon Crenshaw.

Ernest Russell Kelty, 60

Ernest Russell Kelty, 60, Springfield, died at 2:15 p.m., April 13, 1998, at his residence.

Born Nov. 8, 1937 in Nelson County, he was a controman at General Electric in Louisville where he had worked for 37 years. He was an avid hunter and fisherman and was a member of St. Dominic Catholic Church.

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He was preceded in death by: his father, Joseph Leo Kelty, on Nov. 22, 1945; his mother, Ella Serina Downs Kelty, on July 19, 1977; and a brother, Joseph Leo Kelty Jr., on Aug. 4, 1967.

Survivors include: his wife, Barbara Carrico Kelty; two sons, Ernest Russell Kelty Jr. of Harrodsburg and Michael Todd Kelty of Springfield; one daughter, Penny Hagan of Lexington; three brothers, James Harold of Mt. Washington, Joseph Patrick of Harrodsburg and William "Bill" Kelty of Loretto; three sisters, Emily Lucy Greenwell of Loretto, Mary Cecilia Miles of Louisville and Betty Wilson of Lebanon; and six grandchildren, Christy and Kyle Hagan, and Brian, Jaclyn, Jared and Alyssa Kelty.

Funeral services were at 12:30 p.m., April 16, at St. Dominic Catholic Church with burial in the St. Dominic-Holy Rosary Cemetery, Springfield. Rev. Leon Spalding officiated.

Pallbearers were Harold, Pat and Bill Kelty, Donnie, Doug and John Richard Carrico, Carol Soloman and Freddie Taylor.

Prayers were at 7 p.m., April 15, at Hale-Polin-Robinson Funeral Home, Springfield, which was in charge of funeral arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Catherine Rose Kemp, 82

Catherine Rose Kemp, 82, N. Spalding Ave., Lebanon, died at 3 a.m., March 29, 1999, at Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington.

A native of Washington County, Kemp was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by: her parents, Samuel Francis and Mary Sarah Hamilton; her husband, Thomas Rogers Kemp Sr.; a sister, Margaret Mary Hamilton; and two brothers, Joseph Bernard and Frank Richard Hamilton.

Survivors include: four sons, Joseph Steven, Richard Keith and Frank Kemp of Lebanon, and Dr. Thomas Rogers Kemp of Lexington; one sister, Florence Polin of Springfield; two brothers, Dr. Richard A. Hamilton of Springfield and George Alexander "Zan" Hamilton of Bardstown; two grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

A private funeral service was held April 1 at Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home, Lebanon, with burial in Lebanon National Cemetery. Father Chuck Thompson officiated.

Pallbearers were Thomas R., Frank, Joe and Richie Kemp, Larry DeWitt and Leon Browning.

Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Harold Kemp, 72

Harold Kemp, 72, Lebanon, died at 6:35 p.m. June 24, 1996, at Veteran's Administration Hospital, Lexington.

Kemp was a commercial photographer since 1946, a Navy Veteran of World War II and a member of Lebanon United Methodist Church. He owned and operated Kemp Photo and Printing Shop, which he and his wife started in 1975.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Oscar and Faye Rogers Kemp, and a brother, Rogers Kemp.

Survivors include: his wife of 43 years, Doris Hundley Kemp; a sister-in-law, Catherine Rose Kemp of Lebanon; and four nephews, Rogers Kemp of Lexington and Richard, Frank and Joe Kemp, all of Lebanon.

The remains were cremated. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

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Mattingly Funeral Home, Loretto, was in charge of the arrangements.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Lebanon United Methodist Church or First Christian Church.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Jessie Hood Kemp, 80

Jessie Hood Kemp, 80, Lebanon, died at 1:35 a.m., March 13, 1999, at Jane Todd Crawford Hospital, Greensburg.

Born on Dec. 23, 1918, in Columbia, Kemp was a former member of Mt. Pleasant Christian Church in Adair County and a member of the Lebanon United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by: her parents, James and Myra Jane Butler Hood; a sister, Ethel Gutermuth; and a brother, Robert Hood.

Survivors include: her husband, George A. Kemp of Lebanon; a son and daughter-in-law, George E. and Krista Kemp of Lebanon; two brothers, James of Columbia and Walter Hood of Shively; and two grandchildren, Tasha and Weston Kemp.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m., March 15, at Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, with burial in the Lebanon National Cemetery. The Revs. Roy Earl Clark and Darrell Lyons officiated.

Pallbearers were Robert Kessler, Marcus Clark, Junior Rogers, Jake Pickerill, Carl Crews and Perry Morgeson.

Bosley Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

James B. Kerr, 87

James B. Kerr, 87, Racine, Wis., died April 5, 1998, at St. Mary's Medical Center.

Kerr was born in Bellshill, Scotland on Nov. 17, 1910. He lived in Marion County for approximately 15 years but had lived in Racine, Wis. for most of his life. He was a former employee of Webster Electric Company having retired in 1972 after 25 years of service.

He was preceded in death by: his wife, Helen Wischnewsky Kerr, on July 26, 1988, and a sister, Margaret Bick.

Survivors include: two daughters and a son-in-law, Barbara and Donald Sorenson of Tomahawk, Wis. and Judith Klokow of Racine, Wis., a son, David Kerr of Plymouth, Wis.; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mary Dobson of St. Petersburg, Fla.; his best friend, Helge Peterson of Racine, Wis.; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services will be today, April 8, at 7 p.m. with Mr. Kerr's grandson, Rev. Jeff Smith, officiating. Private committal services will be held in Graceland cemetery on April 9.

Memorials to the Senior Companion Program, Sienna Center, 5635 Erie Street under the direction of Sister Brenda Walsh have been suggested.

Wilson Funeral Home, Racine, Wis., is in charge of the arrangements.

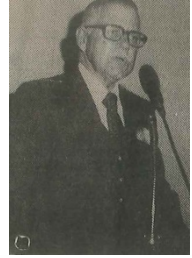
(The Lebanon Enterprise, 8 Apr 1998)

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Tommy Kerr – 9/25/12-12/21/95

I have lost my soul's companion, a life lined with my own. Day by day I miss you more, as I walk through life alone.

Blanche Kerr



Charles Richard 'Dickie' Kidwell, 71

Charles Richard "Dickie" Kidwell, 71, Manton, died Feb. 19, 2000, at University of Louisville Burn Center in Louisville.

Born July 25, 1928, in Washington County, Kidwell was a retired farmer and a member of St. Rose Catholic Church in Springfield.

He was preceded in death by: his father, Edward Alexander Kidwell; mother, Ella Loretta Gootee Kidwell; a brother, Edgar Kidwell; and a sister, Mary "Sissie" Nalley.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. James (Bernice) Hamilton of Bardstown; two brothers, John of Manton and Robert Kidwell of Greenbriar; and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass was held Feb. 21 at St. Rose Catholic Church in Springfield, with burial in Holy Rosary Cemetery in Manton. Rev. Thomas Bernard Smith was chief celebrant and Rev. Christopher Allegra concelebrated.

Pallbearers were Doug Hamilton, Leo Culver, John Medley, John Medley Jr., Robert Cahoe and Joey Auberry.

Mattingly Funeral Home, Loretto, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Elva Kilby, 75, Maryland

Elva Kilby, 75, of Baltimore, Md., died Monday, June 16, 1997 in Baltimore due to a sudden illness.

Son of the late Lee Kilby and Nettie Cave Kilby, he was born in Taylor County, Ky. on Feb. 11, 1922.

Kilby was retired from the United States Army and was a veteran of World War II.

He was married to Eleanor Carol Kapuscinska on Nov. 4, 1950, who preceded him in death in 1987.

Kilby is survived by one daughter and one son, Carolyn Edwards and Allen Kilby, both of Baltimore, Md.; one grandson, Jason Kilby of Baltimore; five sisters and one brother, Naomi Jones of Owensboro, Leona Pike of Campbellsville, Ella Wagoner of Florida, Ruth Vancleave of Colorado, Herlene Kilby of Elkhorn and Lee Roy Kilby of Tennessee; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral is today at 10 a.m. at Weber Funeral Home in Baltimore, Md.

Herbert W. Kinder, 73

Herbert W. Kinder, 73, Clinton, IL, died at 6:21 a.m., March 5, 1999, at his residence.

Born March 29, 1925, in Lebanon, Kinder was a retired carpenter and a member of First Christian Church in Clinton, IL.

He was preceded in death by: his wife of 56 years, Imogene R. Arthur Kinder, on Feb. 27, 1996; and his parents, Herbert and Lula Barlow Kinder.

Survivors include: three sons, James of McLean, IL, and Michael and Kelly Lee Kinder, both of Clinton, IL; a special friend, Stella Miller of Clinton, IL; a brother, George Kinder of Lebanon; a sister, Juanita Spurling of Lebanon; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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Funeral service was held March 8 at Calvert Funeral Home in Clinton, IL, with burial in Woodlawn Cemetery, Clinton, IL. Rev. J. Kent Hickerson officiated.

Calvert Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Imogene R. Kinder, 69

Imogene R. Kinder, 69, Clinton, Ill., died at 1:30 a.m., Feb. 27, 1996, at Dr. John Warner Hospital.

Kinder, born April 19, 1926 in Cerro Gordo, Ill., was a member of the Genealogical Society and the Friends of the Library. She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers and six sisters.

Survivors include: her husband, Herbert Kinder; three sons, James Kinder of McLean, Ill., Michael Kinder of Clinton, Ill. and Kelly Lee Kinder of Wapella, Ill.; one sister, June Owens of Clinton, Ill.; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. March 1 at Calvert Funeral Home with burial in Woodlawn Cemetery in Clinton, Ohio. Rev. J. Kent Hickerson officiated.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of donations to the Clinton Branch of Visiting Nurses Association.

Calvert Funeral Homes, Clinton, Ill., was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

John Louis King Sr., 58

John Louis King Sr., 58, Lebanon, died Aug. 16, 1996, at Alliant Medical Pavilion in Louisville.

Born Oct. 19, 1937 in Marion County, he was a farmer and a former employee of General Electric Appliance Park. He was a member of the First Baptist Church where he served as deacon and trustee. He was also on the board of the Marion County Conservation District. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Margaret Hodgen King, and his parents, Willie Olean and Hazel Gay King.

Survivors include: his wife, Veronica Briscoe King; two sons, John Louis King Jr. of Lebanon and Cory King of Fayetteville, N.C.; two daughters, Margaret Louise King and Lory King, both of Lebanon; two brothers, Larry O. and John R. King, both of Lebanon; two sisters, Elizabeth Ann King and Willie Louise Sims, both of Louisville; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Aug. 19, at First Baptist Church with burial in Ryder Cemetery. Rev. Tommy Calhoun officiated.

Active pallbearers were Scott Glasscock, David and Robert Weathers, Walter Sims, and Kevin and Robbie King. Honorary pallbearers were Tilford Buchanon, Norman Turner, Danny Glasscock, Lenwood Golder, George Owens, Danny Wright, George Hill and Charles Bell.

Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, was in charge of the arrangements.

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Rufus Douglas King, 69

Rufus Douglas King, 69, Kelly Way, Lebanon, died Dec. 18, 1999, at his residence.

Born in Jefferson County, King was a retired postmaster.

He was preceded in death by: his wife, Sylvia Christina Tungate; parents, Rufus Henry and Maggie Elizabeth King; a brother, George King; and a granddaughter, Andrea Jo Thompson.

Survivors include: a son, Doug King of Lebanon; a daughter, Sandy Orberon of Lebanon; two sisters, Shirley Pinner and Goldie Lockett, both of Louisville; a brother, Robert King of Louisville; and two grandchildren, Charles Richard Thompson Jr. and Brandon Thompson.

Funeral services were held Dec. 21 at Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home, Lebanon, with burial in Lebanon National Cemetery. Rev. Clellan Hays officiated.

Pallbearers were Mike Raley, Tommy Ryan, George Smith, Gary Riley, Scottie Jeffries, Ricky Thompson, Robert Deering and Jeremy Colvin.

Campbell-DeWitt Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Willie Olean King, 83

Willie Olean King, 83, Lebanon, died at 8:55 a.m., Sept. 3, 1995, at Spring View Manor Nursing Home, Lebanon.

King was born Dec. 30, 1911 in Marion County. He was preceded in death by: his first wife, Hazel Gay King, on June 30, 1974; his second wife, Nora Lee Motley King, on Aug. 5, 1993; his parents, Tim Olean and Charlotte Brown King; and two sisters, Mary Lou Edelen and Annie L. Munson.

Survivors include: two daughters, Elizabeth Ann King and Willie Louise Sims, both of Louisville; three sons, John L. King Sr., Larry O. King, and John R. King, all of Lebanon; one sister, Amelia Porter of Lebanon; 24 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m., Sept. 7, 1995, at the Lebanon First Baptist Church with burial in Ryder Cemetery. Rev. Tommy Calhoun, pastor, officiated.

Active pallbearers were Joe Denny Raley, George Owens, Charles Bell, Jack Sullivan, James Grundy Sr. and Lenwood Golder. Honorary pallbearers were Tilford Buchanon, Kevin King, Donald Dunn, Gary Ford, Larry Elder, Johnny King, Walter Sims, Robert King, Doug Ford, Ambrose Caldwell, Jody Raley and Cory King.

Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

An Old Estate

Mr. P.C. Cleaver of Springfield, formerly of our city, qualified Monday last as administrator de bonis non of James Kirk who died January 21, 1857. He left a widow, Mrs. Mahala Kirk Welsh, who died at Chicago Heights, last October, a notice of whose death appeared in last week's Enterprise. Of Jas. Kirk, Dr. W.W. Cleaver furnishes us the following bit of history which will be of considerable local interest: "James Kirk was 81 years old when he married Miss Mahala Chamberlain, aged 22 years. He died at 99, less two months. The widow owned a dower of 88 acres of land near town. James Kirk was the grandfather of Paul I. McElroy, Jas. H. Kirk, deceased, Dr. W.W. Cleaver, P.C. Cleaver and Mrs. Lettie Crawford; the great-grandfather of J. Henry Kirk, Proctor McElroy, Leo D. Ray and others of this county. He has no descendants living nearer than grandchildren who live in Oregon, Utah, Missouri, Texas, Illinois and Kentucky. When he died he was possessed of 400 acres of land two

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miles from Lebanon and a large number of slaves all of whom are now dead except a few of a younger generation born since his death.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Mary Aileen Kirkpatrick, 92

Mary Aileen Kirkpatrick, 92, Louisville, died Sept. 12, 1999, at Rolling Hills Health Care Center in New Albany, Ind.

Kirkpatrick was preceded in death by her parents, Tom and Flora White; two sisters, Edith Russell and Eva; and a brother, Ray White.

Survivors include: three daughters, Margaret Heintzmas, Elizabeth Kelly and Janice Danis; two sons, Leo and Mike Kirkpatrick; a sister, Elizabeth Mudd; two brothers, Adrain and Charles White; 14 grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews in Marion County.

A private graveside service was held at Cave Hill Cemetery in Louisville.

Pearsons Funeral Home, Louisville, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Good Woman Claimed

Friends and relatives of Mrs. Anthony Knopp were shocked and grief-stricken to learn of her sudden death at her home near Finley last Saturday morning. Mrs. Knopp had seemed in her usual health until about ten o'clock when she suddenly became very ill. With only her husband present she died at 12:15 o'clock.

In 1921 Mr. and Mrs. Knopp celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Knopp was 70 years old and well known and loved throughout the community where she lived. Before her marriage she was Miss Catherine Roberts, of Buffalo, N.Y. She is survived by two brothers and a sister, who reside in New York; by her husband and twelve children – Mrs. Charles Livers, Mrs. Robert Maupin, Mrs. Henry Bernardi and Mrs. Brack Cordy, of Louisville; Mrs. Bertie Buckman, of Fort Dodge, Iowa; Mrs. Lee Bowman, of Lebanon Junction; Mrs. Eugene Bowman, of St. Mary; Mrs. Ed Bowman and Mrs. E.E. Feather, of Lebanon; Joseph Knopp, of Loretto; Ed Knopp, of New Market, and John Knopp, of Calvary.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J.A. Hogarty, of Lebanon, at the church of Our Lady of the Hills at Finley Tuesday morning, her pastor, the Rev. Smith, being ill. Burial took place in the Finley cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy of all who knew them.

'God gave us a "Mother," The best he could find, So patient, So gentle, So love and kind. For years with her family, Till the children were grown He left her. – Then called her To Heaven, her home. He took her to Heaven To pay for us there, But, Oh, how we miss her! Our Mother so fair!' – Her Granddaughter – E.K.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 9 Jan 1926)

Ethel Stella Knopp, 99

Ethel Stella Knopp, 99, of the New Market Community of Marion County, died at 5 p.m., April 25, 1996, at the home of her daughter, Mae Morgeson of Lebanon.

Knopp, born Nov. 1, 1896 in Marion County, was a member of Our Lady of the Hills Catholic Church, Finley. She was preceded in death by: her husband, Edgar Paul Knopp, who died on Aug. 7, 1970; her parents, William and Mattie Moore Bright; one daughter, Mary Agnes Bischoff; and one brother, Irvin Bright.

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Survivors include: five daughters, Mrs. Randell (Mae) Morgeson and Mrs. Clarence (Pauline) Raikes, both of Lebanon, Mrs. Leo (Frances) Gordon of Jettetown, and Mrs. Cletus (Sylvia) Caldwell and Mrs. W.H. "Peck" (Thelma) Curtis, both of New Market; three sons, Edward Knopp and Sam Knopp, both of Finley, and Thelbert Knopp of Calvary; 60 grandchildren, 126 great-grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral Mass was conducted at 11 a.m. April 29 at Our Lady of the Hill Catholic Church with burial in the church cemetery. Rev. Jack Caldwell officiated.

Pallbearers were Lanny Morgeson, Terry Gordon, Ronnie Knopp, Tommy Bischoff, Richard Knopp, Gary Curtis, Donnie Knopp, Larry Caldwell and David Raikes.

Prayer services were held at 7 p.m. April 28 at Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, which was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Death Comes to J.M. Knott

Death, shocking in its suddenness, came to J.M. Knott, one of the community's most widely known citizens, at his home on South Proctor Knott Avenue Sunday evening shortly before 7 o'clock. He had been at his place of business Saturday, and that evening attended services at the Presbyterian Church where a revival was in progress. Between 1 and 2 ever, he became very ill and gradually grew worse until the end came.... He was best known as cashier of the Marion National Bank but... represented Marion County in the Kentucky Legislature for one term. He had since conducted the retail lumber business established by his son, Walter W. Knott, whose death occurred four years ago.

(The Lebanon Enterprise, 24 Oct 1924)

LOVELY LIFE IS CONCLUDED – Mrs. L.D. Knott Claimed By Death At Home In City Sunday Evening – BURIAL IN OLD LIBERTY

Mrs. Sarah Jane Knott, 84 years old widow of Dr. L.D. Knott, passed away Sunday evening shortly after 8:00 o'clock at her home on Mulberry Street of asthma, from which she had been a sufferer nearly all of her life. She had been confined to bed for a week and during that time her condition was such as to cause her relatives and friends much uneasiness.

Mrs. Knott, who had made her home in this city for about fifty years, was a native of this county, having been born at Bradfordsville October 25, 1850, a daughter of Alexander and Jane Thornton Gay, both deceased. When a young woman she was married to Dr. Knott, a well known practicing physician here, whose death occurred in March, 1918. No children were born to the union, but Dr. and Mrs. Knott reared Mrs. Charles M. House, formerly of Auburn, N.Y., but who about two years ago moved to Pasadena, Calif.

Mrs. Knott was quiet and unassuming in her manner and was a lovely Christian character. She was a life-long member of the Methodist Church. Surviving her, other than Mrs. House, are two nephews, A.F. Overstreet of Indianapolis, Ind., and Dr. Eugene Beard of Somerset, and one niece, Mrs. J.W. Jones of Huntington, W. Va.

Funeral services were conducted at Bosley's Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. W.S. Bolles, pastor of the Methodist Church, and interment was in Old Liberty Cemetery near Bradfordsville.

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The pallbearers were: A.L. Lynch, C.J. Edmonds, J.P. Hundley, P.K. McElroy, S.W. Shoemaker, Lewis A. Farrand, Ernest Hartfield and Dandridge H. Lyon, the latter of Louisville.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Margie Mae Byrd Koch, 77

Margie Mae Byrd Koch, 77, Payne Street, Louisville, died April 8, 1997, at her residence.

Born Jan. 16, 1920, in Marion County, Koch was a housewife. Her parents, Gene and Eliza Evans Byrd, preceded her in death.

Survivors include: two sons, William and David Taylor, both of Louisville; two daughters, Rexanne Sarkisian of Lexington and Bonnie Flispart of New Albany, Ind.; three brothers, Edwin, Odell and Larry Byrd, all of Louisville; and eight grandchildren.

Graveside services were conducted at 3:30 p.m., April 11, at Ryder Cemetery. Rev. Bob Bouser officiated.

Pallbearers were David, Odell, Terry and Larry Byrd.

Bosley Funeral Home, Lebanon, was in charge of the arrangements.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Dr. John Koneck, D.V.M., 68

Dr. John Koneck, D.V.M., 68, Lebanon, died at 3:28 a.m., Dec. 11, 1996, at Cleveland Clinic in Cleveland, Ohio.

Born April 1, 1928 in Butler County, Penn., he was preceded in death by: his parents, Jack and Pearl Figas Koneck; one brother; two sisters; and a nephew.

A retired veterinarian, he was a graduate of the Purdue University School of Veterinary Medicine. He had practiced in Lebanon before retiring. He was also a graduate of the University of Pittsburgh with a degree in engineering, and had previously worked for Amoco Oil Company in Maryland, and had worked in the state of Indiana. He was a United States Army Veteran.

Survivors include: a sister, Lt. Col. (Ret.) Anna Koneck of Chicora, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m., Dec. 13, at Geibel Funeral Home in Pennsylvania.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)

Lucy 'Boots' Thomas Kremer, 85

Lucy "Boots" Thomas Kremer, 85, Louisville, died at 2:30 a.m., Sept. 5, 1998, at Bashford Manor East Nursing Home.

Kremer was a native of Marion County.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Michael T. Kremer; a son, Larry Kremer; father, Joseph Thomas; and mother Mary Josephine Spalding Thomas.

Survivors include: three sons, Bennie Kremer of Fairfax, Va., and Michael and Rodney Kremer of Louisville; two daughters, Nancy Becht of Lebanon and Rita McCauley of Louisville; 13 grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

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Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Sept. 8, at St. Mathias Church, Louisville, with burial in Calvary Cemetery, Louisville. Father Gene Scheich officiated.

Pallbearers were Scott, Ted and Fred Kremer, Keith Becht, Sean McCauley and Jim Pat Spalding.

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Richard Edward Kuba, 72

Richard Edward Kuba, 72, of Kingston, NY, died Oct. 19, 1996, in Sarasota, Fla.

Kuba, a retired Electrical Engineer with IBM Corporation, was a World War II Navy Veteran and was with the Naval Research in Washington, D.C. He was a native of Detroit, Mich. and a son of the late Edward P. and Amalia Petoskey Kuba.

Survivors include: his wife, Elizabeth Renfro Kuba; four daughters, Patricia Wightman of St. Petersburg, Fla., Diane Burkard of Sarasota, Fla., Kathryn Dandurand of Morgantown, W.Va. and Carol Kuba of Kingston, NY; and three grandchildren, Kai and Jade Dandurand and Lindsey Wightman.

Graveside services were conducted Oct. 23, 1996 at Ryder Cemetery. Rev. Vincent Dentinger officiated.

(The Lebanon Enterprise)