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MADDOX—Mrs. Amanda Johnson

Expired in New York City on Tuesday, Aug. 24 following a long illness. Mrs. Maddox will be cremated and buried at Forest Lawn Cemetery at the convenience of the family. The service will be private. Memorial service at Lincoln Memorial Church, Rev. E. J. Echols officiating Saturday, Aug. 28, at 10:30 AM. Mrs. Maddox is survived by a daughter, Beverly Ann Johnson; three sisters, Lillian J. Meadows, Maggie J. Jones and Josephine J. Holmes; two brothers, Horace C. Johnson and Charles R. Johnson; several nieces and nephews and friends. Mrs. Maddox was the daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. Sidney O. B. Johnson and the sister of the late Sidney L. Doris I., and Elizabeth J. Murphy. Flowers gratefully declined. Friends are invited.

S.J. Malcolm Sr. Passes Away



Stephen J. Malcolm, Sr., of Harvard Place, husband of the late Mamie L. Malcolm, passed away Thursday, April 10, 1975. He had been ill for several months.

Mr. Malcolm was born in Jamaica, West Indies and come to this country to attend school. He graduated from Hampton Institute, Va., in 1927. He worked for the Pullman Co. New York Central for 30 years, and was also self-employed for a number of years when he retired.

He was active in civic affairs, being a member of the Board of Directors of the Michigan Avenue YMCA; a member of the United Brotherhood of Church Clubs;

a member of the Wanderer's Cricket Club; and Ethiopian Federation and Eaton Benevolent Club.

In 1959, he received the Good Neighbor Award from the City of Buffalo.

He was once a warden at St.

Mr. Malcolm was once a Warden at St. Philip's Episcopal Church; also served on the vestry and was an associate vestryman and a

member of the choir.

Survivors are: three sons, Stephen J. Jr., Lowell A. and Edmund L.; and eleven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held for him, April 12, at St. Philip's Church, officiated by Father Taylor, and assisted by Father Pudwell.

Burial was in Forest Lawn.

MALCOLM—Iris S.

January 12, 1990, of Buffalo, NY; beloved mother of E.V. (Viola) Leslie; grandmother of Judith, Janis and Earl Leslie, Mrs. June Leslie (Samuel) Foster; aunt of Clytie McDonald of California; also survived by three great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Arrangements are entrusted to BUFFALO MEMORIAL CHAPELS, INC., 66 East Utica St., where Vesper Services will be held Tuesday at 7:00 PM. Funeral services Wednesday 11:00 AM, from St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Sussex at Grider St., Friends invited.

Jay H. Malone, bus, streetcar operator

Funeral services for Jay H. Malone, 68, one of Buffalo's first black bus and streetcar operators, will be held at 11 a.m. Monday in



Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 179 E. Ferry St. Burial will be in Ridge Lawn Cemetery, Cheektowaga.

He died Wednesday (Oct. 14, 1992) in Hospice Buffalo, Alden, after a long illness.

Born in Buffalo, the son of the founder of the city's first black-

owned hardware store, he was an inspector with the city Street Sanitation Department and later was a supervisor in the plates and mailing division for the Erie County Auto Registration Bureau. He retired in 1977.

His wife, the former Mary Francis King, died in 1974.

Surviving are two sons, John of Bridgeport, Conn., and Aaron; a daughter, Michelle Malone of Atlanta; a stepdaughter, Sharon Adams; nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his longtime companion, Deloris Melson.

Louise C. Malone, Longtime Church Organist

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Monday in the First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church, 15 Pine St., for Louise C. Malone, 74, church organist for more than a half-century. Burial will be in Ridge Lawn Cemetery, Cheektowaga.

She died Tuesday (Oct. 28, 1986) in her home.

Born in Wilmington, N.C., she was the oldest of 10 children. The family moved to Glen Cove before settling in Buffalo in 1918. She attended School 32, the old Hutchinson Central High School and Buffalo State Teachers College, from which she received a bachelor of science degree in education.

She worked for several community organizations and was a substitute teacher in Buffalo public schools before becoming a caseworker in the Erie County Social

Services Department, where she was employed for 29 years before her retirement in 1976.

Mrs. Malone's church service dated back almost to her baptism at the age of 12. She began playing organ for the youth choir and Sunday school classes and later accompanied the adult choirs and men's chorus. During her years as organist, she assisted not only First Shiloh but several other churches in the city, her family noted. In 1960, she was elected assistant music director of the Baptist Empire State Convention.

Surviving are her son, Richard A.; three sisters, Posey Carter of Baltimore, Elease Boyd and Joan Keye; three brothers, Edward L. Griffin of New York, Louis Griffin and Herbert Griffin; and a granddaughter.

MALONE--Louise Cheryl

October 28, 1986. Beloved mother of Richard Allan; beloved mother-in-law of Deborah; loving grandmother of Elissa Michelle; sister of Louis Griffin (Shirley), Elease Boyd, Posey Carter of Baltimore, Maryland, Herbert Griffin, Edward L. Griffin of New York City and E. Joan Keye (Louis). The body will be in repose at the First Shiloh Baptist Church, 15 Pine St. where the family will be present Sunday 4-9 p.m. and where funeral service will be conducted Monday at 1 p.m. Interment in Ridge Lawn Cemetery. Arrangements by THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME INC.

McBRIDE—Rosalie

Jan. 7, 1986, of Buffalo, N.Y., beloved mother of Bernell D.; also survived by seven grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Arrangements entrusted to BUFFALO MEMORIAL CHAPELS INC., 66 East Utica St., where friends may call Sun. Family present 7-9 PM. Funeral services Mon. at 1 PM from the Delaware Ave. Baptist Church, 965 Delaware Ave. Friends invited.

McCARLEY—Leo E.

May 16, 1984, beloved husband of Ellen (Shelton) McCarley, son of Belton and Mabel McCarley; father of Ernest (Betty); brother of Ruth Brown and Nan Wood; stepfather of Ronald, Philip, Ellis and Diane; also survived by nine grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. The family will be present Fri. 7-9 PM at the THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME INC., 995 Genesee St. Funeral services Sat. at 1 PM from the St. John Baptist Church, 184 Goodell St., Rev. J.D. Wood officiating. Interment in St. Matthew's Cemetery.

Dr. Myron McGuire, Dentist, Leader, Dies



Dr. Myron S. McGuire

Buffalo has lost one of its Black leaders. Dr. Myron St. Clair McGuire, 87, passed away in his home, 482 Jefferson Ave., Tuesday, Sept. 27, (1988) after a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were held Sat., Oct. 1st, at St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, on Washington St.

Dr. McGuire was born on January 29, 1901, sixty miles from Buffalo, in Bradford, Pennsylvania. He lived in the Ellicott District since he came to Buffalo, at the tender age of eight. He graduated from Public School No. 32; Hutchinson Central High School (where he maintained an average of 96.4 and was awarded a scholarship from the "Douglas Club") an organization of Black women, which took care of his first year's tuition at the University of Buffalo.

He completed the University of Buffalo Schools of Liberal Arts and Dentistry. He graduated from the U. B. School of Dentistry, "Class of 1926. After graduation, he set up his practice in the Ellicott District, and remained there. His motto has been: "When adversity discourages you, do it anyhow."

Dr. McGuire served as a School Dentist in 1940, full and part-time in the Buffalo Health Department, which later became the Erie County Health Department. In 1977, he volunteered and worked to set up Neighborhood Dental Clinics as part of the Model Cities program and later became Assistant Clinical Director for the Erie County Dental Clinics. Under this title, he set up new dental clinics in School #53, with the assistance of Principal Nan Woods; and West Hertel Junior High School, with the assistance of Principal Gianturco.

Dr. McGuire was a member of the Erie County Dental Society; Council #84 Knights of Columbus; the University Club of Buffalo, The University of Buffalo Dental Alumni; The Upstate Medical Alliance, an organization of Black Professionals in medicine and the allied fields.

He was the founder of Phi Omega Graduate Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., a National fraternity with over five hundred chapters by districts throughout the United States; he was a member of the NAACP and a former member of the Board of Directors. During World War II, he worked closely with the executives of the local aircraft industries to place Black workers in jobs.

Dr. McGuire was the first Black in Buffalo, to be endorsed by a major political party for Councilman of the Ellicott District. Every Mayor since 1926, appointed him to a community board; housing boards, laboratory

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boards, youth boards, etc. Under County Executive B. John Tutuska, Dr. McGuire was appointed Chairman of the Forensic Laboratory Board. Sister Mary Charlotte Barton appointed him to the D'Youville College Council.

Frank E. Merriweather, Sr., Editor and Founder of the Buffalo Criterion, was his political mentor and a friend until his death. He respected the Criterion for its long years of service to our community.

Dr. McGuire's wife, Neola McGuire, was an auditor for the County of Erie. She is now retired. She is a product of the schools of Buffalo, graduating from Public School #17; Hutchinson Central High School; Bryant & Stratton Business Institute; and also attended Canisius College, majoring in Accounting.

His daughter, Ellen M. Russell, is a graduate of the Meyer Memorial Hospital School of Nursing and

McKINNIS—Leon "Babyface"

September 17, 1992 of Buffalo, NY;
beloved father of Paulette, Rochelle Holmes
(Roy) and Grace Hesson (Ralph); brother of
Della; grandfather of Todd Hesson; also
survived by nieces, nephews and other rela-
tives and friends. Arrangements entrusted to
MEMORIAL CHAPELS OF BUFFALO, 66 E.
Utica St. where funeral services will be held
Tuesday at 12 Noon. Visitation immediately
preceding 10 AM-12:00. Friends invited.

Lillian J. Meadows Dies; Was Advocate for Elderly

Memorial services will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in First Presbyterian Church, Symphony Circle, for Lillian J. Meadows, 73, a senior citizens advocate in Buffalo long before "aging" became politically popular, and whose untiring efforts in the field placed her in the Western New York delegation to the 1981 White House Conference on Aging.

Mrs. Meadows, an elder of the church and resident of Buffalo, died Wednesday (April 22, 1987) in Sisters Hospital, where she was a patient for three weeks.

Since 1959, when the late Buffalo Mayor Frank A. Sedita instituted special programs and special housing for the elderly, Mrs. Meadows was involved with Buffalo's senior citizens — first at the old Richard Carnevale Senior Citizens Center for 14 years, then at the Alfred D. Price Senior Citizens Center, in the Willert Park area, where she retired as supervisor in 1981.

Administration of those two offices and her personal drive to achieve dignity for old people resulted in her involvement with a number groups, organizations, agencies and individuals who helped her achieve that goal.

She was a contemporary of the Lucile M. Kinne, another area pioneer in programs for the aging and a member of the governor's committee that wrote the New York State charter for the aging.

Mrs. Meadows served on the State Committee on Aging, New York State Conference on Aging, the advisory committees on aging for both Erie County and Buffalo and the advisory board for the Older Americans Act Committee.

Mrs. Meadows was this area's first black to serve as a state Democratic committeewoman, a post she held for 30 years.

A member of the old Erie County Board of Supervisors, she got her start in government with the city's Board of Redevelopment. Positions followed in the Bureau of Vital Statistics, in the Common Council as aide to Councilman King Peterson and in the Recreation Department.

A native of Mobile, Ala., Mrs. Meadows came to Buffalo as child after her father, the late Sidney O. B. Johnson, was called to pastor the former Lloyd's memorial Congregational Church. The eldest sibling, she left Alabama's Talladega College in her junior year to help her



Lillian J. Meadows

sick mother raise the younger children, including former Masten District Councilman Horace C. Johnson.

She was the widow of Isaac W. Meadows, a minority consultant for the New York State Employment Service.

She was a life member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People; served on the boards of the United Way, Travelers Aid Society, Allentown Community Association, and was a volunteer fund-raiser for the Heart Association, Cancer Society, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and United Negro College Fund.

Among her numerous awards and citation Mrs. Meadows was the 1984 county nominee for state Senior Citizen, the initial inductee in the Buffalo Senior Citizens Hall of Fame and recipient of the 1978 Brotherhood Award for community effort from the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

Last November she received a special recognition for community service on behalf of the elderly from the Western New York Network in Aging, of which she was a charter member.

Surviving, in addition to the former councilman, are two sisters, Maggie J. Jones of New York City and Josephine J. Holmes; another brother, Charles R. Johnson, and nieces and nephews whom she raised, Beverly Johnson, the Rev. Paul E. Johnson of Montgomery, Ala., and Sidney F. Murphy of Jamaica, L.I.

Mrs. Eleanor Means Succumcs



Mrs. Eleanor V. (Morgan) Means, passed away (June 6, 1988) at Roswell Park Memorial Institute. She was born in Kent, Ohio, the daughter of the late George Morgan, Sr., and Lillie Mae (Austin) Morgan. She moved to

Buffalo when she was a child.

Mrs. Means was baptized at Friendship Baptist Church and was a firm believer in Christianity. For many years, she studied the Bible with Jehovah's Witnesses. Although a private person, she gave much of herself to all who knew and came in contact with her.

A few eyars ago, Mrs. Means enrolled in Burgard Vocational High School's Automobile Mechanics Class, where she became very skilled in the intricate mechanical operation of automobiles. She enjoyed the classes immensely and was really appreciative of

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the knowledge and skills acquired.

She was an employee at Buffalo General Hospital, where she worked as Ward Secretary.

For more than thirty years, Mrs. Means carefully planned and prepared an Annual Family Dinner for her relatives. She would skillfully prepare a wide variety of savory and palatable foods for all to enjoy. She diligently looked forward to the Family Dinner, knowing that the energy expended, was strengthening her family's relationship, thus resulting in a close-knit family.

She leaves to cherish her memory: Emery Means; a daughter, Pearl (George) Harris; three sisters: Annie (Robert Jr.) Fears; Sandra (Paris) Mims; Renee (Leon) Chatmon; two brothers: James (Bereneice) Morgan, of Detroit, Mich.; and Gerald (Maxine) Morgan; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

The Thomas T. Edwards Funeral Home, Inc., was in charge of the arrangements.

Charles Michaux, 67, Dies; Was Active in Civic Affairs

A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in Immaculate Conception Church, 144 Edward St., for Charles L. Michaux, Jr., 67, a retired city official who spent 23 years in public service. Burial will be in Ridge Lawn Cemetery, Cheektowaga.

Michaux died Thursday (Jan. 23, 1986) in St. Joseph Intercommunity Hospital, Cheektowaga.

Michaux was long active in politics and community affairs.

He became Buffalo's first Parking Violations Bureau director in 1974. He entered public service in 1956 as the first black appointed to a permanent civil service position in City Court, where he served as a junior court clerk. He advanced to senior court clerk and then to principal court clerk. After four years as Parking Violations Bureau director, he returned to City Court until his retirement in 1979.

A Buffalo native, Michaux is a graduate of School 31 and the former Hutchinson Central High School. He received a bachelor's degree from the State University of Buffalo.

After retiring from City Court, Michaux continued graduate work in political science and began teaching part-time as an assistant professor at Erie Community College. He also was a senior instructor with the Erie County Department of Public Safety from 1973 until his death.

A veteran of Democratic politics, Michaux resigned in 1983 as party

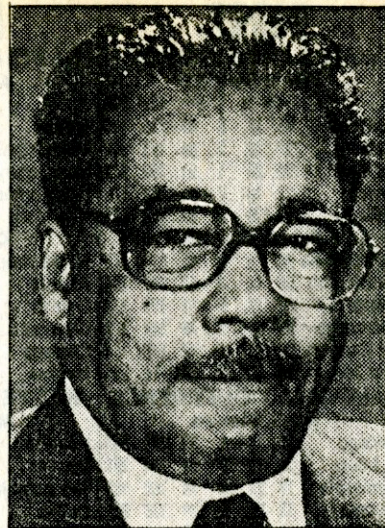
chairman in Buffalo's 24th Zone, a post he held for 20 years. He was a former member of the Erie County Democratic Executive Committee for 15 years and a former Democratic committeeman for 25 years.

Michaux served in Italy during World War II, earning the Silver and Bronze stars, the Combat Infantryman's Badge and the Purple Heart. In 1950-51, he saw action in the Korean War as a general staff officer of operations and training. He retired in 1971 as a lieutenant colonel after 30 years in the Army Reserve and received the New York State Conspicuous Service Medal.

While active in many community affairs, Michaux received the Silver Beaver Award, the highest community award given by the Boy Scouts. Michaux made history with the Boy Scouts in 1932 as the first black Eagle Scout. He was a member of the executive board of the Boy Scouts of America, chairman of the council advancement committee of the Boy Scouts of America and local chapter chairman of the national Eagle Scout Association.

He also was secretary of the Buffalo Naval and Servicemen's Park board of directors. He was honored as a distinguished president of the West Side Kiwanis Club and distinguished past lieutenant governor of the New York State Kiwanis, Niagara Frontier West Division.

He also served on the congressional selection committee for all service academies. He was a past commander of Bennett Wells Post 1780,



Charles L. Michaux

American Legion, and past director of the Allentown Association. He was a member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the Urban League, the Retired Officers Association, the National Eagle Scout Association, and the Allentown Village Society.

He was the local chapter chairman of Judges and Police Executive Conference of Erie County, New York Inc., a member of the National Association of Court Administration, American Society for Public Administrators, Driver and Safety Educators Association of the State of New York, the American Judicature Society and the Police Studies Organization of the University of Illinois.

Survivors include his wife, Maria Rebasti Michaux; two daughters, Bruna Michaux and Ramona Draf-fin; two sons, Charles L. and John; two sisters, Joan Durant and Gladys Gowie, and five grandchildren.

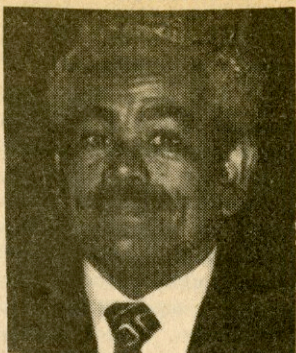
MINER—Arvel

Oct. 1, 1984, beloved husband of Doris Stenhouse Miner; dearest father of Eugenia Poole, Shirley Vinson and Arvel Miner Jr.; also survived by two sisters, one brother, nine grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and a number of nieces, nephews and friends. The family will be present to receive friends Wed. 7-9 PM at the Macedonia Baptist Church, 237 E. North St., where funeral services will be held Thurs. at 1 PM, the Rev. Larry Boyd officiating. Entombment in Rosewood Mausoleum, Forest Lawn Cemetery. Arrangements by THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME, INC.

MITCHELL—Arthur L.

March 16, 1986. Funeral service Fri.,
March 21, 1986, at 11 AM from Friendship
Baptist Church, 402 Clinton St., Rev. A.C.
Ware officiating. The family will receive
friends Thurs. from 7-9 PM at the
THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME
INC., 995 Genesee St. Masonic service at 8
PM.

Rites Held For James H. Mitchell



JAMES H. MITCHELL

Funeral services for the late James H. Mitchell, was held from Friendship Baptist Church, 402 Clinton St., Saturday, July 5th, at 1 p.m. Rev. E. D. McNeely, pastor, officiated.

Mr. Mitchell, son of the late Mary Taylor, was born on May 16, 1918, in Ahaskie, North Carolina.

He moved to Buffalo, at the age of 16 and united with the Friendship Baptist Church, then located at Pratt and Clinton Sts.

He served in the United States Army for eight years. He was an employee at the Westinghouse Electric Corp. for the past 25 years and was a member of Local 1581 AFL-CIO United Workers.

Mr. Mitchell passed away July 1, 1975, at 2:15 p.m., in the Buffalo General Hospital.

His survivors are: a devoted wife, Isabelle Crenshaw Mitchell; one daughter, Jeanette Yvette Mitchell; two step-sons: Arthur and Gregory Crenshaw; one granddaughter, Tara Crenshaw; one brother, James Taylor; three aunts: Mrs. Elsie Newsone, of Baltimore, Mrs. Easter Mitchell, Philadelphia, Pa., and Mrs. Addie Mitchell of New York, N. Y.

Five nieces: Gladys Russell, St. Clair Phillips and Eunice
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Mitchell, all of Philadelphia, P., Katherine Harris of Baltimore, Md., and Katherine Lapaettle of New York, N. Y.; four nephews: Collidge Newsone of N. Y., N. Y., Claxton Newsone, Baltimore, Md., Rudolph Newsone, N. C., and B. Newsone, Philadelphia, Pa., and a host of other realtives and friends.

The H. Alfred Lewis Mortuary was in charge of arrangements. Interment was in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

MOORE—Percy Lee

April 12, 1994; beloved husband of Louise B. Moore (nee Langford); father of one daughter, Mary Virginia Logan, one son, Russell P. Moore (Raheem A. Shabaka) of Johannesburg, South Africa; two grandsons, three granddaughters; two great-granddaughters and one great-grandson. Family will receive friends at St. Philip's Episcopal Church, 15 Fernhill, Buffalo, Sunday, April 17, 1994, Vesper Service at 7 PM and Masonic Service at 8 PM. A Funeral Service Monday at 11 AM at the church. Flowers gratefully declined. Donations may be sent to the Memorial Fund in care of St. Philip's Episcopal Church. Mr. Moore was a member of St. Philip's Episcopal Church, the Buffalo Tennis Club, a Charter Member, past Master and life member of Paramount Lodge No. 73 P.H.A., a member of Hadji Temple No. 61 and Bison Consistory No. 29. Arrangements by THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME, INC.

MORTON—Clara M.

December 7, 1986, beloved mother of Myrtle McGarrah; grandmother of Viola and Helen (Earmer); also survived by five great-grandchildren, three great-great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. The family will be present to receive friends Wednesday, 7-9 PM, at the THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME INC., 995 Genesee St. Funeral services Thursday, 10 AM, from Durham Memorial A.M.E. Zion Church, 174 Eagle St.

MURRAY—Mary M. (nee O'Donnell)

MORTON—James

Nov. 11, 1970, of 32 East Peckham St.; husband of Clara; father of Myrtle; grandfather of Helen and Viola; also survived by four great-grandchildren; brother of David, Mary and Rose. Also survived by other relatives and friends who will be received at Meadows Bros. Funeral Home Inc., 576 Jefferson Ave. The funeral service will be conducted Saturday at 1 P. M. at Durham AME Zion Church, Eagle and Michigan Ave. Burial Buffalo Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Thursday and Friday 7-9 P. M.

MOSTILLER—Carl J.

Oct. 28, 1965, of 299 Maple St., beloved husband of Rosetta; father of Mrs. Margaret Huggins, Carl Jr., Mrs. Evelyn Wright, Melvin, Mrs. Vivian Jones, Roselie, Mrs. Gloria Clark, Donald, Warren, Patricia, Forest and Mrs. Barbara Clark; brother of Sylvester; son-in-law of Mrs. Hattie Pitts; brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. William Hare; survived by 30 grandchildren and many relatives and friends. Funeral Tuesday, Nov. 2 at 9:30 A. M. from St. Boniface Church. Family will be present from 7-10 P. M. at the H. Alfred Lewis Mortuary, 968 Jefferson.

MOSTILLER—Collin Keith

Suddenly Aug 9, 1986. Dearest son of Donald and Frances Mostiller; dearest friend of Darlene Wiggins; father of Collin Jr. and Jerome; brother of Donald and Bryan; grandson of Mrs. Ivory Walton, great-grandson of Mrs. Frances Walton; also survived by other relatives. The family will receive friends Tues 7 to 9 PM at the H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY INC, 968 Jefferson Ave. Funeral services Wed 9 AM from Blessed Trinity R.C. Church, 317 Leroy Ave.

MOSTILLER—Melvin

Oct. 18, 1983, husband of Patricia Mostiller; son of Rosetta Mostiller and the late Carl; brother of Margaret Huggins (Warren) of Detroit, Mich., Carl (Muriel), Evelyn Wright (Edward), Vivian Jones (Robert), Gloria Clark (William), Donald (Frances), Warren (Marie), Patricia Hines (Johnny), Forrest, Barbara Clark (Frank) and the late Rosalie Mostiller; also survived by two aunts, Lillie Hare and Ada Mostiller. Friends may call at THE H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY, INC., 968 Jefferson Ave., where the family will be present Fri. 7-9 PM. Funeral services Sat. 10 AM from Our Lady of Lourdes R.C. Church, Main and Best St. Interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

MOSTILLER—Muriel Lentine
(nee Blenman)

Of Depew, N.Y., March 16, 1985, wife of Carl Mostiller Jr.; devoted mother of Carl III (Marian) of Houston, Tex., Michael (Ernestine) of Buffalo, Terrance (Gayle) of Atlanta, Ga., Beverly of Buffalo, Dennis of Rochester, N.Y., Conrad (Betty) of Buffalo and Conroy of Depew, N.Y.; grandmother of 14 grandchildren; daughter of Lloyd Blenman and the late Helen Maude Blenman; sister of Norris (Minnie), Daisy, Brontie and the late Orman Blenman; also survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. The family will be present Tues. March 19, 7-9 PM at the H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY INC., 968 Jefferson Ave., Buffalo, N.Y. Funeral services will be conducted Wed. March 20, 9:30 AM at St. James R.C. Church, 496 Terrance Blvd., Depew, N.Y. Msgr. Joseph P. Wacławski, officiating. Interment in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

MOSTILLER—Rosetta

May 21, 1984, wife of the late Carl Mostiller; daughter of the late John Bates and the late Hattie Bates-Pitts; mother of Margaret (Warren) Huggins of Detroit, Mich., Carl (Muriel), Evelyn (Edward) Wright, the late Melvin (Patricia), Vivian (Robert) Jones, the late Rosalie, Gloria (William) Clark, Donald (Francis), Warren (Marie), Patricia (Johnny), Hines, Forrest (Virginia), and Barbara (Frank) Clark III; also survived by a sister Lillie Hare, sister-in-law Ada Mostiller; 32 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild. The family will receive friends Fri. from 7-9 PM at the H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY, INC., 968 Jefferson Ave., funeral services Sat. 9:30 AM from Blessed Trinity R.C. Church, 317 Leroy St., Father Walter O. Kern officiating. Interment in Mt. Calvary Cemetery.

MUNGO—Telford

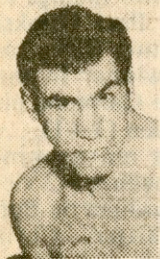
June 9, 1974; husband of the late Lillie Jacobs Mungo; father of Mrs. George A. (Jessie M.) Jones of Henderson, N. C. and the late Mrs. Bertha Silva; foster father of Ernest Day Sr.; grandfather of four and great-grandfather of 14; brother of Mrs. Emma Mungo of S. C., Logan of Pittsburgh, Pa.; brother-in-law of Mrs. Annie Weston; also survived by many nieces, nephews and other relatives. Friends may call at the Thomas T. Edwards Funeral Home Inc., 995 Genesee St., Wednesday and Thursday. The family will be present Wednesday from 7-9 and Thursday from 2-4 and 7-9. Funeral service Friday, June 14 at 1 P. M. from Lincoln Memorial United Methodist Church, 641 Masten Ave. Rev. Edmund Millet officiating. Interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. 11112

MUNGO—Theodore

Nov. 18, 1979, brother of Mrs. Leonard (Marcelle) Callaway; nephew of Logan Mungo of Pittsburgh, Pa. and Mrs. Emma Mungo of Kershaw, S.C.; also survived by a host of other relatives. Family will be present Tuesday, from 7-9 PM at the Thomas T. Edwards Funeral Home Inc., 995 Genesee St. Funeral services Wednesday at 11 AM From the funeral home. Interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery.

Phil Muscato, highly ranked boxer in '40s

Phil Muscato, a Buffalo-born boxer who ranked fourth among world heavyweight contenders in the 1940s, was buried Tuesday in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Cheektowaga.



— 1949 Photo

Muscato, 68, who drew thousands to Memorial Auditorium to watch him fight, died Sunday (July 7, 1991) in St. Joseph Hospital, Cheektowaga, after

a long illness.

Muscato earned more than \$100,000 in the 1940s battling such top-ranked fighters as Lee Oma, Joey Maxim, Lee Savold, Joe Matisi and Mickey Hayes.

In all, he had 79 professional fights and was known for his hard-hitting style that put many an opponent on the mat to the delight

of local fans. Muscato's last fight was May 3, 1950, in the Aud., where Nick Barone of Syracuse scored a technical knockout against him in the fourth round.

Muscato left boxing at age 27. While he never benefited from the money he earned in the ring, Muscato said in an interview 10 years later that he had no regrets.

"Sure I'm officially listed as broke. . . . but how can you say a man's broke who has a wonderful wife, three fine sons and the strength to work everyday?" he asked.

Muscato served in the Navy during World War II. After retiring from boxing, he worked for General Motors Corp. as a laborer.

Survivors include his wife, Anne; five sons, Michael and Chris, both of Las Vegas, Arky of Phoenix, Ariz., Mark and Jody, and eight grandchildren.

MYERS-BUSHEN—Amelia M.

Of Angola, N.Y., May 22, 1984, wife of the late William F. Bushen and Irving F. Myers; beloved mother of Howard (Elsie) Bushen, Mrs. Richard (Gertrude) Colvin, Mrs. Blair (Lucille) Hauser and Mrs. Rudy (Bertha) Kashino; sister of the late Leon D. (Thelma) Swift; also survived by 10 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. Friends may call Wed. and Thurs. from 2-4 PM at the HELMHOFF FUNERAL HOME.

NELSON—Robert

Nov. 26, 1985, beloved husband of Sarah Nelson; father of Harrison Davis of Washington, D.C., Lottie Goins, Barbara Skinner, Yardley Hoyes, Robert Nelson III and Terence Nelson; brother of Manny of Charlotte, N.C., Oscar, Abril and Willie of Buffalo, Hattie Johnson of Lancaster, S.C. and Esther Byrd of Buffalo; also survived by 14 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends. Funeral services Sat. at 10 AM from Durham Memorial A.M.E. Zion, 174 Eagle St. Rev. Robert Linder officiating. Family present Fri., 7-9 PM, at the THOMAS T. EDWARDS FUNERAL HOME INC., 995 Gene-see St.

NORTHINGTON—Harold M.

May 10, 1987, beloved husband of Antoinette (Toni); father of Claudia and Christopher; also survived by one devoted brother and sister, Thomas Northington and Juanita Kydd and a host of relatives and friends. Friends may call at the H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY INC., 968 Jefferson Ave. where the family will be present Wednesday 7-9 PM. Funeral services Thursday 1 PM. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery.

OLIVER — Harges (Chuck)

August 19, 1991. Friends may call Thursday, 12-9 PM, at the H. ALFRED LEWIS MORTUARY, INC, 968 Jefferson, where the family will be present, 7-9 PM. Funeral services Friday at 1 PM, at Pilgrim Baptist Church, 665 Michigan Ave. Rev R.D. Holloway, officiating.