

Alva E. 'Irish' Magee

Alva E. 'Irish' Magee, 74, Lakeland, Fla., formerly of Roselawn, died Wednesday, March 13 in Lakeland.

He was a retired truckdriver, employed by Kraft Foods Co.

Surviving are one daughter, Joy Eaton, Lakeland; three sons, Joseph Magee, Indianapolis; James Magee, Champaign, Ill.; and Jerry Magee, Dyer; two brothers, John Rogers,

Peoria, Ill., and Pierre Thacher, Wellsville, N.Y.; one sister, Marian Schoonover, Norfolk, Nebr.; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services took place March 18 at 1 p.m. at the Sheets-Love Funeral Home, Lowell, with the Rev. W. Lynn Henry officiating. Burial was in Lowell Memorial Cemetery.

Died: March 13, 1985

Issue: March 28, 1985

Harry M. Martin Sr.

Harry M. Martin Sr., 82, 385 S. Lincoln, Morocco, died Saturday, June 22 at 3:18 a.m. at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Lafayette, following an extended illness.

Born Oct. 15, 1902 at Danville, Ill., he was the son of Charles and Julia Nagle Martin. He was a lifetime resident of the Morocco area.

In 1949 at Chicago, he married Louise Sharer, who survives.

Before his retirement, he had operated and owned the Morocco Recreation Center for 20 years.

Surviving with the wife are one son, Harry M. Martin, Jr., Morocco;

one stepson, Charles Cobb, Louisville, Ky.; two brothers, Hayden Martin, Sun City, Ariz., and Howard Martin, Kentland; one sister, Georgia Huntington, Sun City, Ariz.; and one granddaughter.

One son preceded him in death.

Funeral services took place Tuesday, June 25 at 10 a.m. at the Cardwell Funeral Home, with the Rev. Norm Glassburn officiating. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Diabetes Foundation.

Died: June 22, 1985

Issue: July 4, 1985

Helen E. McCarty

Mrs. Helen E. McCarty, 77, Brook, died at 12:34 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 15 in George Ade Memorial Hospital's extended care section. She had been a patient there for five months and had been in ill health for several years.

Born Aug. 30, 1907 in Brook, she was the daughter of Harry M. and Ida Gerrich. She graduated from Brook High School in 1926.

On Jan. 28, 1928 at Brook, she married Lloyd I. McCarty, who survives. They farmed two miles north of Brook for 40 years, then retired 16 years ago to a home in Brook.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church in Brook.

Surviving with the husband are two daughters, Mrs. Earl (Lois)

Lane, Brook, and Mrs. Charles (Alice) Baker, Anderson, one sister, Mrs. Raymond (Phyllis) Warrick, Morocco; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Brook United Methodist Church with the Rev. Carl Ricks officiating. Burial was in the Riverside Cemetery.

Died: August 15, 1985

Issue: August 29, 1985

Richard David Meadows

Richard David Meadows, 8, Lake Village, died Tuesday, June 4 of injuries received in a traffic accident.

He was a student at Lake Village Elementary School.

Surviving are his parents, Cecil and Deborah Meadows, Lake Village; two sisters, Dawn and Kristin Meadows; two brothers, Cecil Jr. and Stanley Meadows; his paternal grandmother, June Meadows,

Lowell; his maternal grandparents, Stan and Earline Soderstrom, DeMotte; and maternal great-grandparents, Carl and Dorothy Reynolds, Mokena, Ill.

Funeral services took place on Friday, June 7 at 11 a.m. at the Sheets-Love Funeral Home in Lowell with Pastor William Piatt officiating. Burial was in the Lowell Memorial Cemetery.

Died: June 4, 1985

Issue: June 20, 1985

Opal Merrill

Opal Merrill, 82, Thayer, died Tuesday, June 25 at 8:20 a.m. at George Ade Memorial Hospital.

Born on Sept. 7, 1902 in Arkansas, she was the daughter of Luther and Annie Wolford. She had lived in Newton County for 79 years.

On March 3, 1921 at Kirtland, Ill., she married George Merrill, who survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Everett Merrill, Morocco, and

Harold Merrill, Thayer, seven grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

One daughter, four sisters and four brothers preceded her in death.

Graveside services took place Thursday, June 27 at 10 a.m. at the Lake Village Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the Cardwell Funeral Home.

Died: June 25, 1985

Issue: July 4, 1985

Glenn V. Morgan

Glenn V. Morgan, 75, 401 S. Main, Morocco, died Sunday, Feb. 17 at 3:30 a.m. at George Ade Memorial Hospital.

Born Dec. 8, 1909 at Pittwood, Ill., he was the son of Isaiah and Minnie Warran Morgan. He had been a lifetime resident of Newton County.

Until he retired in 1981, he had been employed as a farmer.

In 1928, he married the former Opal Fonderine Storey, and she preceded him in death in 1940. In 1943 at Donovan, he married the former Marie Grant, who survives.

He was a member of the Morocco United Methodist Church and was a member of the board of trustees.

He was a 50-year member of the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters of Morocco and a 30-year member of the Beaver Township Advisory Board.

Surviving with the wife are one son, Robert Morgan, Morocco; four daughters, Mrs. David (Lois) Hensel, Morocco; Mrs. Jerry (Joyce) Fertig, Donovan; Mrs. Lloyd (Beverly) Bell, Londonderry, N.H.; and Mrs. Rusty (Barb) Brown, Brook; one sister, Hazel Hoover, DeMotte; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by one son, two sisters and two brothers.

Friends may call at the Cardwell Funeral Home, Morocco, from 2 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 19.

Funeral services will take place Wednesday, Feb. 20 at 2 p.m. at the Morocco United Methodist Church with the Rev. Norman Glassburn officiating. Burial will follow in the Oakland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Morocco United Methodist Church or to the charity of your choice.

Died: February 17, 1985

Issue: February 21, 1985

Maude Morton

Maude Morton, 102, Crystal Lake, Ill., died Wednesday, Nov. 13 at 1:25 p.m. at Royal Terrace Nursing Home, McHenry, Ill.

Born July 22, 1883 at Morocco, she was the daughter of William and Anna Beckwith.

A former Morocco resident, she married Wilmer Morton. He preceded her in death in 1958.

Surviving are one son, Wilbur Morton, Glendale, Ariz., and five daughters, Mrs. Stanley (Elsie) Booth and Mrs. J.R. (Ethel) Zeugeler, Crystal Lake, Ill.; Mrs. Alma Hazard, Glendale, Ariz.; Mrs. James (Bethel) Powell, Green Val-

ley, Ariz.; and Mrs. Lillian Reynolds, Crystal Lake.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Ida Robbins, Fair Oaks, and Mrs. Hazel Faus, Scottsdale, Ariz.; one brother, William Beckwith, Peoria, Ariz.; 12 grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by six brothers and sisters.

Funeral services took place Monday, Nov. 18 at 11 a.m., at the Cardwell Funeral Home, Morocco, with the Rev. Marvin Parli officiating. Burial was in the Oakland Cemetery.

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