

MEMORIAL GARDENS CEMETERY - ELDRED, GREENE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Barbara Foreman of St. Louis and Babe Merriman of Eldred; one son, Bill foreman of Godfrey; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; two sisters, Mary Akins of Noble and Edith Mae Pucket of Eldred; and one brother, Thomas H. Bechdoldt Jr. of California. -- Note - Her birth may have been in 1917. She was a granddaughter of John R. & Claudia E. (Buchanan) Portwood, and Henry and Mary (Bare) Bechdoldt.

FOREMAN, DANNY Dec 26 1916 Jun 30 1988

FOX, EVERETT J. Oct 17 1918 Apr 30 1974

FULLERTON, PAUL L. 1931 1975

GERSON, OTIS 7 1916 Nov 20 1987

Otis Gerson, 71, of Eldred died Friday, Nov. 20, 1987, at Jersey Community Hospital in Jerseyville. He was born in Greene County ___ 7, 1916, a son of Henry and Catherine (Bechdoldt) Gerson. He married Betty Gillingham Oct. 14, 19__ in Carrollton, and she survives. Surviving in addition to his wife Betty, is a sister Lola Wollenweber of Eldred.

GIBERSON, HAROLD W. Jan 11 1920 Aug 6 1979

Newspaper unknown - Harold William Giberson, 59, of Route 2, Carrollton, was pronounced dead at 8:30 A. M. Monday Aug. 6, 1979, at his business place, Giberson Hardware in Eldred. He was born in Greene County, Jan. 11, 1920, a son of Samuel and Geneva Varble Giberson. He married Shirley Thornton Snyder Aug. 8, 1972. A world War II veterans, he was a farmer and also operated the hardware store for 15 years. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Ddon (Beth) Pressler of Carrollton and Branwyn Giberson of Springfield; a son Victor Giberson of Carbondale; one grandchild, Dawn Pressler of Carrollton; and two brothers, Herschel Giberson and Carroll Giberson; both of Carrollton. -- NOTE, his 1st wife was Ruth Woods.

GIBERSON, SHIRLEY Sep 8 1939 Aug 6 1979

Shirley J. Giberson, 39, of Route 2, Carrollton, was pronounced dead at 10:05 A. M. Monday, Aug. 6, 1979, at her residence. She was born Sept. 8, 1939, in Brighton, a daughter of Arthur and Wilma Cummings Thornton of Greenfield. She married Harold Giberson Aug. 8, 1972. Surviving in addition to her parents, are a son, Douglas Snyder of Carrollton, her maternal grandmother, Clara Cummings of Greenfield; three sisters, Mrs. David (Shadron) Custer, Mrs. Rita Walden, and Mrs. Donald (Monze) Chapman all of Greenfield; and a brother Greg Thornton of Pekin.

GREAVES, CHARLES DONALD "Coon Dog" Nov 7 1910

GREAVES, ETHEL M. Apr 14 1915

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HANDLIN, THOMAS E. Aug 19 1913 - 14 Feb 1990

The Gazette-Patriot - Thomas E. Handlin, 76, of Eldred died at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, 1990 at this residence. (Eldred) Born in Pana on Aug. 19, 1913, the son of Glen and Virginia (Coates) Handlin, he married Helen Black on March 27, 1937, in Carrollton. She survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Karen Baarnett of Eldred and Janet Ward of Jacksonville; two sons, Larry Handlin of Merritt Island, Fla., and Thomas C. Handlin of Eldred; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; a sister, Pauline Barrow of Arizona; three half sisters, Earlene Wadlow of California, and Betty Clopar and Alta Gibbs, both of Alton; a brother, Glen Handlin of Godfrey; & a half brother, Gary Brown of California. preceding him in death were a sister, Maxine Jeske; a half sister, Patricia Patton; a brother, Stanley Handlin; & a half brother, Jack Brown. Mr. Handlin was a former 4-H Club leader, a member of the Greene County Extension Council for several years, former president of the Illinois Valley Angus Association and a member of the Stuart Pierson Masonic Lodge in Carrollton. Vistation was Friday at Airsman-Hires Funeral Home in Carrollton where services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday with Rev. Bill Baughman officiating. Diane Wolfley was organist. Casket bearers were Gary Flatt, Kevin Brannan, Rodney Rief, Joe Brannan, David Wolfley and Ron Whitlock. Burial was in Memorial Gardens in Eldred.

HARDWICK, ARTHUR EUGENE 1980 Jun 5 1980

Alton Telegraph - Hillview - Arthur Eugene Hardwick, infant son of Tim and Janis (Ruyle) Hardwick, died at birth Thursday morning at Jersey Community Hospital, Jerseyville. In addition to his parents, surviving are his paternal step-grandfather and grandmother, Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Schutz of Hillview; maternal grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Arthur W. Ruyle of Eldred; paternal great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hardwick of Hillview; paternal step-great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Schutz of Roodhouse; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruyle of Carrollton; and step great great grandmother, Edith Schutz of White Hall.

HAWES, VETA L. Mar 30 1918 - Jan 11 1990

The Gazette-Patriot, Jan. 18, 1990 - Mrs. Veta L. Hawes, 71, of Carrollton died unexpectedly at 6:08 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 11, 1990, at Boyd Memorial Hospital in Carrollton. Born in Rochester, Kentucky, on March 30, 1918, the daughter of Wyatt B. and Lennis (Hammers) Southerland, she married Carl Hawes on Nov. 13, 1937, in Rockport, Ind. He survives. Surviving in addition to her husband are two daughters, Mrs. Don (Jean) McGuire of Carrollton and Mrs. Sheldon (Sue) Weinberg of Gillespie, and four grand children. She was preceded in death by five brothers, John, Goebel, Chester, Ray and Guy Southerland. Mrs. Hawes was a member of the Faith Baptist Church in Carrollton. Burial in Memorial Gardens at Eldred

HELDERMAN, EVERETT R. 1903

HELDERMAN, LILLIAN B. 1919 1980

HENDRICKSON, ETHEL L. Dec 25 1909

HENDRICKSON, JOHN B. Oct 9 1903 Sep 8 1986

John B. Hendrickson, 82, of Eldred died at 9:05 P. M. Monday, Sept. 8, 1986, at Boyd Memorial Hospital, Carrollton. He was a retired supervisor for the Fred Heiser Company in Chicago. Born in Hillview Oct. 19, 1903, he was the son of Samuel and Dovie (Thompson) Hendrickson. His first wife Mary preceded him in death. He married Ethel Dingerson on Feb. 19, 1943, and she died July 6, 1985. Survivors are a son, Robert Hendrickson of Kansas City, Missouri; three grandchildren; a sister Mrs. Donald (Lucille) Bryant of Eldred; and two brothers, Clarence Hendrickson of St. Louis and Howard Hendrickson of Wood River. He was preceded in death by four brothers, Ken, Charles, Ed, and Leo Hendrickson. -- Note, His parents are buried in the Richwoods Cemetery, Bluffdale township, Greene County, Illinois.

HERMENS, GLEN Dec 22 1911 - Dec 30 1989

Alton Telegraph, Jan, 1990 - Eldred - Glen T. Hermens, 78, died at 10:55 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 30, 1989, at Christian Hospital Northeast in St. Louis County. Hermens, a U.S. Army World War Veteran, was a custodian for Eldred School for 37 years. He was born in Eldred, son of the late Charles and Maude (Woolsey) Hermens. On July 22, 1933, in Jerseyville, he married the former Lila Davidson. Surviving are his wife; a son, Ted Hermens of Elsah; two grandchildren; two great grandchildren; a sister, Zelma Savage of Eldred; and a brother, Charles of Everett, Washington. A brother, Harold Hermens preceded him in death. Burial is in Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Eldred.

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HERMENS, HAROLD "Boss" Apr 30 1909 Mar 24 1980

Newspaper unknown - Greene County native Harold Hermens, 71, of Alton died Monday, March 24, 1980, at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, after a six-week illness. He was a retired construction worker, a member of Local 520 operating engineers union. He retired in 1974. Born at Eldred, April 30, 1909, he was a son of Charles L. and Maude L. Woolsey Hermens. He married Ita Ellen Russell in 1971 in St. Louis, and she survives. Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Curtis (Gail) Keidel of Godfrey; five stepchildren, Mrs. Carol Kozemczak of St. Louis, Mrs. Donna Wallenchazk, Mrs. Judy Carter, and Russell Owens, all of Joliet, and Bill Owens of Orland Park, Illinois.; nine step grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Wayne (Zelma) Savage of Eldred, and two brothers, Glen Hermens of Eldred, and Charles Hermens of Everett, Washington.

HOLTERFIELD, ILENE G. Apr 2 1931

HOLTERFIELD, JOSEPH W. Nov 25 1916 Sep 1 1975

HOLTZWARTH, BEULAH Aug 3 1916 Mar 26 1979

HOLTZWARTH, FROMAN Mar 9 1910 Jun 10 1981

Former long-time Eldred resident Froman Holtzwarth, 71, of Jerseyville died at 2 P. M. Wednesday, June 10, 1981, at Boyd Memorial Hospital in Carrollton. He was past president and board member of Greene County Farm Bureau and Service Company. Born in Greene County March 9, 1910, the retired farmer was a son of John and Daisy (Cope) Holtzwarth. He married Beulah Vinyard Dec. 23, 1933, and she died March 26, 1979. He married Wilba Everts of Jerseyville June 28, 1980, and she survives. Also surviving are two sons, Gary Holtzwarth of Carrollton and Edward Holtzwarth of Evansville, Indiana; two daughters, Mrs. Richard (Barbara) Vahle of Quincy, and Mrs. Jon (Margie) Maier of Bloomington; one stepdaughter, Linda Warren of Troy; 14 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; and two sisters, Mrs. Harlan (Bernice) Helton of Eldred, and Mrs. Thomas (Frances) Logan of Kodiak, Alaska. He was preceded in death by one daughter.

HOWLAND, ELZA E. Oct 9 1911

HOWLAND, LILLIAN L. Aug 8 1913 Jul 27 1979

HURT, CHARLES A. Aug 8 1903 Nov 23 1974

ISRINGHAUSEN, MELBA 1925

ISRINGHAUSEN, WILLIAM 1915

IVERS, EARL C 22 July 1927 - 6 Jan. 1990

The Gazette Patriot, Jan. 11, 1990 - Earl C. Ives, 62, of Eldred died at 11:40 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 6, 1990 at Jersey Care Center in Jerseyville. Born in Kampsville April 22, 1927, the son of William and Cressie (Drake) Ivers, he married June Brannon on Nov. 29, 1957, in Newton. She survives. Also surviving are a daughter, Lisa Ives at home; two sons, Mark and Matt Ivers of Eldred; on sister, Audrey Rabe of Glasford; and two brothers, James and Kilby Ivers of Eldred. One brother, Ward Ivers, preceded him ind death. Mr. Ivers was a member of the Eldred American Legion Post and was a World War II Navy veteran. He was also a member of the Stuart Pearson Masonic Lodge of Carrollton, a Woodville Township supervisor, a Republican precinct committeeman and a deck hand on the Bursseis Ferry for the Illinois Department of Transportation.

IVERS, STANLEY D. Aug 2 1952 Mar 27 1985

North Greene News, April 4, 1985 - Stanley D. Ivers, 32, of Eldred died 1:32 P. M. Wednesday, March 27, 1985, at St. John's hospital in Springfield following a motorcycle accident early Wednesday morning. He was born Aug. 2, 1952, in Carrollton, a son of Kilby and Anna Mae Vinyard Ivers. His parents survive in Eldred. Also surviving are a sister, Beverly Ivers of Denver, Colorado; two brothers, Brad Ivers of Boulder Colorado, and Kevin Ivers of Clancy, Montana; and a grandfather, Alvin Vinyard of Eldred.

KELLEY, SELMA R. Aug 26 1913 May 31 1978

KELLEY, DERON W. Mar 20 1966 Mar 22 1966

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KING, ADDIE MAE Jun 10 1902 Apr 1 1974

Newspaper unknown - Mrs. Addie Mae Darr King of Carrollton, 71, died at 12:06 A. M. Monday, Apr. 1, 1974, at Boyd Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient for 11 days. Born in Bluffdale township, Greene County, June 10, 1902, she was a daughter of Robert C. and Adeline Flatt Darr. She married George Ben King, Sr., Sept. 5, 1922, and he survives. Prior to moving to Carrollton, the family lived in the rural area. Mrs. King was a member of the Carrollton First Baptist Church, Linder Get Together Club and Our Own Past Time Club. Survivors in addition to her husband are three daughters, Mrs. Joe (Adeline) Meredith of Lakewood, Ohio, Mrs. James (Barbara) Tuey of Carrollton, and Mrs. Beverly Reeder of Redwood City, California; two sons, George Ben King, Jr., of Godfrey and Max L. King of Carrollton; 13 grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Joe (Ethel) Schild of Hillview, Mrs. Lloyd (Martha) Levi and Mrs. Joe (Myrtle) Yungth, both of Alton, Mrs. James (Ruth) Short and Mrs. Harold (Mary) Hillig, both of Carrollton; and two brothers, Howard Darr of Eldred and William C. Darr of Alton. -- Her grandparents were; George William and Louvisa (Snyder) Darr and John & Martha (Chapman) Flatt.

KING, CHARLES E. Aug 14 1952 Jan 1 1980

Newspaper unknown - Charles E. King, 27, Eldred died at 1:50 A. M. Tuesday Jan. 1, 1980, at the scene of a one car accident, 1 1/2 miles west of Eldred on State route 108. He was a farm labor. Born in Carrollton, Aug. 14, 1952, he was a son of Ebert G. and G. Lucille Bushnell King of Eldred. He married the former Charlotte Shockey on May 26, 1975, and she survived with a daughter Chari Lynn King. Other survivors in addition to his parents, wife and daughter, are two brothers Glen King of Eldred and Jerry King of Jerseyville; three sisters, Mrs. Donald (Doris) Muntz of Carrollton, Darlene Harding and Donna Morris of Jerseyville, and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ida Bushnell of Reisch Nursing Home in Carrollton.

KING, EBERT G. Sep 18 1903 Apr 11 1987

Ebert G. King, 83, of Eldred died at 9 A. M. Saturday, April 11, 1987, at North American Health Care Center in White Hall. He was born in Greene County Sept. 18, 1903, the son of Frank and Julia (Varble) King. He married G. Lucille Bushnell Sept. 12, 1934, and she survives in Eldred. Surviving in addition to his wife are three daughters, Darlene Harding and Donna Morris of Jerseyville, and Doris Muntz of Berdan, two sons, Glen King of Eldred and Jerry King of Jerseyville, 17 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; and a sister, Norma Hoskins of Panama City, Florida. He was preceded in death by a son Charles, two brothers, Elmer King and Thomas King and two sisters, Gilda Graham and Dorothy Newton.

KING, GLADYS LUCILLE Jul 14 1915

KING, MAX LEROY Dec 25 1924 Apr 3 1982

The Carrollton-Patriot, date unknown - Max L. King, 57, of Carrollton died Saturday Morning Apr. 3, 1982, at Boyd Memorial Hospital, Carrollton. He had resided in Reisch Nursing Home in Carrollton for several years. He was born in Greene County Dec. 25, 1924, a son of George Ben King, Sr., of Carrollton and the late Addie (Darr) King. Surviving in addition to his father are two sons, Radeane King of Carrollton and David King of Pittsfield; four grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Adeline Meredith of Lakewood, Ohio, Mrs. James (Barbara) Tuey of Carrollton, and Mrs. Beverly Reeder of Cupertino, California and a brother George Ben King, Jr., of Godfrey. -- Note, his grandparents were; Robert Chester and Adeline Susan (Flatt) Darr, and David and Antoinetta (Logan) King.

LEHR, EUGENE W. Jul 2 1926 Feb 5 1986

Eugene W. Lehr, 59, of Eldred died at 2:30 A. M. Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1986, at Greenwood Manor Nursing Home in Jerseyville. He was born in Greene County July 2, 1926, a son of Mrs. Rosa (Nord) Lehr of Kampsville and the late William Lehr. He was formerly married to Mary Lou Davidson, and she survives. Also surviving are three sons, David Lehr of Eldred, and Greg Lehr and Chris Lehr of Carrollton; one daughter, Mrs. C. H. (Veronica) Tozer of Springfield; seven grandchildren; three sisters, Vernice Bowman of Godfrey, Edith Tonser of Jerseyville, and Junie Richards of Peoria; and one brother, Elmer Lehr of Kampsville.

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MAURY, ALVIN G. Nov 1 1907 Jul 11 1978

Newspaper unknown - Alvin G. Maury, 69, died suddenly Tuesday, July 11, 1978, in Huntsville, Alabama. He was a son-in-law of Mrs. Lucretia Bushnell of Eldred. Born Nov. 1, 1907, in Armstrong, Illinois, he was a retired banker and had resided for several years in Rantoul, Illinois. He was a member of the Scottish Rite Masonic Lodge in Danville and Order of Eastern Star in Gulf Port, Florida. Survivors are his wife, the former Evalyn Bushnell of 6315 Creighton Ave. NW, Huntsville Alabama; a son Gary Maury of Rantoul; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Susan Cebula of Huntsville, Alabama and a stepson, Dale Brant of Roodhouse.

MAURY, EVALYN G. Sep 3 1913

McCAHERTY, JAMIE LEE (infant) Feb 2 1988

Jamie Lee McCaherty, infant son of Mike and Kathy (Bettis) McCaherty of Murrayville, died Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, 1988 at Passavant Hospital in Jacksonville. Surviving in addition to the infant's parents are a brother Patrick McCaherty; a sister, Mikka Jo McCaherty; paternal grandparents, Bob and Shirley McCaherty of Hillview; Maternal grandmother, Wreatha Bettis of White Hall; and paternal great-grandmother, Bertha McCaherty of Hillview.

MITCHELL, Eulis "bert" 1903 - 1989 -- Alton Telegraph -- Eldred - Eulis "Bert" Mitchell, 86, died at 2:40 a. m. today, Nov. 10, 1989, at Boyd Memorial Hospital, Carrollton. Born in Wayne City, he was the son of the late Robet and Samantha Jane (Keene) Mitchell. Surviving are his wife, the former Viola Clendenen; & nieces and nephews. A sister & two brothers preceded him in death. Graveside services are at 2 p.m. Saturday at Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Eldred.

MITCHELL, VIOLA 1912

MOSS, DONALD F. Apr 25 1925 Mar 17 1979

NEWMAN, EARL EDWARD Mar 30 1927 Jul 21 1976

NEWTON, BRENDA L. Feb 18 1963 Nov 27 1986

Greene Prairie Press, Dec. 4, 1986 - Mrs. Brenda L. Newton, 23, of Eldred died at 9:10 P. M. Thursday, Nov. 27, 1986 at Boyd Memorial Hospital in Carrollton. She was born in Carrollton, Feb. 18, 1963, a daughter of Cletus and Audrey Satterfield Hedger. Her parents survive in Carrollton. She married Jay Newton July 30, 1983, and he survives with a son, Andrew J., at home. Also surviving are four sisters, Bev. Hull of Dow, Arlene Dawdy of Carrollton, Sue Robeson of Beardstown and Gayla Burgert of Belleville; one brother, Cletus T. Hedger of Hanau, West Germany; and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Della Spence of Norris City. Mrs. Newton was employed in the dietary department at Boyd Memorial Hospital.

NORRIS, HELEN L. 1907

ODEN, ALBERTA G. Apr 1 1925 Dec 12 1973

ODEN, PAUL R. Oct 1 1922

ONTIS, AUDREY B. 1924

ONTIS, E. EARL Feb 26 1918 Apr 12 1977

PICKEREL, ELZY J. Mar 18 1949 Feb 7 1974

PORTWOOD, LOUIS E. Aug 14 1896 Oct 28 1988

Louis E. Portwood, 92, of Eldred died at 9 P. M. Friday, Oct. 28, 1988, at Boyd Memorial Hospital in Carrollton. He was born in Eldred Aug. 14, 1896, the son of John and Claudia (Buchanan) Portwood. He married Virginia Dirksmeyer and she survives. Also surviving are three sons, Howard Portwood of Eldred, Omar Portwood of St. Louis, and Donald Portwood of California; eight grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and one sister, Julia Huyear of Carrollton. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Edith Bechdoldt and Bertha Clendenen and two brothers, Calvin Portwood and Robert Portwood.

PORTWOOD, ROBERT 1892