Staffordshire Sentinel
Monday 06 January 1986

DWYNE.—Suddenly on January 2nd. 1986, at the C.G.H., after an illness bravely borne, Sydney. aged 72 years. the dearly loved husband of Lavine Dwyne, of 55, Cayton-crescent, Milton, devoted dad of Glennis and son-In-law John, treasured grandpa of Ruth, Matthew and Lydia. and a much respected brother-in-law and uncle. No flowers please, donations preferred for St. Andrew's Church, Sneyd Green. c/o Rev. Barry Cooney, The Vicarage, 42, Granville-ave., Sneyd Green. Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers. Birches Head-rd.. Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, In Memoriam

Coming of Age

MADDOCK. — Congratulations Philip on your 21st Birthday. Love — Mum, Dad and Stephen.

MARSHALL (Michael) — Congratulations on your 21st. Love — Mum, Dad, Julie, Glyn and family.

Engagements

ADAMS—McGEOUGH

Mrs L. Adams wishes to announce the engagement of her son David, to Sharon.

Congratulations and love from Mum and Sharon's Mum and Dad.

BEACH — BRAKEWELL. — The Engagement is announced between Richard Beach of Alsager, elder son of Mr and Mrs. T. J. Beach of Crosby, Merseyside, and Ruth Brakewell, elder daughter of the later Mr. E. R. Moore and of Mrs. J. B. Moore, of Nantwich.

Deaths

BAGNALL. — On Wednesday, January 1st, 1986, at 35, Tellwright-st., Burslem, Elizabeth, the dearly loved sister of John and Alfred Bagnall. Service at Hamil Road Methodist Church, on Wednesday, January 8th at 2 p.m. prior to interment at Burslem Cemetery. No flowers by request please. Donations, if preferred, to The Guide Dogs For The Blind Association, 113, Uxbridge-rd., Ealing, W5 5TA. Relatives kindly accept this intimation, will friends please assemble at the Church. — Inquiries: A. & E. Leese & Son, Funeral Home, Scotia-rd., Burslem. Tel. 87750.

BAILEY.—Peacefully on January 5th, at Broadway House Residential Home, John James (Jack), aged 82 years, the beloved husband of the late Elizabeth Bailey, dearest father of William and Mick, dear father-in-law of Margaret and Phyllis, and a devoted grandpa and great-grandpa (formerly of Kingsford-place, Meir). Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries to: W. R. Bettelley Funeral Directors, 315 Uttoxeter-rd., Longton. Phone 313542 and 392644.

BAILEY.—At rest on December 28th, 1985, at 44, Lundy-rd., Longton, James, aged 74 years, the dearly loved husband of Florence Bailey. Service and cremation at Carmountside Crematorium on Thursday at 10 a.m. Will relatives and friends kindly meet at the crematorium.—Floral tributes and inquiries to: Harry Dawson Funeral Director, Upper Normacot-rd., Normacot. Tel. 313428.

BAKER (nee Scott). — Suddenly on December 31st, 1985, Aileen Mary, aged 65 years, of 9, Tudor-close, Penkhull, the dearly loved wife of John Charles Baker and devoted mother of Anne. Service on Thursday, January 9th, at Penkhull Parish Church, at 1.45 p.m., followed by cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Relatives and friends kindly meet at the church. Family flowers only please, donations if desired to North Staffs. Heart Foundation, c/o Mrs. L. Barker, 2, Sidmouth-avenue, Newcastle. — Inquiries Harold H. Leese (A. Boulton & Sons), Funeral Directors Foden-st., Stoke and 21, Whalley-avenue, Penkhull. Tel. 48750.

BARKER. — On January 5th, at 20, Leacroft-rd., Meir, Thomas, aged 52 years, the dearly loved son of William Henry and the late Doris Barker, a very dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries to The H. Dale Funeral Services Ltd., Sandford Hill, Longton, and Branches. Tel. 313866.

BEARDMORE.—At rest on January 1st, 1986, at her home, 8, Lockett-st., Birches Head, in the loving care of her family, after an illness borne with patience and courage, Glenys, aged 33 years, the dearly loved and loving wife of Russell Beardmore, devoted daughter of Hilda and Reg Davenport and much loved sister of Sheila, Melvin, Susan and Christina, dearest daughter-in-law of Eric and Betty Beardmore, a very dear sister-in-law and a treasured aunty of Carl, Carla, Wayne, Danielle, Gemma and Natilie and a very dear and loving niece. Funeral service at Tunstall Methodist Church, Queens-ave., on Thursday, January 9th, at 1.15 p.m., followed by interment at Burslem Cemetery. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends kindly meet at the church.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

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Deaths

BARKER. — At rest on January 2nd, 1986, at Bucknall Hospital, Gertrude, aged 81 years, of 58, Moreton-st., Middleport, the dearly loved wife of the late Bertram Barker, the devoted mother of Brenda and Jean, mother-in-law of George and Parry, the treasured gran of Andrew, Susan and Sharron. Funeral service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium on Wednesday, January 8th at 10 a.m. Will relatives and friends please meet at the crematorium and disperse there afterwards and no flowers by her own request. — Co-operative Funeral Service, Nile-st. Burslem, Meir, Kidsgrove and Leek. Tel. 88724.

BEECH. — On December 29th, at the C.G.H., Helen Maxwell Beech, in her 81st year, the dearly loved daughter of the late James and Maxwell Beech, a very dear sister of Chris and the late Jessie, of 71, Biddulph-rd., Chell Green. Funeral Thursday, January 9th, from her brother's residence, 29, Barber-rd., Chell. Service in Fegg Hayes Methodist Church, at 11.45 a.m., followed by cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Will relatives accept this intimation and friends please meet at the church. — Inquiries John Johnson and Sons, Funeral Directors, Tunstall. Tel. 87832.

BOOTH.—Suddenly on December 27th, Jessie, aged 66 years, the dearly loved wife of Edgar and family of 50, Conway-rd., Knypersley. Cortege leaves above address on Thursday, January 9th, at 1.50 p.m. for service at St. John's Church, Knypersley, at 2 p.m., followed by interment at Biddulph Moor Parish Church. Will relatives please accept this intimation, and friends kindly meet at the church. No flowers by request, donations if desired to St. John's Church, c/o the Rev. S. Orme. — Inquiries Booths Funeral Service, Biddulph Moor and Congleton. Tel. 512281 and Congleton 274097.

BRADBURY. — At rest on December 31st, Jessie, aged 77 years, a very dear aunty of 3, Newlyn-avenue, Mossley, Congleton. Funeral from 47, Rood Hill, on Tuesday. Service at The Holy Trinity Church, Mossley, at 2 p.m., followed by cremation at Macclesfield Crematorium. Will relatives please accept this intimation and friends kindly meet at the church. Flowers or if desired donations to Cancer Research. — Inquiries Booths Funeral Service, Antrobus-st., Congleton. Tel. 274097.

BRENNAN (Musician). — On December 26th, in hospital, after a long illness, George, of 51, Longton-rd., Trentham, beloved husband of Cathleen, dear father of David, and daughter-in-law Maggie, and loving grandpa of Lindsay and Nicola. Cortege to leave the above address on Wednesday at 1.30 p.m. for service and cremation at Newcastle Crematorium, Bradwell, at 2 p.m. Relatives please accept this, the only intimation, will friends wishing to attend kindly meet for the service. Family flowers only please. Donations, if desired, to Westcliffe Hospital, Patients Comforts Fund. — Inquiries John Garside & Son, High-st., Biddulph. Tel. S.O.T. 513210.

BURSTON.—On January 2nd, at St. Edwards Hospital, Vera, aged 62 years, the beloved daughter of the late Frederick James and Ethel Annie Burston, formerly of Dilhorne and Blythe Bridge. Service and cremation at Carmountside Crematorium, on Friday, January 10th at 10.30 a.m. Will relatives please meet at 42 Meadow-rd., Barlaston, and friends kindly meet at the above crematorium. No flowers by request. Donations to the League of Friends, St. Edwards Hospital preferred.—Inquiries J. P. Keates & Son, Funeral Furnishers, Tel. Cheadle 752164 or 754362.

BUSHE. — Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Denis, aged 48 years, the dearly loved husband of Teresa Bushe, devoted father of Neil and Philip and a dear son-in-law, of 110, Blurton-rd., Heron Cross, who died suddenly on December 28th, on whose soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Reception into Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, Fenton, on Wednesday evening, January 8th at 7 p.m. Requiem Mass on Thursday, January 9th, at 10 a.m. followed by interment at Fenton Cemetery. Will relatives accept this, the only intimation, and friends please meet at the Church. — Inquiries: C. McGough & Sons, Tunstall. Tel. 84300 and 84548.

CARTLIDGE. — Suddenly, on December 28th, at his home, 2, Ivyhouse-rd., Hanley, Ronald, aged 55 years, the dearly loved father of David and Clifford, much loved grandad of Ashley, loved and respected by Tracey. Funeral service and cremation at Carmountside Crematorium on Wednesday, January 8th, at 2 p.m. No flowers please by request. Donations preferred for Heart Research. Will all relatives and friends please accept this, the only intimation, and kindly meet and disperse at Carmountside. — All inquiries: Joseph Lymer & Son, Trent Bridge, Bucknall. Tel. 22270 and 29338.

CARTLIDGE. — On December 25th, at the C.G.H., Douglas William, aged 64 years, the dearly loved husband of Annie Cartlidge, the very dear father of Quinton, Elaine and Sharon, a dear father-in-law, a devoted grandad and a very dear brother, of 29, Meadow-rd., Barlaston. Funeral on Wednesday, January 8th. Service at Barlaston Parish Church at 12.30 p.m. prior to interment at Barlaston Cemetery. Will relatives kindly accept this, the only intimation, friends wishing to attend kindly meet at the Church. — Inquiries: H. Dale Funeral Services Ltd., Sandford Hill, Longton and Branches. Tel. 313866.

CHELL. — Suddenly, on December 28th, 1985, at 20, Dunrobin-st., Dresden, Constance Emily, aged 70 years, the beloved wife of the late John Lewis Chell and dear mother of John. Service in Dresden Parish Church on Friday at 1 p.m. prior to cremation at Carmountside. Will relatives and friends wishing to attend please meet at the Church. — Inquiries Jack Dawson Funeral Services, Uttoxeter-rd., Longton. Tel. 315437.

CLARKE. — Suddenly on December 31st, 1985, at the C.G.H., George, B.E.M., J.P., aged 54 years, the very dearly loved husband of Shirley Clarke, of 19 Trafalgar-road, Hartshill, S.O.T., the dearly loved son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clarke and son-in-law of Mrs. A. Massey and a much loved brother and uncle. Service at Hartshill Parish Church, Hartshill on Thursday, January 9th at 11.15 a.m., followed by private cremation at Bradwell Crematorium, to be attended by family and close friends only please. Relatives kindly accept this intimation. Will friends please assemble and disperse at the Church. Flowers will be accepted or if preferred, donations may be sent to the North Staffs. Heart Committee, c/o Mr. P. Carder, Cleveland House, Whitmore Heath, Newcastle. — All inquiries and flowers to be sent to Marsh & Son, Funeral Directors, Friarswood-road, Newcastle Tel. 616518.

CLOWES. — On December 30th, Gwynneth, aged 74 years, the dearly loved wife of the late Thomas Clowes, of 26, King William-st., Tunstall. Funeral Thursday, January 9th, from 20, Ryebrook-grove, Turnhurst, Chell. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium, at 3 p.m. Will relatives accept this intimation and friends please meet at the church. — Inquiries: John Johnson and Sons, Funeral Directors, Tunstall. Tel. 87832.

CONLON.—Of your charity please pray for the repose of the soul of Thomas John, aged 83 years, the dearly loved husband of Maggie Conlon, devoted father of June, Margaret, Pauline and David and a much loved grandad and great-grandad and a very much respected father-in-law of 28, Barnwell-grove, Hanford, who died peacefully on December 28th at the N.S.R.I. Fortified with the Rites of Holy Church. R.I.P. On whose soul sweet Jesus have Mercy. Reception and service at St. Teresa's Church, Trent Vale, on Wednesday, January 8th at 12 noon, followed by interment at Hartshill Cemetery. Will relatives accept this the only intimation and friends please meet at the church.—Inquiries C. McGough and Sons, Tunstall. Phone 84300 and 84548.

CONNOR. — At rest on January 3rd, 1986, at the C.G.H., after a long illness patiently borne, James, aged 77 years, the dearly beloved husband of Doris Connor, of 59, Hatrell-st., Newcastle. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium on Friday, January 10th at 1.30 p.m. Relatives kindly accept this intimation. Will friends please assemble at the Crematorium. — Inquiries: Marsh & Son, Funeral Directors, Friarswood-road, Newcastle. Tel. 616518.

CRAVEN.—Of your charity pray for the repose of the soul of Mona Avis, aged 65 years, who departed this life on January 4th, 1986, at her home, 86, Werrington-rd., Bucknall, in the loving care of her family, fortified with the Rites of Holy Catholic Church, on whose soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. the dearly loved wife of Eric Craven, devoted mum of Maria, Christine, Margaret and sons-in-law Michael, Alan and Stephen, loving nana of Nichola, Michelle and Alex, a much loved sister of Gordon and John and a very dear sister-in-law and aunty. Family flowers only please, donations preferred for The Douglas Macmillan Home, Blurton, c/o The Matron. Funeral arrangements later. Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

COPE. — On December 29th, at the C.G.H., Leah, aged 84 years, the dearly loved wife of Harold Cope, of 59, Greenfield-rd., Tunstall. Funeral Thursday, January 9th. Service in Christ Church, Tunstall, at 1.30 p.m., followed by cremation at Bradwell Crematorium. Will relatives accept this intimation, friends please meet at the church. No flowers by request. — Inquiries to John Johnson and Sons, Funeral Directors, Tunstall. Tel. 87832.

CUMBERBATCH.—Of your charity pray for the repose of the soul of Norman Patrick, aged 47 years, the dearly loved husband of Patricia Veronica Cumberbatch, and a dear son of Margaret and the late Norman Cumberbatch, of 6, Keeling-rd., Cheadle, who died suddenly on January 1st, 1986, may he rest in peace. Requiem mass at St. Giles R.C. Church, Cheadle, on Wednesday, January 8th at 11 a.m., prior to interment at Cheadle Cemetery. Will relatives and friends please accept this intimation, and kindly meet at the above church. Family flowers only, donations to St. Giles R.C. Church, Cheadle preferred.—Inquiries J. P. Keates & Son, Funeral Furnishers. Telephone Cheadle 752164 or 754362.

CUMBERLIDGE.—On January 4th at the N.S.R.I., Emily, aged 85 years, the dearly loved wife of Douglas Cumberlidge, of 2, Norman-ave., Tunstall, the devoted mother of John and Anne, Christine and Gerry and very dear nana of Rod and Rich. Funeral arrangements later. Family flowers only please.—Inquiries John Johnson and Sons, Funeral Directors, Tunstall. Tel. 87832.

DIMMELOW. — On Monday, December 30th, 1985, at 12, Globe-st., Dalehall, Burslem, Charlotte Emma, aged 71 years, the dearly loved wife of Wilfred Dimmelow, dearest mother of Brenda, Maureen and Linda, dear mother-in-law of Steve, Gordon and Jon, a devoted grandma and great-grandma and much loved sister of Grace and Nora. Service at Middleport Methodist Church on Thursday, January 9th, at 11.15 a.m. prior to interment at Burslem Cemetery. Relatives kindly accept this intimation, will friends please assemble at the Church. — Inquiries A. & E. Leese & Son, Funeral Home, Scotia-rd., Burslem. Tel. 87750.

DWYNE.—Suddenly on January 2nd, 1986, at the C.G.H., after an illness bravely borne, Sydney, aged 72 years, the dearly loved husband of Lavina Dwyne, of 55, Cayton-crescent, Milton, devoted dad of Glennis and son-in-law John, treasured grandpa of Ruth, Matthew and Lydia, and a much respected brother-in-law and uncle. No flowers please, donations preferred for St. Andrew's Church, Sneyd Green, c/o Rev. Barry Cooney, The Vicarage, 42, Granville-ave., Sneyd Green. Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

EDWARDS.—At rest on December 29th at the C.G.H., Leonard, aged 61 years, the dearly loved husband of the late Vera Edwards of 5, Benson-st., Pittshill, Tunstall, the devoted father of David and Susan, father-in-law of Lynn and Peter and dearest grandad of Donna and Alan. Cortege to leave the above address on Wednesday at 3.15 p.m., for service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium, at 3.30 p.m. Relatives please accept this the only intimation, will friends wishing to attend kindly meet for the service.—Inquiries John Garside and Son, High-st., Biddulph. Tel. S.O.T. 513210.

ELLIOTT. — On December 26th, 1985, at his home, 48, Great Hale-st., Market Drayton, Philip David, aged 48 years, much loved son of Philip and Margaret Elliott. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium on Friday, January 10th, at 2 p.m. No flowers by request. Donations preferred to North Staffs. Heart Committee, c/o Mr. P. Carder, Cleveland House, Whitmore Heath, Newcastle, Staffs. Will friends wishing to attend please meet at the Crematorium. — Inquiries to: H. Goodwin and Son, Newcastle, Ltd. Phone 616586.

EVANS. — Suddenly on January 4th, 1986, Augustus Owen, aged 88 years, of 28, Darnley-st., Shelton, the dearly beloved husband of the late Emily Mary Evans, devoted father of David and Philip and daughters-in-law Christine and Anne and loving grandad of Tina, Craig and Gareth. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries to Harold H. Leese (A. Boulton & Sons), Funeral Directors, Foden-st., Stoke, and 21, Whalley-avenue, Penkhull. Tel. 48750.

ALTERATION OF TIME

FRASER.—Peacefully, on December 31st 1985, at the N.S.R.I., after a long illness borne with great patience, Reginald William, aged 61 years, the very dearly loved husband of Annie Fraser, of 32, Arthur Cotton-court, Hamil-rd., Burslem, a loving dad and devoted grandad. Funeral service at Swan Bank Methodist Church, Burslem, on Wednesday, January 8th, at 11.45 a.m., prior to interment at Tunstall Cemetery. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends wishing to attend are kindly invited to meet at the church. Family flowers only please. Donations preferred, to North Staffordshire Cancer Research, c/o the Co-ordinator, 20, Heath-grove, Meir Heath. — Co-operative Funeral Service, Nile-st., Burslem, Meir, Kidsgrove and Leek. Tel. 88724.

GERRITY.—Suddenly on December 29th, 1985, at the N.S.R.I., after a short illness, Anne, aged 68 years, the dearly loved wife of George William Gerrity, of 26, Clarke-st., Shelton, the devoted mum of Peter, Kevin, John and daughters-in-law Barbara, Vera and Shirley, loving nana of Zoe, Dale, Mark, Clare and Sarah, a much loved sister, a very dear sister-in-law and aunty. Funeral service at St. Mark's Church, Shelton, on Thursday, January 9th, at 11.45 a.m., followed by interment at Hanley Cemetery. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends kindly meet at the church.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

GOLDSTRAW.—At rest on January 4th at 6, Rupert-st., Biddulph, John (Jack), aged 75 years, the dearly loved husband of Ivy Goldstraw and a much loved dad, grandad and great-grandad. Cortege to leave the above address on Thursday at 1.45 p.m., for service and interment at Biddulph Parish Church at 2 p.m. Relatives please accept this the only intimation, will friends wishing to attend kindly meet for the service.—Inquiries John Garside and Son, High-st., Biddulph. Tel. S.O.T. 513210.

GOODWIN. — At rest on January 3rd, 1986, at St. Edward's Hospital, Arthur, age 86 years, formerly of Leason-rd., Meir, the beloved husband of the late Gladys Goodwin and the late Marion Goodwin, dear father of Evelyn and Joseph and loving stepfather of Hazel, Sylvia and Bill and a devoted grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather. Funeral from his daughter's residence, 41, Wrenbury-crescent, Berry Hill, Bucknall. Service in Meir Central Mission on Monday at 1.45 p.m. prior to cremation at Carmountside. Relatives please accept this, the only intimation, will friends wishing to attend please meet at the Mission. — Inquiries: Jack Dawson Funeral Services, Uttoxeter-rd., Longton. Tel. 315437.

HALL.—Suddenly on December 28th, Ivy, aged 72 years, dearly loved wife of the late Reginald Hall, of 16 Witney-walk, Blurton, a very dear sister. Service at the Salvation Army Citadel, Longton, on Tuesday at 11 a.m., prior to interment at Longton Cemetery. Family flowers only please, donations preferred to the Salvation Army, c/o Captain Aggart. Friends wishing to attend kindly meet at the church.—Inquiries to Forrester Brothers Funeral Services, Trentham-rd., Longton. Tel. 313874/393185.

HANCOCK. — At rest, on January 5th, at his home, Meaford-rd., Barlaston, Harold James B.E.M., aged 74 years, dearly loved husband of the late Hilda Hancock, beloved dad of Colin and Peter, dear father-in-law of Marilyn and Barbara and very much loved grandad of Andrew, Stephen, Vivian, Kathleen and Lydia. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries to: Forrester Brothers, Funeral Services, Trentham-rd., Longton. Tel. 313874/393185.

HARPER. (William Done) — Suddenly on Monday, December 30th, 1985, at his home, 40, Close-lane, Alsager, Bill, aged 79 years, very dearly loved husband of Lucy, loving father of Rhonda, Bill and daughter-in-law Ann, dear grandpa of Clare, Richard, Edward and Mark. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium, on Friday, January 10th, at 11 a.m. Sprays of flowers only please. Will friends wishing to attend please meet for the service at the crematorium. — Inquiries to H. Goodwin and Son, Newcastle Ltd. Phone 616586.

HARVEY. — On January 3rd, at C.G.H., May, aged 75 years, the dearly loved wife of the late Frank Harvey, a very dear mother, a dear mother-in-law and a devoted nana and great-nana, of 6, Bardsey-walk, Longton. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries to: The H. Dale Funeral Services Ltd., Sandford Hill, Longton, and Branches. Tel. 313866.

HAWTHORNE.—At rest on January 1st, 1986, at the C.G.H., Harold, aged 73 years, the dearly loved husband of the late Annie Victoria Hawthorne, of 74, Birches Head-rd., Birches Head, dearest father of Gillian, Anthony and Julian, a very dear father-in-law and a treasured grandpa. Funeral cortege from the above address for service at Christ Church, Cobridge, on Thursday, January 9th, at 10 a.m., followed by cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Will relatives and friends kindly meet at the church, floral tributes or if preferred donations for Cancer Research, c/o The Treasurer, Mr. D. J. Dudey, 24, Meliden-way, Penkhull.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

HEATH.—At rest on January 5th at his home, 18, Westwood Park-drive, Leek, Walter, aged 76 years, the dearly loved husband of Mary Heath, dear father of Suzanne, Michael and Adrienne. Funeral, Thursday, January 9th. Service at St. Edward's Church, Leek at 10.30 a.m., prior to cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Will friends wishing to attend kindly meet at the church. No flowers please by request. Donations if desired to The Heart Research Fund, or St. Edward's Church, Leek.—Inquiries to: S. Sigley and Sons, Funeral Directors. Tel. Leek 382048.

HEATH.—Suddenly on December 27th, Edith Fanny, aged 81 years, the beloved wife of the late Joseph Heath, dearest mother of Hilda and Hazel, and son-in-law Peter and devoted grandmother of Clifford, Stuart, Phillip and Judith, and loving sister of Fred, of Greenacres, Hilderstone-rd., Spot Acre. Funeral on Thursday, January 9th. Service at Fulford Parish Church at 1.15 p.m., prior to cremation at Bradwell Crematorium. Relatives and friends please meet at the church. No flowers by request. Donations preferred to the North Staffs. Hospital Cancer Fund, c/o Mrs. Smith, 28, Heath-grove, Meir Heath.—Inquiries to: W. R. Bettelley, Funeral Director, 315, Uttoxeter-rd., Longton. Phone 313542 and 392644.

HILL.—On January 4th at 6, Corbett-walk, Tunstall, George Thomas, aged 59 years, the dearly loved husband of Vera Hill and a devoted father and grandfather. Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries: John Johnson and Sons, Funeral Directors, Tunstall. Tel. 87832.

HIRST.—At rest on January 3rd, 1986, at his home, 76, Uplands-croft, Werrington, Alfred, aged 76 years, the dearly loved husband of Elsie Hirst, dearest dad of Kenneth, Desmond and daughters-in-law Joclyn and Kristin, loving grandpa of Jayne, Terence, Bente, Keith, Robert and Denise, and treasured great-grandpa of Adam, a much loved brother and a very dear brother-in-law and uncle. Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

HUDSON.—Suddenly on January 1st, 1986, at C.G.H., Alfred (Alan) John, aged 72 years, of 16, Lowndes-close, Penkhull, beloved husband of Mary, loving father of Jane, Janet and Alan. R.I.P. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium on Wednesday, January 8th at 2.30 p.m. Cut flowers only please. Funeral private.—Inquiries to H. Goodwin & Son, Newcastle Ltd. Phone 616586.

JOHNSON. — Peacefully on January 3rd, 1986, in hospital, Fanny, aged 82 years, of 41, Boughey-road, Shelton, the dearly loved wife of the late Harry Johnson, the devoted mother of Clive, a treasured mother-in-law and grandmother. No flowers by request, donations preferred to the Douglas Macmillan Home, Barlaston-road, Blurton, c/o The Matron. Funeral arrangements later. — Co-operative Funeral Service, Nile-st., Burslem, Meir, Kidsgrove and Leek. Tel. 88724.

JOHNSON. — At rest on January 3rd, Victor Frederick, aged 70 years, the dearly loved husband of Annice Johnson, of Sunnyside, Wain Lea, Harriseshead, devoted dad of Clifford and Kenneth, father-in-law of Doreen and Susan and a much loved grandad and great-grandad. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries: John Garside & Son, High-st., Biddulph. Tel. S.O.T. 513210.

JOHNSTON. —(Formerly Cawley nee Gibbins). Suddenly on January 5th, 1986, at C.G.H., after a short illness, Esther, aged 75 years, the dearly loved wife of the late Robert Johnston, of Moss-st., Cornhill, Norton, loved mother of Barry and David and loved stepmother of Ronald, adored nan of all her grandchildren and great-grandchildren and a very dear sister and aunt. Funeral arrangements later. — Inquiries to: The A. and E. Leese and Sons Funeral Home, Scotia-rd., Burslem. Tel. 87750.

JONES. — On Friday, December 27th, 1985, at 11, Grendon Green, Bentilee, William, aged 75 years, the dearly loved husband of Edna May Jones, dearest father of Lyn, dear father-in-law of Douglas and a devoted grandad of Stephen, Gary and Thomas. Service at St. Paul's Methodist Church, Winchester-avenue, Bentilee on Thursday, January 9th, at 1.15 p.m. prior to cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Relatives kindly accept this intimation, will friends please assemble at the Church. — Inquiries: A. & E. Leese & Son, Funeral Home, Scotia-rd., Burslem. Tel. 87750.

KEELING.—On January 3rd, after a long illness, Nancy, aged 70 years, dearly loved wife of Jim Keeling, of 21, Kingsmead-rd., Meir, dear mother of Jim, Michael, Peter, Susan, Diane, Valerie and the late Muriel, a dear mother-in-law and grandmother. Service at St. Francis' Church, Meir Heath, on Tuesday at 2 p.m., prior to interment at Longton Cemetery. Friends wishing to attend kindly meet at the church.—Inquiries: Forrester Bros., Funeral Services, Trentham-rd., Longton. Tel. 313874/393185.

LEESE.—At rest, on December 28th, at her daughter's residence 16, Old Hill-close, Talke Pits, Maggie, aged 73 years, the dearly loved wife of the late Arthur Leese, of 30, Marsh-ave., Newchapel, much loved mother of Cynthia, Audrey and son-in-law Peter, and a dear grandma. Cortege to leave Marsh-ave., on Tuesday, at 10 a.m., for service at Kidsgrove Methodist Church, at 10.15 a.m., prior to cremation at Bradwell Crematorium. Relatives please accept this the only intimation, will friends wishing to attend kindly meet for the service. After cremation, kindly disperse. Floral tributes or, if desired, donations to Kidsgrove Methodist Church, c/o the Rev. C. Topping.—Inquiries: John Garside & Son, High-st., Biddulph. Tel. 513210.

LEWIS. — At rest on January 2nd, at 81, Downing Gardens, Walton, Stone (formerly of Stone-road, Hanford), Jose Florence, aged 39 years, the dearly loved daughter of Joshua and Winifred Lewis, and a dear sister of Wendy and Peter. Service at St. Michael's Church, Stone, on Tuesday, January 7th, at 12 noon, prior to interment at Stone Cemetery. Will relatives please accept this intimation and friends kindly assemble at the church. — Inquiries to: Price & Stubbs, Funeral Services, Mill-street, Stone. Tel. 812558.

MANN. — At rest on January 2nd, 1986, at her home, 59, Lowhurst-drive, Chell, Alice, aged 65 years, the dearly loved wife of Alfred Mann, the much loved and devoted mother of Alan, Kenneth and Philip, a dear mother-in-law and a treasured nan. Funeral on Thursday, January 9th. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium at 12.30 p.m. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends wishing to attend are kindly invited to meet at the crematorium. — Co-operative Funeral Service, Nile-st., Burslem, Meir, Kidsgrove and Leek. Tel. 88724.

MARTIN. — At rest on January 2nd, 1986, at Orsett House Residential Home, Marion, aged 78 years, of 237, Moorland-rd., Burslem, the beloved wife of the late Clarence Levi Martin, the dear mother of Alan and daughter-in-law Joan, and the devoted nan of Andrew, Lee and Sarah. Funeral from her son's residence 2, Eastbank Ride, Forsbrook. Service and cremation at Carmountside Crematorium, on Thursday, at 12 noon. Relatives please accept this the only intimation, will friends kindly meet at the crematorium. — Inquiries Harry Dawson, Funeral Director, Upper Normacot-rd., Normacot. Phone 313428.

MAYER. — On December 31st, at the C.G.H., Nancy, aged 73 years, the dearly beloved wife of the late Harry Mayer, devoted mother of Jean and Harry, and much loved grandma, of 24, High-st., Halmerend. Service and cremation at Bradwell Crematorium on Thursday at 1.30. Will all relatives and friends kindly meet at the crematorium. No flowers by request. — Inquiries: Humber Grant Funeral Services, 80, Nantwich-rd., Audley (Tel. 720349) and 50, Chester-rd., Audley (Tel. 720336).

McDONALD (George). — Of Etruria-rd., Basford. At rest on December 22nd at the N.S.R.I. Cremation will take place at Bradwell Crematorium on Wednesday, January 8th, 1986 at 11 a.m. Friends kindly accept this intimation and meet at the crematorium. No flowers by request. Donations to charity c/o Queen's Hotel, Basford.

MILLER.—Peacefuly on January 4th, 1986, at 103, Abbots-rd., Abbey Hulton, Ernest, aged 77 years, the dearly loved husband of Harriet Miller, of 52, Barratt-drive, Cobridge, the dearest father of John, Elaine and Peter, a very dear father-in-law of Roy and Angela, loving grandad of Dawn, Steven, Jayne, Shaun and Darren, treasured great-grandad of Chantelle Louise and a much loved brother, brother-in-law and uncle. Funeral cortege from his daughter's home, 70, Cromer-rd., Northwood. Funeral arrangements later.—Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

NIXON. — Suddenly on Dec. 23rd, 1985, at Newcross Hospital, Wolverhampton, Albert, aged 85 years. The dearly loved husband of Mary Nixon, of 8 Delamere-grove, Trentham. A much loved father, a very dear father-in-law and a loving grandad. Funeral service at Trentham Methodist Church on Wednesday, Jan. 8th, at 12.15 p.m. followed by cremation at Bradwell Crematorium. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends kindly meet at the church. No flowers please. Donations preferred for Cancer Research, c/o the treasurer, Mr. D. J. Dudley, 24 Meliden-way, Penkhull. — Inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-road, Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

PARK. — At rest on December 24th, 1985, Robert Thirstfield Park, aged 63 years, of 30, Perrymount Court, Penkhull, the dearly beloved husband of the late Peggy Cynthia Park, devoted father of Warren and daughter-in-law Rosemary. Service and cremation at Carmountside Crematorium, on Thursday, January 9th, at 11.30 a.m. Cortege from his son's residence 29, Goodwood-place, Trentham. Relatives please accept this intimation and friends kindly meet at the crematorium. — Floral tributes and inquiries to Harold H. Leese (A. Boulton & Sons), Funeral Directors, Foden-st., Stoke and 21, Whalley-avenue, Penkhull. Tel. 48750.

PATERSON.—Peacefully on January 2nd, 1986, at Stanfield Hospital, Agnes Emily, aged 80 years (former Headmistress Bentilee Infant School), the dearly beloved daughter of the late John and Janet Paterson, a much loved sister of the late David and a very dear sister-in-law of Marion. Funeral service at Trinity United Reformed Church, Trinity-st., Hanley, on Wednesday, January 8th, at 2.15 p.m., followed by cremation at Carmountside Crematorium. Will relatives please accept this intimation, friends kindly meet at the church. No flowers please. Donations preferred to the Chell Hostel for Mentally Handicapped Children.—Donations and inquiries to Williamson Brothers, Birches Head-rd., Hanley and Sneyd Green. Tel. 24212 and 22880.

PETTITT.—On December 31st, suddenly at the C.G.H., Frederick Henry, aged 55 years, the dearly loved husband of Jean Pettitt, the very dear father of Susan, Yvonne and Barry, the dear father-in-law of Stephen and John, the devoted grandad of Darren, Martin, Andrew, Anthony and Emma, and a much loved brother, brother-in-law and uncle, of 56, Eaveswood-rd., Abbey Hulton. Funeral on Thursday, January 9th, service at St. Mary's Church, Bucknall at 1.15 p.m., prior to interment at Carmountside Lawn Cemetery. Will relatives kindly accept this the only intimation, friends wishing to attend kindly meet at the church. Flowers or if preferred, donations may be sent to Ward 64 at the C.G.H.—Inquiries to the H. Dale Funeral Services Limited, Sandford Hill, Longton, and Branches. Tel. 313866.

PICKTHORNE. — At rest in hospital on December 30th, Selina Alexandra, aged 83 years, the dearly loved wife of the late John Thomas Pickthorne, of 3, Cleadon-place, Abbey Hulton, the devoted mother of Douglas, Edith and the late Thomas, a very dear mother-in-law, grandma and great-grandma. Funeral service and interment at Carmountside Lawn Cemetery on Friday, December 10th, at 12 noon. Will relatives please accept this, the only intimation, friends kindly meet at Carmountside. — Inquiries: Joseph Lymer & Son, Trent Bridge, Bucknall. Tel. 22270 and 29338.

POWNALL.—On January 5th at his home, 24, Third-avenue, Kidsgrove, Ernest Edward, aged 78 years, the dearly loved husband of the late May, dear dad of Tom and Christine and a much loved grandad and great-grandad. Funeral arrang