

HENRY GRADY HIGH SCHOOL

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<u>TEACHERS AND OTHER PROFESSIONALS</u>	POSITION SPECIALITY	ADDRESS DIED WHERE DATES	TELEPHONE OBITUARY
Derthick, Roger H.	Principal	Deceased: GA 31 Aug 1912 - 25 Jun 1999	Obituary
Barnes, Mrs. Martha A.	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 1 Dec 1913 - 29 Dec 2000	Obituary
Baseman, Margaret A.	English		
Baugham, Mrs. Leonora M.	English	Deceased: NC 15 27 Sep 1911 - 21 Aug 2006	Obituary
Bostick, Mrs. Hannah K.	English	Deceased: AL 28 Dec 1910 - 30 May 2003	Obituary
Burgess, Mrs. Sara G.	English/Latin	10 E Mill St Tallapoosa GA 30176	770-574-7512
Carroll, Winston R., Jr.	History	Deceased: GA 1935 - 27 Feb 1993	
Clonts, John F., Jr.	Industrial Arts - Mech Draw	Deceased: GA 1926 - 24 Dec 2005	Obituary
Davis, Merrilie M.	English		
Durling, Lois G.	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 24 Feb 1927 - 24 Feb 2010	Obituary
East, Pauline	Science		
Falcon, Samuel A.	Industrial Arts - Print	Deceased: LA 10 Dec 1909 - 24 Apr 1999	Obituary
Fargason, Dorothy S.	English	Deceased: GA 26 Apr 1900 - 18 Oct 1989	
Fligg, Jack C., Jr.	Head Football Coach	4271 Stoneham Ter, Marietta, GA 30068	770-509-0508
Fornara, Delores D. (Borkenhagen)	Foreign Languages	Deceased: GA 30 Jun 1935 - 24 Feb 1999	
Gaub, Sgt. Winston D.	ROTC	16700 Beaufort Rd; Crocker, MO 65452	573-736-2907
Godwin, Rufus B.	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 1902 - 17 May 1963	

Goines, Mrs. Shirley	Physical Education		
Graham, Jo-Anne	Music	Teaches at Heritage Preparatory School	
Green, Rembert	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 1908 - 24 Mar 1967	
Gunsard, Tamara	English		
Gusefski, Mrs. Susan B.	Mathematics	160 Clayton Dr Mocksville, NC 27028	336-998-5058
Hawkins, Robert A.	History	121 Broadmoor Ln, Dillard, GA 30537	706-746-9928
Hilderbrand, Alfred C., Jr.	Social Studies	Deceased: GA 14 Apr 1915 - 28 Mar 1997	
Hughes, Mrs. Elizabeth E.	Social Studies	Deceased: GA 5 Nov 1905 - 4 Jun 1963	
Irvin, Mrs. Virginia G.	Clinic	Deceased: GA 16 Mar 1915 - 12 May 1999	
Jackson, J. LeRoy	Art	Deceased: GA 1905 - 1981	
Jones, Mrs. Willorene F.	English		
Kemp, Mrs. Mazel W.	Home Economics	Deceased: GA 3 May 1920 - 12 Mar 1997	
King, Mrs. Fanny W.	English	Deceased: NC 1 Dec 1928 - 14 Jul 2005	
Kirby, Ruth V. (Sanders)	Science	Living	
Lowe, Mrs. Eve E.	Business Education	Deceased: GA 28 May 1906 - 1 Apr 1994	
Lynch, Martha L.	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 19 May 1911 - 12 Oct 1989	
Martin, Sgt. Jimmy V.	ROTC		
Matthews, Mrs. Elizabeth K	Science		
Matthews, Walter Dooley	Social Studies/Coach Football & Track	Deceased: GA 22 Aug 1916 - 3 Oct 1978	
Mayberry, Eunetta	Languages		
McCallie, Edith A.	Physical Education	Deceased: GA 1901 - 25 May 1982	
McIver, Mrs. Glenda G.	English/Languages		
McKee, Mamie	Science	Deceased: GA 29 Aug 1899 - 22 Sep 1985	
Morris, Charles O.	Counselor	Deceased: GA 1909 - 12 Jan 1973	
Morrison, Dorothy M.	English	Deceased: GA 1909 - 26 Apr 1988	
Mueller, Thomasine M.	Art	3348 Stonecrest CT, Atlanta, GA 30341	
Overton, William J.	Chemistry	1381 Lavista Rd NE, Atlanta GA 30324	404-634-4068
Prince, Capt. Wendell L.	ROTC	Deceased: GA 1930 - 12 Jan 1992	
Proctor, Mrs.	Office		
Prueher, Elizabeth E.	Mathematics		
Rehm, Eugene A., Jr.	Mathematics/Science	Deceased: GA 26 May 1928 - 10 Jan 2010	<u>Obituary</u>
Respass, Martha E.	Librarian	Deceased: GA 1 Mar 1919 - 27 Apr 2002	<u>Obituary</u>
Rheney, Frederick A.	Business Education	Deceased: GA 10 Mar 1923 - 28 Jul 2006	<u>Obituary</u>
Ryan, Mrs. Agnes M.	Librarian	Deceased: GA 1912 - 14 Sep 1964	

Sanders, Eugene H.	Science	Deceased: GA 18 Feb 1897 - 1 Nov 1999	<u>Obituary</u>
Scarboro, Mrs. Marcell C.	Office	Deceased: NC 1 Feb 1913 – 12 Aug 2003	<u>Obituary</u>
Seitz, R. Owen	Instrumental Music	Deceased: GA 1912 - Dec. 1996	<u>Obituary</u>
Setze, Elizabeth	Counselor	Deceased: GA 23 Jul 1901 - 03 Sep 1978	
Shaw, Mrs. Betty A.	English	Deceased: GA 17 Feb 1935 - 16 Jan 1999	
Sioussat, Mrs. Mary S.	Languages		
Skelton, Webster A.	Social Studies/Coach Basketball/B-Team Football	Deceased: GA 1930 - 19 Mar 1995	
Smith, Betty J.	French		
Spears, Leola S.	Social Studies	2930 Browns Mill Rd SE, Atlanta GA 30354	404-363-1901
Strickland, Harry B.	Mathematics/Coach 8th Gr. Football	Deceased: GA 5 Apr 1927 - 23 Aug 2011	<u>Obituary</u>
Sylvester, Jack C.	Industrial Arts - Wood	Deceased: GA 3 Jul 1899 - 16 Apr 1985	
Taylor, Mrs. Helen H. or P.	English	192 or 540 Liberty Church Rd; Dawsonville, GA 30534	706-216- 2053/3439
Threatte, Bernard B.	Social Studies	Deceased: GA 15 May 1902 - Jan 1996	
Walker, Mrs. Mattie S.	Social Studies		
Walton, Thomas H.	Science: Biology	Deceased: GA 9 Jun 1917 - 21 Feb 1993	
Warren, Mrs. Lois H.	Home Economics		
Whitsett, Edward E.	Physical Ed./Coach- Baseball Football	Deceased: GA 1921 - 10 Jun 2011	<u>Obituary</u>
Wills, William A.	Mathematics	Deceased: GA 7 Mar 1915 - 25 Nov 1997	
Wright, Mrs. Jean	Mathematics/Business Education		
	SUPPORT STAFF		
Powell, Mrs. Beryl H.			
Strickland, Mrs. Virginia	Cafeteria Supervisor		
Butler, Mrs. Lucy C.			
Lumpkin, Ernest E.	Superintendent of Buildings & Grounds	Deceased: GA 14 Oct 1906 - 31 Dec 1981	
Anderson, Mrs. Catherine J.			
Higgins, Marion			
Harrison, Mrs. Hazel	Snack Bar Supervisor		

Shirley, Mrs. Jane			
Scott, Anne H.		GA HWY 195, Leesburg GA 31763	229-759-6547

BARNES

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - January 1, 2001

Martha Barnes, 87, headed Grady High's math department

A brilliant mathematics teacher and student of Latin, Martha Barnes spent her more than 40-year career educating and influencing Atlanta children. Mrs. Barnes taught math at J.C. Murphy Junior High School and Girls High before settling in 1954 at Henry Grady High School, where she served as chairman of the math department until 1980. "She was instrumental in sending so many students to MIT in math and that sort of thing," said Fanny King of Atlanta, a former teacher at Grady. "She was smart as a tack, and the children loved her." Mrs. Barnes taught honors classes at Grady and three of her students won the International Science and Engineering Fair, said her husband, Dr. Jarvis Barnes of Atlanta, a former math teacher and retired assistant superintendent with Atlanta public schools. Students are selected to attend the fair based on their performance at state science fairs.

The memorial service for Martha Allen Barnes, 87, of Atlanta is 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta. She died Friday at Emory University Hospital from complications of heart problems and a series of strokes. H.M. Patterson & Son, Spring Hill, is in charge of arrangements.

A Monroe native, Mrs. Barnes graduated from Monroe High School and Agnes Scott College with a degree in math. She was a member of the classical language fraternity Eta Sigma Phi and the American Mathematical Association.

Mrs. Barnes did graduate work at Emory University, Georgia Tech and the University of Georgia before receiving her master's degree in math from Georgia State University. Though Mrs. Barnes enjoyed being challenged by a math problem, she was not as fond of technology, Mr. Barnes said. "She went to Georgia Tech and studied computers, but she never did like them."

In her classes, Mrs. Barnes would always remember her students' birthdays by telling students that she heard a bluebird tapping at the window, bringing a birthday greeting, Mr. Barnes said.

"She had a knack for it. She just had a great way of not only knowing math, but of teaching it," said her granddaughter, Martha Elizabeth Correll of Atlanta.

Though she did not teach Latin, Mrs. Barnes handled languages adeptly. "She was good at math, but she was better at languages. She could analyze, write and edit documents just beautifully," Mr. Barnes said. While at Grady, Mrs. Barnes enjoyed attending the high school football games. She played tennis, enjoyed reading and traveled extensively. She and her husband had visited more than 60 different countries.

At First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta, Mrs. Barnes taught fifth- and sixth-grade Sunday school for 17 years. She was also treasurer on the executive board of the Emory University Hospital Auxiliary for more than 10 years, her husband said.

There are no other immediate survivors. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta, 1328 Peachtree Street NE, Atlanta, GA 30309.

Comments

Old geometry lessons still proving theories of real life

BY DAVID LAUDERDALE, Packet editorial page editor

Published Saturday, February 10, 2001

Imagine my surprise when I heard that my high school geometry teacher died last month.

We thought she was 120 years old when we were in high school. And that was 120 years ago.

In fact, Martha Barnes also had taught geometry to my mother. That was at Girls High School in Atlanta. Can you imagine? Most Atlanta girls fitting into one high school? I'm surprised geometry had even been discovered as a legal form of child abuse back then.

Actually, I liked geometry. It was one of the few math classes that made any sense to me. And that was because of Mrs. Barnes.

My little circle of goof-offs called her "Mammy Yokum." That was behind her back, of course. In real life, we lived in palm-sweating fear of Mrs. Barnes.

I've often wondered how Mrs. Barnes would fit in today.

She wasn't content to rule with an iron fist inside her classroom at Henry W. Grady High School in Atlanta. She also felt compelled to patrol the halls outside her room. She did this with a referee's whistle in her mouth.

Mrs. Barnes would blast her whistle and the world would come to a screeching halt. That is, everyone who had not been rendered deaf by previous forays through Mrs. Barnes' domain.

Inside class, it wasn't the whistle we feared. It was a simple, declarative statement:

"Boy! Come to the bode!"

That meant two things.

First, it meant Mrs. Barnes suspected you were not prepared for class. I don't want to say she had a sixth sense for knowing this. I'd say all six of her senses were honed in on sniffing out a slacker.

Second, it meant you had to go to the front of the room and work out a problem on the blackboard. (You remember blackboards, don't you? They were handy items, made with asbestos, that helped children develop chalk allergies.)

The whole time you struggled through the problem -- trying to bluff your way through the transitive property of inequality -- Mrs. Barnes stood in the back of the room tossing insults.

"You're going around Robin's red barn," she'd say, disgusted.

I'd be trying to figure out what a barn had to do with my main man Pythagoras, when Mrs. Barnes reached that mystical hypotenuse within herself. There came a point when she figured she had skewered you long enough, then said, "Go sit down!"

Mrs. Barnes had another special production for the times some poor soul fell asleep in her class. She contracted a football player to yank them up out of their sleep and take them across the hall to the bathroom and flush their head in the toilet.

My theorem is that heads were never actually dunked in the toilet, but I was not willing to prove it with my own head.

But Mrs. Barnes also had a soft spot. This was above and beyond the blatant favoritism and kindness she poured over her pets. This was a soft spot that showed up often at the end of class to break the tension.

She loved to celebrate every student's birthday. At least those who were not on her Most Wanted List. It always went this way. Toward the end of class, she'd say, "A little, tiny biiiiiiiiird came tap, tap, tapping on my window this mawnin'." And the bird told her it was so-and-so's birthday. At which time, a pet student would come back in off the streets with dozens of fresh Krispy Kreme donuts, and we would have a party.

When my mother sent me Mrs. Barnes' obituary, she noted Mrs. Barnes had outlived her only child, a daughter. And, back in the mid 1940s when Mrs. Barnes was going out on maternity leave, she broke the news to my mother's class by saying a little, tiny bird had come tap, tap, tapping on her bedroom window.

The obituary also said that Mrs. Barnes had graduated from high school, or maybe it was when she was at Agnes Scott College, with a 99.9 average.

All I could think was that I'm glad I wasn't the poor teacher who gave her that 99 one day.

I don't know the geometry postulates anymore. But I know about how some people can get a lot because they demand a lot. Which could prove my theory that Mrs. Barnes was such a good teacher because she didn't care one whit about our self-esteem. Or hurt feelings.

And that's that.

David Lauderdale is editorial page editor of The Island Packet.

Read more: http://www.islandpacket.com/2001/02/10/291863_old-geometry-lessons-still-proving.html#ixzz1Ngd1m55n

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BAUGHAM

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - August 24, 2006

Leonora BAUGHAM

Mrs. Leonora McMillon Baugham, age 94, of E Street, North Wilkesboro, widow of Lloyd Edward Baugham, died Monday, August 21, 2006 at Villages of Wilkes Skilled Care. A graveside service will be held Saturday, 1:00 p.m., August 26, 2006 at The Westview Cemetery in Atlanta, Georgia, with Dr. Harold Zwald officiating. Mrs. Baugham was the youngest child of Leonora Egan and Charles Lee McMillon of Nashville, Tenn. Her mother was a homemaker and a religious leader in their community and her father was Chief Engineer at the Tennessee State Penitentiary in Nashville. Leonora graduated from Central High School of Nashville, Tenn in 1930. She then attended Hiwassee College and while there, Leonora was presented with the prestigious Balfour Award for outstanding scholarship, loyalty and extra-curricular activities. Upon graduation from Hiwassee College in 1932, Leonora then attended Peabody University of Vanderbilt and graduated with a BS in 1934. She subsequently earned her Masters Degree in Shakespearean English from the University of Georgia in 1964. Mrs. Baugham taught English in the Atlanta Public Schools for 25 years and was named chairman of the English Department at Grady High School in 1966. One of the proudest moments came in 1972 when she was voted as one of the outstanding teachers of secondary education in the country. Leonora was a member of Druid Hills Baptist Church in Atlanta, Georgia. She has lived the last fourteen years of her life in North Wilkesboro, NC to be near her youngest son and her youngest grandchildren. She is survived by three sons, Lloyd Edward Baugham, Jr. of Santa Fe, Texas, Sanford Lee Baugham of Marietta, Georgia, Dr. Leonard Andrew Baugham, Sr. of North Wilkesboro, NC; five grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Memorials may be made to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home, 760 Pollard Boulevard, S.W., Atlanta, GA 30315. The family wishes to express their sincere appreciation and gratitude to the staff of Wilkes Senior Village. Reins-Sturdivant Funeral Home, North Wilkesboro, NC is in charge of the services. On line condolences may be made at www.reinssturdivant.com

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BOSTIC

Daily Home (Talladega, AL) - June 1, 2003

HANNAH KING BOSTIC

SYLACAUGA - Hannah King Bostic, 92, of Sylacauga died May 30 at Coosa Valley Baptist Medical Center.

A memorial service will be announced by Curtis and Son Funeral Home, North Chapel.

A native of Sylacauga and graduate of Sylacauga High School, she received a bachelor's degree in English from Jacksonville State University. She left Sylacauga in 1942 and accepted a position with the Atlanta Gas Company as an executive secretary. In Atlanta, she taught English at Henry Grady High School, was a regent of Fort Peachtree DAR and a member of the Woman's Chamber of Commerce in Atlanta (Emory University). She also served as a volunteer for the Atlanta Cancer Society. After retirement, she traveled extensively for several years through Europe and the far eastern countries of Japan, Thailand, Taipei, Hong Kong and Hawaii as well as Canada and Mexico.

She is survived by her sister, Clara Jarrett of Memphis; two nieces, Juanita Platt Walters of Winslow, Ariz., and Mary Ann King Dalton of Gadsden; and two nephews, Tom King of Trussville and George S. King of Auburn.

Curtis and Son Funeral Home, North Chapel, will direct the service.

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CLONTS

Atlanta Journal-Constitution, The (GA) - December 26, 2005

John CLONTS

Mr. John Forrest Clonts, Jr., age 79, of Woodbury, GA, formerly of Powder Springs, died Saturday, December 24. He was born in Fulton County, GA the son of the late John Forrest and Esther Babb Clonts. He was the Industrial Arts Coordinator for Fulton County Public Schools. He was a member of McEachern United Methodist Church. He was a Navy veteran of WWII. He was a charter member of the West Cobb Lions Club, American Legion in Powder Springs, member of Springville Lodge No.153 F. & A.M., NRA, American Motorcycle Association and the Boy Scouts of America. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Thomas and Susan Clonts of Villa Rica; his grandchildren, David Clonts and Kasey Clonts, both of Villa Rica; his brother, Sam Babb Clonts, Oakridge, NC. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, December 27 at 2:00 PM at the McEachern United Methodist Church Chapel. He will lie in state starting at 1:00. Interment will follow in the Macland Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Monday from 6 to 8 PM at the funeral home. Arrangements by Bellamy Funeral Home, Powder Springs.

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DERTHICK

Atlanta Journal-Constitution (GA) - June 28, 1999

Roger Derthick, 86, school principal

Receiving more than 300 get-well cards from former students, showed that Roger Derthick, a former principal of Henry Grady High School, made a lasting impact on his students. "All the students at Grady loved him," said a daughter, Diana Vandecar of Ellijay.

Roger H. Derthick, 86, of Ellijay died of cancer Friday at Gilmer County Nursing Home. His funeral is 2 p.m. today at the Cherokee Heights United Methodist Church in Macon. Bernhardt Funeral Home in Ellijay is in charge of arrangements.

The principal of Grady High School for 16 years, Mr. Derthick taught in the Atlanta school system for 30 years. He started out at Murphy High School, where he taught civics and history. He then became principal of Cleveland Elementary School and left to head Grady High School. Coming from a family of educators, Mr. Derthick decided to follow in their tradition and studied education. He attended Milligan College in Tennessee, where his father was president. After receiving his bachelor's degree in education he earned his master's degree at the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. The president of the Atlanta Teachers Association for 10 years, Mr. Derthick fought for better working conditions for teachers, smaller classrooms and increased pay.

Mr. Derthick was also a veteran of World War II and taught illiterate soldiers to read at Fort Benning and Fort Bragg.

Survivors other than his wife, Garnet Edith Williams Derthick and daughter include another daughter, Anna Lynn Bush of Macon; a son, Roger W. Derthick of Savannah; six grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to the Georgia Mountains Hospice, P.O. Box 667, Jasper, GA 30143.

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DURLING

Atlanta Journal-Constitution on February 26, 2010

LOIS DURLING

DURLING, Lois Lois Gertrude Durling, age 83 of Decatur/Atlanta, Georgia, peacefully passed away in the early hours of Wednesday, February 24, 2010. Lois was born February 24, 1927 in Providence, Rhode Island, the daughter of Bert Whitman and Gertrude Buzzell Durling. Lois is survived by nephews and nieces: Harvey Kingry (wife Jeanelle), Dicky Kingry (wife Donna), Phyllis K. Silvers (husband Van), Alice K. Godbey (husband Jeff), and Linda R. Schwenk (husband Cliff). She is also survived by many great nephews and nieces. Lois also left behind her beloved friend and "sister" Doris M. Kingry; as well as Lavora Steen, her devoted friend and caretaker, and many friends. Lois was predeceased by her parents Bert and Gertrude Durling; two sisters, Lillian D. Kingry and Dorothy D. Ratcliff, and nephew Jimmy Ratcliff. Miss Durling was a longtime member of and very active in Decatur First United Methodist Church and several of its organizations. She was a graduate of Erskine College and Peabody College and taught in the mathematics department at SW DeKalb, Grady, and Carver High Schools, and ESOL (Embry Hills United Methodist Church) in the Decatur/Atlanta area. Lois was a 50 year member of and served in several offices of Alpha Delta Kappa (charter member of Upsilon chapter), her home owners' association board, Better Films of Atlanta, DeKalb Retired Teachers Association, and also participated in many mission activities locally and in Honduras. Lois enjoyed a rich life of travel worldwide with many friends including a recent trip with her great niece Michelle to Thailand. She was a crafter, enjoying many types of needlework. Funeral services will be held Saturday, February 27, 2010, 2:00 pm at A. S. Turner & Sons Funeral Home, 2773 N. Decatur Road, Decatur, Georgia; pallbearers are Harvey Kingry, Dicky Kingry, Cliff Schwenk, Jeff Godbey, Tim Dawson, and Henry Mathews. The family expresses appreciation to Mabbett and Barbara Mathews for their many years of love, devotion and most recent care of Lois. A. S. Turner & Sons

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FALCON

Times-Picayune (New Orleans, LA) - May 1, 1999

SAMUEL ANTHONY FALCON

Samuel Anthony Falcon, a retired compositor for Atlanta newspapers, died April 24 at Wynhoven Health Care Center. He was 89. Mr. Falcon was born in Plattenville and lived in Marrero for the past 20 years. He also had worked as a typesetter for the New Orleans States-Item and taught print shop at Henry Grady High School in Atlanta. He was an Army Air Force veteran. Survivors include his wife, Doris Dugas Falcon; a son, J. Adrian Falcon; a daughter, Susan Falcon; and two grandchildren. A Mass will be said today at 1 p.m. at Mothe Funeral Home, 2100 West Bank Expressway, Harvey. Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery in Gretna.

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SEITZ

OWEN SEITZ SR.

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - December 11, 1996

Owen Seitz Sr., 84, led bands, orchestras in schools. For 34 years, Robert Owen Seitz Sr. was a band and orchestra leader in Atlanta public schools and local musical organizations.

Mr. Seitz, 84, died Monday at his retirement home on Lake Lanier after a long struggle with Parkinson's disease.

In 1938, Mr. Seitz began a long association with music programs in Atlanta public schools. Beginning with O'Keefe Junior High and later Girls High, where he was the school's first male instructor, Mr. Seitz eventually became head of the music department at Boys High. He remained there when it was renamed Grady High and helped the program garner a number of awards.

In 1957, his Grady High orchestra was selected to perform for the Southern Music Educators Conference in Miami, and his groups have been featured at other music festivals and conferences around the South.

An early leader in Atlanta's youth orchestras, Mr. Seitz also played for four seasons as first trombone in the early years of the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, according to his wife, Evelyn Aubry Seitz. During the 1940s, he led the Navy V-12 band at Emory University and conducted the university's concert band.

He was a former president of the Georgia Music Educator's Association and was inducted into Savannah's Georgia Band Masters Hall of Fame in 1987.

An Indiana native, Mr. Seitz won a state trombone championship in 1929. He earned a bachelor's degree from Western Kentucky State Teacher's College, now Western Kentucky University, and a master's degree from Chicago's VanderCook School of Music.

"He demanded the best and got the best from his students," said a former student, Herman Rothstein of Atlanta. "To this very day, I still try to do everything the right way because of Mr. Seitz.

He was a collector and builder of model steam engines, which were similar to those used on his grandparents' Indiana farm.

A memorial service will be held in Atlanta at a later date. Little-Davenport Funeral Home in Gainesville is in charge of arrangements.

Surviving in addition to his wife are his son, Robert Owen Seitz Jr., and his daughter, Charlene Grace Isaacs, all of Atlanta; a sister, Ila Seitz Meehan of Saginaw, Mich.; one granddaughter and two great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the American Parkinson's Disease Association, 1250 Hylan Boulevard, Suite 4B, Staten Island, N.Y.

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REHM

REHM, Eugene Allen Jr., Obituary

Eugene Allen Rehm, Jr., age 81, passed away on Sunday, January 10, 2010, at the Sunrise Assisted Living facility in Decatur. Born on May 26, 1928, he spent his youth in Nampa, Idaho. He later attended Northwestern University in Chicago as a percussion major. After serving in the Army for three years as a member of the band, Gene was appointed to the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra in 1954. He performed as a percussionist and timpanist with the orchestra for 49 seasons before his retirement in 2003. In the early years of his tenure with the orchestra, he also worked as a teacher of mathematics for the Atlanta Public School system. Gene's artistry on the cymbals lives on in the numerous recordings he made with the symphony under the baton of Robert Shaw, Yoel Levi, and Robert Spano. He was a devout vegetarian, animal lover, Libertarian, and logophile. A memorial celebration will be held on Sunday, January 17 at 5 Seasons Brewing Company in Sandy Springs (on Roswell Road) beginning at 3 PM Arrangements by Wages & Sons, Stone Mountain Chapel 770/469-9811.

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RESPRESS

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - April 30, 2002

RESPRESS: Miss Martha Respass

Miss Martha Respass of Decatur died April 27, 2002. She is survived by her brother, John Leon Respass, Jr. of Atlanta. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of A. S. Turner and Sons at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Rev. Grafton Pressley officiating. Interment Decatur Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at A. S. Turner and Sons.

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RHENY

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - July 30, 2006

Frederick RHENY

FREDERICK A. RHENY Frederick A. Rheny, age 83 of Smyrna died Friday, July 28, 2006. Funeral services will be held Monday, July 31, at 11:00 AM from the Smyrna First United Methodist Church with Dr. Stuart Greene and Jim Wesley officiating. Interment will follow at Georgia Memorial Park Cemetery. Born March 10, 1923 in Wadley, GA, Jefferson County, Mr. Rheny served his country during World War II with the 15th Air Force in Italy. He attended Georgia State University and retired after 33 years with the Atlanta Public Schools, Henry Grady High School. He was a member of Smyrna First United Methodist Church and the Friendship Class. Survivors, wife, Clyda Rheny, Smyrna; daughters and sons in law, Sheryl Rheny Feick and Bill Feick of Smyrna, Karen Rheny Barboza and Raul Barboza of Dallas; granddaughter, Angela Conkling; grandson, Jacob Barboza; brother, P. Austin Rheny, Wadley, GA; several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 6-8 PM today at Carmichael Funeral Home in Smyrna.

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SANDERS

Atlanta Journal-Constitution - November 4, 1999

Gene Sanders, 102, former STAR teacher

Gene Sanders sparked scientific creativity in his students and did not want it to stop at the classroom. He spent 42 years creating forums, including the state's science fair, where his Atlanta high school students could experiment.

Mr. Sanders, 102, watched the beginning of the technological age and was curious about everything, said his wife, Ruth Kirby Sanders of DeKalb County. He enjoyed watching things grow: plants, pets and people.

"He was the prodger who could see something in someone else and bring it out," said his wife, his only immediate survivor.

The memorial service for Eugene Hendrix Sanders of DeKalb County is 1:30 p.m. today at Glenn Memorial United Methodist Church. Mr. Sanders died of pneumonia Monday at Emory University Hospital. A.S. Turner & Sons is in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Sanders, Emory College's oldest alumnus, was a poet in his private life while teaching science at Bass Junior High School, Tech High School and Henry Grady High School until his retirement in 1962.

"He had an ability to make poetry out of anything," said longtime friend Judson Ward of Decatur, Emory University's retired executive vice president and now dean of alumni. When called upon to make a few remarks, Mr. Sanders "would always say something very, very clever and usually in rhyme, a little poem," said Mr. Ward.

Mr. Sanders found his own laboratory in nature, said his wife, especially in planting trees, flowers and shrubs. "You should see where we live," she exclaimed. "He liked to see things start growing. But once he planted the seed and it was up and going, it was survival of the fittest."

Her husband also raised prize-winning Bantam chickens, Persian cats and Scottie dogs he entered in the Southeastern Fair, said Mrs. Sanders.

In Mr. Sanders' diary, his wife found an entry in which he referred to his love of teaching as an "addiction": "I couldn't give it up, and I wondered where to get the money to keep it up."

Outside the classroom, Mr. Sanders organized the State Science Fair in 1948 and directed it for six years. He headed the Georgia Junior Academy of Science and was a fellow of the Georgia Senior Academy of Science. Through a Ford Foundation grant, the former STAR teacher of the year conducted pilot programs for gifted students.

Some of Mr. Sanders' students made a career of science, including the University of Chicago's Al Harper, a graduate of Henry Grady High. Mr. Harper formerly was director of the Center for Astrophysical Research in Antarctica. He resigned to become principal investigator on the SOFIA airborne astronomy project through NASA.

In retirement, Mr. Sanders was chairman of the jury committee and assistant clerk for DeKalb Superior Court through 1983. "That was his first opportunity to sit back and watch other people perform in their professions," said his wife. "He was a keen observer."

Many of his former students who presented cases in court would ask Mr. Sanders' opinion of why they lost, his wife laughed.

"He had a very, very keen sense of humor and a twinkle in his eye," said Mr. Ward. "He was always so affable and friendly. Everybody just loved Gene Sanders. He was a loving, friendly and kind person about other people."

A 61-year member of the Decatur Lions Club, Mr. Sanders was singled out by the international organization for its highest

honor, the Lions Club International Foundation Award. He helped start more than 20 Lions Clubs. While he was president of the Decatur club in 1939, \$10,000 was raised to open a clinic for the poor. That clinic evolved into DeKalb Medical Center.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to Lions Club International Foundation, 300 22nd St., Oak Brook, IL 60570-0001.

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SCARBORO

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Marcell C. SCARBORO

Mrs. Marcell Cozette Cape Scarboro, 90, of 3560 Wildflower Drive, Apt. 107 of Well Spring, died Tuesday, August 12, 2003 at her residence. A graveside service for Mrs. Scarboro will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, August 15, 2003 at Westview Cemetery in Atlanta, Georgia. A memorial service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Monday, August 18, 2003, at Well Spring Assisted Living Auditorium in Greensboro. She was a native of Toccoa, Georgia and was born on February 1, 1913 to the late Marion and Rosa Irene Cape. Mrs. Scarboro was a registrar with Henry W. Grady High School in Atlanta. She was also a member of the Druid Hills Baptist Church for fifty-seven years in Atlanta and a member of the Philathea Sunday School Class. She was preceded in death by her husband Ernest Eugene Scarboro. She is survived by three daughters, Joyce Scarboro Peavy of Winston, Georgia, Beverly Scarboro Willingham of Greensboro and Lynda Scarboro Alexander and her husband Roy Shepperd Alexander of Winston Salem; eight grandchildren, Preston D. Peavy, Elaine P. Burdette, Lisa M. Peavy, Robert H. Peavy III, Amy P. Owens, Joseph S. Willingham and wife, Rhonda Counts Willingham, E. Lea Willingham and A. Scot Willingham; eleven great-granchildren, Preston D. Peavy, Jr., Laura F. Peavy, Matthew T. Peavy, Ivy B. Farcas, Jamey Burdette, Jessica R. Willingham, Katherine Cork, Joey Burdette, Deborah Burdette, Robert H. Peavy IV and Whitney A. Peavy; three great-great-grandchilren, Brett Van Deusen, Caleb Farcas and Hailey Farcas. The family will receive friends from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m. Friday, August 15, 2003, at the chapel at Westview Cemetery in Atlanta, Georgia. Memorial contributions may be made to Druid Hills Baptist Church, 1085 Ponce de Leon Avenue, Atlanta, Georgia 30306. Forbis and Dick North Elm Chapel is serving the Scarboro Family

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STRICKLAND
Harry Strickland

Family-Placed Death Notice

STRICKLAND, Harry Harry Brooks Strickland was born in Statesboro, Georgia on April 5, 1927 and died in Hiawassee, Georgia on August 23, 2011. At 17, Harry served in the Navy during WWII and upon his return, he earned his degree from Georgia Teacher's College and later earned his masters degree from Georgia State University. Harry was called to teach high school math, civics, and physical education for students attending Brown, Grady, Parkview and Brookwood where he also coached football, soccer and other sports. Harry considered it an honor and privilege to give his students and players instruction and guidance, he loved them all dearly. He joyfully served as the chaplain and president for the North Georgia Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution. Most dear to him was being a member of the Hiawassee United Methodist Church and serving as a lay minister. He is survived by his beloved wife Sarah Brandt Strickland, his two cherished sisters and brother-in-law, Virginia Howell, Helen Bilby, and Eddie Brandt, his daughter Kim Dechiara, son-in-law Tony Dechiara, his grand children Sarah and Brooks Dechiara. The visitation will be on Saturday, August 27th at 2:00 p.m. at Hiawassee United Methodist Church with the funeral immediately following at 3:00 p.m. Please make donations to YMCA Camp High Harbour, Attn. Sonja O'Kelley 200 Main Street Suite 108 Gainesville, GA 30501 IHO Harry B. Strickland; Fellowship of Christian Athletes, One Way 2 Play, FCA Attn: Steve Pruitt P.O. Box 56, Toccoa, Georgia 30577 IHO Harry B. Strickland; Hiawassee United Methodist Church P.O. Box 609 Hiawassee, Georgia 30546 Attn: Bldg Fund IHO Harry B. Strickland.

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WHITSETT

Edward "Red" Whitsett

WHITSETT, Edward (Red) Edward Ernest Whitsett, 90, of Villa Rica, died Friday, June 10. Born in Herrin, IL, Whitsett, after 6 years in the US Navy, completed a BA and MA at Auburn University in 1952. The same year, he began teaching and coaching at Atlanta's Grady High School, then became Coordinator of Boys High School Physical Education for Atlanta City Schools. Whitsett was the founding President of the Atlanta (eventually Georgia) Dugout Club. After scouting part-time for the Baltimore Orioles beginning in 1962, he retired from the Atlanta schools in 1977 to scout full-time, initially for the California Angels, then for the Kansas City Royals. He capped his full-time scouting with the Milwaukee Brewers, retiring after his 79th birthday. In the off-seasons, he had evaluated basketball officials for the Southeastern Conference. Visitation will be Monday, June 13 from 11 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. at Almon Funeral Home, Carrollton. Funeral and interment will be Monday, June 13 at 1 p.m. at OLPH Catholic Church 210 Old Center Point Road, Carrollton. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association , Georgia Chapter, 41 Perimeter Center East, Suite 550, Atlanta, Georgia 30346.

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