Deaths

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ABBOTT.—At West Chester, Pa., on Fourth Month, 18th, 1916, RUTH S. ABBOTT, widow of George Abbott, of Salem, N. J., in the 90th year of her age. Funeral at Friends' Meeting House, 4th and Arch sts., Phila., Pa., on Sixth-day, Fourth Month, 21st, at 10 a. m. Interment at Salem, N. J., 2 p. m.

ANDREAE.—On April 18, 1916, ELIZABETH, widow of Henry Andreae, aged 75 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral service, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., in the chapel of the Lutheran Orphans' Home for the Aged, 6950 Germantown ave., Mt. Airy. Interment at Hillside Cemetery. Funeral car.

ANDREWS.—Entered into rest on April 17, 1916, at her late residence, 475 Lyceum avenue, Roxborough, FLORENCE PEARSON, daughter of Emily E. and the late T. Cecil Andrews. Funeral services on Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock precisely, at St. Timothy's Church, Roxborough.

ARNOLD.—On April 19, 1916, JAMES ARNOLD, son of the late Michael and Margaret Arnold, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral on Saturday, April 22, at 2 o'clock, from J. B. Stanger Bros.', 4346 Frankford avenue, Frankford. Interment Cedar Hill Cemetery.

BALDERSON.—On April 18, 1916, EDWARD BALDERSON, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral without further notice, at Newtown Cemetery Chapel, on Friday, April 21, at 2:45 p. m. Train for Newtown leaves Reading Terminal 1:23 p. m.

BARTH.—On April 16, 1916, PETER H. BARTH, husband of Pauline Barth (nee Nicola), aged 67 years. Relatives and friends, also members of General Steuben Lodge, No. 878, I. O. O. F.; employees of Midland Metal Company, of Philadelphia, are invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., from his family residence, 510 North Front st., Camden, N. J. Interment at Chelten Hills Cemetery.

BAUM.—On April 15, 1916, at Cobleskill, N. Y., ROBERTA AMES, wife of the Rev. Frederick J. Baum. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Tuesday, at 8 p. m., at Cobleskill, N. Y. Interment at Charles Evans Cemetery, Reading, Pa., Thursday noon.

BETTS.—On April 19, 1916, FRANKLIN BETTS. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at his late residence, York road, Oak Lane. Interment private. Northwood Cemetery.

BEURER.—On April 16, 1916, MARIE BEURER (nee Kinzinger), aged 71 years. Relatives and friends, also Rising Sun Yearly Beneficial Society; Herman Yearly Beneficial Society and the Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity German Lutheran Church, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 1002 West Ontario st. Interment private, at Hillside Cemetery. Automobile funeral.

BLAKEY.—At Langhorne, Pa., on Second-day, Fourth Month 17th, 1916, HENRY W. BLAKEY, aged 68 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Fifth-day, at the residence of George C. Mather, West Maple ave., Langhorne, Pa., at 11 a. m. Interment at Middletown Friends' Burial Grounds, Langhorne, Pa.

BOOTH.—At Chester, Pa., on April 17, 1916, WILLIAM T., husband of S. Lanich Booth, aged 57 years. Relatives and friends, also societies of which he was a member, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 1018 Edgmont ave., Chester. Interment at Chester Rural Cemetery. Omit flowers.

BURKE.—On April 19, 1916, CATHARINE M., beloved wife of Andrew J. Burke and daughter of the late John and Annie Frances. Relatives and friends, also B. V. M. Sodality of St. Philip's Church, are respectfully invited to attend funeral, on Tuesday morning, at 8:30 o'clock, from her late residence, 113 Bainbridge street. Solemn Mass of Requiem at St. Philip's Church, at 10 o'clock. Interment New Cathedral Cemetery.

CAMPBELL.—On April 19, 1916, EDWARD, husband of Hannah Campbell (nee Schweinhart), aged 61 years. Relatives and friends, also employes of Haines, Jones & Cadbury Company, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock, at his late residence, 2514 North Jessup street. Interment at Pottstown, Pa., on arrival of train leaving Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, at 8:36 Saturday morning.

CASEY.—On April 17, 1916, MARTIN, husband of the late Margaret Casey. Relatives and friends, also the employes of the Pennsa. R. R. are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 7:30 a. m., from his late residence, 620 N. 35th st. Solemn Requiem Mass at St. Agatha Church, at 9 a. m. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery.

CHANDLEE.—April 19, 1916, DR. HENRY CHANDLEE, of Baltimore, Md., aged 62 years. Funeral services Friday, at 2 p. m., at Park Avenue Meeting House, Baltimore.

CHRISTY.—On April 19, 1916, JAMES F. CHRISTY. Relatives and friends, also Apollo Lodge, No. 388, F. and A. M.; St. John Chapter, No. 232, R. A. M.; Masonic Veterans' Association, and Expressmen Beneficial Association, are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, 443 South 55th st., on Saturday, at 2 p. m. precisely. Interment at Mt. Peace Cemetery.

CROUSE.—On April 18, 1916, ELIZABETH, widow of William Crouse. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, at 1530 Fairmount ave., on Friday, at 2 p. m. precisely. Interment private.

DAVIS.—On April 19, 1916, GEORGE C., husband of Mary Davis (nee Towber). Relatives and friends, also Elite Social Club, are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from his son's residence, 924 West Cumberland st. High Requiem Mass at St. Edward's Church, at 10 a. m. Interment at New Cathedral Cemetery.

DEVLIN.—At Chester, Pa., on April 17, 1916, MARY E., wife of Charles J. Devlin and daughter of the late John and Mary Scully, formerly of Philadelphia. Relatives and friends, also the Sodality and League of the Sacred Heart and Altar and Rosary Society of St. Michael's Church, are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from her late residence, 437 East 11th st. High Mass at St. Michael's Church, at 10 a. m. Interment at St. Michael's Cemetery, Chester, Pa.

DEYLE.—On April 18, 1916, HENRY F., son of the late Frederick C. and Christiana C. Deyle. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 6 South 40th st. Interment private, at Woodlands Cemetery.

DICKEL.—On Fourth Month 15th, 1916, LOUIS N., husband of the late Lena Dickel (nee Stolz), aged 70 years. Relatives and friends, also members of Captain Walter S. Newhall Post, No. 7, G. A. R.; survivors of Corn Exchange 118th Regiment, and all other societies of which he was a member, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 1:30 p. m., at the parlors of J. E. Stiles & Son, 1417 East Susquehanna ave. To proceed to Palmer Cemetery Vault. Interment at North Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DUKE.—Suddenly, on April 19, 1916, SARAH A., wife of Abel Duke (nee Stevenson). Relatives and friends, also members of the 12th United Presbyterian Church, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Sunday, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 1830 East Cambria st. Interment at North Cedar Hills Cemetery.

DWYER.—Suddenly, on April 19, 1916, THOMAS E., husband of Catharine V. Dwyer (nee McGowan). Relatives and friends, also Holy Name Society, Columbus Council, K. of C., and other organizations of which he was a member, are invited to view the remains, on Saturday evening, at his late residence, 871 North 43d st. Funeral and interment will take place on Monday, at South Bethlehem, Pa., to which place the remains will be removed on Sunday by the 12:30 p. m. train, Philadelphia and Reading Railway.

EARNEST.—On April 19, 1916, SARAH C., daughter of the late James M. and Mary Earnest. Relatives and friends, also members of Norris Square M. E. Church, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 1 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. McVey, 2632 West Somerset st. Interment private, at Mt. Moriah Cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening.

ELLIOTT.—On April 19, 1916, OLGA HASLETT, wife of W. Clare Elliott, aged 29 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock precisely, at her late residence, 5303 N. 12th street. Interment private.

EMORY.—On April 19, 1916, EMILIE NORWOOD, widow of John MacCallum Emory, in her 84th year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock, at her late residence, 428 West Stafford. Interment private.

FIELDER.—On April 17, 1916, ELEANORE, daughter of Robert W. and Bertha Fielder, aged 1 year 8 months and 8 days. Relatives friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., from her parents' residence, 4253 Main st., Manayunk. Interment at Westminster Cemetery.

FISHER.—On April 18, 1916, JOHN K., husband of Elizabeth Fisher (nee Meredith), aged 78 years. Relatives and friends, also Richard Vaux Lodge, No. 384, F. and A. M.; Triseam B. Freeman R. A. M., No. 243; Penna. Com. No. 70, K. T.; Franklin Castle, No. 24, A. O. K. of M. C.; Minerva Lodge, No. 224, I. O. O. F.; Chicopee Tribe, No. 176, I. O. R. M.; Florence Castle, No. 255, K. G. E.; Florence Temple, No. 112, L. of G. E., are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 3536 N. Mascher st. Interment at North Cedar Hill Cemetery. Friends may view remains on Friday at 8 p. m. Automobile funeral.

FLATLEY.—On April 17, 1916, PATRICK J., son of the late William and Mary Flatley. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from his late residence, 414 S. 6th st. Solemn Mass of Requiem at St. Mary's Church, at 10 a. m. precisely. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery.

FOUSE.—At her residence, Marlyn Hotel, 40th and Walnut sts., on April 17, 1916, MARY B., widow of H. G. Fouse. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., at the Northminster Presbyterian Church, 38th and Spruce sts., where remains may be viewed from 2 to 2:30 p. m. precisely. Interment private.

FRIEL.—On April 18, 1916, JOSEPH, son of Edward J. and Laura J. Friel and grandson of Catharine and the late Edward Friel and Sarah and the late Charles McClafferty, aged 17 months. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 1 p. m., from his parents' residence, 2145 N. Marston st. (32d Ward). Interment at New Cathedral Cemetery.
Ambler, Pa., Interment private.

GASKILL.—On April 19, 1916, SARAH F., wife of Charles W. Gaskill, formerly of Frankford, aged 50 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, at 12 o'clock, from her late residence, 1744 N. 61st st. Services in St. Mark's P. E. Church, Frankford, at 2 p. m. Remains may be viewed Friday evening. Interment at Oakland Cemetery.

GEE.—On April 16, 1916, ELLEN, wife of Joseph Gee, in her 71st year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 50 Manheim st., Germantown. Interment private.

GEORGE.—Suddenly, on April 17, 1916, CHARLOTTE, widow of John W. George, in her 74th year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, Friday, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, S. South 6th st., Darby, Pa. Interment Mt. Zion Cemetery.

GIBSON.—On April 17, 1916, WILLIAM, husband of Annie M. Gibson and father of the Rev. Samuel M. Gibson, D. D., of Chicago. Relatives and friends, also Phila Lodge, No. 444, F. and A. M., and Philadelphia Consistory, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 440 N. 52d st. Interment private.

GILL.—At Bridgeport, N. J., on April 16, 1916, Preston W. Gill, aged 61 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, at his late residence, Bridgeport, N. J., on Thursday, April 20, at 1 p. m. Interment Bridgeport Cemetery, N. J.

GILMORE.—On April 18, 1916, ELIZA E., wife of William H. Gilmore. Relatives and friends, also Temple Chapter, No. 109, O. of E. S., are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m. precisely, at her late residence, G st. and Godfrey ave., Crescentville. Interment private. Friends may call on Friday, from 8 to 9.

GITTENS.—On April 17, 1916, JOHN K. GITTENS, in his 75th year. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, 20th inst., at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 1716 Diamond st. Interment private.

GRAHAM.—On April 17, 1916, WILLIAM T., husband of Agnes Graham. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services, Thursday, at 2 p. m., at late residence, 114 Rideway ave., Glenolden, Delaware Co., Pa. Interment strictly private.

GRESWOLD.—Suddenly, on April 18, 1916, MARGARET CASSIN, wife of John Greswold, aged 47 years. Relatives and friends, also Germantown Lodge, No. 15, S. of P., are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday, at 11 a. m., at her late residence, 20 East Coulter st., Germantown. Interment private.

GUINIVEN.—On April 16, 1916, ELSIE, wife of Thomas J. Guiniven and daughter of John B. and Catharine Schaeper (nee Hofman). Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral, on Monday, April 24, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence of her husband, 2080 East Atlantic st., near Frankford road and Tioga. Solemn Requiem Mass at Church of the Nativity, at 10 a. m. Interment at Most Holy Redeemer Cemetery.

HARRIS.—On April 18, 1916, Miss JENNIE C. HARRIS, matron of the M. E. Home. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services, at the Methodist Episcopal Home, Belmont and Edgely aves., on Friday, at 2 p. m. precisely. Interment Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

HAVEN.—On April 17, 1916, CURTIS HORNER, husband of Clara Horner (nee Haubert) and son of Marie A. and the late Curtis Haven, aged 34 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., at his late residence, 1523 Pike st., Tioga. Interment private.

HAWLEY.—On April 18, 1916, SAMUEL D. HAWLEY, aged 86 years. Relatives and friends, also Pennsylvania Lodge, No. 380, F. and A. M., are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., at his late residence, 1526 Mt. Vernon st. Interment private.

HAWKINS.—On April 19, 1916, MARY M., wife of Thomas Hawkins. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from her late residence, 7270 Woodland ave. Solemn High Mass, at St. Clement's Church, Paschalville, Pa., at 10 a. m. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery.

HECKMANN.—On April 17, 1916, ANNA HELENA, daughter of Katherine and late Henry Heckmann, aged 29 years. Relatives and friends, also members of Penn Treaty Council, No. 167, D. of L., and Ladies' Aid of St. Michael's German Lutheran Church, are invited to attend funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at residence of her mother, 1817 East Hazzard st. Interment private, Greenmount Cemetery.

HENDRICKSON.—On April 17, 1916, FLORENCE HENDRICKSON (nee Price), wife of Frank M. Hendrickson. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday, at 2 p. m., at the residence of her son-in-law, John E. Watts, Jr., 1609 S. Taney st. Interment private, at Fernwood Cemetery.

HENSEL.—On April 18, 1916, CATHERINE E., wife of Augustus G. Hensel, Sr. (nee Cottingham). Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8 a. m., from her late residence, 512 Somerset st., Gloucester City, N. J. Solemn Requiem Mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 a. m. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery, Gloucester City, N. J. Friends may view remains Sunday, from 7 to 9 p. m.

JAMISON.—At her late residence, 134 West Hansberry street, Germantown, on April 19, 1916, ANNA MAE JAMISON, granddaughter of Mrs. Louisa M. Hartley. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the Oliver H. Bair Building, 1820 Chestnut street. Interment private.

JONES.—On April 17, 1916, EVAN W., husband of Ida Jones and son of the late William and Sarah Jones, in his 61st year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 3 p. m., from his late residence, 5913 Osage ave. Interment at Fernwood Cemetery.

JONES.—On April 18, 1916, MARGARET M., wife of Louis Jones. Relatives and friends, also St. Ann Guild of St. Timothy's Church, and Ruth Lodge, No. 35, Lady Masons, are invited to attend funeral, on Saturday, at 1 p. m., from her husband's residence, 217 Grape st., Manayunk. Services will be held in St. Timothy's Church, at 2 p. m. Interment in the churchyard.

KEENAN.—At her residence, 5621 Hagel ave., on April 19, 1916, MARY S., wife of Joseph M. Keenan. Notice of funeral will be given.

KELLY.—On April 17, 1916, JOHN A., son of the late John and Jane Kelly. Due notice of the funeral will be given, from the residence of his sister, Annie R. Kelly, S. W. corner 38th and Spring Garden sts.

KENDIG.—On April 19, 1916, ALFRED E., husband of Ruby J. Kendig (nee Fox), in his 29th year. Relatives and friends, also Taxicab Operators and Individual Owners, Local Union No. 112, are invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., from his late residence, 113 N. 51st st. Interment at Greenwood K. of P. Cemetery. Remains may be viewed Friday evening. Automobile service.

KERN.—On April 17, 1916, GEORGE J., husband of Lydia A. Kern, aged 61 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday, at 3 p. m., at his late residence, Hotel Wyndham, Ambler, Pa. Interment private. Body may be viewed on Thursday, from 7 to 9 p. m.

KILIAN.—Suddenly, on April 16, 1916, GEORGE KILIAN, aged 68 years. Relatives and friends, also Bleiger Lodge, are invited to attend funeral, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., from the residence of his son-in-law, Paul H. Lee, 724 and Powers lane. Interment Fernwood Cemetery. Automobile funeral.

KUCKER.—On the 17th inst., 1916, PETER, husband of the late Catherine Kucker (nee Kugler), in his 90th year. Relatives and friends, also Birney Post, No. 63, G. A. R.; Birney Camp, No. 13, S. of V.; Pequod Tribe, No. 18, I. O. R. M., and Veteran Firemen's Association, are invited to attend the funeral, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., from his son's residence, 3023 N. 10th st. Interment at Greenmount Cemetery.

KUNZE.—On April 18, 1916, HELENE LAFRENZ, widow of the late Augustus Kunze, M. D. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 4 p. m. precisely, at late residence, 2215 W. Tioga st. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

LARKEY.—On April 18, 1916, MARY A., widow of William Larkey (nee Gillespie). Relatives and friends, also St. Patrick League of the Sacred Heart and Holy Face Society, are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 9:30 a. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, John J. Ahern, 3706 Aspen st. Solemn High Mass of Requiem at St. Agatha's Church at 11 a. m. Interment at Cathedral Cemetery.

LEBO.—At Municipal Hospital of scarlet fever, on April 18, 1916, JEANNE P., wife of Dr. Daniel Austin Lebo. No funeral.

LISTER.—On April 18, 1916, EMMA M., widow of Edward S. Lister, aged 67 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral, on Sunday, at 2 p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, C. Crabill, 6314 Woodland avenue. Interment Fernwood Cemetery. Remains may be viewed on Saturday, from 7 to 10 p. m. Richmond, Va., papers please copy.

LONG.—In Royersford, Pa., April 19, 1916, ELIZABETH, wife of the late Kersey Long, in her 93d year. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend funeral services, without further notice, at funeral parlors of undertaker, S. D. Steelman, 3053 Kensington ave., Philadelphia, Saturday, at 2 p. m. Interment private, at Northwood Cemetery.

LOWRY.—At her late residence, 17 N. Georgia ave., Atlantic City, on April 17, 1916, EMMA, widow of William H. Lowry, Sr. (nee Macmullen), in her 67th year. Funeral services and interment on Thursday, at the convenience of the family.

MABEN.—On April 19, 1916, MARGARET LITTLE MABEN, widow of William Maben. Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral, on Saturday, at 2:30 p. m., from the residence of her son-in-law, Arthur Goodrich, 6027 Cedar avenue, West Phila. Interment Mt. Zion Cemetery. Remains may be viewed on Friday after 7 p. m.

MANN.—On April 18, 1916, REBECCA BOND, wife of Charles A. Mann, Sr. Services for relatives and friends, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 905 N. 42d st. Interment private.

MANNING.—At West Chester, on April 18, 1916, JAMES MANNING, in the 57th year of his age. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from Williams & Corcoran's undertakers' parlors, on Saturday. Leave West Chester at 11 a. m. for West Grove. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery.

MARSDEN.—On April 19, 1916, SUSAN B., wife of Ralph S. Marsden. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Sunday, at 2:30 p. m., at her late residence, 910 Kerper st., Lawndale, Pa. Interment private, at Lawnview Cemetery.

MASON.—On April 19, 1916, JOHN EDWARD MASON. Due notice of his funeral will be given, from his late residence, 251 South 44th st.

McCALL.—On April 18, 1916, ANNA M. G., daughter of Ann and the late James McCall. Relatives and friends, also Cathedral B. V. M. Sodality, are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence of her mother, 210 North 17th st. Solemn Requiem Mass at the Cathedral, at 10 a. m. Interment at Cathedral Cemetery.

McCORMACK.—On April 19, 1916, JOHN J., son of William and Ellen McCormack, D. C., of County Tipperary, Ireland. Relatives and friends, also Sacred Heart and Holy Name Societies of the Annunciation Church; Division, No. 12, A. O. H., and Tipperary Society, are invited to attend the funeral, on Monday morning, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence of Hugh P. Deady, 832 Fernon st. Solemn Mass of Requiem at the Annunciation Church, at 10 a. m. Interment at Holy Cross Cemetery.

McDEVITT.—At her late residence, Rosemont, Pa., on April 19, 1916, CATHARINE, wife of John McDevitt. Due notice of the funeral will be given.

McQUILLAN.—On April 17, 1916, ELIZABETH, wife of John McQuillan. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 8th and Dauphin sts. Interment at Northwood Cemetery.

MERCER.—On April 18, 1916, ALICE H., wife of Frank S. Mercer. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at her late residence, 6043 Spruce street. Interment private, at Westminster Cemetery.

MILLER.—On April 19, 1916, SUSAN G., widow of Daniel C. Miller (nee Gentle), in her 81st year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 10 a. m., at her late residence, 3514 N. 8th st. Interment private, at Northwood Cemetery. Friends may view remains on Friday at 8 p. m.

NEILL.—On April 17, 1916, Esther M., wife of Frank Neill (nee Harrington). Relatives and friends are invited to attend funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 1841 Daly st. Interment Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

O'BRIEN.—On April 19, 1916, MILDRED, daughter of Joseph F. and Elizabeth E. O'Brien, aged 4 years, at late residence, 1613 N. 17th st. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery. No funeral.

OSMAN.—On April 17, 1916, MARY ELIZABETH, wife of Dr. Joseph R. Osman. Funeral services at her late residence, 4001 Pine st., on Thursday, at 10:30 a. m. Interment private, Bristol Cemetery.

PACK.—On April 19, 1916, ANNIE, wife of Myer Pack, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends, also Liberty Lodge, No. 6, O. B. A.; Progressive Lodge, No. 1, J. P. O. P., and Hebrew Congregation of West Philadelphia, are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock precisely, at her late residence, 643 South 52d street. Interment at Mt. Carmel Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

PALMER.—On April 16, 1916, JANE M. PALMER (nee McCann), wife of William L. Palmer, aged 52 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 1 p. m., at her late residence, 2352 South 5th st. Interment at Hillside Cemetery, via trolley funeral car.

PEACOCK.—On April 19, 1916, SAMUEL T., husband of Sarah S. Peacock (nee Sickler), in his 86th year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., at his residence, 2357 E. Dauphin st. Interment strictly private.

PENNOCK.—On April 19, 1916, EDNA, daughter of William H. and Hannah K. Pennock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 11 a. m. precisely, at her parents' residence, 4420 Dexter st., Manayunk. Interment private.

PETERSON.—On April 18, 1916, R. WALTER PETERSON, in his 49th year. Relatives are invited to attend the funeral services, on Friday, at 2 p. m., at his lat residence, 4520 Spruce st. Interment private.

POLTE.—SOPHIE POLTE (nee Roehm), widow of F. W. Polte, in the 57th year of her age. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, in the chapel of H. J. Kogelshatz, 718 Swede st., Norristown, Pa., on Thursday, at 1 p. m. Further services at Mount Peace Cemetery Chapel, Philadelphia, at 3:15 p. m. Interment at Mount Peace Cemetery.

RAINES.—On April 17, 1916, MABEL RAINES (nee Haas), wife of John Raines. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at her husband's residence, 2052 E. Monmouth st. Interment at North Cedar Hill Cemetery.

RATH.—On April 17, 1916, at his late residence, 150 North 4th st., LOUIS RATH, Sr., husband of Margaret Rath, in his 71st year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m., at the parlors of P. J. Carroll, 244 North 4th st. Interment at North Cedar Hill Cemetery, Baltimore, Md., papers please copy.

REEDER.—On April 17, 1916, LETITIA A., wife of Amos S. Reeder, aged 81 years. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 12 o'clock precisely, from the residence of her son, Charles H. Reeder, 6226 Woodstock street, Germantown. Interment at North Cedar Hill Cemetery.

REINHARD.—On April 16, 1916, MARY JANE, widow of Erick W. Reinhard. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Thursday, at 2 p. m. precisely, at the residence of her daughter, 122 East Price st., Germantown. Interment private, at Mount Moriah Cemetery. Automobile funeral.

SCHMIDT.—On April 19, 1916, PAUL R., son of August and Marie Schmidt (nee Fisher), in his 29th year. Relatives and friends, also Loyal Order of Moose Lodge, No. 54; Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit Fund, Branch 95, Frankford. Due notice of the funeral will be given from his late residence, 834 E. Russell st.

SHONE.—Near Blackwood, N. J., on April 18, 1916, PETER, son of the late Thomas and Sarah Shone. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, near Blackwood, N. J., on Friday, at 2 p. m. Services in the Baptist Church, Interment at Blackwood, N. J. Trains leave Chestnut st. ferry 11 a. m. for Blackwood.

SIEGEL.—On April 18, 1916, HELEN, wife of Frederick Siegel (nee Spaeth), in her 48th year. Relatives and friends of the family, members of Camp 69, P. O. S. of A., are invited to attend funeral services, on Saturday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, at her late residence, 2710 N. Warnock st. Interment Greenmount Cemetery. Remains may be viewed Friday evening. Automobile service.

SINER.—On April 19, 1916, SAMUEL SINER, aged 72 years. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m., at the Oliver H. Bair Building, 1820 Chestnut st. Interment at Fernwood Cemetery.

STROUP.—On April 19, 1916, ANNIE H., widow of John Stroup. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, at 2 p. m., from her late residence, 61 N. 50th st. Interment private.

THOMAS.—On April 17, 1916, REBECCA, widow of Edward C. Thomas. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services, on Saturday, at 2 p. m. precisely, at her late residence, 3465 Frankford ave. Interment private, at All Saints' Cemetery, Torresdale.

TOWNSEND.—On Fourth Month 19th, 1916, at her home, 1514 Vine st., Philadelphia, ELIZABETH, widow of Dr. Henry Townsend. After a patient illness her beautiful life here has ended. No funeral. Interment private.

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DIVIDENDS

THE GIRARD NATIONAL BANK
Philadelphia, April 18, 1916.
The Directors have this day declared a dividend of eight per cent. (8%), free of tax, payable May 1, 1916, to stockholders of record at the close of business April 24, 1916. Checks will be mailed.
CHARLES M. ASHTON, Cashier.

DIRECTORY OF ACCOUNTANTS
Certified Public Accountants
LAWRENCE E. BROWN & CO.
1818 REAL ESTATE TRUST BUILDING.

The United Gas Improvement Company

34th Annual Report

FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1915

To the Stockholders of THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT COMPANY:

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 1915, the sales of the gas and electric properties in which we are interested show, in comparison with 1914:

City of Philadelphia ..... 0.67 per cent. Decrease

Properties outside of Philadelphia:

Manufactured Gas ..... 3.01 per cent. Increase
Electric ..... 12.53 per cent. Increase
Natural Gas ..... 8.74 per cent. Increase

The Net Profits, as shown in detail in the Treasurer's statement which follows, were $7,996,920.67.

Of this amount $1,230,000.00 was derived from an extra dividend on stock of one of the Companies in which this Company is a shareholder, so that the Net Profits from regular sources exceeded Sinking Fund requirements and the regular eight (8) per cent. Dividend by $1,529,184.67.

The Stocks and Bonds belonging to the Company have been counted by a committee by the Board of Directors, whose report is as follows:

Philadelphia, February 28th, 1916.

Mr. Samuel T. Bodine, President,
The United Gas Improvement Company.

Dear Sir:—

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Directors on February 9th, 1916, we have counted all of the Stocks and Bonds owned by The United Gas Improvement Company and found the same to agree with the amount stated in the books of the Company.

We have attested, in writing, detailed lists of said Stocks and Bonds and have filed the same with the Treasurer.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM WOOD,
MORRIS L. CLOTHIER,
EFFINGHAM B. MORRIS,
THOMAS S. BOLAN.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT

Profit and Loss Account for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1915

EARNINGS.

From Leased Works and from investments in Stocks and Bonds	$8,734,904.71	
From Engineering and Supervision	5,718.49	
From Interest	276,864.85	
From Sale of Storeroom Material	7,506.78	
From Rental of Broad and Tasker Streets Office	1,600.00	
From Rental of Offices in Building, Broad and Arch Streets, to Companies in which this Company is a shareholder	44,795.09	
Total Earnings		$9,071,389.92

EXPENSES.

Laboratory	$22,338.20	
Department of Tests	20,122.17	
Registration of Stock	1,500.00	
Cost of Restaurant, Broad and Arch Streets, over Receipts for Meals	12,148.43	
Rental of Safe Deposit Boxes	1,964.45	
Construction Department Storeroom	3,348.16	
Litigation, Retainers, Lawyers' Fees, etc	32,775.23	
Operating Telephone Service	4,217.11	
Dues to Trade Organizations	2,040.00	
Advertising in Trade Journals	887.50	
Special Advertising	5,417.86	
Office Furniture	3,761.91	
Cost of Operating Building, Broad and Arch Streets	61,248.20	
Salaries and Traveling Expenses	463,757.18	
Office Supplies	15,074.86	
General Expenses	33,219.72	
Taxes, State and Federal	389,903.47	
Insurance, Taxes and Maintenance of Broad and Tasker Streets Office	359.57	
Construction Contracts	335.23	
Total Expenses		1,074,469.25
Net Profits for Year 1915		$7,996,920.67
Dividends Paid in 1915:		
January 15th	$1,110,059.00	
April 15th	1,110,059.00	
July 15th	1,110,059.00	
October 15th	1,110,059.00	
	$4,440,236.00	
Sinking Funds created during year 1908 to retire investment in Philadelphia Gas Works