

# Obituary

## John Markuson, police officer, 59

PRINCETON — John Markuson, 59, of 210 Fisher Place, Penns Neck, a 23-year veteran of the Princeton Borough Police Department, died Sunday night of a heart attack while on duty.

Born in Perth Amboy, Mr. Markuson was an area resident for 30 years. He joined the Princeton borough police in February, 1952.

Mr. Markuson was a Navy veteran of World War II. He received a Silver Star for volunteering to land on the east coast of Karafuto, Japan, as part of a demolition attack on a passenger-freight train. He was a crewman on the submarine USS "Barb," which received a Presidential Unit Citation.

Mr. Markuson was a member of the Policemen's Benevolent Association Local 130, American Legion Post No. 76, Princeton, the Princeton Rod and Gun Club and was an exempt member of Engine Company No. 1, Princeton Fire Department.

He is survived by his wife Jean Hardy Markuson; two sons, George Edward of Brielle and Robert Arthur of the Republic of Singapore; a

### Tom Crawford

Services for Tom Crawford, 73, of 61 Race Street, who died Friday in St. Francis Medical Center, will be held Friday at the Hughes Funeral Home, 324 Bellevue Avenue.

Born in York, Ala., he resided in Trenton for the past 22 years.

Surviving are three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Maeweathers, of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. Emma Humphrey of Sanford, Fla., and Mrs. Fannie Mack of Miami, Fla.; a brother, Henry of St. Louis, and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. at the Hughes Funeral Home with the Rev. Willie Sanders of Friendship Baptist Church officiating. Interment will be in Ewing Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m.

### Josephine Ryan

MOUNT AIRY — Miss Josephine Ryan, 78, who resided with the Robert Kerr family, died Monday in Doylestown Hospital.

She was born in New Brunswick, and was a member of the Second English Presbyterian Church of Amwell in Mount Airy.

Services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Second English Presbyterian Church.

Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the church from 10 a.m. Thursday until services begin.

### Claire Pritchett

Mrs. Claire B. Pritchett, 51, of 118 Sherman Avenue, died Sunday.

She was a practical nurse at Hamilton Hospital, and had resided in the Trenton area for 30 years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Ella B. Davis of Trenton, two brothers, James D. Walker of Mississippi and Robert Burke Baskin of Mobile, Ala., and three grandchildren.

Services will be held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. at the Anderson Funeral Home, 188 Pennington Avenue, with the Rev. Issac B. Ballard officiating. Interment will be in Ewing Cemetery.

Friends may call Wednesday at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m.

### Albert W. Roberson

Albert W. Roberson, 59, of 205 Birch Street in Trenton, died yesterday in St. Francis Medical Center.

Mr. Roberson was born in Trenton and lived here all his life. A member of the Lakeside Park Civic Association, he was a retired, self-employed home repairman.

He is survived by his wife, Frances Mayer Roberson; two sons, A. William Roberson 2d of New Egypt, and Jack E. Roberson of Chesterfield; one sister, Mrs. Emma L. Pentek of Trenton; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at the Sant Memorial Home, 1740 Greenwood Avenue. The Rev. Richard Dison of St. Mathias Church will officiate.

Friends may call Wednesday evening, 6 to 9 p.m. at the memorial home. Contributions may be made to the charity of one's choice.

### Susan Myers

Mrs. Susan J. Myers, 87, died Monday at the Lawrenceville Nursing Home.

Born in Trenton, she was a former resident of 6066 Whitehorse Avenue, Hamilton Township.

Mrs. Myers was a retired decorator for the Lenox China Company, and the widow of Harry Myers.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Anna Rock of Trenton, and Mrs. Margaret Amisson of Westminster, Pa., and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be held Friday at 10:30 a.m. at the Kingston-Kemp Funeral Home, 260 Whitehorse Avenue with the Rev. Terry E. Fouse of the Yardville Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

Friends may call Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

daughter, Judith Ann, at home; two brothers, George of Clearwater, Fla. and Arthur of Milton, Del.; four sisters, Mrs. George Pepper of Manassquan, Mrs. Joseph Mazzeriello of Milton, Del., Mrs. Edna Hospador and Mrs. George Chadkowski, both of Perth Amboy.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m. Saturday from the Mather Funeral Home, 40 Vandeventer Avenue. Burial will be private. Friends may call from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Contributions may be made to the American Heart Fund.

### Albert M. Foy

LAMBERTVILLE — Albert M. Foy Sr., 68, of 45 Perry Street, died Sunday in Hunterdon Medical Center.

He was a lifelong Lambertville resident who retired in 1965 from the American Standard Company, of Trenton after 30 years as a caster. He belonged to the Royal Order of Moose 217 of Lambertville.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth A., four sons, Albert Jr., of Trenton, Phillip W. of Stockton, Kenneth S. of Lambertville, and Donald of New Hope; two daughters Miss Betty Jane of Hopewell, and Miss Patricia, at home; two brothers, Arthur and Harry, both of Lambertville; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Coombes of Lambertville, Mrs. Hazel Walker and Mrs. Marion Naylor, both of New Hope, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Van Horn Funeral Home, 21 York Street, with Dr. J. Clyde Henry, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Lambertville, officiating. Interment will be in Riverview Cemetery, Lambertville.

Friends may call Tuesday night at the funeral home.

### Ann Margerum

PRINCETON — Mrs. Ann E. Margerum, 59, of 46 Wilton Street, died Monday in the Merwick Unit of Princeton Medical Center.

She was a resident of the Princeton area most of her life.

Surviving are her husband, Frank P.; two daughters, Mrs. Joan Mayberry and Miss Nancy, both of Lawrenceville; three brothers, James and Frank Hutchinson of Hamilton Township and John of Ewing, and three grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at St. Paul's Church, Princeton, at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, with interment in Lawrenceville Cemetery.

Friends may call at Kimble Funeral Home, 1 Hamilton Avenue, Princeton, Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m.

Contributions may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Fund.

### Elizabeth Miller

WILMINGTON, Del. — Mrs. Elizabeth L. Miller, 85, of 1511 Athens Road, and formerly of Trenton and Beach Haven, died Monday in Wilmington General Hospital.

The widow of Charles Miller, she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Rhoda M. Schall of Wilmington, two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Frankel of Brooklyn, N.Y. and Miss Cecilia Lavine of Los Angeles, Calif., four grandchildren and a great grandchild.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Poulson and Van Hise Funeral Home, 408 Bellevue Avenue, Trenton.

Interment will be in the Adath Israel section of Fountain Lawn Cemetery.

### Mrs. Grace Karollo

BLOOMFIELD — Mrs. Grace Karollo, 63, of Park Avenue, and a former Trenton resident, died Monday.

She is survived by two sons; Joseph M. of California, and Charles Demmy of Cape Cod, Mass., and a daughter, Karen Eberling of Trenton; and two grandchildren.

Services will be held Wednesday at the Zarro Funeral Home, 143 Harrison Avenue, Bloomfield at 9 a.m. with a high mass at St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church Bellevue, at 10.

Interment will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Bloomfield.

Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m.

## Jurist poses six queries on bridge tolls

CAMDEN (AP) — A federal judge has announced he wants six questions answered before he decides whether bridge tolls over the Delaware River between New Jersey and the Philadelphia area should be trimmed from 65 cents to 55 cents.

U.S. Dist. Judge Stanley S. Brotman posed six queries to the Delaware River Port Authority, operator of the spans.

Judge Brotman asked: — Would the predicted financial loss result in curtailment of service by the authority?

— Would the trimmed tolls cause employe layoffs?

— Would the cuts mean "substantial impairment of the capital position" of the authority?

— Does the authority have any cushion in its budget for loss of revenue?

— What are the costs involved in the mechanics of cutting tolls, including changes in bridge signs?

— Would the authority be able to meet its bond commitments after the proposed roll backs?

The bridges are the Walt Whitman, the Betsy Ross and the Benjamin Franklin.

### McAfee boy killed

by high tension wire

McAfee (AP) — A 10-year-old boy was electrocuted by a high tension wire while playing in a tree near his home here, police said.

The victim was Kenneth L. Mathewson. Police said attempts were made to revive him at the scene of the accident last night.

## Trooper kills cyclist in turnpike scuffle

NEWARK (AP) — A 17-year-old motorcycle gang member was shot to death yesterday by a state trooper following a high-speed chase on the New Jersey Turnpike, state police said.

The cyclist, David I. Sansoni of the Bronx, was shot once in the head during a scuffle with Trooper Roger Heilemann. Sansoni's body was taken to Martland Medical Center for an autopsy, police said.

Authorities gave this account of the incident: Late Sunday, some 40 members of several motorcycle gangs entered the Turnpike's northbound lanes at Interchange 4 in Mount Laurel following a weekend party in Atco.

The cyclists spent the night at the Joyce Kilmer Service Area in East Brunswick after encountering heavy rains. Early yesterday, they continued north, stopping at the Admiral Halsey Service Area in Elizabeth, where they reportedly blocked the fuel pumps.

### Revised proposal

## DEP to air plans for Crossing park

By J. STRYKER MEYER Staff Writer

HARTS CORNER — Tonight the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) will go public with its short-range proposals for new facilities in the Washington Crossing State Park.

The 8 p.m. hearing comes two and a half months after it was revealed that DEP had \$8 million worth of plans for the park — all formed unbeknownst to Hopewell Township officials residents and county officials.

The latest DEP minimal development plan includes; an interpretive center — a historic and informational building, shortened park roads, the closing of three present entrances, transient camping facilities and additional parking facilities across from Sullivan's Grove.

Hopewell township residents and officials who had attacked the \$8 million plan, are awaiting tonight's meeting with skepticism, if what they've said at past meetings is any indicator.

"I hope they show up," Hopewell township Mayor Michael Arcieri said last week.

John Mauer, a Hopewell township resident recently said he doubts if the input of township residents will have any effect upon DEP "because they'll just do what they damn well please anyway."

Another group of DEP skeptics is the Washington Crossing Association — a group formed 13 years ago to help planning for the park.

The association apparently had more conservative plans for the improvement park than did DEP, according to a comparison of the association's \$200,000 Park improvement proposal and DEP's \$8 million proposal.

In an interview last May, Alfred T. Guido, the acting chief of environmental review for DEP said the state had worked with the association but "it would make the plans for the park." He couldn't be reached for comment yesterday.

Last June 6, at a meeting between governmental officials and David J. Bardin, the commissioner of DEP, Guido said he would advertise tonight's hearing.

According to township officials and association members they've received no announcement or advertisement from DEP about it.

At that same meeting Guido said he would give township officials DEP's revised plan on July 1. They received it July 16 according to Mayor Arcieri.

The direct intervention of Bardin and the protests of Hopewell officials and residents forced DEP to adopt new plans for the park.

Bardin was against the original plan because it created a 1776 landscape. Bardin favored contemporary development as well as historical.

Since the meeting, no one from DEP has mentioned how much money the new DEP plan calls for and whether not DEP will still try to put a sewage treatment plant into the park — an aspect of the Main-Runter plan which outraged Hopewell people, especially since the township had been trying to get a treatment facility of its own, approved, by DEP, since 1971, Arcieri said.

## Rumor sparks melee in Va., 8 cops hurt


CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — Police say eight officers were injured and at least six blacks were arrested in a disturbance touched off by rumors that a 12-year-old boy arrested by police had been beaten.

The injured included Police Chief John DeK. Bowen, who was hit on the hand by a brick.

Police said Ptl. Richard Petty received a minor wound in the right foot from a small caliber bullet and that the other injured officers were hurt by flying rocks, bricks and bottles.

The disturbance last night centered around the predominantly black Westhaven public housing project.

Police said most of the injuries and arrests came as some 120 officers, including riot-equipped state troopers with dogs, moved in with tear gas to disperse crowds that gathered after the youth's arrest.



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1 Death Notices

**McCAULEY**  
In this city on the 19th inst., William H., husband of the late Cynthia (Dorrah) McCauley, in the 74th year of his age. The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the Edward J. Douress Funeral Service, 325 Centre St., on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Mass of Christian Burial will be in St. Hedwig's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Friends may call 6 to 9 P.M. tonight.

**PERKOWSKI**  
In Plainville, Long Island, New York, July 21, 1925, Stanley Perkowski, age 66, husband of the late Stephanie Lenczewski, Perkowski, of 1425 Old Country Road, Plainville, Long Island, New York and the father of Casimir Perkowski of Roosevelt, New Jersey and Mrs. Robert Judson of Stratford, Conn. Services of 9:30 A.M. Thursday at the John J. Actina Funeral Home, 5 Franklin St., Ansonia, Conn., and of 9 A.M. for a Mass of Christian Burial at St. Joseph's Church, Ansonia, Conn. will be in St. Michael's Cemetery, Derby, Conn. Calling hours will be Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 P.M. Contributions in his memory may be made to the Copcer Fund through the Funeral Director.

2 Cards of Thanks

**SCHNEE**  
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy during our recent bereavement. Mr. & Mrs. William Schnee & family.

### Doris Strouse

ROEBLING — Mrs. Doris M. Lippincott Strouse, 51, of 114 Fifth Avenue, died Monday in St. Francis Medical Center.

She was born in Florence and resided in Roebling for 25 years.

A member of the Holy Assumption Catering Committee, she also belonged to the Altar and Rosary Society.

Widow of Richard Strouse, she is survived by a daughter, Sharon, at home, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lippincott of Florence; two foster children, Frances Baehr of Mount Holly, and Linda Lorenz of Evansville; two sisters, Miss Lillian Lippincott of Florence and Mrs. Edna Sanson of Burlington; two brothers, Louis Lippincott of Florence and Robert of Burlington and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be held Thursday at 8:45 a.m. at the Koschek Funeral Home, Hornberger Avenue, with a funeral mass an hour later in Holy Assumption Church. Interment will be in the parish cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Eunice Potter

Services for Mrs. Eunice Pratt Potter, 78, of Hamilton Township, who died Monday in Donnelly Memorial Hospital, will be held on Thursday at 11 a.m. from the Yardville Memorial Chapel, 30 Yardville-Allentown Road, Yardville. The Rev. George H. Murphy will officiate.

A lifelong area resident, Mrs. Potter was a member of the Broad Street Park United Methodist Church and the Ladies Auxiliary of Yardville VFW Post No. 491.

Widow of Herschel E. Potter, she is survived by four sons, Charles H. Potter of Trenton, John W. Potter of Bordentown Township, Herschel E. Potter of Ewing Township and Arthur H. Potter of Allentown; two daughters, Mrs. M. J. Maher of Essington, Pa. and Mrs. E. H. Shields of Hamilton Square; two sisters, Miss Alma Pratt and Mrs. Walter R. Edwards, both of Hamilton Township; nine grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Interment will be in Colonial Memorial Park.

Friends may call Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the Yardville Memorial Chapel fund. The Ladies Auxiliary will conduct services at 7:30 p.m.

### Rose G. Archer

Rose G. Archer, 51, of 41 Vine Lane, Levittown died yesterday at St. Mary's Hospital in Middletown Township.

Born in Trenton, Mrs. Archer was a member of St. Joseph the Worker Church. Mrs. Archer served in the Medical Division of the WACS during World War II.

Mrs. Archer is survived by her husband, Winfield S. Archer, Jr.; one son, Winfield S. Archer, 3d.; two daughters, Madonna Rose Archer and Lisa Marie Archer; one grandson Winfield S. Archer 4th, two sisters Mrs. Margaret DiNatale of Trenton and Mrs. Nora Westfall of Iowa, and one brother Frank Green of Trenton.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, 9 a.m. at Beck-O'Neal-Strouse home, 7400 Newportville Road, Levittown.

Interment will be at Resurrection Cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday 7-9 p.m.

### Mary Gurka

HOPEWELL — Mrs. Mary Gurka, 86, of Grandview Avenue died Monday at the Foothill Acres Nursing Home in Neshanic.

Born in Czechoslovakia, she resided in Hopewell for 55 years and was a member of the First Catholic Slovak Union.

The widow of Stephen Gurka, she is survived by three sons; Stephen J. and John J., both of Hopewell, and Iam of Oakland; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Votus of Hanford, Cal.; a brother, John Kotus of Czechoslovakia; two sisters, Mrs. Rose Tluta of Carters, and Mrs. Anna Watson of Wallon, N.Y.; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Cromwell Memorial Home, 71 East Prospect Street, with a funeral mass at St. Alphonsus Church at 11. Interment will be in Highland Cemetery.

Friends may call Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

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