

Obituaries

Alfred S. Lopes

MIDDLEBORO — Alfred S. Lopes, 55, of 4 Cottage Court died unexpectedly at home yesterday. He was the husband of Elizabeth (Gaffney) Lopes and the son of Mary (Silvia) Lopes of Taunton and the late Antone Lopes.

He was born in Taunton and lived in Middleboro 27 years. He was a communicant of Sacred Heart Church. He was employed by the Cardi Corporation as a construction supervisor.

Mr. Lopes was a 1946 graduate of Taunton High School and a member of the Middleboro Lodge of Elks and was manager of the Sabers Drum Corps.

Survivors include his widow; his mother; three daughters, Maribeth Murphy, Carolyn Enos and Kathryn Lopes, all of Middleboro; two brothers, Albert and Anthony, both of Taunton; a sister, M. Eleanor Oliveira of Acushnet; and four grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Ashley Funeral Home, 35 Oak St.

Edward H. Jennings

NEW BEDFORD — Edward H. Jennings, 68, of New Bedford died yesterday after a long illness. He was the husband of Pauline Rita (Charette) Jennings.

He died at St. Luke's Hospital.

He was a lifelong New Bedford resident and a communicant of St. James Church. He formerly was employed by Morse Twist Drill and more recently at the former Gulf Hill Dairy as a special delivery man, retiring in 1977.

Mr. Jennings served in the Army during World War II.

Survivors include his widow; two sons, Edward H. Jr. of Fairhaven and Michael D. of Mattapoisett; three daughters, Susan R. Mull of Rochester, Cynthia A. Hamlet of New Bedford, and Paula E. Jennings of East Freetown; two sisters, Amelina C. Jennings of New Bedford and Frances L. Durant of South Dartmouth; and four grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Daniel F. Dwyer Funeral Home, 127 Chestnut St.

Joseph Siegel, 59, dentist, teacher, civic leader

NEW BEDFORD — Dr. Joseph Siegel, 59, of 471 Rockdale Ave. died Tuesday after a long illness. He was the son of the late Max and Rose (Pearlman) Siegel.

He died at St. Luke's Hospital.

He was born in Boston and lived in New Bedford 25 years. He was a member of Tifereth Israel Synagogue.

Mr. Siegel was a lieutenant in the Navy dental corps from 1950-52.

Mr. Siegel was a 1945 graduate of Tufts College and 1949 graduate of Tufts Dental School. He was former commander of the Jewish War Veterans; former president of the New Bedford Dental Society, 1957-58; a professor of dental hygiene at Bristol Community College's department of dental hygiene; and former chief of the department of dentistry at St. Luke's Hospital, 1961-67.

He was a member of the New Bedford Jewish Convalescent Home, the American Dental Association, the Greater Boston Dental Association and the American Association of University Professors.

Survivors include three daughters, Maxine Siegel of Washington, D.C., Jayne Benjamin of Las Vegas, and Karen Siegel of White Plains, N.Y.; and a brother, Dr. Robert Siegel of North Dartmouth.

Arrangements are by the Fisher Memorial Chapel, 422 No. Main St., Fall River.

Viola A. Hebert

NEW BEDFORD — Viola A. Hebert, 57, of 104 Worcester St. died yesterday after a long illness.

She died at St. Luke's Hospital.

She was a lifelong New Bedford resident and a communicant of St. Mary Church. She was employed by the Acushnet Co. Golf Ball Division for 37 years until retiring due to illness.

Miss Hebert was a member of the Apcoite Club.

Survivors include her lifelong friends, with whom she made her home, Doris and Armand Desjardins of New Bedford.

Arrangements are by the Silva-Carrier Funeral Home, 287 Sawyer St.

Doris Edge

NEW BEDFORD — Doris (Clarke) Edge, 82, formerly of 104 Howard Ave., died yesterday after a long illness. She was the widow of Peter Edge and the daughter of the late George and Fanny (Downs) Clarke.

She died at Savoy Convalescent Home.

She was born in Stockport, England, she lived in New Bedford, moved to New York for 27 years, then returned to New Bedford. She was a member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Survivors include three sons, D. Ronald of New Bedford, Russell C. of Acushnet and Gordon of Chatsworth, Calif.; two daughters, Bertha Pageotte of New Bedford and Dorothy Stevenson of Hampton, Ga.; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Arrangements are by the Donaghy Funeral Home, 465 County St.