

RUTH VIEIRA

4/14/86 TG
Ruth A. (Stanley) Vieira, 71, of 60 Staples St., East Taunton, died Saturday at Morton Hospital following a brief illness. She was the widow of Joseph C. Vieira.

Born in Somerset, she was the daughter of the late Samuel B. and Louise (Hicks) Stanley. She spent the greater part of her life in Taunton, moving to East Taunton 11 years ago.

She leaves four daughters, Mrs. Pauline Woodward of Fall River, Mrs. Richard (Mary) Nason and Elsie Vieira, both of East Taunton, and Mrs. Robert (Louise) Benson of Taunton; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

GEORGE FERREIRA

Police officers found George Ferreira, 57, of 5 Mason St., dead in his home at 2:20 p.m. Thursday after a neighbor reported he had not been seen for a few days.

After performing an autopsy last night, Medical Examiner Dr. William H. Bennett Jr. determined his death was due to natural causes.

Officials suspect he died Tuesday.

Born in Taunton, he was the son of the late Julian and Mary (Fonseca) Ferreira.

After living in Norton for a few years, he returned to Taunton in 1947. He had lived in Taunton ever since.

Formerly employed as a textile finisher at the Defiance Bleachery in Norton.

He is survived by two brothers, Milton Ferreira of Taunton, and David Ferreira of Patterson, N.J.; and one niece, Susan Ferreira of Taunton. 4/12/86 TG

ADELINO FERNANDES

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BROCKTON — Adelino ("Ed-die") Fernandes, 85, of Brockton died Wednesday at Cardinal Cushing Hospital here, following a short illness. He was the husband of Evelyn E. (Travers) Fernandes.

He was employed at Quinn Freighting in Brockton until his retirement.

Born in Brazil, he lived in Brockton 34 years. He was a communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter, Mrs. Mary Moniz of Norton; a sister, Augusta Moniz of Venezuela; three grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

ROSE PERRY

PROVIDENCE, R.I. — Rose M. (Leite) Perry, 64, of 8 Blinn's Ct., Taunton, Mass., died Tuesday at Rhode Island Hospital, following a long illness. She was the wife of Kendall M. Perry.

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She was employed as a licensed occupational therapist at Taunton State Hospital for 21 years until her retirement in 1984.

She was educated in Taunton schools, and was a communicant of St. Anthony's Church.

A native and lifelong resident of Taunton, she was the daughter of the late Jaime F. and Evageline (Pimental) Leite.

In addition to her husband, she leaves a son, James Medeiros of Winchester, Va.; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Medeiros, Mrs. Evangeline Benoit, Mrs. Alice Cazemiro, all of Taunton, and Mrs. Donald (Madeline) Coelho of Raynham; four grandchildren; and several nephews and nieces.

FRANCISCO FERNANDES

Francisco Fernandes, 66, of 21 Greenwood St., Dorchester, formerly of Taunton, died suddenly in his home Friday morning.

He was the husband of Josephine (Pina) Fernandes.

Born in Providence, R.I., he was the son of the late Peter and Phoebe (Gomes) Fernandes.

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He moved to Taunton as a child and was educated in Taunton schools. He moved to Dorchester 20 years ago.

A World War II army veteran, he worked as a member of the Laborer's International Union of North America Local #22 for many years until his retirement in 1982.

In addition to his wife he is survived by three sons, Robert Cabino of Hawaii, Skipper Fernandes of East Providence, and Reginald Fernandes of Dorchester; two daughters, Sharyn Imonti of Boston, and Jacqueline Ming of Providence; two brothers, Walter Fernandes of Taunton, and Peter Fernandes of South Carver; and three sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Margaret) Johnson of Dorchester, Mrs. Caesar (Catherine) Wright of Providence, and Mrs. Darwin (Vene) Phillips of Taunton.

JOHN WHITE

John White, 82, of 31 School St., husband of the late Mary (Thomas) White, died in Morton Hospital yesterday following a short illness.

Born in St. Michael, Azores, he was son of the late Manuel and Mary (Perry) White. He and his family came to Dighton from Portugal when he was three, and moved to Taunton 50 years ago.

He worked for many years as a custodian for Wheaton College until his retirement 12 years ago.

He was a communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

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He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Raymond (Louise) Menard of North Dighton, Mrs. Manuel (Stella) Silveira of Taunton, and Mrs. Adrian (Joanne) Arruda of Raynham; three sisters, Mrs. Edward (Rose) Andrade, Mrs. Jeannie Cunha and Mrs. Alice Medeiros, all of Taunton; 11 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Gonsalves, 49; was bartender at McGrath's

4/21/86 TG
James Gonsalves Jr., 49, of 19 Berkley St., a bartender at McGrath's for many years, died Sunday at Morton Hospital following a short illness.

He was a member of McGrath's Fishing Club and McGrath's Softball Club, "The Gulls."

He had been a member of the City of Taunton Democratic Committee for Ward 6A and was Rep. Theodore J. Aleixo Jr.'s campaign coordinator for the Weir Village.

His other activities included membership in the Portuguese-American Civic Club, the Italian Naturalization Society, and the Walker School Volunteer Program.

A communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes Church, he was born in Taunton, son of the late James and Antonia (Monteiro) Gonsalves.

Surviving are two brothers, Alfred V. Gonsalves and Robert Gonsalves, both of Taunton; seven sisters, Mrs. Hector (Anna) Barros of New Bedford, Mrs. Joseph (Mary Lou) Antone, Mrs. Manuel (Isabela) Monteiro, and Mrs. Albert (Antonia) Monteiro, all of Newport, R.I., and Mrs. Harry (Dolores) Barboza, Mrs. Robert (Jo-Ann) Lopes, and Mrs. Hilda Avellar, all of Taunton; and several nephews, nieces, great-nephews, and great-nieces.