

Obituaries

Former Syracuse musician dies in California Sunday

Marvin ("Rocky") Stone, 69, 30265 Carmel Rd., Sun City, Calif., 92381, died Sunday, Oct. 4, 1987, at 6 a.m. California time. Death was of an apparent heart attack. Stone moved to Syracuse from California in 1965 and then moved back to California six months ago.

Stone was a musician who got his break in 1937 when he started doing stage shows with cowboy star Gene Autry. In 1939, he played backup for Tex Ritter in a recording session. He went on to become a well-respected string artist, especially for his fiddle playing, traveling throughout the West Coast. He was guitarist with the Rocky Stone Trio. He retired from his professional career in 1957.

Stone was a member of the Living Gospel Church in Nappanee.

Surviving are his wife, Claudine Gose Stone of Sun City; one daughter, Mrs. Susan Davis, California, and four grandchildren. He was preceded in death by one brother.

Services will be held tomorrow, Thursday, at 1 p.m. in Sun City Bible Church with burial following in the Veterans National Cemetery, California.

Evans Brown Mortuary, Sun City, was in charge of arrangements.

Ira Shue

Leslie Ira Shue, 67, r 2, Leesburg, died at 2:15 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 30, 1987, at 2:15 p.m. in Rush Memorial Hospital, Rushville. Death was unexpected.

He was the son of Sherman and Catherine (Davis) Shue and was born on December 4, 1919, in Oswego. He married Marjorie Geiger on June 13, 1943. She survives.

Shue had been a lifetime resident of the Oswego area. He was a member of the First Baptist Church, Oswego, a Navy veteran of World War II, member of the Warsaw American Legion, and a charter member and past president of the Mid-Lakes Lions Club, Oswego. In 1982, he retired from the Dana Corp., the old Weatherhead Co. in Syracuse, after 30 years where he had been a tool grinder. For more than 20 years, he and his wife were co-owners and operators of Shue's Curiosity Shop in Oswego.

Surviving with his wife are two sons, David Shue, Warsaw, and Greg Shue, Oswego; seven grandchildren; and one brother, Ray Shue, Warsaw. He was preceded in death by three brothers and two sisters.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 3, in the First Baptist Church, Oswego, with Rev. Roy Mickley, pastor, officiating. Burial followed in the Oswego Cemetery.

Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, was in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, Oswego.



ROCKY STONE

Ruben Schmucker

Ruben Schmucker, 79, r 3, Beach Rd., Nappanee, stepfather of Homer Miller, Milford, pressroom foreman of The Papers Incorporation, died Friday, Oct. 2, 1987, at 5 a.m. at his home. He had been in failing health since February.

Born in Nappanee on October 9, 1907, he was the son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Yoder) Schmucker. His first marriage was to Mary Rink on August 27, 1927. She preceded him in death on March 8, 1968. On June 26, 1971, he married Polly Miller. She survives.

Schmucker had been a lifetime resident of the Nappanee area. In 1946, he started and still operated Schmucker's LP Gas Store west of Nappanee. He was also a member of the Nappanee United Methodist Church.

Additional survivors include one daughter, Mary Lou Trux, Nappanee; one son, Clifton (Butch) Free, Albuquerque, N.M.; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Walt (Betty) Ferrell, Foraker; four additional stepsons, Walter Miller and Vernon Miller, Nappanee; Andrew Miller, Bremen, Lloyd Miller, New Paris; two grandchildren; one great-grandson; and 15 stepgrandchildren. Five brothers and one sister are deceased.

Services were held Monday, Oct. 5, at 10:30 a.m. in the Nappanee United Methodist Church with Rev. Nancy Schoff and Rev. James Willey officiating. Burial followed in the South Union Cemetery, Nappanee.

Thompson & Yoder Funeral Home, Nappanee, was in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the Nappanee United Methodist Church building fund.

Viola Homes

Services will be held tomorrow, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. in Brenneman Memorial Missionary

Jean Gregory

Mrs. Jean Gregory, 55, r 1, Pierceton, sister of Mrs. Denny (Lucinda) Bowling, North Webster, died at 7:25 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4, 1987, in Parkview

Memorial Hospital in Fort Wayne. She had been in ill health for one and one-half years.

She was born in Allen County, Ky., on February 3, 1932, the daughter of Adam Dewey and Mary (Meador) Brown. On June 5, 1951, she married Wendel Gregory. He survives.

For more than 25 years, she owned and operated Jean's Beauty Salon in Oswego. She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Oswego. In 1953, she moved from Tucson, Ariz., to the Warsaw area.

Surviving with her husband and sister are two daughters, Mrs. Linda Sausman and Mrs. Ken (Brenda) Collins, both of Warsaw; four grandchildren; three additional sisters, Mrs. Harold (Betty) Gregory, Gallatin, Tenn., and Mrs. Frances Sloane and Mrs. Joyce Barrett, both of Scottsville, Ky.; and one brother, Donald C. Brown, Columbia City. She was preceded in death by one son, one daughter, and one stepson.

Friends may call today, Wednesday, at McHatton-Sadler Funeral Home, Warsaw, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Services will be held there tomorrow, Thursday, at 2 p.m. with Rev. David Colgan and Rev. Mike Basden officiating. Burial will be in Rice Cemetery, Elkhart.

Services were held today, Wednesday, at 1 p.m. in Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, with Rev. Roy Mickley, pastor of the Oswego First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial followed in Oswego Cemetery.

Margaret Nine

Graveside services were held this morning, Wednesday, at 11 a.m. in Oakwood Cemetery for Mrs. Margaret Nine, 77, 321 North Cedar St., Warsaw. The mother of Mrs. William D. (Linda) Haney, Syracuse, she died unexpectedly at 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4, 1987, in Kosciusko Community Hospital.

Mrs. Nine was born in Hicksville, Defiance County, Ohio, on June 22, 1910, the daughter of Thomas and Sarah (Gilbert) McCalla. On December 24, 1929, she married Ralph Nine in Hicksville. He preceded her in death on July 7, 1964.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Warsaw, and the Senior Citizens, both of Warsaw and Pierceton.

Also surviving are two sons, Russell L. Nine, Claypool, and Donald Nine, West Palm Beach, Fla.; one brother, Forrest McCalla, Newton, Kan.; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Officiating at the service was Rev. Lester Young.

Chamness Funeral Home, Warsaw, was in charge of arrangements.

Charles E. Hand

Charles E. Hand, 89, r 9, Warsaw, stepfather of Betty Jean Hall, Milford, died Monday, Oct. 5, at 3:30 p.m. in Mason Health Care Center. He had been ill for two weeks.

Hand was born on June 25, 1898, in Bourbon, the son of William and Lula (Fribbley) Hand. He married Minnie Helbing in 1919. She died in 1942. On June 18, 1966, he married Grace Eherenman.

Assuming that a parent is capable of limiting himself/herself to using physical punishment in a manner consistent with these guidelines, there

are still other issues that ought to be considered in deciding whether to use spanking.

Perhaps most important is that they try hard to put greater energy into encouraging and rewarding good behavior. The child cannot be both bad and good at the same time, so if one spends more time encouraging good behavior, bad behavior will become less frequent as a result. In this case, the parent may find less and less need to use punishment. Many studies have shown that children respond much better to encouragement and rewards for good behavior than they do to being punished for bad behavior.

Children who are victims of physical punishment tend to become increasingly aggressive themselves. The child becomes angry when hit, just as any adult will become angry if struck by another person. The angry child may act out this anger through aggressive behavior or by becoming more and more stubborn and uncooperative. It is important to be aware that in the act of spanking, the parent, whom the child most likely admires and imitates, becomes an example of violence. The child most likely views the situation this way: "My daddy hits me, so when I hit I'm being just like my daddy."

Physical punishment has been shown to be ineffective at limiting undesirable behavior. Often the child does not stop the bad behavior, rather she/he learns how to do it without getting caught. The child may become quite adept at avoiding this painful punishment, by lying, for example. In short, physical punishment may bring about more problems than it cures. In addition to the problems described above, some children become quite fearful and insecure, and they can come to feel badly about themselves. All of these problems become especially acute when physical punishment is used frequently or when it is severe or abusive.

After thinking about these ideas regarding physical punishment, many parents may find themselves wondering what they should do instead. There are alternatives, but all involve making a commitment to learn new approaches and to attempt to become positive and creative.



WOODS PARKING NEAR TIPPECANOE LAKE — Damage to this car was estimated between \$2,500 and \$5,000 as a result of an accident at 11:15 a.m., Oct. 1, on CR 300E, one half mile north of Oswego.

John Christian, 38, Syracuse, received a bump on the head and was treated and released at Goshen Hospital. He lost control of his vehicle which struck a tree and mailbox owned by Joe Yoder, r 2, Leesburg, and careened into the woods where it struck a tree. (Photo by Glen Long)

Humanly speaking —

Should I spank my kids?

By RICHARD E. RUHROLD, PH.D.
Staff Psychologist
Bowen Center

library on being a good parent. Also, the Department of Public Welfare has many helpful programs that can be made available upon request without charge. Call the Bowen Center for more information or to make an appointment, 267-7169 or toll free, 1-800-342-5653.

United Methodist Church news

The United Methodist Women from the Milford United Methodist Church will meet at Nancy Newcomer's home on Thursday, Oct. 8, with Caroline Wilson serving as assistant hostess. The focus of the program will be a pledge service led by Mary Duncan and Vi Miller will conduct the installation of officers. Each lady is asked to take six cookies to be delivered to shut-ins.

The UW annual preference meeting will be at Kokomo High School on Saturday, Oct. 10, beginning at 8 a.m. The Worship Committee will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 13.

Hospitality time after worship service on Sunday, Oct. 4, was hosted by Bob and Marilyn Brown.

Tomato topping

Toss seasoned bread crumbs with butter and use for a topping for tomato halves. Broil until tinged with brown.

U-STORE WAREHOUSES

Milford —
Behind Laundromat
658-9331

Hospital Notes

Goshen

TUESDAY, SEPT. 29

Admissions
James R. Stoliker, r 5 box 122, Syracuse

Richard D. Smith, PO Box 184, Milford

Dismissals
Janine E. Smeltzer and infant son, Carl Eugene, 513 S. Main Street, Syracuse

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Christopher M. Ousley, r 1 box 256-J, Leesburg

MONDAY, OCT. 5

Admissions
Bert L. Plew, PO Box 129, North Webster

Joseanne Jernigan, r 1 box 31, Milford

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MONDAY, SEPT. 28

Admissions
Roy C. Spry, North Webster

Dismissals
Marlena G. Harman, Leesburg

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 30

Admissions
Brenda L. Green, Leesburg

Dismissals
Roy C. Spry, North Webster

THURSDAY, OCT. 1

Admissions
Carol J. Gamble, Leesburg

Jennifer A. Wentworth, Leesburg

BIRTHS

WENTWORTH, Evan James

Mr. and Mrs. Steven (Jennifer) Wentworth, r 1 box 121, Leesburg, are the parents of a son, Evan James, born at 9:18 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 1, in Kosciusko Community Hospital. He weighed six pounds, two ounces, and measured 19 inches long. Evan James has a sister, Allison Jane, four.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon (Patricia) Jacob, Walkerton. Paternal grandmother is Jane Wentworth, Pittsfield, Mass. Paternal great-grandmother is Alice Hellwell, also of Pittsfield.

DISMISSESS

Jennifer A. Wentworth and infant son, Leesburg

FRIDAY, OCT. 2

Dismissals
Gerold L. Boger, r 1 box 18, Syracuse

Jerry W. Brandon, PO Box 133, Leesburg

Dismissals
Walter Wuthrich, PO Box 487, Milford

FRIDAY, OCT. 2

Dismissals
Gerold L. Boger, r 1 box 18, Syracuse

Jerry W. Brandon, PO Box 133, Leesburg

Dismissals
Luanne Huff, r 1 box 139, Syracuse

MILFORD MAN IN GOSHEN HOSPITAL

Richard Smith, Milford, was a patient in Goshen Hospital since Tuesday, Sept. 29. He was released this morning, Wednesday, Oct. 7, after undergoing treatment.

JULIE HEPLER HAS SURGERY

Julie Hepler, Syracuse, underwent surgery yesterday, Tuesday, Oct. 6, in Kosciusko Community Hospital. She will remain in the hospital the remainder of this week and is in Room 427.

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COQUILLARD son
Mr. and Mrs. George (Mandie) Coquillard, 113 W. Carroll Street, Syracuse, are the parents of a son born Sunday, Oct. 4, in Goshen Hospital.

SUNDAY, OCT. 4

Dismissals
Brenda L. Green and infant son, Leesburg

Cards Of Thanks

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