

Death Notices

Robert Coleman

ELMIRA | Robert "Bob" Coleman, 80, of East Second Street, Corning, died Sunday, Jan. 10, 2010 at Arnot Ogden Medical Center.
He retired as a mason tender for Corning Inc.
Survivors include his wife, Josephine Coleman; three daughters, Judy Travis, Marie Coleman and Donna Roe, all of Corning; a sister, Shirley Hartnett of Endicott.
Calling hours are 1-3 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. today at Haughey

Funeral Home, 216 E. First St., Corning.
A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Vincent de Paul Church, Corning.
Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Rodney E. Wilson Sr.

CORNING | Rodney E. Wilson Sr., 54, of Corning, died Monday, Jan. 11, 2010.
He was a supervisor for Thomas and Betts in Horseheads.
Survivors include his wife,

Dawn M. Wilson of Corning; a son, Rodney E. Wilson Jr. of Corning; a daughter, Shelby L. Wilson of Corning; his mother, Emma Wilson of Corning; seven siblings, Myron Wilson, Sherry Sankey, Penny Rader and Melvin Sankey, all of Corning, Karen Ellis of Holland, Mich., Dale Phillips of Allen, Texas, and Dennis Wilson of Grover, Pa.
Calling hours are 2-4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. Friday at Carpenter's Funeral Home, 14 E. Pulteney St. Services will be held there at 11 a.m. Saturday.
Burial will be in Rural Home Cemetery, Big Flats.

MACHINES

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"We never took possession," Alger said. "They're ours because the state said they're ours."

The state turned the machines over to the county several years ago, as a part of implementing the voting reforms in the Help America Vote Act.

State law still allows the lever machines to be used for village and school elections. But voters in federal, state, county and town elections must use the new, electronic machines, now housed in the old county health care facility.

Legislator Scott Van Etten, R-Caton, said Steuben has responsibility for the old machines whether it wants it or not.

"Telling them the county washed its hands, I don't think that's responsible," said Van Etten, a former Caton town supervisor. "If they don't want them, we shouldn't shirk the responsibility."

County Board of Elections Republican Commissioner Veronica Olin told the committee her office has one lever machine. "We're kind of hoping maybe the historical society wants it," she said.

At the suggestion of Administration Committee Chairman Pat McAllister, R-Wayland, the committee agreed to give towns 60 days to decide whether they want to keep the machines to use in village or school elections, to sell or to donate.

At the end of the 60 days, the committee can determine what to do with any unwanted machines, McAllister said.

In a related issue, Olin told the committee the county's decision to use the new machines in the 2009 election brought in additional state funding.

The extra state money allowed the Board of Elections to pay off the cost of several system updates, amounting to nearly \$81,000, according to Olin.

FACILITY

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tanks and equipment to inject wastewater from Marcellus Shale operations in Pennsylvania and New York into the well, according to application documents submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency this fall.

The Bergstresser well is about 6,000-feet deep, well below drinking water sources and Keuka Lake, Weber said.

The state Department of Environmental Conservation will assume the role of lead agency for the project's review, Weber said. The town's planning board will also review the project, as a special use permit would be required under Pulteney's zoning laws.

All documents associated with Chesapeake's application will be avail-

able for public review at Pulteney Town Hall, and public hearings will likely be held before the project is approved, Weber said.

Weber stressed he will recuse himself from any decisions involving Chesapeake and the town, since the company he works for has a business relationship with Chesapeake.

Wastewater disposal has been a key issue as the Southern Tier prepares for the potential Marcellus Shale boom. The process used to tap the deep Marcellus formation, known as high-pressure horizontal hydraulic fracturing, of "fracking," generates high volumes of wastewater.

There is a well-documented shortage of treatment plants in New York able to handle wastewater from the anticipated Marcellus boom. Injection

GOP

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"It doesn't address the nature of the chemicals we are going to pump into the wells," Massa said. "It doesn't tell you what they are. It doesn't tell you what surface water will be used to get the hundreds of millions of gallons you need to combine with the chemicals to make the hydrofracking solution. It doesn't say what you do with the hydrofracking fluid that comes back to the surface. Roughly 50 percent of everything you put down the hole comes back up."

Cox said Massa is one of the seats in Congress currently being held by Democrats that Republicans are eyeing.

"The really big issue is, have people had enough?" Cox said. "Have we had enough of big government programs in Washington? Have we had enough of a stimulus bill, which has done nothing but stimulate the president's partisan constituencies? Have we had enough of new taxes like the

Cap and Trade bill?"

Cox said that despite Massa voting against the Cap and Trade bill, the Democratic health care reform bill, the surge in Afghanistan and the Troubled Asset Relief Program (TARP), Massa is a Washington insider who will stand by his party.

"He's part of that Democratic majority that's putting those unfunded mandates on New York state," Cox said. "He may be trying to act like a Republican, but in the end the people in the 29th Congressional District are going to want the real deal and that's Tom Reed."

Reed, who is challenging Massa for the 29th Congressional District, said Cox has energized state Republicans.

"What I've seen in the chairman I've seen differently from different chairmen is I'm seeing Ed Cox," Reed said. "I'm seeing him in Western New York. I'm seeing him in upstate New York. I'm seeing him at events from Olean to Rochester to Corning. He's showing up across the state. It should send a message to the people in the party."

TAX

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Hammondsport is one of two villages in the state that begin the budget year in March. Most villages submit budgets on the same annual schedule as cities, in May. Hammondsport's budget must be in place by February.

It will be the second year village residents will be able to pay their property taxes in installments.

Last year trustees agreed to give owners the option of paying their taxes in full during the first installment period, March 1-31.

The second installment date is July 1-31, with no penalties charged for the July payment.

OBITUARIES

SUSIE M. NUSOM

CORNING, NY | Susie M. Nusom 91 years formerly of Beaver Dams, NY and Founders Pavilion died Monday January 11, 2010 at Corning Hospital.

She was born June 7, 1918 in Big Flats, NY the daughter of the late Chester and Susie Smith.

She attended the Quakenbush School and was a lifetime resident of the area.

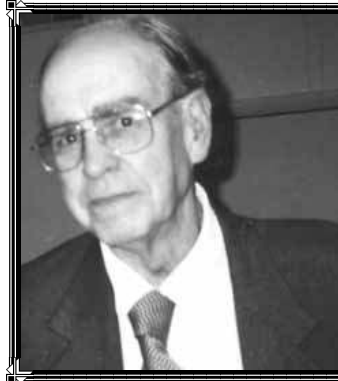
Susie's first husband was Robert Nusom whom predeceased her in 1944. Her second husband Kenneth Reynolds predeceased her in 1976.

Surviving her son, Chester (Trudy) Nusom of Corning, NY and Edwin (Tammy) Reynolds of Hodgenville, Kentucky. Daughter, Dianna (Don) Robinson of Lawrenceville, PA. Granddaughters, Shannon Robinson and Alexandria Nusom and

Grandsons, Robert Nusom and Kenneth (Lakhria) Reynolds. Great Grandson, Shawn Reynolds.

Friends may call at the Haughey Funeral Home, 216 E. First St., Corning, NY. Friday January 15, 2010 from 3-4pm with a Funeral Service to follow at 4:00pm. Deacon Dave LaFortune officiating.

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Interment will be held in the family plot at Niles Valley Cemetery, Niles Valley, PA.

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in HONOR OF
GROVER O. PAYNE
SATURDAY, JANUARY 16th AT 1:00pm
AT THE HARVEST BAPTIST CHURCH
(ACROSS FROM IRA DAVENPORT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL)
ROUTE 54, BATH NY

HE WAS FORMERLY A RESIDENT OF ATLANTA AND AVOCA, NY AND HAD WORKED AT FOSTER WHEELER FOR OVER 39 YEARS.

Memorials and Honorariums

December 2009

In memory of
Clifford Blencowe
Dr. and Mrs.
Paul W. Bennett

In honor of
Rev. Lewis Brown
Mrs. Eleanor Nasser

In memory of
Courtney & Lillian Burrell
Mrs. Marilyn Sue Caward

In memory of
Frances M. Carter
Mrs. William H. Dumbaugh

In memory of
Barney & Kate Croft
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of
Josie DeWisteleare
Mrs. Eleanor Nasser

In memory of **John & Mary Evelyn Graham**
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of **Father Fredrick Greninger**
Dr. and Mrs.
Vincent J. Sementilli

In memory of
Bert Gunnison
Donald and Barbara Deats

In memory of **Doris Hares**
Mr. and Mrs.
George B. Boettner
Mrs. William H. Dumbaugh

In memory of
John S. Hart
John and Becky Stranges

In honor of
Ms. Dorothy Hayes
Mrs. Eleanor Nasser

In memory of
Grace P. Hoover
Nancy L.E. Andrews and family

In memory of **Jean and Julle Iocco**
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of
Michael Jeronimo
Dr. Donald R. Dolan, Jr.

In memory of **Rick Jones' birthday January 27**
Mr. and Mrs.
Robert S. Jones

In memory of
Cynthia Krol
Northside Blodgett Middle School Staff Assoc.

In honor of **Sandy & Charles Lepkowski**
Mrs. Eleanor Nasser

In memory of
Marjorie & Floyd Lewis
Ms. Kathryn E. Lewis

In honor of **Jean Iocco Lymphadema patients, supporters & staff**
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of
Father Neil Miller
Dr. and Mrs.
Vincent J. Sementilli

In memory of **Elijah Nist**
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of
Robin Oakley
Corning Fish & Game Club, Inc

In memory of
Francis O'Connor
Mr. & Mrs. David E. Iocco

In memory of
Rev. Gerald T. O'Connor
Mr. and Mrs.
George B. Boettner
Dr. and Mrs. Vincent J. Sementilli

In memory of
Dr. Jack O'Neil
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Mrs. Eleanor Nasser
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In honor of
Margaret Petro
Mrs. Eleanor Nasser

In memory of
Daphne Rothermel
Mr. Joseph J. Rothermel

In memory of
Dorothy Scheb
Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Roll

In memory of
Susan M. Serdula
Mrs. William H. Dumbaugh

In memory of **Richard Thompson**
Elwood & Ann Newman

In memory of **Margaret 'Meg' Whitney**
Dr. and Mrs.
Milton C. Lapp
Mr. and Mrs.
Arthur C. Rutan
Dr. and Mrs.
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