

World War II veteran

Avon Lake.

He enjoyed golfing, fishing and aquariums.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Charlotte (nee Behnke); sister, Helen Nagy of Bradenton, Fla.; and brother, Allen W. of Avon Lake. He was preceded in death by his parents Frank and Loretta (nee Geierman); and brother, Robert.

Friends may call Wednesday, 6 to 9 p.m., at the Burmeister-Bisch Family Chapel, 163 Avon Belden Road, Avon Lake, where prayers services will be Thursday at 9:30 a.m., following by funeral Mass at 10 a.m. at the St. Joseph Catholic Church, 32929 Lake Road, Avon Lake, the Rev. J. Norman Riley officiating. Burial will be in Resthaven Memory Gardens, Avon. The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8796, Avon Lake, will conduct full military graveside honors.

Cleveland board member

(nee Ross); sons Gary and David; daughters Mrs. Paul (Candy) Melhuish, Mrs. Victor (Debi) Miskow Jr., and Mrs. Lawrence (Shari) Yeamans; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandson; goddaughter, Samantha Lee; his mother, Esther (nee Reppenhagen); and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Sharon Prehauser; and his father, Joseph.

Friends may call Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. in the Busch Family Chapel, 7501 Ridge Road, Parma. Services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday in the funeral chapel. Burial will be in Brooklyn Heights Cemetery, Cleveland.

Contributions may be made to Seasons of Life Hospice, Parma Community General Hospital, 7007 Powers Blvd., Parma, 44129.

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suror of state.

Survivors include her husband, Charles N.; sister, Mrs. Steadford (Ummil-Khair) Phipps of New York City; and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father, the Rev. Willie Laws; mother, Eula Laws Love; and stepfather, Robert Love; and a nephew.

Friends may call Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Andres-Toft Funeral Home, 2001 Columbus Ave., Sandusky. The body will lie in state Wednesday from 9 a.m. until the time of service at 11 a.m. in the New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, 1920 Shelby St., Sandusky. The Rev. Eddy Henry will officiate. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery.

Contributions may be made to the New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, 1920 Shelby St., Sandusky, 44870.

Everett Hogue, 88, E&L retiree

MONROEVILLE — Everett Hogue, 88, of Monroeville, died Sunday, July 16, 1995, in Woodsview Assisted Living Center in Clyde.

He was born Feb. 26, 1907, in Sligo, Mo., and had lived in Monroeville since 1992, coming from Lorain.

Hogue was employed by E&L Transport in Lorain for 15 years, retiring in 1970.

He was a member of Canaan Cumberland Presbyterian Church, where he served as an elder and as Sunday school superintendent; and the Odd-fellows #118 IOOF, where he was a member since 1945.

Survivors include his wife of 65 years, Mary Frances (nee Sullivan); daughters Ruth Ann Eaker of Geneseo, Ill., and Mrs. Thomas (Linda)

Buckingham of Monroeville; sons Wayne of St. Charles, Mo., Gene of St. Clair, Mo., Bill of Burbank, Calif., and Gary of Vermilion; and seven grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Ella (nee Nail); a grandson; brothers Charles, John, Roy and Oscar; and sisters Mary Walker and Bessie Edgar.

Services will be at the Hutson Funeral Home in Steelville, Mo. Burial will be in North Lawn Cemetery, Salem, Mo.

Contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation or to the donor's favorite charity.

Jump Funeral Home, Monroeville, is handling local arrangements.

Carol Kurjan, lifelong Lorain resident

LORAIN — Carol L. Kurjan, 51, of Lorain, died suddenly Monday, July 17, 1995, Lorain Community/St. Joseph Regional Health Center, East Campus, from complications from severe asthma.

She was born Aug. 7, 1943, in Lorain, where she lived her entire life. She was a 1961 graduate of Lorain High School.

Mrs. Kurjan worked as a receptionist for Dr. Donald Stump in Lorain for 25 years, retiring in 1995.

She was a member of St. Vitus Catholic Church and the Croatian Catholic Union Lodge 17.

Mrs. Kurjan was an avid football and baseball fan and enjoyed league

bowling as Croatian Lanes.

Survivors include her husband of 21 years, John; parents, Michael and Caroline (nee Frankovich) Dolyk of Lorain; brother, Michael A. Dolyk of North Olmsted; stepson John Kurjan of Elyria and stepdaughter Ruth Wearsch of Vermilion.

Friends may call Tuesday, 3 to 9 p.m., at the John J. Gluvna Funeral Chapel, 3224 Broadway, Lorain, where the rosary will be recited at 3:30 p.m. Services will be Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. at the funeral chapel, followed by 10 a.m. Mass at St. Vitus, the Rev. Simon Nekic, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Lorain.

Atho Laws, 89, Sandusky florist

SANDUSKY — Atho Laws (nee Meyer), 89, a resident of the Providence Care Center, died Sunday, July 16, 1995, in Providence Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

She was born Feb. 10, 1906.

Mrs. Laws was the owner and operator of Laws Floral Shop from 1939 to 1961. Later, she was employed at Russell Flower Shoppe.

She was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church, the Daughters of Isabella, and the Lorain Florists Association.

Survivors include nieces and neph-

ews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph, in 1961; parents Charles T. and Anna Marie (nee Krebs) Meyer; and sisters Arvada, Fern Meyer and Thelma Warner.

Friends may call Tuesday, 3 to 7 p.m., in the Groff Funeral Home, 1607 E. Perkins Ave., Sandusky. Services will be Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. in the funeral home, followed by 10 a.m. Mass at St. Mary Church, 429 Central Ave., Sandusky, the Rev. David Ness officiating. Burial will be in St. Anthony Cemetery, Milan.

Contributions may be made to St. Mary Catholic Church.

August J. Corso, 81, church member

SANDUSKY — August J. Corso, 81, of Sandusky, died Monday morning, July 17, 1995, at his home following a lengthy illness.

He was born Oct. 12, 1913, in Chicago.

Corso worked as a grinder at New Departure-Hyatt, retiring in 1977.

He was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Louise (nee Vigilotti); son, Larry P. of Sandusky; two grandchil-

dren and one great-grandchild; sister, Mrs. Carl (Margaret) Gruber of Pompano Beach, Fla.; and brothers Henry of Sandusky and Joe of Pompano Beach. He was preceded in death by his parents, Phillip and Ida (nee Caldron) Corso.

Friends may call Tuesday, 7 to 9 p.m., at the Groff Funeral Home, 1607 E. Perkins Ave., Sandusky, where services will be Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. the Rev. Franklin Kehres officiating. Burial will be in St. Joseph Cemetery.

Carl Perry, 77, coal miner, truck driver

CLEVELAND — Carl U. Perry, 77, of Cleveland, died Saturday, July 15, 1995, in Lutheran Medical Center, Cleveland.

(nee Harvey); sons Roger W. of Amherst, Earl L. Perry of Cleveland, Carl R. Jr. of Boone County, W.Va., and Frankie J. of Four Oaks, N.C.;

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By CAROLYN KOPERDAK
Morning Journal Writer

LORAIN — Neil R. Sommers, an accountant who helped lead the Save Our Schools campaign, is one of three applicants for the school treasurer's position.

Sommers' application joins the resume of Craig Miller, the top assistant to City Auditor Craig Foltin, and Doug Beckler, the district's former business manager who was laid off in 1993 during a reorganization of the central administration office, said board member Kenneth Kramer.

The board met Wednesday in a closed-door session to discuss the search for a new treasurer. Nancy Pena, the current treasurer, resigned because her husband got a new job in Florida.

Kramer said the board has advertised in newspapers for the position. If none of the candidates are chosen, the board will most likely hire an outside company to conduct a wider search.

Sommers, 47, is a graduate of Lorain High School and received his bachelor's degree from Cleveland State Univer-

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