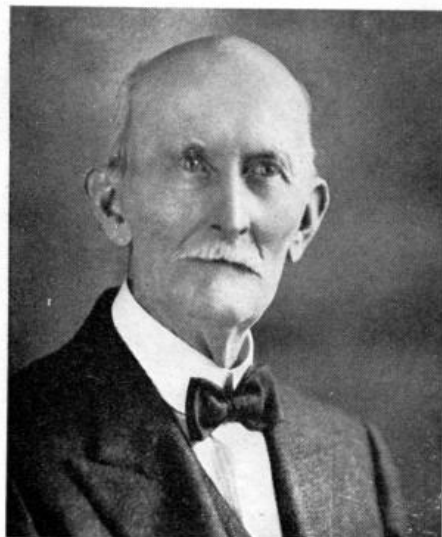


DEATHS IN THE ERIE FAMILY



William Caveney

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William Caveney, 83, who was retired as crossing guard in 1931, after 60 years service, during which time he served as waybill clerk and yardmaster, died Nov. 9 in hospital at Port Jervis. He lived at 101 Jersey avenue and was a member of St. Mary's church and Holy Name society. Surviving relatives are one sister, Elizabeth Caveney, at home, and the following nephews and nieces: Dr. William J. Collins and Winifred Collins, of Amsterdam, N. Y.; Mrs. E. A. Knight, Mrs. G. Slitor, and Bernard Caveney, of Cleveland.

William E. Lewis

William E. Lewis, retired Erie employe of Paterson, died Nov. 2 after a brief illness. Surviving him are his wife, Nellie; two sons, John H. and William H. of Newburgh, N. Y.; two daughters, Blanche and Mrs. Nellie Glaser of Paterson; two brothers, Charles of Newark and Frank of Alberta Province, Canada; three sisters, Mrs. John Bame, of Paterson; Mrs. Caroline Downs and Mrs. Elsie Brown of Syracuse.

Henry Vohs

Henry Vohs, 57, shop tool room attendant at Secaucus, was fatally injured by an automobile while returning to his home at Carlstadt, N. J., Oct. 25. He began with the Erie June 1, 1915.

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Hudson J. Bordwell who, because of ill health was obliged to relinquish the general managership of the Erie's eastern district a year ago, but who felt well enough last summer to take the trusteeship of the New York, Susquehanna & Western, died Nov. 15th of a heart attack at his home in Jersey City. Funeral services were held in Buffalo. Mr. Bordwell was 53 years old. He had been in Erie service 33 years, beginning as a telegrapher at Buffalo in 1902 and subsequently serving as dispatcher, night chief dispatcher, chief clerk, trainmaster, superintendent, assistant general manager and general manager. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Florence McGuire Bordwell; his mother, Mrs. Clarence H. Bordwell, of Alden, N. Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Glenn C. Smith, of Alden, and Mrs. Clarence C. Hunt, of Bridgeport, Conn., and two brothers, Chester Parkes Bordwell, of Amarillo, Tex., and Harold V. B. Bordwell, of Meadville, Pa.

William F. McMahon

William F. McMahon, 59, for many years an employe of the Erie and later with the D. & H., died Nov. 5 at the home of Mrs. Margaret Ross, 706 Minooka avenue, Moosic, Pa. Two brothers, Edward B. & Joseph H. and a sister survive.



Walter Henry Stoddart

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Walter Henry Stoddart, 75, veteran New York division clerk, who was retired in 1933, after service of 24 years and 7½ months, died late in October. He lived at 42 Ferncliff road, Bloomfield, N. J.

Michael O'Connors

Michael O'Connors, retired Erie employe of Meadville, died Nov. 10 at his home, 1188 Pomona Park. He was a member of the Erie veterans, the B.A.R.E., St. Agatha's church and Holy Name society. Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Rose O'Connors, and a son, Edward, of Meadville; three sisters, Mrs. Fred Carr, Warren, O.; Mrs. Charles Malsch, Youngstown, O., and Mrs. Otto Hoke of Meadville; a grandson, David, and two brothers, Patrick of Emlenton, Pa. and Thomas of Cleveland.

Samuel Leighton

Samuel Leighton, veteran station agent at Avon, N. Y., died suddenly of a heart attack at his home in Wadsworth Avenue, Avon, late in October. He had been in Erie service half a century, and prior to becoming agent was employed in the freight department where he rose to chief clerk. Mr. Leighton was a veteran member of the fire department, local lodge of Masons, president of the Avon Masonic Temple association, direc-

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tor of the Chamber of Commerce and member of the Central Presbyterian church. He is survived by his widow, Florence Dutcher Leighton; one daughter, Miss Leida E. Leighton; a sister, Miss Sarah J. Leighton of Rochester; three brothers, Frederick of Oswego, William J., and Henry, of Avon.

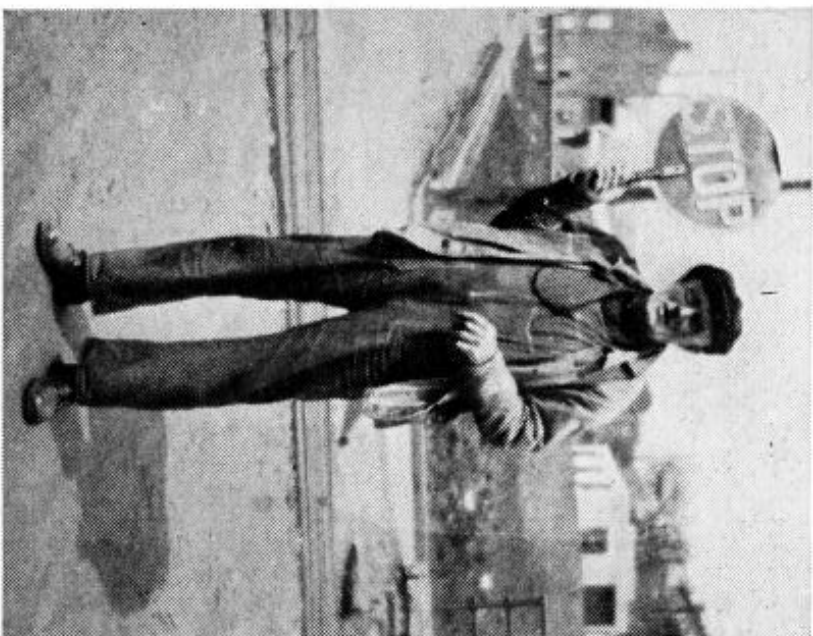
William Conroy

William Conroy, 49, retired Erie plumber of 28 years service, died Nov. 3 at his home, 49 Morse avenue, Rutherford, N. J. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Edna Dodge Conroy; a son, William F., Jr.; a daughter, Miss Edna Conroy; three brothers, John, George and Peter, all of Rutherford, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Toma, of Port Jervis.

Michael Sullivan

Michael Sullivan, 82, retired Erie employe of 58 years service, died in hospital at Salamanca, Nov. 4. He

is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Sullivan, at home; two daughters, Mrs. J. B. Strayline of Caledonia and Mrs. Floyd J. Crossfield of Maple street; one son, John T. Sullivan, at home; and two grandchildren, Harriet and Shirley Strayline of Caledonia.



Edward Cooman, former crossing watchman at Washington street, Newburgh, N. Y., an account of whose passing appeared in our November issue

John G. Krug

John G. Krug, Erie employe who lived at 53 Mendola avenue, Buffalo and worked as a switchman in the East Buffalo yards, died Oct. 20. He is survived by six sisters: Mrs. George Ebel, Mrs. Joseph Krimble, Mrs. Frank Weigel, Anna, Barbara and Marie, and three brothers, Fred, Edward and Joseph Krug.

Andrew Mulholland

Andrew Mulholland, 70, veteran Erie employe of Buffalo, who entered service May 8, 1905, died Oct. 17. He is survived by his widow, Margaret Hollihan, and two sons, Dr. John B. and Andrew Mulholland of Syracuse, and a sister, Mrs. Joseph E. Dillon.

John Scriven Udall

John Scriven Udall, 71, retired Erie passenger conductor, died Nov. 8 at his home, 77 Stevens avenue, Little Falls, N. J. He was an active Mason and Odd Fellow and member of St. Agnes' Episcopal church. He is survived by his widow, Helen E. Senior Udall,

two daughters, Mrs. Carl J. Mueller of Caldwell, Mrs. Vaughen J. Rehn of Little Falls, and one son, John S. Udall, Jr., of Little Falls. Four grandchildren are: Richard and Warren Mueller of Caldwell, and Robert and Betty Rehn of Little Falls. Two brothers and a sister also survive, George Udall of Morristown, Harry Udall of Bloomfield and Mrs. Sydney Riddlestorfer of Perth Amboy.

Frank B. Underwood

Frank B. Underwood, 70, retired car repairer helper, who began with the Erie as a caller in 1889, died late in October at the home of his brother, John Underwood, in Windsor, near Susquehanna. Mr. Underwood was a Mason, member of the Susquehanna Carmen's local and B. of R. T. His brother John is his only survivor.

Thomas David Madden

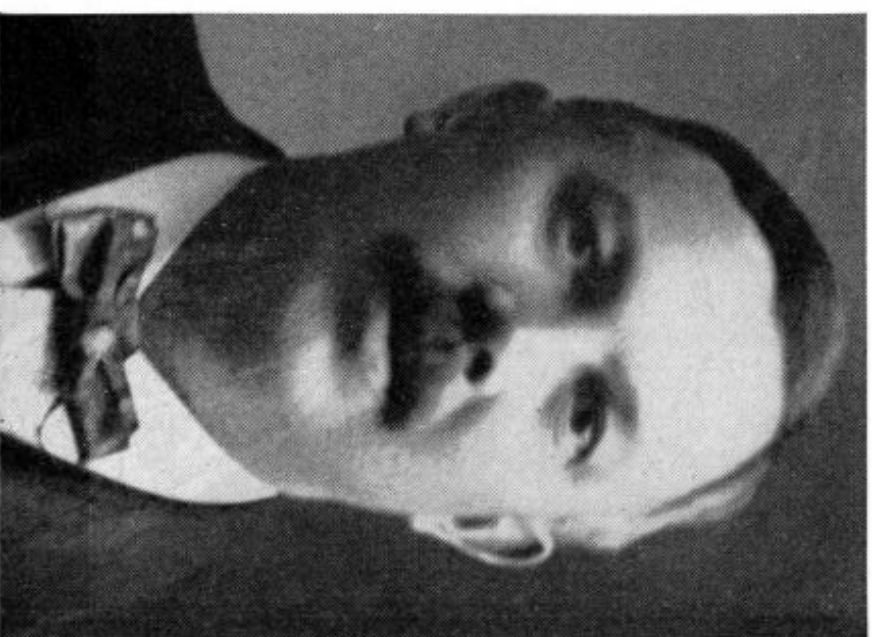
Thomas David Madden, 66, veteran engineer of 50 years continuous service, died July 25 in hospital at Buffalo. He was born at Watts Flats, N. Y., and began his service as section hand in 1887 under his father, the late Jeremiah Madden. In 1890 he became a fireman on the Meadville division and six years later he was promoted to engineer in which capacity he remained until his death. Mr. Madden was a member of the B. of L. E., Knights of Columbus, Holy Name Society and St. Patrick's

church at Salamanca, N. Y. He is survived by three brothers, Jeremiah V. Madden, Erie operator at Watts Flats; John S. and James F. Madden; two sisters, Miss Mary Madden of Salamanca and Mrs. John Hayes of Jamestown and several nieces and nephews.



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