

# Obituaries

## Alta M. Roach



Alta M. Roach, 69, of Hagerstown, died Wednesday, May 17, 2017, at Reid Health in Richmond.

She was born in New Castle on May 18, 1947 to Morton and Alice (Mitchem) Moffitt and was a life long resident of Wayne County.

Alta was a long-time employee of the Kopper Kettle at Economy and had also been employed at Wal-Mart in New Castle. She enjoyed crocheting, puzzles and cooking.

Survivors include five children, James Moffitt, Lisa Brown (Jeffery), Cliff Wilkinson (Debra), Tina Dickey (Rob) and Robert Roach (Tiffany); nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; five siblings, Frank Moffitt, Dorothy Mullins, Frances Pickett, Susie Moffitt and Gloria Pickett; several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Roach, in 2010 and three brothers, Paul Moffitt, Roy Moffitt and Joe Moffitt.

Services were Saturday, May 20, at Culberson Funeral Home, Hagerstown. Pastor Greg Guffey officiated with burial in West Lawn Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Reid Foundation for Hospice.

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**Cambridge City**  
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### LEGAL

Notice is hereby given that the proper representatives of the Nettle Creek School Corporation, Wayne/Henry County, Indiana will receive sealed bids at the Administration Office, 297 East Northmarket Street, Hagerstown, IN 47346 until 12:00 noon EST on May 31, 2017. Bids shall be for the entire school year and be publicly opened and read at said office for:

#### Meat and Dairy Products

Bids received after the designated time will be returned unopened to the sender. Further information, lists of materials and specifications may be obtained from the Administration Office.

Bids must be accompanied by a non-collusion affidavit as required by law. Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond or certified check in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid as further set forth in the bid conditions. Upon the award of a bid, a performance bond may be required by the Board of Trustees.

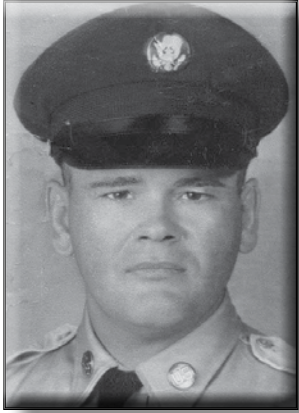
The Board of School Trustees reserves the right to reject any, all, or part of any or all bids.

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## John A. Limburg



John A. Limburg, 81, passed away Wednesday May 17, 2017 at the Waters of New Castle. A son of the late Homer and Oma (Spears) Limburg, John was born in Loudon, Tennessee on April 5, 1936. He moved to rural Milton as a young boy and attended Milton School.

John served his country in the United States Army and was stationed in Germany. He received his honorably discharged from active duty on May 25, 1960. John worked as a machinist for DANA Corporation in Hagerstown and retired after 33 years of service. He served as union steward for eight of those years. John loved to travel across the country with his wife and children. He made it a point to take a family vacation every year to see "the world's biggest" something. He enjoyed spending time outdoors, camping, fishing and playing sports with his kids. In his leisure, John enjoyed furniture making, woodworking, riding motorcycles and photography.

Survivors include three children, Pamela (Ron) Barnes of Cambridge City, John F. (Peggy) Limburg of Milton and Jane (Daryl) Frith of New Castle; grandchildren, Allison, Laura Kelly, Harrison and Daryl Frith, Sophia Grace Limburg; two aunts, Mamie Forester and Kate Bailey; nieces and nephews.

John was preceded in death by his wife, the former Carolyn Kuhn on October 4, 2011. They were married in Connersville on April 30, 1958. 1 son, Aaron Limburg on August 13, 2012; 1 daughter, Julie A. Limburg on January 11, 2016; 1 grandson, Samuel David Barnes on January 13, 2010; 2 sisters, Edna Sue Updike and Aleen Vance.

Funeral services were Monday May 22, 2017 at the Marshall & Erlewein Funeral Home, Dublin. Rev. Kenneth Durham officiated with burial at the Riverside Cemetery in Cambridge City.

Memorial Contributions can be made to I.U. Health Ball Memorial Hospice- 2401 W. University Ave. Muncie, IN 47303.

Online condolences can be made anytime at [www.marshallerleweinfuneralhome.com](http://www.marshallerleweinfuneralhome.com)

## Geraldine F. Bennett



Geraldine F. Bennett, age 90, of Richmond, Indiana, died Saturday, May 20, 2017, at Arbor Trace.

Born September 22, 1926, in Trenton, New Jersey, to Clark and Julia Cox Heilman, Geraldine had lived in this community most of her life. She received her GED from Richmond High School and graduated from IU East with a degree in social work. Geraldine was a member of the former Fountain City United Methodist Church She was an avid reader and enjoyed painting, knitting, crocheting, arts and crafts, and traveling with her husband in their RV.

Survivors include her husband of 72 years, Howard L. Bennett; daughter, Joan L. Harris of Greens Fork, Indiana; son, Robert (Ginny) Hays-Bennett of Indianapolis, Indiana; eight grandchildren; many great-grandchildren; sister, Joan Brumbaugh of Florida; nieces; nephews; cousins; and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her son, Bill Bennett; parents; brothers, Earl Daughtery and Clark Heilman; and son-in-law, Ron Harris.

Funeral services for Geraldine F. Bennett were Tuesday, May 23, 2017, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond. Burial was in Economy Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at [www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com](http://www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com).

*The Nettle Creek Gazette passes along our sincere sorrow to those families that have lost a loved one recently.*

### LEGAL

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION  
 Cause No. 89D01-1705-ES-000028  
 In the Superior Court 1 of  
 Wayne County, Indiana

Notice is hereby given that Richard E. Federico, was on the 8th day of May, 2017 appointed Personal Representative of the estate of BETTY K. WERKING, who died on the 26th day of March, 2017.

All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Richmond, Indiana this 8th day of May, 2017.

Debra Berry, Clerk  
 Wayne Circuit Court  
 Kory T. Bell, Atty

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### NETTLE CREEK GAZETTE

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## Kathryn J. Wilson

Kathryn J. Wilson, 90, died Friday, May 19, 2017, at Heritage House of Richmond. She was born on January 7, 1927 to Bearnest and Mabel (Smith) Shinn. She lived most of her life in the Greens Fork and Hagerstown areas. In 1948 she married James Wilson and he preceded her in death in 1992

Kathryn was a homemaker who loved her family. She also enjoyed crocheting and watching auto racing and ice skating on television. She worked for a time at Greens Fork Community Center.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Wilson Dimett (Gary) of Hagerstown and Deborah Wilson Strickler (Craig) of New Paris, OH; four grandchildren, Travis Dimett (Stephanie) of Greensburg, Amber Rohr (Kris) of Crawfordsville, Matthew Burnett (Tina) of Richmond and Lena Oakes of Richmond; nine great-grandchildren and two



great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her mother, Mabel Miller, her stepfather, Elvin "Hap" Miller, a half-brother, Elvin Miller, Jr. and two step-sisters, Maxine Miller Kitchell and Helen Miller.

Private graveside services will be conducted in Greens Fork South Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Pastor Dave Buckner will officiate.

The family requests that, in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to Alzheimer's Association or to the donors favorite local charity.

## Johnnie Poynter

Mr. Johnnie L. Poynter, 76, of Greens Fork, passed away on Friday, May 19.

He was born in New Castle, Indiana on August 23, 1940 to Lester and Mary Stefandel Poynter. He graduated from New Castle High School and attended Ball State University. He served in the US Air Force from 1962-1966.

Johnnie worked for Dana Corporation prior to his retirement in 2003. He loved playing golf and taught the game to many people.

Johnnie will be missed by his wife, the former Shirley

Moore, whom he married in 1990; son, A.J. Poynter; sisters, Starry & Bill McCall, Tawny & Art McCorkle; Gina, and Laura; brothers, Mike & Diana Poynter, and Todd Poynter; and several nieces & nephews.

Johnnie was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Ken Poynter and Kip Poynter.

A memorial service will be held at the convenience of the family.

The Smith & McQuiston Funeral Home, Fountain City, is in charge of arrangements.

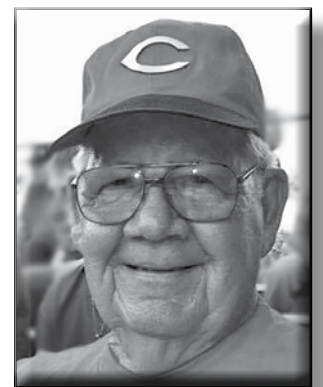
Online condolences may be expressed at [www.smithmcquistonwebster.com](http://www.smithmcquistonwebster.com).

## Mansion House Exhibit WWII Homefront

The Mansion House Museum in Centerville will be open on Saturday, May 27 at 1-5 p.m. as part of the Centerville Loves Our Veterans parade and celebration that afternoon and evening.

A new exhibit in the Mansion House highlights the contributions of the folks at home during World War II. The exhibit features a variety of items and information recalling those days of intense patriotism and sacrifice.

The Museum will be open on Saturday afternoons beginning on June 10, 1-5. It is open for this special event. The public is invited to visit the museum and see the new exhibit. A small entrance fee is charged for the benefit of this historical site in Centerville.



*The Nettle Creek Gazette learned just before going to press of the passing of Mr. Don Dishman. Don was an outstanding individual loved by many and will truly be missed.*

*An estimated 770,107 Hoosiers will drive to their respective destinations during the upcoming holiday period, a 2.4 percent increase from last year.*

*While the Indiana AAA expects most U.S. drivers will pay the highest Memorial Day gas prices since 2015, the vast majority of holiday travelers (88.1 percent) are still planning to hit the road.*

### LEGAL

#### NOTICE OF INTENT

Autocar, LLC is submitting a Notice of Intent (NOI) letter for our facility (located at 551 S. Washington Street, Hagerstown, Indiana 47346) to notify the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to comply with the requirements under 327 IAC 15-6 to discharge storm water exposed to industrial activities. Run-off from the facility will discharge to Whitewater River. Questions or comments should be addressed to Mr. Clint Cross at the above mentioned address."

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