# **OBITUARIES**



**PAULINE L. BAILEY** 

LUBEC - Pauline L. "Polly" Bailey, 92, died July 1, 2016, in Machias, Maine, following diagnosis and treatment of multiple myeloma. She was born in Lubec, Maine, January 20, 1924, the daughter of Harold Elias "Buck" Lawrence and Arlene (Ramsdell) Lawrence.

She began her secondary education with a year at Lubec High School, graduating from Maine Central Institute, and completing courses at the University of Maine in both Orono and Machias. Pauline served on the board of directors of, and was vice-president of the North Lubec Manufacturing and Canning Company, and was a member of Eastern Star, the Lubec Historical Society, and the Lubec Woman's Club.

In 1942, Pauline married Eugene "Roy" Bailey, and they were happily married for 48 years. She laughingly called herself a "camp follower," traveling with Roy to North Carolina, Virginia, California, Tennessee, and Florida while he served in the Marine Corps and as a Special Agent in the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Pauline had a passion for her family, reading, gardening, and travel. With Roy, she lived in and traveled to many interesting and beautiful places. After his death, she continued to travel with friends. However, she always loved Lubec and considered it her home.

Predeceased by her parents, her husband, and her son Eugene L. Bailey, Jr., Pauline is survived by a son, Harold Bailey and his wife Margaret "Peggy" of Lubec; a daughter, Janice Wilson and her husband Michael of Cooper, and a daughter-inlaw, Constance Bailey of Millis, Massachusetts; four grandchildren: Dawn Cleathero and her husband of Norton, Massachusetts, Kathleen Bailey Smith of Nashua, New Hampshire, David Wilson of East Machias, and Shawn Wilson and his fiancée Polchies of Bai-Rachel leyville; five great grandchildren: Camden and Parker Cleathero of Norton, Massachusetts. Nicholas and Noah Smith of Nashua, New Hampshire, and Matthew Wilson of Baileyville; and one nephew, David Bailey and his wife Linda of Hollis, New Hampshire.

Pauline and her family wish to acknowledge the special friendships Pauline shared with Anna Matthews, Mallar, Maureen Linda Marylou McGraw, Lewia, and Raymah Lyons - who were always there for her. The family also wishes to express their gratitude to those who, with compassion and dedication cared for her, including Dr. Robert Abrams and the staff of the Regional Medical Center at Lubec; doctors and staff of Cancer Care of Maine; doctors and staff at the Downeast Community Hospital, and Dr. Charles McHugh and staff at the Marshall Healthcare Facility.

Services will be held 2pm Saturday July 9th at the Christian Temple Church of Lubec. There will be no visiting hours. A private, family interment will be held at the Split Hill Cemetery, Lubec. Funeral arrangements are with McClure Family Funeral Home, Machias, Maine. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may donate to the Lubec Memorial Library, the Christian Temple Church, or the charity of their choice. Condolences and memories may be shared at www.mcclurefamilyfuneral.com

#### LEE I. STEWART NEUS - Lee L. S

LINNEUS - Lee I. Stewart passed away Saturday, July 2, 2016. Friends may call 12noon Thursday, July 7, 2016 until the time of the service 1:00PM at the Linneus Free Will Baptist Church. Interment will be in the Linneus Cemetery. A service of Dunn Funeral Home.



**ANITA BLANCHETTE** 

HOULTON - Anita Marie Theresa (Robichaud) Blanchette, 89, died July 3, 2016. She was born May 23, 1927, in Van Buren, Maine.

When she was an infant, her family moved to Houlton where she met her husband of 67 years, Armand Blanchette. She was a lifelong member of St. Mary of the Visitation Roman Catholic Church. Anita sang in the church choir and for many years was a member of the Maine Diocesan Council of Catholic Women and helped with many St. Patrick's Day Bazaars.

Anita was a registered nurse having received her training in Providence. Rhode Island. She returned to Maine to work at the Madigan Memorial Hospital with the Sisters of Mercy and was part of the first team of nurses to work at Houlton Regional Hospital. While her family was still very young, she would walk to Madigan Hospital in the evenings to help put patients to bed. She also on occasion served as a private duty nurse. Her life's work was spent caring for her family, the sick and the infirm.

She is survived by her loving and devoted husband, Armand, six children, Marc Blanchette, Timothy Blanchette and his wife Kathy, Louis Blanchette and his wife Phyllis, all of Houlton, Mary Brown of Hampden, Patricia Sloat and husband, Andrew, of Houlton and Barbara Lambert and husband, Stuart, of Presque Isle. She is predeceased by two daughters, Bernadette Howe and Christine Loiselle as well as two great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by 21 grandchildren whom she rocked to sleep as infants in the rocking chair in her kitchen. They are Peter, Brian, Kristine, Steven, Christopher, Bethany, Breanne, Andrea, Ryan, Joseph, Joshua, Gregory, Michael, Kevin, Andrew, Collette, Justine, Chelsea. Matthew. Kaitlin and Alexandra as well as 21 great-grandchildren, Daniel, Patrick, Rebecca, Elizabeth, Sarah, Emma, Leah, Ar-Frances, Ethan, Madylin, Nicholas, Evelyn, Zachary, Noah, Abbigayle, Isaiah, Elijah, Tate, Layah and Cecilia.

Anita is also predeceased by her parents, Louis and Ozithé (Bourgoin) Robichaud, six sisters, Marguerite Stone, Cecile Murphy, Bernadette London, Lauretta Nadeau, Armelina Gravel, Patricia Cornwall and one brother, Alberic Robichaud

bichaud. Friends may call from 6:00 -8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 5, 2016 at Bowers Funeral Home, 10 Water Street, Houlton. A Rosary will be prayed at 7:30 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Mary's of the Visitation Church, Military Street, Houlton with Father David Raymond celebrant on Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow the funeral at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. online condolences, please visit

ase visit www.bowersfuneral.com

## RICHARD A. SWAN

BRADLEY - Calling hours for Richard A. Swan, who passed away June 29, 2016, will be held 1pm-3pm and 5pm-7pm, Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at Brookings Smith, 133 Center Street, Bangor, where a memorial service will be celebrated 11am, Thursday, July 7th. The familv invites relatives and friends to share in conversation and refreshments at the Family Reception Service of Brookings-Smith, 163 Center Street, immediately following the service. Those who wish to remember Rick in a special way may make gifts in his memory to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, PO Box 4486, Houston, TX 77210-4486. Condolences to the family may be expressed

at www.BrookingsSmith.com.

#### **Death Notices**

**ALBERT, Eldon Lionel,** 87, Newington, Conn., June 29, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at St. Mary's Church. Newington Memorial Funeral Home, 20 Bonair Ave., Newington, Conn.

**BAILEY, Pauline L.,** 92, Lubec; at Machias, July 1, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Saturday, July 9, 2016 at Christian Temple Church of Lubec. McClure Family Funeral Services.

**BLANCHETTE, Anita,** 89, Houlton, July 3, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at St. Mary's of the Visitation Church, Military St., Houlton. Bowers Funeral Home.

**DULLAS, Kelcin Dakota,** 19, Carmel, July 2, 2016. Service 5 p.m. Thursday, July 7, 2016 at Family Reception Center of Brookings-Smith, 163 Center St., Bangor.

**FLAHERTY, Norma Avis Foss,** Marshfield; at Marshfield, July 1, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at Getchell Cemetery, Marshfield. McClure Family Funeral Services.

**LEITER, Laban Wingert, M.D.**, 95, Portland; at Portland, July 1, 2016. Hobbs Funeral Home, South Portland.

MILLETT, Robert E., 78, Brewer and Bangor; at Bangor, July 1, 2016. Service Thursday, July 14, 2016. Kiley & Foley Funeral Service, 69 State St., Brewer.

**NEAL, Tanya L.,** 38, Dixmont and Portsmouth, NH; at Portsmouth, NH, July, 1, 2016. Service 1:30 p.m. Thursday, July 7, 2016 at Village Cemetery, Cemetery Rd., St. Albans. Shorey-Nichols Funeral Home.

**STEWART, Lee I.,** Linneus, July 2, 2016. Service 1 p.m. Thursday, July 7, 2016 at Linneus Free Will Baptist Church. Dunn Funeral Home.

**SWAN, Richard A.**, Bradley, June 29, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Thursday, July 7, 2016 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.



**ELDON LIONEL ALBERT** 

NEWINGTON, CT. - Eldon Lionel Albert, 87, of Newington, CT died on Wednesday, June 29, 2016

at St. Francis Hospital with his family by his side.

He was the beloved husband of Marjorie (Goodwin) Albert for 57 years. Born in Madawaska, ME, he graduated from Madawaska High School in 1948 and moved to Newington in 1961. Eldon served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He worked at Hamilton Standard and retired from the former General Elevator Corp, after 17 years. Eldon was a member of St. Mary's Church where he was a Eucharistic Minister member of the Legion of Mary. He was active in the Retreat League at the Holy Family Monastary in Farmington and served as former president of the New Britain Curia Legion of Mary. Eldon enjoyed fishing, telling stories (especially about how big those fish were) and re-

searching genealogy. Besides his beloved wife, Marjorie, he leaves his daughter and son-in-law, Mary Lou and Brian Szekeres and their two daughters, Jessica and Leah of Millington, NJ, his brother Gilbert Albert and his wife Carol of Huntington Beach, CA, Kathleen Audibert of Hampden ME and Theresa Albert of Bangor, ME as well as many nieces and nephews, grand nieces and grand nephews. He was predeceased by his brother Edwin and his sisters Dolores and Carmen (Deschenes) Albert and a brother-in

-law, James Goodwin. His Funeral service will be held on Wednesday, 9:00am., from Newington Memorial Funeral Home, 20 Bonair Ave., Newington CT, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial, 10:00am at St. Mary's Church. He will be laid to rest, with military honors, in West Meadow Cemetary, Newtington. Calling hours will be held on Tuesday from 5:00pm to 8:00pm at Newington Memorial. Memorial donations may be made to St. Mary's Church, 626 Willard Ave, Newington, CT 06111. To share a memory with his family, please visit us at www.newingtonmemorial.com

## ROBERT E MILLETT

ROBERT E. MILLETT BREWER & BANGOR Robert E. Millett, 78, died July 1, 2016 in Bangor. Family and friends may visit 3 - 7 PM Wednesday, July 13, 2016 at Kiley & Foley Funeral Service, 69 State St., Brewer. A funeral mass is tentatively scheduled for Thursday morning. A complete obituarv with final arrangements will be published in Wednesday's Bangor Daily News and will also be posted at kileyandfoley.com.



TANYA L. NEAL

D I X M O N T & PORTSMOUTH, NH - Tanya L. Neal, 38, died on Friday, July 1, 2016, in Portsmouth, NH.

Tanya was born on December 17, 1977, in Bangor, Maine, the daughter of Floyd Neal and Barbara Baker. She attended Nokomis High School and completed her Nurse's Assistant and Med Tech certification at Mayo Regional Hospital in Dover-Foxcroft.

Tanya had an energetic, bubbly personality. She knew how to make anyone smile and laugh. She enjoyed decorating, scrapbooking and coloring. Her home was filled with indoor plants and she had an amazing green thumb.

She will be lovingly missed by her father, Floyd Neal and companion, Ann Perry, of Dixmont; her mother, Barbara Baker and husband, Harold "Troy", of Springtown, Texas; stepmother, Elizabeth Rush of Stetson; children, Justice Stone of Fryeburg, Savannah Stone of Fryeburg and Kiara Dunham of Milo; granddaughter, Skylar Stone, brother, Eric Neal of Gravette, Arkansas; longtime friend, Liza Rogers of Brownville; and several

aunts, uncles and cousins.

A time of visiting and light luncheon will be held from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Thursday, July 7, at the Shorey-Nichols Funeral Home, 191 Hartland Avenue, Pittsfield, Maine. A committal service will immediately follow at 1:30 p.m., at the Village Cemetery, Cemetery Road, St. Albans.

Care has been provided by Shorey-Nichols Funeral Home, Pittsfield. To leave a message of kindness for the family, please visit

www.shoreynichols.com.



In Memoriam

In Loving Memory Of **RONALD ADAMS** July 4, 1932 - May 3, 2006



We love and miss you so very much. Happy Birthday Bunny and children



**KELCIN DAKOTA DULLAS** 

CARMEL - Kelcin D. Dullas, 19, died unexpectedly July 2, 2016 as the result of an automobile accident. He was born in Bar Harbor, February 13, 1997 the son of Arcel D. Dullas and Dawn (Moseley) Plourde.

He was a graduate of Hermon High School, class of 2015. Kelcin was employed with Wilson's Lawn Service.

He loved to race at Speedway 95. He also spent countless hours hunting in the woods with his step-father, Blaise, with whom he shared a special bond. Kelcin loved being with people especially spending time with family and friends. He was a kind and selfless person who had a smile that would light up a room. Everyone that knew him loved him. He will be deeply missed by so many.

Surviving are, his mother and step-father, Dawn and Blaise Plourde of Carmel, his father and step-mother, Arcel and Paula Dullas of Norfolk, VA.; paternal grandmother, Cielita Dullas of Virginia Beach, VA.; maternal grandfather, Ollie Bland, Jr. of Eastbrook; paternal grandparents, Brenda and Terry Plourde of Ft. Kent; six siblings, Darren Whitehead of Carmel, Alanie Dullas and her partner, Jesse Dow of Brooklin, Emilie Dullas of Bar Harbor, Darby Plourde of Sebago, Trinity Plourde of Carmel, Arturo Dullas of Norfolk, VA., several aunts, uncles, cousins and special friends; his canine companions, Shelby and Rascal.

He was predeceased by his maternal grandmother, Dianne Bland and grandfather, George Moseley, and paternal grandfather, Arturo Dullas.

The family invites relatives and friends to share conversation and refreshments 5-7 p.m. Thursday, July 7, 2016 at the Family Reception Center of Brookings-Smith, 163 Center St., Bangor. Memorial contributions in his memory may be sent to the Bangor Humane Society, 693 Mt. Hope Ave., Bangor, ME. 04401.

Condolences to the family may be expressed at www.BrookingsSmith.com.



FOSS FLAHERTY

MARSHFIELD - Norma Avis Foss Flaherty went home to be with the Lord on July 1, 2016 at home with her loving husband of 67 years, and her daughter by her side. She was born on September 30, 1930 in Machias and the daughter of the late Marice and Hazel Foss.

Norma was employed as a telephone operator for many years, she also worked at the Manpower training offices, and the Downeast 5&10. She enjoyed reading, crocheting, gardening and traveling. She was also a member of the Machias Valley Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband Robert Flaherty and daughter Karen Flaherty of Marshfield, ME; brother Leeman & wife Linda of Harrison, ME; special nephew Michael Flaherty of York, ME; special niece Kathy Smith of Marshfield, ME; many other nieces and nephews and special friends Jeff & Tina Ingemis.

In addition to her parents, she is predeceased by her sisters Marie Berry and Muriel Flaherty.

Graveside services will be held 2 pm Wednesday July 6th at the Getchell Cemetery, Marshfield. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association Maine Chapter, 383 US Route 1, Scarborough, ME 04074. Condolences and memories may be shared at www.mcclurefamilyfuneral.com



LABAN WINGERT LEITER, M.D.

PORTLAND - Laban Wingert Leiter, M.D. died peacefully at home surrounded by

family on July 1, 2016. Throughout his many years, he shared his love of life and boundless curiosity for learning with family, colleagues and friends.

Laban was born October 23, 1920 in Elizabethtown, Pennsylvania the fourth of five children born to Mamie Keller and Laban Wingert Leiter. He graduated Summa Cum Laude from Juniata College in 1942, after he changed his major from preministerial to pre-med with the express wish to serve mankind through the medical field.

While attending Harvard Medical School, Laban enlisted in the U.S. Navy and was a Lieutenant Commander in the Navy Reserve. Prior to his Harvard graduation in 1945, Laban met Iva Fearon, a student nurse while in the operating room at Massachusetts General Hospital. They married and moved to Cincinnati, Ohio where Laban completed his internship at Cincinnati General Hospital.

Laban served his military duties at the VA Hospital in Martinsburg, West Virginia, followed by a residency in medicine at the VA Hospital at Fort Logan, in Denver, Colorado. On completion of a residency in internal medicine at Maine Medical Center, Laban worked at the VA hospital in Manchester, N.H. for 3 years.

In 1954 Laban started his private practice in internal medicine, specializing in gastroenterology, in his home office in Portland's West End. Laban's first of many house calls took place across the street from his office. Unsure of what to charge for the visit, he settled on three dollars. House calls took him far and wide, sometimes in the middle of the night. He saw patients in his office for 37 years, until his retirement in 1991. Laban was fondly referred to by many of his colleagues as 'the doctor's Doctor.'

Laban started the Division of Gastroenterology at Maine Medical Center in 1969, and was made the first Director of the Division. He and a colleague founded Portland Gastroenterology Associates in 1970, which has subsequently grown to become Portland Gastroenterology Center.

Laban was on the staff of both the Maine Medical Center and Mercy Hospitals. He regularly walked to MMC morning and night to perform procedures, participate in grand rounds, and visit his patients. He was President of the MMC Medical Staff from 1975-1977, and a MMC Trustee from 1979-1983. Laban was extremely dedicated to the profession of medicine, the medical community, and the pursuit of medical knowledge, well into retirement.

Laban was predeceased by his beloved wife, Iva, of 67 years in 2012. He is survived by his children Bruce, wife Meredith and their children Sarah, Melissa and John; Karl and wife Marion; Elizabeth and husband Dale Wisler; twins Janet and John; Susan and partner Tim Nason.

There will be no service per Laban's wishes. A family gathering will be held at a later time to honor and celebrate this extremely special man. Laban's family is eternally grateful for the wisdom and unconditional love he shared with them.

In the interest of Laban's firm belief in serving the goodness of mankind, those wishing to honor and remember his life may contribute to charities of their choice.

Arrangements are by Hobbs Funeral Home, South Portland. Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.hobbsfuneral home.com.