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*Died August 19, 1956*

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**MRS. SARAH STARR, A CIVIC LEADER, 82**

Head of the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania From '21 to '41 Dies

Special to The New York Times. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20—Mrs. Sarah Logan Wister Starr, president of the Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania from 1921 to 1941, died Saturday in Rockville, Md. She was 82 years old.

Mrs. Starr, a descendant of a prominent Colonial family, was the widow of James Starr, a mining official. The Medical College, founded in 1850, was moved to its present site in the Falls of the Schuylkill section here in 1929. The opening of the new quarters was one of the major accomplishments of her service.

For many years Mrs. Starr was president of the Pennsylvania Society of Colonial Dames. At her death, she was president of the Women's Permanent Emergency Association of Germantown, of which her grandmother was a founder.

Mrs. Starr also had been active in the Swedish Colonial Society and the American Swedish Historical Foundation. In 1937 she went to Sweden as a member of the Pennsylvania Tercentenary Commission and later was honored by Sweden.

She was an associate trustee of the Board of Libraries at the University of Pennsylvania, a past chairman of the Germantown Branch of the Civic Club and had received honorary degrees from Ursinus College in 1933 and from the University of Pennsylvania in 1941.

At Chester, N. S., where members of her family have spent their summers since 1874, Mrs. Starr founded the Zoo Valley Library.

Born in Duncannon, Perry was born in 1874. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Starr, who emigrated in 1890 to

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**Deaths**

**ALLEN**—Frank, on Aug. 19, at his home, 601 West 162d St., beloved father of Edward, John and Joan, brother of Helen, Grace and Agnes, one grandchild. Funeral from Walter Cody Funeral Home, 1093 St. Nicholas Ave. (165th St.) on Wednesday, 9:30 A. M. Mass at St. Rose of Lima, R. C. Church, 10 A. M.

**AMATULLI**—Carmela, nee Marotta, beloved wife of Thomas. Reposing Nucleonore Chapel 177 Sullivan St., until Thursday, 9:30 A. M.

**BATTIE**—Dorothy, of Pound Ridge, N. Y., suddenly, at York Harbor, Me., Aug. 20, 1956, daughter of the late William W. and Anna Barlow Battie. Funeral service at St. Matthew's Church, Bedford, N. Y., Thursday, Aug. 23, at 11:30 A. M. Interment Green-Wood Cemetery, Brooklyn.

**BEHR**—Theresa (nee Eisenbrandt), beloved wife of Frederick, devoted mother of Frederick Jr., dear sister of Mrs. Mae Michel. Service at the William F. Coester Chapel, 2622 East Tremont Ave., Monday, 8:30 P. M. Funeral Tuesday, 10 A. M. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

**BLANK**—Nathan, beloved husband of Minnie, devoted father of Milton and Harold, dear grandfather. Services 12 noon, today, Jewish Memorial Chapel, 1496 Pitkin Ave., Brooklyn. Interment Mount Hebron Cemetery.

**BLANKSTEIN**—Edward, on Aug. 19, beloved husband of Ella, devoted father of Dora, Goldstein and Elaine Orville, loving grandfather of Peter, Susan, Barbara and Joan, beloved brother of Sophie Friedman, Mae Blumenkrantz, Frances Witt and Lew. Services Tuesday, 1:15 P. M., "The Riverside," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave.

**BRIDER**—Dr. Joseph, beloved husband of Gene, devoted father of Muriel Davidson and Betty Whitton, brother of Dora Blumenthal. Private services were held Monday, Aug. 20.

**BRUGGEMAN**—Marie, beloved wife of late Louis, loving mother of Howard of Carmel, Louis, loving mother of Howard of Carmel, Louis, loving mother of Howard of Carmel.

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**KOHN**—John F., died Monday, Aug. 20, 1956. Funeral in Grencliff Crematory Chapel, Greentown, N. Y., Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 22, at 3 o'clock.

**KOHN**—Leon A., Seventh Zionist District, Z. O. A., its officers and members express deep regret in the passing of its esteemed Honorary President, ardent worker and one who was keenly interested in the cause of Israel and Zionism. Sincere condolences to the family.

**KOHN**—Leon A., The Manhattan Region, Z. O. A., its Officers and Executive Committee record with extreme sorrow the passing of a devoted Officer and Executive Member, a tireless worker and a life long Zionist. To his family we express our sincere condolences in their bereavement.

**KOHN**—Leon A., The Board of Directors and Staff of the Jewish Education Committee of New York record with profound sorrow the passing of Leon Kohn, devoted member of the board and dedicated worker in the cause of Jewish Education. His loss will be keenly felt.

**KROETHER**—Reina F., of Sayville, L. I., formerly of Bellerose, on Aug. 19, 1956, beloved wife of William A., mother of Mrs. Doris Kearney and Mrs. Lois Carroll, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte Loosby, and sister of Mrs. Irene Martons and Mrs. Rose Stewart. Services at Raynor's Chapel, Sayville, Wednesday, Aug. 22, 2 P. M. Interment Greenfield Cemetery, Hempstead.

**LANDERS**—Harriet K., on Aug. 20, 1956, wife of Edward M. Lapham, sister of Eliza K. Willets, mother of Edward M. Lapham Jr., Thomas W. Lapham and Mrs. Ann L. Frazer. Services at Manhasset Friends Meetinghouse, Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 2:30 P. M. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Friends Service Committee.

**LEVY**—Bertha, beloved wife of the late Jacob, devoted mother of Florence Derban, dear sister of Arthur Small, darling grandmother. Services "Park West," 79th St. and Columbus Ave., Wednesday, Aug. 22, at 10:30 A. M.

**LEVY**—Herman, devoted father of Marvin, Elaine, dear brother of Philip Irving, and Sarah. Services Tuesday, 2 P. M., Blau Memorial Chapel, 410 Grand St., New York City. Adler Young Men's Benevolent Society members attend.

**LEVY**—Irwin R., D. D. S., beloved husband of Frances, brother of Rose Tall. Services Tuesday, Aug. 21, 11:45 A. M., at "The Riverside," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave.

**LEVY**—Irwin R., D.D.S., The First District Dental Society announces with deep regret the death of its Active member, Dr. Irwin R. Levy.

**LIEBLING**—Mrs. Anna Klone, widow of Joseph Liebling, in her seventy-ninth year, died Sunday at home, 65 Newtown Ave., Roswalk, Conn., beloved mother of A. J. Liebling and Mrs. Harold Joseph grand-mother of Arthur, John and Robert. Services 2 P. M. Tuesday at Collins Funeral Home, 92 East Ave., Roswalk, Conn.

**MEISNER**—Leo, in his eighty-fifth year, on Aug. 20 in Boston, beloved husband of Grace (nee Berkowitz), loving father of Charlotte Melner, Alice Thurman and late Wesley Melner, dear grandfather and great-grandfather. Services Wednesday, 1 P. M., at "The Riverside," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave. Boston papers please copy.

**MEISNER**—Leo, Provident Sick and Benevolent Society mourns a beloved life member. Services Wednesday, 1 P. M., The Riverside, 76th and Amsterdam Aves.

**MICHAEL**, BRAUN, Secretary

**MENDELSON**—Irving L., on Aug. 19, 1956, beloved husband of Mae (nee McCaffrey), beloved mother of M. Virginia Pickel.

**Deaths**

Allen, Frank  
Amatulli, Carmela  
Battie, Dorothy  
Behr, Theresa  
Blank, Nathan  
Blankstein, Edward  
Bruder, Joseph  
Bruggeman, Mario  
Buckman, John B.  
Cassidy, Catherine A.  
Cates, Gwendolen F.  
Chambers, Walter A.  
Chipman, Ralph N.  
Dalympy, Florence E.  
de Ronyl, Florence P.  
Elsman, Fanny  
Fleming, Robert M.  
Forbes, Ruth L.  
Freund, Herman B.  
Gans, Joseph  
Gans, Ray  
Glazier, Max  
Greco, Harry  
Greenfield, Caroline  
Griffin, John A.  
Harris, Edward  
Hotchkiss, Harry  
Kaufman, Sophia  
Kemmer, Johanna  
Klein, Rose  
Klein, Theresa  
Klitz, Leopold G.  
Kohn, John F.  
Kohn, Leon A.

Kroether, Reipa F.  
Landers, Harriet K.  
Lapham Anna W.  
Levy, Bertha  
Levin, Herman  
Levy, Irwin R.  
Liebling, Anna S.  
Meisner, Leo  
Mendelsohn, Irvine  
Millar, James  
Mittler, Otto S.  
Morgan, Hugh, Jr.  
Neidelman, Joseph  
O'Hanlon, Mary Ida  
Pfister, Jacob  
Pratt, Marie Y. K.  
Richmond, George  
Ritter, William M.  
Rockwitz, Jacob L.  
Rodin, Morris  
Schumsky, Fanny  
Seinknecht, Axel G.  
Smith, Elizabeth H.  
Snouder, Arthur H.  
Sottone, Peter  
Stokes, Millicent I.  
Taub, Sadie  
Taylor, Maurice V.  
Turkel, Motel  
Well, Josephine  
Whitney, Frank  
Wilson, Ernest P.  
Witkin, Abner J.  
Wronker, Robert

**STOKES**—Millicent Dorothy, of 610 E. Ave., N. Y., on Aug. 19, 1956, beloved wife of John Christopher Stokes, sister of Hilda Emma Lee and Wally and aunt of William H. Graham. Home, 1036 Boston Post Road, Rye, N. Y., 9:30 A. M., Wednesday, Aug. 22, by services 10 A. M., Christ Church, N. Y. Interment Greenwood Union Cemetery, Rye, N. Y., Norfolk, England, please copy.

**TAUB**—Sadie, devoted wife of Max, mother of Dotty Held, Jack, Edward, Goldman, Gertrude Abner, beloved niece and great-grandmother. Home, 1036 Boston Post Road, Rye, N. Y., 9:30 A. M., Wednesday, Aug. 22, by services at "The Riverside," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave., Tuesday at 1 P. M.

**TAUB**—Sadie, Manhattan League, with great sorrow the loss of one of our esteemed Vice Presidents. Home, PEGGY WEINBERG, The Field.

**TAYLOR**—Maurice W., beloved husband of Josephine, devoted father of Jerome, brother of Hatfield, Ruth Jablon, late Abraham and Mitchell. Services today, Aug. 21, 2:15 P. M., "The side," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave.

**TAYLOR**—Maurice W., The River Progress Lodge, No. 1041, F. A. M., sorrowfully announce the passing of their brother and charter member. Services today, 2:15 P. M., at Chapel, Amsterdam Ave. and 141st St. Brothers please attend.

**LOUIS L. ARCHER**, Secretary

**TAYLOR**—Maurice W., Brothers, announce with regret the passing of their esteemed member, Maurice W. Taylor. Members are requested to attend services today, 2:15 P. M., at "The side," 76th St. and Amsterdam Ave.

**SIDNEY PELITE**, Secretary

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