

Floyd A. Frey

Services for Floyd A. Frey, 70, retired teacher and farmer, who died June 11th in his Germansville R. 1 home, were held Friday in Ebenezer Church, New Tripoli, the Rev. John Hunsicker officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery at the direction of the John F. Keller Funeral Home, New Tripoli.

Born in Albany Township, a son of the late Aaron and Senora (Clauss) Frey, he began his teaching career in Albany and Heidelberg townships after graduating from Keystone State Normal School, now Kutztown State College, in 1923. He combined teaching with farming for a time, then gave full attention to farming, returning to education in 1955. Until retiring three years ago, he taught special education classes in Carbon County schools, emphasizing the therapeutic value of crafts in his work with mentally retarded pupils. He taught a class in basketweaving and chair caneing at the Lehigh County Senior Citizens Center, Allentown.

Mr. Frey was a member of the Lutheran congregation of Ebenezer Church, New Tripoli, and was a director of the Pennsylvania Dutch Folk Culture Society, Lenhartsville. He was a former president of the Carbon County Special Education Teachers Assn. and was a former president and secretary of the Lehigh County Soil Conservation Board, past vice president of the Pennsylvania Assn. of Soil Conservation District Directors and director of the Lehigh Farm Bureau Cooperative Assn. Twice married, his first wife, Edna Kershner, died in 1934.

Surviving are his widow, Helen E. (Wagaman) Frey; two sons: Wayne A., Germansville R. 1, and Carson L., Fogelsville; four daughters: Mrs. Ruth Ritz; Ethel, wife of Dale Boka, and Rachel, wife of Richard Yeahl, all of Allentown, and Marie, wife of Alton Feinour, Fogelsville, 15 grandchildren, one great-grandchild and a sister, Mrs. Clistie Kramer of Egypt, formerly of New Tripoli. 41 Je 1973 11 Je 1973 P