

Orell (Apple) Holland, Former Kane Resident, Dies in North East

Orell G. (Apple) Holland, 77, of Harborcreek and a former Kane resident, died Thursday in North East.

Mr. Holland had been a professional baseball player with the Baltimore Orioles, receiving the Louisville Slugger Trophy for the most home runs as a member of the Orioles in 1928. He had also played with the Erie Sailors and the House of David.

Mr. Holland was born in Kane on June 29, 1901, the son of the late Manley and Mary Callen Holland. He had resided in Erie since 1926 and was retired from the Erie Police Department in 1961 as a captain.

He was a member of the Lawrence Park Golf Club, the Haas Memorial Lodge No. 7 FOP, the Retired Police Officers Association of Erie and the East Erie Turners.

Surviving are his wife, Frances Gorney Holland; three daughters, Mrs. Doris Stahlbaum of Lawrence Park, Mrs. Harold Craig of Lakeland, Fla. and Mrs. Thomas Tannis of Erie; one son, William of Erie; two brothers, Clair and Melvin Holland, both of Erie; 10 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by one son, Orell G. Holland Jr.

Funeral services will be held in Erie on Monday with interment to follow in Trinity Cemetery.

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