

## Obit for Edward E. Lane

Edward E. Lane age 97 passed away at Granite Farms Estates Retirement Home January 25, 2004. Formerly of Wayne.

He was the husband of Virginia Newcomer Lane for 69 years. Edward was born in Burlington, VT in 1906, grew up in Spencer, MA, graduated from David Prouty High School, and graduated from Worcester Polytechnical Institute in Electrical engineering. He worked for Teleregister Corp. in NYC as a construction engineer.

In 1934 he married Virginia Newcomer in Mt. Joy, PA. They lived in Flushing, NY until the death of her father when they moved to Mt. Joy and he went into the hardware retail business with her brother. During WWII he served in the U. S. Navy, and in 1954 moved to Wayne, PA and worked as a sales promotion manager for Franklin Hardware Corp. of Philadelphia.

In addition to his wife he is survived by his children and their spouses: Elinor and Richard Warren of Wayne, Constance and Peter Nissley of Bethesda, MD, Priscilla Lane and Joji Kappes of Portland, OR, and Thomas Lane of Toronto, Canada, seven grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Since his retirement he has taken an active interest in the Valley Forge Audubon Society, and various hobbies of nature photography, hiking, birding, wood carving, and gardening.

Memorial service will be Tuesday February 3, 2004 at 11:00am at the Main Line Unitarian Church, 816 S. Valley Forge Rd. Devon, PA 19333. Interment private.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the above named church or to the Valley Forge Audubon Society P.O. Box 866 Paoli, PA 19301.