Edward G. Greer; Formerly Taught Drama at SU

Edward G. Greer, a member of the Syracuse University Drama Department faculty from 1974 to 1991, died May 7 at Mount Sinai Hospital in New York City. He was 73.

The cause of death was congestive heart failure, said his sister, Marilyn Abrams, of Poughkeepsie.

Arthur Storch, recently retired chairman of the drama department, invited Mr. Greer to join the faculty in 1974. They were both associated with the Actors Studio in New York City, where Mr. Greer was a member of its Directors Unit.

Mr. Greer brought a knowledge of classical acting which he acquired while working with British repertory companies in Stratford-upon-Avon, Liverpool and Birmingham.

In May 1991, the Edward Greer Award for Classical Acting was established at the university.

Mr. Greer was born in Cambridge, Mass., and was a graduate of Harvard University. His graduate study at the Yale School of Drama earned him the MFA degree in 1963.

Carmen A. Parella

Carmen A. Parella, 61, of 117 E. Norwood Ave., Liverpool, died Wednesday at St. Joseph's Hospital after apparently suffering a heart attack.

Mr. Parella was a life resident of the Syracuse area. He retired in 1991 after 34 years with Niagara Mohawk Power Corp. During his last 10 years with the company, he was a gas training instructor and consultant.

Mr. Parella was a communicant of St. Joseph the Worker Church, Liverpool, where he worked with homeless and poor. He was an Air Force veteran of the Korean War.

Surviving are his wife, Isabelle; two daughters, Elizabeth Simpson of Baldwinsville and Geraldine Morgan of Memphis; a sister, Carrie Laws of Pennille; six grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Gates Funeral Home, 29 W. Genesee St., Baldwinsville. Burial will be in Kingdom Road Cemetery, Van Buren.

Calling hours were Thursday.

Contributions may be made to the Greater Baldwinsville Ambulance Corps.

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Otto W. Armstrong; Retired HJ Printer

Otto W. Armstrong, 88, of 7434 Perry Road, Baldwinsville, died Tuesday at his home.

A native of Rochester, Mr. Armstrong resided most of his life in the Baldwinsville area. He retired as a printer from the Herald-Journal.

Mr. Armstrong was a member of the Grand Court State of New York Foresters.

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