

Charles H. Leonhard, served in World War I

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Charles H. Leonhard, 98, of Heath Village, Washington Township (Morris), died on June 23 at Heath Village.

Born in Haledon, Mr. Leonhard was the son of the late John Henry and Juliet Van Hovenberg Leonhard. He had lived in Wyckoff before moving to the Hackettstown area in 1969.

He had worked as a sales representative for the Paterson Parchment Paper Co. before retiring many years ago.

He had served at the Mexican border in 1916 as a sergeant in a machine gun company with 5th Regiment of the N.J. National Guard. From 1917 to 1919, during World War I, he served in the Navy as a pharmacist's mate 2nd class and he served in France and Germany in the Military Hospital Corps with the U.S. Expeditionary Forces.

He was a life member of St. Mary's Memorial Episcopal Church, Haledon, where he also served as a vestryman and a choir member.

He was a former member of the

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 869.

Mr. Leonhard attended St. James Episcopal Church, Hackettstown.

Mr. Leonhard is survived by his wife of 73 years, Helen, at home; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were held at 1:30 p.m. on June 28 at Heath Village. Interment was private. Arrangements were by the Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High St., Hackettstown.

Memorial donations may be made in Mr. Leonhard's name to the Heath Village Friendship Fund, Schooley's Mountain Road, Hackettstown, N.J. 07840.

HACKETTSTOWN — Charles H. Leonhard, 98, of Heath Village in Washington Township, died Wednesday, June 23, in the village.

He was a sales representative for Paterson Parchment Paper Co. in Paterson before retiring many years ago.

Born Feb. 26, 1895, in Haledon, he was a son of the late John Henry and Juliet Van Hovenberg Leonhard. He lived in Hackettstown since 1969, moving from Wyckoff.

He was a life member of St. Mary's Memorial Episcopal Church in Haledon, where he served as a vestryman and was a member of the church choir, and attended St. James Episcopal Church in Hackettstown.

He was a former member of VFW Post 869.

He served on the Mexican border as a sergeant with a machine gun company of the New Jersey National Guard Fifth Regiment in 1916. From 1917-19 during World War I, he served with the U.S. Navy as a pharmacist's mate second class with the U.S. Military Hospital Corps in France and Germany and with the American Expeditionary Force.

He and his wife, the former Helen Duggan, were married 73 years.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by several nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in Heath Village, Route 24, Hackettstown. Cremation will take place at H.G. Smith Crematory in Stroudsburg. There will be no calling hours. The Cochran Funeral Home, 905 High St., Hackettstown, is in charge of arrangements.

The family requests memorials to Heath Village Friendship Fund, Schooleys Mountain Road, Hackettstown, NJ 07840.

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