

**WILLIAM H. STAPLES
PHILLIPSBURG**

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. today for William H. Staples, 78, former owner of Jersey Electrical Supply, Inc., who died Sunday in Oxford.

Born in Great Meadows, he was a son of the late David and Ellen Cummins Staples.

He was manager of the Fromm Electrical Supply, Phillipsburg, from 1940 to 1945, prior to that, he was a bookkeeper at Leidy Electric, Phillipsburg. From 1946 to 1966, he owned his own company and from 1966 to 1973, he was a consultant at Spectre Archery Enterprises, Easton, Pa.

A 1917 graduate of Belvidere High School, he was a pitcher on its baseball team for four years. He was a member of A.W. Leidy, 1926 champions of the Industrial Baseball League.

He was a charter member of the Electric League of Phillipsburg and Easton.

Surviving are his widow, the former Bernice Corley; a son, David of Phillipsburg, and two grandchildren.

Services will be in the Finnegan Funeral Home, Phillipsburg.

Interment will be in Sts. Philip and James Cemetery, Phillipsburg.

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Obituary,
William H. Staples,
Date of Death, September 4, 1977.