

**Carol A. (Sheaffer) Roush**, (Died 14 Mar 1988), Patriot-News, The (Harrisburg, PA) - Wednesday, March 16, 1988

New Bloomfield - **Carol A. Roush**, 39, of New Bloomfield RD 1 died Monday at home.

Surviving are her husband, **James K. Roush**; a son, **Michael Burkepile** of Vail, Ariz.; a daughter, **Roseann Burkepile** of Highspire; a sister, **Shirley Lindsay** of Selinsgrove; three brothers, **Jacob** and **Richard Sheaffer**, both of Liverpool, and **George Sheaffer** of Harrisburg; and a granddaughter.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday in the Smith Funeral Home, Duncannon, with the Rev. Alan Hagenbuch officiating. Burial will be in Snyder's Cemetery.

There will be no viewing.

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**Fatal Perry fire blamed on neglected stove**

A fire that claimed the life of a Perry County woman Monday was caused by a pot left on an electric stove, a state police deputy fire marshal said today.

**Carol Roush**, 39, of New Bloomfield RD 1 was killed when fire destroyed her home along Paradise Road in Wheatfield Twp. Her body was found in a bedroom in the dwelling, and investigators believe she fell asleep and the pot overheated and triggered the blaze, Trooper Donald Harriman of the Newport barracks said.

The one-story wood-frame house was engulfed in flames when firefighters arrived shortly after 3: 30 p.m. Monday. Harriman said the loss to the structure was estimated at \$40,000, but no estimate was available on contents destroyed.

An autopsy failed to determine the cause of Roush's death and toxicology studies are being conducted, Perry County Coroner Michael J. Shalonis said earlier.

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