

Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory

Lot Number: 39 Space: F2

Find A Grave # 134075234

Name: **Montell, Helen Wolfe Horsey**

Birth date: April 14, 1901 Death date: May 3, 1997 Burial Date: May 7, 1997 Age: 96
b. Laurel, DE

Spouse: Edgar Whiting Montell (1894-1982), m. June 22, 1927 in Dover, DE by Rev. Benjamin F. Thompson, Christ Church

Children:

Parents: Elmer Pancoast Horsey (1869-1964) and Minnie Wolfe Horsey (1872-1949)

Siblings: Harold Wolfe Horsey (1893-1989); Donald P. Horsey (1896-1978); William Wells Wolfe Horsey (1903-1978)

Residence: Dover, DE

Cause of death: Alzheimer's disease

Service/occupation information

Officiate:

Lot Owner: Minnie Wolfe Horsey, 39 F,G,H,I,J and 40 A,B,C,D,E

Marker in same space as husband Edgar Montell's marker at foot of grave

Inscription/Epitaph:

Helen W. Montell
1901 - 1997

DIMENSIONS: H 26" x 15" x D 10"

STYLE: headstone; Wolfe monument in 39 G+H

"W" corner markers, and "Wolfe" monument in 39G

Repairs needed: cleaning



Inventory date: January 13, 2020 Recorder: Ellen Richardson

The News Journal, Wilmington, DE, Wednesday, June 22, 1927

Montell-Horsey.
 Dover, June 22.—In Christ P. E. Church this evening at 7.30 Miss Helen Wolfe Horsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer P. Horsey, will become the bride of Edgar Whiting Montell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Montell, of Cambridge, Md. The ceremony will be performed by the rector of Old Christ Church, Rev. Dr. Benjamin Fish Thompson. The bride will be given in marriage by her father, who is cashier of the First National Bank of Dover. The bride's gown will be Point de Alencon lace over ivory satin veiled with chiffon.
 Mrs. Dallas Culver of Philadelphia will be matron of honor; the bridesmaids will be Miss Katherine Pennewill and Miss Emily Walker; the flower girls, Lloyd and Eleanor Horsey, nieces of the bride.
 The best man will be Arthur C. Montell, Jr., of Ocean City, N. J., brother of the bridegroom. The ushers will be Peter Chichester, of Frederick, Md.; Willard Boyce, Cheswold; Wells Horsey, of Dover; Donald Horsey, of Lansdowne, Pa. Mrs. Helen B. Hughes, of Dover, will be at the organ, accompanied by Mrs. J. Hall Anderson on the violin.
 Following the wedding a reception will be held at the Maple Dale Country Club, just west of Dover. Miss Horsey was tendered a buffet supper last evening by her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Horsey, in their home on North State street.

News Journal, Wed, June 22, 1927

The Evening Journal, Wilmington, DE, Thursday, June 23, 1927

IS JUNE BRIDE



—Photo by Vanity Fair Studio.

MRS. EDGAR W. MONTELL
 In Christ P. E. Church, Dover, at 7.30 o'clock last evening, Miss Helen Wolfe Horsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer P. Horsey, and Edgar Whiting Montell, of Cambridge, Md., were married by the Rev. Benjamin Fish Thompson. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Maple Dale Country Club. Mr. and Mrs. Montell left last evening on a motor trip to Canada. On their return they will spend the summer in Dover and Rehoboth and later will make their home in New York State. Mr. Montell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Montell, of Cambridge, Md.

Evening Journal, Thurs. June 23, 1927

STATE OF DELAWARE
 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS 526
CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE

1 DATE AND PLACE OF MARRIAGE
 June 22, 1927 A.M.
 Dover Kent Del.

2 FULL NAME GROOM
 Edgar Whiting Montell

3 FULL NAME BRIDE
 Helen Wolfe Horsey

4 AGE AT LAST BIRTHDAY 30
 COLOR White American

5 OCCUPATION
 Purchasing Agent
 New York

6 SINGLE WIDOWER DIVORCED
 Single

7 GROOM'S FATHER
 Arthur C. Montell
 Maryland

8 GROOM'S MOTHER
 Virginia Montell
 New York

9 NUMBER OF GROOM'S MARRIAGES
 First

10 RESIDENCE
 Dover Kent Delaware

11 I hereby certify that the above answers were given to me personally, and are true to my best knowledge.
 Benjamin F. Thompson Rector
 (Overseer of the Marriage)

12 WITNESSES, one or more
 Name: Wells Horsey, Harold Horsey, Address: Dover, Delaware
 H. M. Hughes, C. C. City, Del.

Filed June 27, 1927 L. L. Council Dist. No. Co.

The News Journal, Wilmington, DE Monday, May 5, 1997

HELEN WOLFE MONTELL, 96, died Saturday of complications from Alzheimer's disease in Westminster Village Health Center, Dover. Mrs. Montell was a 1919 graduate of the Baldwin School in Philadelphia. She moved to Dover about 1978. Her husband, Edgar Whiting Montell, died in 1982.

Survivors: no immediate.

Service: 11 a.m. Wednesday, Christ Episcopal Church, State and Water streets, Dover. **Burial:** churchyard.

Contributions: Christ Church or its memorial fund, Church Hill, Md.

News Journal, Mon., May 5, 1997