

Morris Holland

Morris Holland, 72, died Thursday afternoon, July 22, 1965 at his cottage in Robbinston as the result of a heart attack.

He was born in Russia, the son of Edwin and Hannah (Pasha) Holland. Unsure of his exact birthday, he, along with his nephew Arthur Unobskey decided upon December 25th as a perfectly appropriate birthday for a Jewish boy.

He came to the United States as a young man due in large part to his sister-Sarah Unobskey and had been active in the management of Unobskey's stores in Eastport and Calais for 45 years.

He served as President of Congregation Chaim Joseph for over 25 years. He was a member of the Calais chapter of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and also served as district deputy marshall. He was also a member of the Calais Masonic Lodge, Anah Temple of Bangor and the Calais Lions Club.

He loved being at his cottage on the St. Croix river. He delighted in hosting his son, his daughter and her family and his niece and her family. He also enjoyed fishing for flounder in the St. Croix

He is survived by his widow, Ray (Freeman) Holland of Calais; one daughter, Sylvia Waterman, his son-in-law Robert and his granddaughters Myra and Amy, all of Newton, Mass; one son Professor Henry Holland, a Colby College professor living in Waterville; his niece, Ann (Unobskey) Theeman, her husband Sidney and his grand-nephew Miles, living in Lubec; his nephew, Bert Unobskey, his wife Tillie and his grand nephews, Mark and Mary of Memphis, Tennessee; and his niece Dora (Unobskey) Theeman, her husband Isadore and his grand-nephew Markahm of Chevy Chase, Md.