WHITE — In Fall River, Mass., Sept. 27, 1983, James Tec White, husband of the late Louise A. (Deane) White of 6 Water St., Assonet, Mass., formerly of Fall River. Memorial services to which relatives and friends are invited will be held from the United Church of Assonet, Mass., Sunday afternoon, Oct. 9, 1983 at 2:00. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to the Tec White Memorial Music Fund of the Church, N. Main St., Assonet, 02702. Visiting hours are omitted.

James White

ASSONET — James "Tec" White, 84, of Water Street died Tuesday. He was the widower of Louise (Deane) White and the son of the late John and Mary (Dunn) White.

He was born in Airdrie, Scotland and lived in the United States since 1925. He was a member of the United Church of Assonet and past president of the men's class of Central Congregational Church in Fall River. He was past deacon and choir director of the Assonet Christian Church and past president of the Forever Young Club of Assonet.

Mr. White was an international professional soccer player from 1919 to 1933. He was chosen as All-American by the former Boston Post and was named to the Fox Point Soccer Hall of Fame. He coached soccer at Brown University in 1932 and was a physiotherapist and instructor in squash and racquetball

at the Fall River Boys Club. He lectured in schools on the Scottish poet Robert Burns.

A member of the Colonial Navy of Massachusetts, he served with the Scottish Seaforth Highlanders during World War I. He was past chairman of the Handicap Committee of the Fall River Country Club, treasurer of the Freetown Lions Club for 34 years, and a 32nd Degree Mason of the Azab Grotto.

Survivors include a son, Bruce Deane White of Assonet; a daughter, Diane Nyland of Buckingham, Pa.; a brother, John White of Scotland; a sister, Mae Anderson of Scotland; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.