



DOROTHY SNIVELY MORRIS

Camp Timlo 1943 - 1967

Pine Log Camp 1960 - 1967

MRS. WILLIAM MORRIS DIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

It is with deep regret that we report that Dorothy S. Morris died from injuries suffered in an automobile accident on the Northway between Saratoga and Albany on Wednesday, February 15, 1967. She had been a Director of Camp Timlo since 1943 and was one of the Directors of Pine Log Camp since 1960. Mrs. Morris was returning to Albany from Lake George after a visit with Barr's family when the mishap occurred.

PLAYED MANY ROLES IN THE CAMPS

Because over the years she had varied responsibilities in the camps, it might be difficult for campers to fully appreciate just how many important areas of camp life Mrs. Morris contributed to. Her primary responsibility was having charge of the food service for both camps. This is one of the areas we all take for granted but has always been considered one of the most important and difficult. Having been a Registered Nurse, there were many occasions when she took charge of the Infirmarys, and each year she made the arrangements for setting up the Infirmarys before the nurses arrived. Mrs. Morris was a strong factor in maintaining high standards of health care. In discharging these responsibilities so efficiently in both camps, it is understandable that she was considered such an energetic and forceful person.

Although these were the two principal areas of her contribution to Timlo and Pine Log, Dorothy Morris exercised a strong and much broader influence on the many different functions of the camps. Everybody familiar with the camps realized this. Head Counsellors, storekeepers, trip counsellors, handymen, and kitchen staff especially knew how indispensable she was to the success of their departments.

From a camper's standpoint, so much of Mrs. Morris' contribution was in the background and in a surprisingly subtle manner. Staff members and CIT's will remember fondly the wonderful outings she had for them at her cottage on Trout Lake just a half a mile from the Timlo campus.

It won't be the same not seeing Mrs. Morris driving in and out of camp each day with her station wagon full of supplies, stopping by the Craft Shop and Lodge to visit with campers and counsellors. We will miss her because she did so much in so many areas, but we will miss her mostly because Dorothy Morris was a lady of clear judgment, of strict conscience, of strong character, of warm personality, and of such genuine thoughtfulness.