

Former Teacher Marks 91st Year

NEW BRITAIN (Special) — Miss Mary Gaffney, a retired school teacher and member of a prominent local family, observed her 91st birthday on New Year's Day.

She recently was discharged from New Britain Memorial Hospital and, as the new year arrived, she telephone 1963 greetings to the hospital's staff.

The only surviving member of a family of four boys and one girl that lived in Stanley Quarter before it was known as Belvidere, she now resides at 57 Court St.

One of her brothers was the late Judge of Probate Bernard F. Gaffney. He also was chairman of the school board. Her nephews also entered the legal profession.