

Births and Deaths

Cards of Thanks, In Memoriams, Marriage Notices, Engagements, Announcements

ENGAGED

Patrick and Rita Hebert of Hemmingford are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Sue-Anne, to Kent Kennedy, son of Beverly and Wayne Kennedy of Champlain, N.Y. A wedding has been planned for June, 1986.

Mary and Lionel Elson of Stouffville, Ontario and Joyce and Jim Ross of Athelstan, Que. are pleased to announce the engagement of their children Bonny and Tom. The wedding will take place Saturday, May 17, 1986, at 4 p.m. in Goodwood United Church, Goodwood, Ontario.

DIED

McNEIL, James Kenneth - Suddenly at the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown on February 17th, 1986. Eldest son of the late Archibald McNeil and Hester Picard. Survived by his sisters, Betty (Mrs. Clarence Baird) and Ruth McCaffrey, as well as nieces and nephews. Funeral service was held from the chapel of the McGerrigle Funeral Home Inc., on February 20th, at 2 p.m. Interment in the spring.

LAPLANTE, Albert H. - At the Montreal General Hospital on Feb. 18th 1986, aged 62 years, dear brother of Emilio, Lionel, Halsey, Mrs. Gertrude Laberge, and Rita. No visitation or service by family request. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Kelly Funeral Home, Huntingdon.

SKIDMORE, James Robert Leslie - Peacefully at Greenfield Park, Sunday, February 23rd, 1986. Survived by his wife, Yolande, daughter Diane, sons, Robert and Michael, 3 grandchildren, 4 sisters and 2 brothers.

DIED

McARTHUR, Mrs. Wilma (née Ross), peacefully at the Barrie Memorial Hospital on February 16th, 1986 in her 87th year, beloved wife of the late Colin McArthur, predeceased by her brothers, Raymond, Edmund and Leslie. Funeral service was held from the chapel of the McGerrigle Funeral Home Inc., on February 18th at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Women's Auxiliary of the Barrie Memorial Hospital would be appreciated.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank Dr. Thompson and the nursing staff of the second floor of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for their good care while I was a patient there.
Grant Whyte

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to my family and my many friends for the good wishes extended to me on my 89th birthday with cards, telephone calls and many other kindnesses. Your love and friendship mean so much to me.
Mayford Hooker

Our sincere thanks to relatives friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, cards and donations to Women's Auxiliary, Barrie Memorial Hospital and Walshaven Community Centre, in memory of Doc Mills. A special thank you to the combined choir. Our deep appreciation to Allan and Ray Mack for their tender loving care shown to Uncle Bill in the past.

Bob Mills, Dot Lepalme, Don McCormick and Betty McGerrigle

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I would like to express my sincere thanks to the doctors, nurses and staff of the 2nd floor of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for all the good care received while I was a patient.
Thank you.

René Forget

We would like to express our sincere thanks to Mrs. Harrigan and staff for excellent care given to our sister, Manilla and to all those who visited, sent cards, food and donations in her memory. All was very much appreciated. Please consider this as personal.

Ida and Charlie Anderson and Myrtle Geyer

My sincere appreciation to Dr. Blonde and all others on staff at the Barrie Memorial Emergency and to all staff on the 3rd floor and to Mme Andrée LeFort my roommate, when I was so ill in January. Special thanks to Father Carl Triskle. Our gratitude to friends and neighbors for flowers, food and special consideration.

Pat Jackson and family

IN MEMORIAM

CAMERON, Jessie - In loving memory of a dear sister who passed away on February 29, 1984.

"Treasured memories keep you near, As time unfolds another year."

Always remembered by Donald, Helen and Mildred McCormick.

PARISIEN, Victor - In loving memory of Victor, who passed away March 2nd, 1985.

"Time takes away the edge of grief, But memory turns back every leaf."

Kevin, Shirley and Melanie and Thomas

The late Alice Louise Watson

Alice Louise Watson - Née Brownlee - passed away on Sunday, Feb. 16 at the Centre Hospitalier de Valleyfield after a short illness.

She was born in 1903 in the Hemmingford area, the daughter of James and Mary Ellen Brownlee, sister of Maggie and Ernest who predeceased her.

While she was still quite young, her parents moved to Valleyfield and built their home at 16 Anderson Street.

Alice was a student at the Gault Institute, and afterwards worked for many

years in the Shipping Department of the old Montreal Cottons Mill.

In 1941 she married John Watson, a widower with one young daughter, Patricia, and for some years they lived in Ottawa. They returned to Valleyfield during the 1960s and moved back into the old family home. She was predeceased by husband, John, about 10 years ago.

She was a very staunch Presbyterian, and it was rarely, if ever, that she missed a Sunday service. She was one of the oldest - if not the oldest - members of the Valleyfield Presbyterian Church.

She will be sadly missed by her step-daughter, Patricia along with her three children, also her many friends, nieces, nephews and cousins, including Hazel Ness of Ormstown and Archie Brownlee of Greenfield Park.

Many relatives and friends, some of whom attended school with her, were present at the funeral service, which was held at the Valleyfield United Church at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 21.

Interment will be in Hemmingford. R.I.P. Alice.

The late Mildred E. Gray

Mildred E. Gray, who resided at 71, Court Street, Plattsburgh, N.Y., died on February 7, 1986, at C.V.P.H. at the age of 90.

She was born in Ormstown, Que. on August 10, 1895, the daughter of Albert and Jessie Caine Osmond.

She was a member of the Wesley-Knox Church in Hemmingford, and attended the First Presbyterian Church in Plattsburgh. She was a member of the Schuyler Falls Senior Citizens.

She moved to Plattsburgh from Hemmingford in 1944 and was employed at

Montgomery War's for 16 years. She retired in 1962.

Her husband, Samuel J. Gray, died in 1968.

She is survived by a son, Hollis J. Gray of Midland, a daughter, Mrs. Robert W. (Lois) Walker of Plattsburgh, five grandchildren, Richard Walker and John J. Walker of Plattsburgh, Mrs. Philip (Barbara) Hurd of Keeseville, N.Y., Robert Gray of Brampton and Mrs. James (Coleen) Wallace of St. Catharines, Ont. and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held from the R.W. Walker

Funeral Home in Plattsburgh on February 11. Officiating were: Rev. Thomas J. McKinnon Jr., associate pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and Rev. F. Kingsley Emerson Jr., Pastor of the First Baptist Church, Plattsburgh.

The organist was Grace Chesbrough with soloist Ronald G. Wood.

Pallbearers were David M. Simpson, Beattie Barr, Gregory Little, Alvin L. Tripp, Jeffrey M. Mostyne and Joseph Tremblay.

Burial was in the Wesley-Knox Cemetery in Hemmingford.

Valleyfield

by Elsie Melanson •

Condolences

The community extends its deepest sympathy and condolences, to the family and friends of Marie-Andrée LeBlanc, 29-year old daughter of Jules and Irene LeBlanc and sister of Mrs. Ronald

O'Neill. Andrée was killed instantly in a car accident at Coteau, on Tuesday, Feb. 18.

The funeral service was held in Valleyfield at St. Augustine's Church, on Friday, Feb. 21.