

Births and Deaths

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

BORN

TANNAHILL - Glen and Carol (Ness) are pleased to announce the birth of their first child, Marc Robert, on November 12, 1988, weighing 7 lbs. 11 oz. at the Barrie Memorial Hospital. Proud grandparents are Ruth and Merrill Tannahill, Joan and Robert Ness. A great grandson for Mayford Hooker, Jim and Sally Summerton and Hazel Ness.

SIMPSON - Neil, Elaine (Donnelly) and Eric welcome the arrival of Ryan Neil on Aug. 17, 1988, 6 lbs. 12-3/4 oz. Proud grandparents are Herb and Alvina Simpson, John and Marge Donnelly. Great grandson for Elsie MacKay, Walter and Mabel Donnelly.

DIED

DEMPSEY, Mrs. Madeleine - 89 years old of Fort Covington, N.Y. died Tuesday, November 15, 1988 in Malone. Born in Huntingdon, Quebec, January 29, 1899 daughter of Frederick and Agatha Quinn Lachance, she was married to Charles Dempsey who predeceased her January 13, 1946. She is survived by four grandchildren, three great grandchildren. She was predeceased by a son James Dempsey. Funeral services were in St. Mary's Church, Fort Covington, N.Y. Burial in the parish cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late James Manning wishes to thank all the wonderful friends that sent their love and sympathy to them during their recent loss.

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I would like to express my sincere thanks to Dr. Fiset and all the other doctors, nurses and staff on the 2nd floor of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for the great care while my wonderful mother Jean Arbutnot was a patient there. As well to the C.L.S.C. and to all relatives and friends for their many kind expressions of sympathy through flowers, cards and donations to different organizations and for their support as well. Many thanks again.

Wilson Arbutnot

I wish to express my grateful thanks for the lovely 80th birthday I had. Special thanks to my daughter and son-in-law, Marion and Archie English, granddaughter Cheryl English and her friend Gary McEwen. Dorothy my daughter was unable to attend on account of her health. Cousins Carol and Bill MacMillan and family, also Eleanor Wilson, Grace Graham for making such a beautiful personal birthday cake. To all my good friends and neighbours, especially Myrtle and Eric Rumsby and Dorothy and Bob Barr, not only on my birthday but always. I was very happy to have two over 90s here, Mayford Hooker, and Jas. B. Elliot, also on in her 90th year, my cousin Martha Bryson.

We would like to thank Dr. Vantor and the Maternity staff of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for the excellent care and attention we received during our stay. A special thank you to our friends and relatives for the lovely flowers, gifts and visits.

Carole and Marc Tannahill

I would like to thank my relatives, friends and neighbors who helped to make my birthday such a happy occasion, with cards, gifts and flowers. A special thank you to the U.C.W. Ladies of the Church for the delicious refreshments.

Catherine McEwen

I wish to express my sincere thanks to doctors Lefebvre and Fiset for the excellent care while a patient at the Barrie Memorial Hospital. Also to all the nursing staff of the 2nd floor for their wonderful care. Thanks to all for phone calls, visits, cards, flowers and gifts. Also relatives, friends and neighbors for help. All was very much appreciated.

Lyall Stark

I wish to thank the doctors Aikin and Thompson and the nurses and staff of the 2nd floor of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for the excellent care and attention I received while a patient there. My thanks also to my family and friends for flowers, gifts, cards and visits.

Aline Bourdon

IN MEMORIAM

SHARPE - In loving memory of a dear mother Estella M. Sharpe who passed away November 28th, 1970.

Beautiful memories are all I have left.

Of a mother I loved and will never forget.

Ever remembered by Dorothy

James Manning will be remembered by many as "Santa"



The late James Manning.

Photo: Phil Norton

Family and community were shocked and saddened to learn of the death of James Fredrick Manning of Frankling Centre on Nov. 8, 1988.

Jim, beloved husband of Alice McGugan, is survived by his wife and two daughters, Dorothy Eesley (Tom) of Maine, Mass. and Margaret Consylman (Bill) of Huntsville, Alabama. He was also a beloved grandfather to Stacey, Stephan, Dean, Amie, Laurie and Dale.

Jim is also survived by his sister, Margaret McLaren of St. Petersburg, Florida.

Born on Sept. 25 in 1901, he married Alice in 1932 and they settled onto Jim's farm in Franklin until 1962 when they retired from farming and moved into a smaller home closer to the village.

What everyone would say about Jim first was that he always had a ready smile for everyone, young or old, he always had time for people, and that he took the time to listen.

Two dear friends of Jim say this about him:

"I learned a great deal from him, while working with him I used to tell him that I would trade all of my university degrees for the

things he knew."

"Jim will remain in my memory as a wonderful man, someone who lived life fully, with kindness, humour and a twinkle in his eye."

His favourite role, for many years in the Franklin area and local nursing homes was to play Santa Claus, one year he was even persuaded to play an Easter Bunny.

One member of the community who remembers Jim's role as Santa Claus, paid their respects by sending a wreath done as Santa Claus' face.

Jim and Alice enjoyed many trips together and with their daughters. On one such trip, they travelled for four months around the world.

He loved to crack butter-nuts, to travel, he loved a game of cards, to make audio tapes with local people and doing a history of the Franklin community were some of his favorite pastimes. He was also very interested in politics.

The one thing he never missed doing was to attend church faithfully every Sunday and he loved to ring the church bell.

Jim will be sadly missed by his family, friends and neighbours.

Darleen Sabetta

Hemmingford mourns native Walter Keddy

by Florence Ellerton

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Walter Allan Keddy at the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Oct. 10, 1988.

He was born in Hemmingford on September 25, 1904. Walter Keddy was united in marriage to Helen Duquette on August 23, 1926 and celebrated 62 years of marriage this year to his good wife, Helen. From this union two sons were born, Edwin and Leslie, both residing in Hemmingford.

Mr. Keddy left the farm, the present Parc Sarfari property and worked for the United Power Company. The farm was sold and he and his father started the family business in 1918, W. Keddy and Son, Saw Mill and Grist Mill in those days later Lumber and Builders Supply and General Contracting.

The business remained in the family until it was sold in 1979.

Walter served on the Hemmingford Protestant School board and served as a Village Councillor for many years. He was a fireman and fire chief in the early days of the brigade. An elder in St. Andrew's

United Church and a Past Master and life member of the Hemmingford Masonic Lodge. He served for many years in the Lodge as Treasurer. Walter was a past principle and life member of Union Chapter No. 19 R.A.M. of Huntingdon, a member of Desoto Commandery of Champlain, N.Y. and a member of Karnak Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. of Montreal.

Walter was a charter member of Victory Chapter No. 34 and was Worthy Grand Patron of Quebec in 1966-1967, Order of the Eastern Star.

Besides his wife, he leaves to mourn his death, a son Edwin and his wife Margaret Edwards, two grand daughters Linda Keddy Greenwood and Karen and husband Tommy Chambers and their children Sara and David Greenwood and Jesse Chambers and their children Sara and David Greenwood and Jesse Chambers. A grandson Richard of Brushton N.Y. his wife Marie Nick and daughter Angela.

He leaves also a son Leslie and his wife Shirley Aitchison and grandsons Donald and Thomas and his

wife Irene Dauphinais and their daughter Chelsea.

The remains were at the J.M. Sharpe Funeral Home in Hemmingford. The Order of the Eastern Star held their service on Tuesday evening and the Masonic Lodge held their service on Wednesday evening, the large attendance at both testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

The funeral service was held in St. Andrew's United Church with Mrs. Elke Mehnert officiating, assisted by Rev. Father Daoust, interment in St. Romain's Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Ross Hawkins, Henri Paré, Donald Reid, Walter Hammond, Normand Akester and Robert Curry.

In lieu of flowers donations were given to the Hemmingford Volunteer Ambulance Fund.