

BIRTHS & DEATHS

CARD OF THANKS, IN MEMORIALS, ENGAGEMENTS.

DIED

COFFEY, Madeline (née Kelly) - Peacefully at her home on February 21, 1997 in her eighty-fifth year. Beloved wife of the late William Leo Coffey and sister of the late Mary Phelan. Loving mother of Maureen Lapointe (Terry) and dear grandmother of Kelly and Jennifer. Sadly mourned by her nieces and nephews and many friends. Funeral service was held Monday, February 24 at St. Joseph Church, Huntingdon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation. Arrangements entrusted to Kelly Funeral Home, 19 Lake Street, Huntingdon.

LEDUC, Lucille (née Taillefer) - In Huntingdon, on February 20, 1997 at the age of 69 years passed away Mrs. Lucille Taillefer, wife of Mr. Elie Roger Leduc. She leaves to mourn her children: Pierre, Alain (Marie-Paule Laroche), Pierrette (Daniel Lafleur), Lise, Irène, as well as five grandchildren: Eric, Robin, Annie, Francis and Nicolas. There was visitation on Friday, February 21, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. and Saturday from noon at Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Funeral Parlor, 170 Châteauguay St., Huntingdon. Funeral was held on Saturday at 2:00 p.m. in St. Joseph's Church, Huntingdon. Interment, cemetery of same place. Arrangements entrusted to Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc.

PETERSEN, Darlene - At Ste-Barbe on February 23, 1997 passed away Mrs. Darlene Petersen aged 61 years. She leaves to mourn her 3 children: Norman Joly, Nancy Joly (John MacNeill), Robert Wallace (Nathalie Fournier) and her friend Rupert Upton. Visitation will be Wednesday 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 10 p.m. Funeral service Thursday at 11:00 a.m. in the chapel of Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc., 170 Châteauguay Street, Huntingdon. Thursday, parlor will open at 10:30 a.m.

DIED

HATCHER, Rosina (née Roil) - In hospital, in Ottawa on Sunday, February 16, 1997 in her 102nd year. Beloved wife of the late Reverend William S. Hatcher. Loving mother of Roil (Ruth), the late Basil (Muriel), and Victor (Barbara). Fond grandmother of Keith, Ken, Jennifer and Julie. Cherished great-grandmother of Brett, Cole, and Tyler. A Private Family funeral was held at Christ Church Cathedral, in Ottawa, on Wednesday. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date. Arrangements in care of the Central Chapel of Hulse, Playfair and McGarry Funeral Homes.

IN MEMORIAM

VAILLANCOURT, Loretta Tremblay - Passed away seven years ago on Feb. 27, 1990.
Still missed by all

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the young man who stopped and fixed my tire on York Street. Many thanks to this young man for his generosity.

Irma Shearer

I would like to thank the doctors, nurses and staff of the Barrie Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received while a patient there. A special thank you to relatives, friends and neighbors for their get well wishes, visits and phone calls. All was greatly appreciated.

James Arnold

Obituary

Edna Henry mourned in Valleyfield

The Valleyfield community was saddened by the February 6 death of long-time resident Edna Henry (née McDowell) at the Ormstown Centre d'Accueil. She was 86.

The funeral was held Monday, Feb. 10 in Valleyfield Presbyterian Church, with Rev. Byron Grace officiating. The little church was filled with her many friends, neighbors and acquaintances along with family members.

Rev. Grace, also a close friend, gave a touching eulogy followed by her eldest son, Robert, who also eulogized his mother.

After the service everyone was invited to a reception in the church hall, where refreshments were provided by the ladies of the church.

Interment will take place in the spring. She will be laid to rest beside her late husband, Harold, in the Huntingdon cemetery.

Edna was born in Huntingdon, on January 24, 1911, the daughter of the late Elizabeth Jarvis and William McDowell.

She grew up in Huntingdon along with her brothers, Wilfred (Mickey) and Clarence, who predeceased her.

In 1938 she married James Harold Henry in Huntingdon, where they resided for a few years before moving to Valleyfield. The couple became proud parents of four children: Robert, Margaretta, Ronald and Lawrence. Harold predeceased her in October 1968.

Edna became a devoted and active member of the Valleyfield Presbyterian Church, serving on various groups and committees, and as a Church Elder.

After the death of her husband, she devoted her life to providing assistance

to shut-ins, neighbors and good friends who were less fortunate than herself.

She will long be remembered for her warm smile and friendly wave, especially in summertime when she enjoyed sitting out on her verandah. Even people she did not know, French or English, would stop and chat sometimes enjoying a cup of tea with her.

Often in wintertime she enjoyed spending time with family and friends in Florida or Ontario.

In later years, when declining health made it impossible for her to be completely on her own, she was greatly aided by devoted friends, neighbors, relatives and the Valleyfield CLSC staff until finally she had to be fully taken care of. Then she received excellent care from the dedicated and conscientious staff at the Centre d'Accueil Haut-St-Laurent in Ormstown.

Family members extend sincere and deepest gratitude to all those who gave of their time, services and love, greatly enhancing the quality of life for their mother in her declining years.

The community and friends extend deepest sympathy to Edna's remaining family members: daughter, Margaretta, (Denis Roy), of Beauharnois; and three sons: Bob (Miriam), of Winter Park, Fla.; Ronald (Elvira), of Bowmanville, Ont.; and Lawrence (Judy), of Beeton, Ont.; also seven grandchildren, Christian, Carole, Julie-Ann, Lisa Elizabeth, April and Kimberly. She will be sadly missed.

*"Love is a circle whose shining span/
Returns to where it once began./ The love
you give, sincere and true./ Curves slowly,
gently back to you."*

— E.M.