

# BIRTHS & DEATHS

## CARD OF THANKS, IN MEMORIAMS, ENGAGEMENTS.

### DIED

**BROWN, J. Melville** - Passed away suddenly on December 4, 1998 in his 90th year, loving husband of Margaret (Marna) Brown, father of Ross (Ruth), Donald (Grace), Harold (Sandra) and the late Archie and ten grandchildren. Visitation at J.M. Loiselle, Ste-Martine. Funeral service was held at Howick United Church on December 7, 1998. Interment followed at Georgetown Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to a charity of your choice.

**CAMERON, Clifford** - At Woodland Villa Nursing Home, Long Sault, Ont. on Wednesday, December 2, 1998 at the age of 92 years. Survived by his wife Helen (née Brown), his sons Thomas (Elaine) of Sydney, Australia and Gary (Diane) of Ararat, Australia, his brother Grant (Lorraine) of Green Valley and his sister Olive Voisey of Ottawa. He will be sadly missed by his grandchildren Megan, Jennifer and Adam. He was predeceased by his parents Thomas and Margaret (née Douglass) his sisters Wynne Capsey, Clare Brown, Marjorie Barrington and brothers Douglas and Ross. Visitation was held at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home, Williamsburg, Ont. on Sunday, December 6. Funeral service was held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Huntingdon on Monday, December 7, 1998 at 2 p.m. Interment Huntingdon Protestant Cemetery. Donations to the Lung Association would be appreciated by the family.

**HENAULT, Rodolphe** - At the Huntingdon Hospital Centre on December 4, 1998 at the age of 94 years, passed away Mr. Rodolphe Hénault, husband of the late Antoinette Proulx. He leaves to mourn his children Cécile (Noël), late Marie-Paule (Marcel), Jean-Guy (Jeannine), Médora (late Maurice), Robert (Suzette) and Paul-Aimé, his brothers and sisters Lucien, Cécile (Roland), Roch and Lucienne, his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, as well as many nephews, nieces, relatives and friends. According to the wishes of the deceased, there will be no visitation. The funeral service will be held Saturday, December 12 at 3:00 p.m. in St-Joseph's Church, 16 York, Huntingdon. Interment St-Joseph's Cemetery. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc., 170 Chateauguay St., Huntingdon.

**McALEER, Gerald** - December 5, 1998 at the Barrie Memorial Hospital. Brother of Kathleen, and the late Agnes, Philip, and Eddie. Funeral will be held at St. Romain Church in Hemmingford on Saturday, December 12, 1998 at 1 p.m. Family will receive friends half hour before at the Church. No visitation requested by the deceased. In place of flowers donations to the Montreal Association for the Blind would be appreciated.

### Sherrington accident

Two Sherrington residents, Léo Van Winden, 39, and his 12-year-old daughter, Vicky, were killed in a head-on collision on November 19 on Rte. 219 in Sherrington.

Five other people were injured in the mid-afternoon crash.

### IN MEMORIAM

**CAIRNS, Wesley T.** - In memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather who passed away December 12, 1997.

*His life was love and labor  
His love for his family was true  
He gave his best to all of us  
What more could a husband and father do  
His life was full of kindly deeds  
A helping hand to those in need  
A pleasant smile, a heart of gold  
No finer man this world could hold.  
Sadly missed and always loved by your wife Hazel,  
children, grandchildren and good friends.*

**PORTER, Gordon** - In loving memory of a dear husband and father who passed away December 30, 1990.

*We can't have old days back  
When we were all together  
But secret tears and loving thoughts  
Will be with us forever.*

Jean and family

### CARD OF THANKS

Sincere thanks to Dr. A. Gaspard, Valleyfield Hospital, Dr. J.V. Blonde, Barrie Memorial, Third Floor nurses, Therapists and staff for the T.L.C. and goodwill shown me during my stay. Thanks too, to my family and friends, Irish Society, P.P. Council, C.W.L., Huntingdon Crafts, Dewittville W.I., Laubach Literacy for their cards, visits, gifts and good wishes.

Mary McConomy

I wish to thank my friends for the visits, phone call, letters and cards, flowers and candy sent to me while I was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital and Catherine Booth Rehab Centre.

Isabel Cogland

We wish to sincerely thank everyone present in Ottawa for the care and attention given to our husband, father and brother on the day of his death. In Huntingdon we would like to especially thank Father Clement, St. Joseph's choir, the Catholic Women's League and Jon Proudfoot. The kindness and generosity shown to us in our bereavement will long be remembered.

Catherine, Debbie and Jim, Michael and Lea Ann,  
Gerald and Andrew Higgins

### 4 Generations



**Kassia & Jeffrey Betbelaume** celebrated the **FIRST** birthday of their daughter **SERENA AUTUMN**, on October 18th. The occasion was enjoyed by a Great Grandmother, Grandparents, Aunts, Uncles, God parents and many friends.

*Pictured with Serena is her Father Jeffrey, his Father Paul and Paul's Mother Mrs. Laurette Bertbelaume all natives of Hemmingford.*

### Obituary

## The late Peggy Ormsby Dixon spent much time in H'don area

Word has been received of the death of "Peggy" Ormsby Dixon of Mansfield, CT, USA, on October 22, 1988. She had been in failing health and was hospitalized in early September for treatment of lung cancer. At Peggy's request, she was cremated and no memorial service will be held.

Peggy was born in Amsterdam, NY, the daughter of Harrison Ormsby, M.D., and his wife Muriel Blackwood, and granddaughter of Robert Blackwood and Elizabeth Clark of Huntingdon.

Peggy spent much time in the Huntingdon area with her aunt Beth Hastings and most summer holidays at

Indian Lake, Mountain View, NY, where her aunt had a cottage. Peggy's mother died in 1934.

Prior to her graduation from Wheelock College in Boston, MA, she married Lieut. Clyde G. Dixon of Malone, NY. After World War II they purchased a property in Merrow CT, where they made their home. Lieut. Dixon died some years ago.

Their three children, Gary, Paulla and Debbie survive. Also three grandchildren, Jenniler, Bethany and Amanda.

Peggy will be greatly missed by her immediate family and many friends.