## BIRTHS & DEATHS

CARD OF THANKS, IN MEMORIAMS, ENGAGEMENTS

#### BORN

CARAVIAS - Ullysses and Lynda (née van der Meer) are proud to announce the birth of their first child Despina Angela Madeleine on October 12, 2000 at the Royal Victoria Hospital, weighing 6 lb. 12 oz. Third grandchild for Gerry and Despina Caravias of Montreal and first grandchild for Frank van der Meer and Madeleine Bourgault of Hemmingford.

#### DIED

D'AOUST, Mary Abbott (nee Crooks) Peacefully on October 22nd, 2000 at the Huntingdon County Hospital in her 86th year following a lengthy and courageous battle with cancer over a 20 year period. Pre-deceased by husband Charlie, Mary will be greatly missed by her daughter Donna and her sons Bill (Judy) and David (Joan). She will be cherished and always remembered by her grandchildren Clifford (Nathalie), Hollie-Michelle (Doug), Josee (Mats), Marc and Nathalie and great grandchildren Harrison and Emilie. Visitation was held at Montpetit Funeral Home on Monday, October 23 and Tuesday, October 24. A funeral service took place at the Huntingdon United Church at 11 a.m. on October 24th. Donations made to the Women's Auxiliary of the Huntingdon County Hospital, 198 Chateauguay St., Huntingdon, JOS 1H0 or the Chateauguay Valley Regional High School Educational Foundation, c/o CVRHS, 1597 Route 138A, Ormstown, JOS 1K0 would be greatly appreciated.

#### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my entire family for the wonderful 80th birthday party. I really appreciated the lovely gifts, cards and phone calls from relatives, friends and neighbours. A special thanks to everyone who played the music making the evening so special. This special birthday party is one I shall never forcet.

Maggie Arthur

The family of the late Luc Daigneault would like to sincerely thank all the people who expressed sympathy at the time of his death on August 24, 2000. Sincere thanks also for the mass offerings, cards, donations, phone calls and attendance at the funeral. Your support was greatly appreciated. Please consider these thanks as personal.

Louise & Émile Sénécal



### **Obituary**

# Late E. R. Clauesson, 85, grew up in Athelstan area

Edgar Richard Clauesson of Needham, Mass., died September 12, 2000.

Born in Bethune, Sask., on July 28, 1915, he was the son of the late George and Laura Clauesson. He grew up in Athelstan and was the oldest of 13 children, 11 of whom are still living. He joined the Canadian Army in 1942 and was discharged four years later.

He married Deborah Potter of Needham, Mass., where they lived for 37 years. He retired only at the age of 82 from the Wellesley Public Works Department.

He is survived by his wife Deborah, step-son James Ferrier, two step-grandchildren, Paddy and Bobby Ferrier; his brothers and sisters and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held in Newton, Mass., with interment at St. Mary's Cemetery in Needham Heights, Mass.

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