

# Birth and Deaths

## Card of Thanks, In Memoriams, Engagements

### DIED

**DAHMS, Clarence (Cyril) E.** - After a lengthy illness, Clarence (Cyril) E. Dahms died in his 90th year on June 5th, 2005 in Ottawa. He leaves his loving wife of 65 years, Christine M. Patterson and children Judith (Peter) Rinfret, Patricia Bowen, Linda Dahms, Cliff (Sue Stewart) Dahms, and Peter (Barbara Walter) Dahms, grandchildren Alexandra Rinfret (Don Hancock), Guy Kevin Rinfret (Sonja Larsen), Marc Rinfret, Matthew Rinfret, Erica Bowen, John (Hawley) Bowen, Amanda Bowen, Joe Garcia Lozano, Paul Garcia Lozano, Patrick Garcia Lozano, Dana (Lisa) Dahms, David Dahms, Andrew Dahms, Sarah Dahms, Elspeth Dahms, and Angus Dahms, and great grand children, Justin Dahms, Dakota Dahms, Lewis Hancock, William Hancock, and Molly Rinfret. He is survived by several members of his large loving family - sisters Marjorie Holt (California), Winifred Smart (Shawville, Quebec), Florian (Bud) Galbraith (Meaford, Ontario), and brother Edwin (Olga Regush) Dahms (Montreal), brother in law Henry (Louise) Patterson, and many nieces and nephews. Clarence (Cyril) was born in Thorne Centre, Quebec. After graduating in Agriculture from Macdonald College in Ste. Anne de Bellevue, he married and bought a dairy farm near Huntingdon, Quebec which he operated for 30 years. He was a President of the Quebec Farmers' Association. His second career was working as an agricultural consultant for the Province of Ontario. Cyril was also an athlete, gardener, reciter of poetry, and keen observer of the natural world. Funeral will be held at All Saints Anglican Church, 347 Richmond Road, Ottawa, 2:00 p.m., June 7th, 2005. The family thanks the staff of Rideau Gardens and Island Lodge. Flowers gratefully declined. Donations may be made to the Parkinson's Society.

**GALPEAU, Rose-Alda (née Allen)** - In Huntingdon on June 2, 2005 at the age of 86 years, passed away Mrs. Rose-Alda Galipeau (née Allen) wife of the late Aleide Galipeau. Predeceased by her daughter Anita (Maurice Fournier), she leaves to mourn her children Béatrice (Réal Fournier), Philippe (Rozsa Varadi), Alice, Willie (Elizabeth Paul) and Monique (Claude Caza), many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives and friends. Funeral will be held Saturday, June 11, at 10:00 a.m. in St-Joseph's Church, Huntingdon. The family will receive the condolences at the church from 9:00 a.m. Interment St-Joseph's Cemetery. Donations to the Huntingdon Hospital would be greatly appreciated. Funeral arrangements Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc.

**HINKS, Clarence W.** - At the Barrie Memorial Hospital, Ormstown on June 5, 2005 passed away Mr. Clarence W. Hinks aged 83 years from Huntingdon. Beloved husband of Mrs. Viola Hinks (née Gauthier). He leaves to mourn two sisters Erna Shearer and Bernice Petzold, five nephews and one niece and many relatives and friends. Visitation was held at the Kelly G.S. Funeral Home, 19 Lake Street in Huntingdon on Tuesday, June 7, 2005 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. followed by the funeral service at 2 p.m. at the Chapel of the funeral home. Burial at Powerscourt Cemetery.

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**LAZURE DEME, Laurentia** - In Huntingdon on June 4, 2005 passed away Mrs. Laurentia Lazure Deme aged 79 years. Beloved wife of Joseph Deme. She leaves to mourn her eight children Robert (Margaret Scally), Shirley, Elizabeth (Richard Beatty), Therese (Dave Booth), Suzanne (Tony Brice), Donald (Danièle Lafonde), David (Karen Gervin) and Guylaine (Michael Butterfield), many grandchildren and great grandchildren, five sisters Germaine, Jeannine, Jacqueline, Marguerite et Rachel, four brothers Albert, Georges, Jacques et Richard, many relatives and friends. The family will be at St-Joseph's Church, Huntingdon on Saturday, June 11 at 1:30 p.m. to receive condolences followed by a funeral service at 2 p.m. Burial at St-Joseph's Cemetery, Huntingdon. Donations to charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc., 170 Chateauguay St., Huntingdon.

**TODD, Grant (Terry)** - Accidentally in Dewittville on June 2, 2005 passed away Mr. Grant (Terry) Todd 51 years, son of Mr. Robert Todd and Mrs. Elsie Grant. He leaves to mourn his sister Janet (Brian Zeldenrust), his niece Beth and nephew James also many relatives and friends. Visitation was held at the Rodrigue Montpetit & Fils Inc. funeral home, 170 Chateauguay Street, Huntingdon Sunday, June 5 from 7 to 9 p.m. also Monday, June 6 from noon followed by the funeral service at 2 p.m. in the chapel of the funeral home. Burial at the Huntingdon Protestant Cemetery at a later date. Donations to the Cancer Society or to the Parkinson Society.

### IN MEMORIAM

**CARRIGAN, Lois** - In loving memory of a dear daughter, sister and niece who passed away June 9, 2004.

Always lovingly remembered and missed  
Russell, Harold, Grace

**OUMET, Clarence** - In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather who passed away June 13, 2003.

*They say there is a reason,  
They say that time will heal,  
But neither time or reason,  
Will change the way we feel.  
For no one knows the heartache,  
That lies behind our smiles,  
No one knows how many times,  
We have broken down and cried;  
We want to tell you something,  
So there won't be any doubt,  
You're so wonderful to think of,  
But so hard to live without.*

Missed and always remembered, your wife  
Theresa, daughter Debbie (Daniel),  
2 grandchildren Alexandre & Mélissa

### Died

#### **Kenneth James Fraser** of Dundee QC (late of Ottawa)

The family sadly announces his peaceful death on June 1, 2005. Born October 17, 1917 to W.D. Fraser and Margaret Templeton, he was the beloved husband of the late Lily McNinch. Loving father of



Sheila (Henri Gagnon, Ottawa), Kathleen (Fred Rendell, Ottawa), Linda (Corpus Christi, Texas), Marion (London, Ontario), Margaret (Andrew Hill, Ottawa) and Ken (Mélanie Irving, Dundee). Grandfather to nine. Predeceased by his brother Donald, he is survived by his sisters Janet (late John Fox, Calgary) and Doris (Boston). Ken loved his farm and his family. He was the fourth generation to operate the Fraser farm in Dundee. Long active in his community, Ken served as MNA of Huntingdon County from 1966 to 1976. His proudest accomplishment was the construction of the Huntingdon County Hospital. He also loved reading, travel, chocolate and cigars. He encouraged his children to always do their best. We will miss our Da dearly. The family is grateful to Ruby Staveley and Maureen Payette as well as the staff at West End Villa for their loving care. Visitation will be held at Kelly G.S. Funeral Home, 19 Lake street, Huntingdon, QC Friday on June 3rd from 7 to 9 p.m. also Saturday June 4th from 11 a.m. Funeral service to be held at Dundee Zion United church, Dundee, QC Saturday June 4th at 1 p.m. Interment Zion Cemetery followed by a reception in the Church Hall. Donations to the charity of your choice would be appreciated.

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**MIXED SHOWER**  
in honor of  
**David Dandurand & Terianne Caza**  
Saturday June 18, 2005, 7:30 pm  
at the Huntingdon Legion  
Everyone Welcome

**50th Wedding Anniversary**  
in honour of  
**Ross & Greta (McKell) Whyte**  
Saturday, June 18, 2005, 8:30 pm  
Riverfield Curling Club  
Everyone welcome  
In lieu of gifts or cards: A toonie donation  
to the W.A. Barrie Memorial Hosp.

## Man dies in a fire in Dewittville

Patrice Laflamme (Translated by Susanne J. Brown)

A Dewittville resident in Godmanchester lost his life in a fire that also seriously damaged his residence last Thursday morning, June 2.

The victim was 51-year old Grant Todd and he was found at the top of the stairs in his home located at 31 Rockburn Sideroad.

According to information collected from police and firefighters, the fire started a little before 8:15 a.m. The flames burst through the first floor and quickly spread throughout the remainder of the house.

Voluntary firemen from Godmanchester and Hinchinbrooke were called to fight the fire. As they started to battle the blaze, it was already considered too late to save the occupant of the residence.

"When the firemen and the police arrived, the flames were far too lively to even attempt to go in and look for the victim. There was so much smoke that you couldn't see your hands one foot in front of you," said Sergeant Robert Brabant, spokesperson for the Haut Saint-Laurent Sûreté du Québec police force.

When the firefighters and the police successfully found the person, he had several bruises on his body.

The Boucherville SQ has started an investigation. All evidence so far, however, is pointing to the fire being purely accidental.

## Fatal motorcycle-car collision in Godmanchester

Patrice Laflamme (Translated by Susanne J. Brown)

A man died and a woman was seriously injured in a car and motorcycle accident Saturday afternoon in Godmanchester.

The tragedy took place at the intersection of the Seigneuriale side road and New Erin road when a motorist hit a motorcycle carrying two people. The driver of the car didn't make the obligatory stop at the intersection, leaving no chance for the motorcyclist to avoid being struck as they were passing in front of the vehicle. The accident took place around 5:45 p.m.

The victim is Richard Allen, a 36-year old resident from Valleyfield. According to information from the Haut Saint-Laurent Sûreté du Québec police, the man died on impact while his 34-year old passenger, also from Valleyfield, was transported to a hospital with serious injuries.

The driver of the car, an 18-year old from Greenfield Park, was stopped by the police at the scene of the accident and was given a breathalyzer test, which proved to be positive for alcohol. The individual could be accused of impaired driving causing a death.