

Park Head

(by Mrs. Percy Skinner)
MRS. PERCY DOUBT PASSES

A very well known and highly respected citizen, Mrs. Percy Doubt, 78, of Park Head died suddenly in the Owen Sound General and Marine Hospital, Saturday, October 18th, 1975, where she had been a patient for only a few hours.

Born in Amabel Township, she was the former Grace Matches, a daughter of the late John S. and Eliza Rusk Matches. In May 1920, she married Percy Doubt and they farmed in Amabel Township until retiring to Park Head twenty-two years ago.

Mrs. Doubt was a faithful member and an elder of the Park Head United Church and a very active member of the United Church Women and the Women's Institute.

Surviving beside her husband, are a daughter Muriel, Mrs. Arnie Hanenberg, Oakville; and a son John of Park Head. Also surviving are eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Other survivors are a brother, Wesley, Allenford and four sisters, Esther, Mrs. Harry Gates, Laura, Mrs. Alfred Heaverman; Bertha, Mrs. Norman Smith of Owen Sound and Fosta, Mrs. George Doubt of North Bay. She was predeceased by one sister, Edith, Mrs. Tom Pringle, and four brothers, Walter, John, Jim and Howard.

The large funeral was conducted from the Downs and Son Funeral Home in Hepworth on Tuesday, October 21, 1975 with Mr. James Courtney in charge of the service with interment in Zion Cemetery.

The pallbearers were three nephews, Ron Pringle, Jim Doubt, and Floyd Matches and three grandsons, Jim and Bob Hanenberg and Steven Doubt.

Friends and relatives attended from Deep River, Colbourg, North Bay, Toronto, Oakville, Burlington and surrounding area. Lunch was served to a large crowd after the service.

All our deepest sympathy goes out to all the family as she will certainly be greatly missed in our community and by all who knew her.

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Mrs. Thos Pringle Passes

Park Head Community has been saddened by the passing of Mrs. Thos Pringle after a long illness on Aug. 10th.

Mrs. Pringle was born in Amabel Township, October 10, 1906 the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Matches and attended school at S.S. no 16 and O.S. C.V.I. and graduated from Stratford Normal School in June 1928. She taught for 3 years at French Bay School S.S. #7.

On September 2, 1932, she was married to Thomas A. Pringle and they farmed near Park Head until Mr. Pringle's death in 1962. Since that time Mrs. Pringle has lived in Park Head and worked as a receptionist in the Regional School of Nursing in Owen Sound.

In her own community, Mrs. Pringle was very active in Church and Sunday School as well as being a life member of Women's Institute and was very interested in anything pertaining to agriculture.

She had a very warm personality and was a shining example of Christian living among her many friends and neighbours. She will be remembered, always for her many fine qualities.

She is survived by a daughter (Eveleyn), Mrs. Bruce Derillin of Granada Hills, California and Ronald of Park Head, five sisters (Grace) Mrs. Percy Doubt of Park Head, (Easter) Mrs. Harry Gates of R. R. 1, Hepworth.

(Laura) Mrs. Alfred Heaverman and (Bertha) Mrs. George Doubt of North Bay and two brothers, Wesley and Howard of Allenford and three grandchildren Tamara, Arden and Thomas. She was predeceased by three brothers Walter, James and John and an infant daughter Carol.

The funeral service was held from Downs Funeral Home with Mr. J. K. Courtney of Fergus, officiating on Friday.

The pall bearers were Elden Matches, Ivan Matches, John Doubt, Glen Gates, George Doubt and Robert Pringle.

The honorary pall bearers were Kelland Matches, Floyd Matches, James Doubt, Douglas Doubt, Glen Pringle and Jack Pringle.

There were many beautiful flowers and donations to the Canadian Cancer Society, which bore silent testimony of the esteem in which she was held.

Mrs. Pringle will be greatly missed by her many friends and neighbours in Park Head. Those attending the Funeral from a distance were, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Devlin of Stoville, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Garvie and family Mississauga, Mr. and Mrs. Kelland, Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bridges, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hanenberg, Barbara, Janet and Jill of Oakville; Miss Beatrice Clendenning of Oakville; Mr. Doug Doubt, Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Doubt, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. George Doubt Jr., Deep

River; Mr. and Mrs. George Doubt Sr., North Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gatis, London; Mr. Elden Matches, Gravenhurst; Mr. and Mrs. J. Courtney, Fergus; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roycroft, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daily, Palmerston.

OBITUARY

PRINGLE: Ernest Andrew, a son of the late Emma Radborn and Andrew Pringle, died late Saturday at the Saugeen Memorial Hospital. *February 23, 1975*

Born in 1901, Mr. Pringle married Grace Baker in 1923. The couple farmed for seven years at Park Head, then at Allenford until Mr. Pringle's retirement into the village 10 years ago.

A member of the Allenford United Church, Mr. Pringle served on the Bruce County School Board for many years. He was also secretary for the Rural Telephone Co. for many years and an ardent curler.

Surviving besides his wife are three sons, Bob of Southampton, Jack of Dryden, Glen of Manitouwadge and one daughter Ruth, Mrs. Greg Brady of Allenford, 18 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by two brothers, Tom, and Roy and one sister Eva.

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BUMSTEAD--Robin, at the General & Marine Hospital in Owen Sound on Friday afternoon, July 29, 1983, Robin Bumstead of 845 15th St. A. East in Owen Sound. Husband of the former Elaine McMillan. Father of Beverly, Kevin, Jim, and Wendi. Lee all at home and Wanda of Toronto. Son of Russel Bumstead and the former Marjorie Rourke of Park Head, brother of Clarence of London, Ontario, Doreen (Mrs. Floyd Charlton) of Toronto, Mrs. Shirley Orr of Winnipeg, Mrs. Karen Shaw of Innerkip and Mrs. Waneeta Gilchrist of Surrey, B.C. Friends may call at the Breckenridge-Ashcroft Funeral Home from 2 o'clock on Sunday until Monday morning where a service will be held at 11 o'clock. Interment in Greenwood Cemetery on Tuesday morning. As an expression of sympathy donations to either the Gideon Bible Memorial Plan or to the Grey Bruce Regional Health Centre would be appreciated.