

MOORE, Harry

Harry M. Moore, Former Trenton Editor, Dies

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PEMBROKE, Ont. (Special) — Harry M. Moore, for many years a well known figure in the weekly newspaper field in Ontario and a resident of Pembroke for several years, died in hospital here Wednesday night in his 80th year, following a short illness.

Born at Douglas Ont., Mr. Moore was a son of the late Henry Moore and the former Margaret Drysdale. During a long career in the newspaper field he published papers at Cookstown, Ont., Deseronto, Arnprior and Trenton.

Although no longer active in the publishing field, Mr. Moore continued to write and a few years ago came to the aid of the Pembroke Standard-Observer when the then editor was incapacitated and latterly had written for the Eganville Leader.

Mr. Moore had also written words and music of several songs which were published.

During his youth, Mr. Moore played Lacrosse and later coached Lacrosse, hockey and baseball teams. He never lost his interest in sports, which he followed closely, particularly hockey and baseball, while he was also keenly interested in harness racing.

Following his retirement 17 years ago, he moved to Pembroke where he continued his interest in sports, serving as president of the Upper Ottawa Baseball League for many

years.

In addition to his newspaper duties he was well known as a writer of short stories and contributed regularly to some of the popular magazines.

Quiet and unassuming, he made friends easily and was always ready to lend a helping hand in time of trouble. He was well known throughout the Quinte district and a host of friends will regret to learn of his passing.

Fraternally he was a member of the Masonic Order and in religion a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Moore is survived by his wife, the former Miss Mabel Coleman of Cookstown, Ontario; one brother, I. A. Moore, of Pembroke, and three sisters, Mrs. Charlotte Stitt and Mrs. Grace Cameron, both of Douglas, Ontario, and Mrs. Eva Forsythe, of Regina, Sask. There were no children.

Mr. Moore is resting at the Malcolm Deavitt Funeral Home here. Funeral services will be held in the chapel on Saturday, April 7th, at 1.30 p.m.

Burial will take place at Douglas, Ont., the birthplace of Mr. Moore.

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