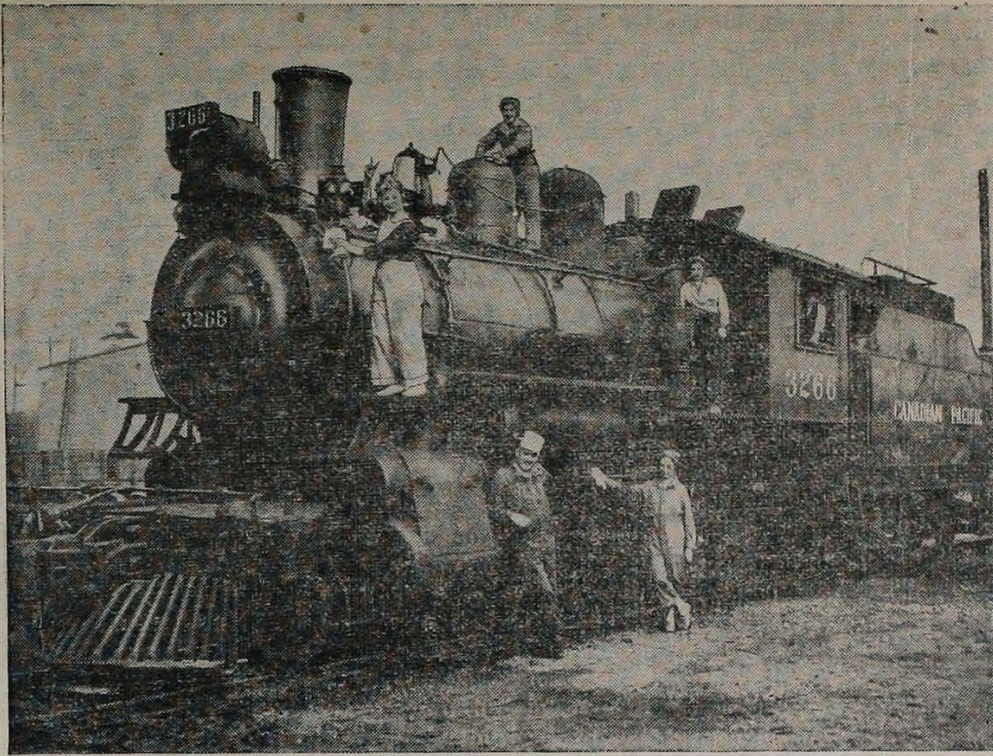


# "Iron Horse" Groomed by Women Wipers



## Obituary

### Grant H. Dafoe

Belmont and area residents were shocked to learn of the sudden passing of Grant Harry Dafoe, in the Civic Hospital on Friday while undergoing surgery. He was in his 76th year.

The deceased was a son of the late William H. Dafoe and his wife, the former Eliza Melville, and was born in Belmont Township where he spent his entire life. He received his education at the Victoria school and later attended the Peterborough Business College.

He operated a farm on the Cordova Road and also set a record that must be unique in the Province of Ontario—that of serving his municipality as clerk for over 50 years. He also has been treasurer for over 30 years and at one time was the assessor. He had a thorough knowledge of municipal procedure and of the affairs of the Township of Belmont & Methuen.

He and Mrs. Dafoe observed their 50th wedding anniversary three years ago.

He was highly regarded and well-liked by all, and the respect in which the deceased was held was shown by the attendance at the funeral of Warden Pearson, as well as many members and officials of the Peterborough County Council.

Surviving, besides his wife, the former Jessie Sanders, are three daughters, (Alma) Mrs. Donald Free, Campbellford, (Freda) Mrs. Ray Patterson and (Reta) Mrs. James Scott, both of Havelock and one son, Donald, West Palm Beach Florida; three sisters, Mrs. Hector Bannon, Havelock, Mrs. Murray Fraser and Mrs. Arthur King, and two brothers, Melville and Arnold, all of Belmont Township; Also surviving are 10 grandchildren. He was predeceased by two sons, William and Ray.

Funeral services were held from the Curtis-Brett Funeral Chapel on Monday conducted by Rev. W. G. Fletcher. Interment was made in Pine Grove cemetery.

girls club, left to right  
 Reta varty  
 Dorothy Salter (Bowen)  
 Lois Fraser (Keene)  
 Wilma Ashby (Barker)  
 Annie Quackenbush (Clark)  
 Mildred King  
 Marie Dafoe (King)  
 Reta Dafoe (Scott)  
 Vivian Wood  
 Girls 4H Club, 1946 back ground  
 house Arnold Dafoe, R.R.#1 Havelock

