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Faith challenges us to welcome change

Deaths

ALEXANDER, ISABELLA WILKIE
At the Cobourg Retirement Residence on Sunday, March 10, 1996 in her 93rd year. Isabella was the daughter of the late John and Isabella Donnelly, loving wife of the late Frederick Alexander, beloved mother of Isabella and her husband Fred J. Troop, fondly remembered grandmother of Christine Troop; Alex and Jane Troop and children Sarah, Bobby and Thomas; Ian and Nicole Troop and children Spencer and Sofie. The family will receive friends at the MacCoubrey Funeral Home, 11 King St. W., Colborne on Tuesday evening 7-9. Funeral service will be held at the funeral home at 2pm. Wednesday, March 13.

BRINTNELL, DOROTHY HELEN
(Reeve of the Village of Brighton (1973-1978) and Warden of the County of Northumberland (1975)). Dorothy Brintnell, (nee Hennessy) of 32 Meade Street, Brighton beloved wife of the late Donald Edgar Brintnell. Sister-in-law of Mr. Kingsley Brintnell and his wife JoAnne of Brighton and Joyce Brintnell of Brighton. Predeceased by a brother-in-law Ivison Brintnell. Also survived by many cousins, nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends at the Walas Funeral Home, 130 Main Street, Brighton on Tuesday from 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. Funeral service in Trinity St. Andrew's United Church, Brighton on Wednesday, March 13th at 11 a.m., the Reverend Fred Love officiating. Spring interment Waites Cemetery, Brighton.

A Salem Sampler

By
Nancy
Ellis, 355-2051

HYMNS WE SECRETLY SING

Now Thank We All Our God
(when everything goes well)
Sing Them Over Again To Me
(the new hymns are too difficult)
Come Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy
(but wait until I'm not too busy)
O Jesus, I have Promised
(surely you didn't take me seriously!)
A Charge to Keep I Have
(but not for long, I hope)
Are Ye Able? (Who? Me?)

The above are apropos the new hymn books.

Trudy smith forwarded some highlights of the Cobourg UCW

annual presbyterial meeting held at Trinity-St. Andrew's Church in Brighton on Jan. 31.

The meeting began at 9 a.m. and was chaired by UCW President Cathy Galt of Salem.

Brighton UCW president, Muriel Shortt, extended a warm welcome to the gathering and greetings were received from the Rev. Wendall White representing Camp Quin-mo-lac; from Conference President Norma Soble; from Presbytery Chairman Paul Putman, and from Greg Beatty of the United Church Resource Centre.

Diane McLeod of Peterborough directed the music, employing hymns and songs from the new "Voices United", hymnbook, which will be available soon. Evelyn Brown provided piano accompaniment.

Following the business portion of the meeting a humorous skit was presented featuring the talents of Edna Glennester, Dot Adams, Mary Andrews and May Stewart, under the direction of Shirley Irvine.

There was a pause at noon to enjoy a delicious luncheon provided by the host church and served to nearly 200 people. That was followed by the opportunity to investigate the

special displays arranged throughout the buildings.

Guest speaker, Diane McLeod, addressed "Voices United", familiarizing the company with some of the new hymns and urging everyone to sing along.

The Rev. Paul Putman officiated at the ceremony of installation of officers that saw Cathy Galt become past-president and Rene Simpson of Brighton, take her place as president of the organization.

Mrs. Simpson's son, Ian, who has sung professionally, sang "Amazing Grace," dedicated to his mother.

The UCW of Cold Springs U.C. presented the service of worship with the theme "The Lord Is My Shepherd."

Communion was celebrated, with the elements being distributed by Mr. Putman, Cathy Galt and Rene Simpson. Trinity U.C., Cobourg, will host this event in 1997.

A number of our Salem people attended the meeting and I've heard that it was a most worthwhile and enjoyable event. My thanks to Trudy for this report.

A Little Wit and Wisdom:
Make each new morning the

opening door to a better day.

Prize winners of the euchre game at Salem on March 1 were: Viola Stickle, ladies' high; Marie Morrison, ladies' low; Evelyn Whaley, men's high; Everett Beattie, men's low; Connie Goodrich, lone hands; Marie Morrison, travelling prize. The 50-50 draw was won by Wilf Gregory.

Viola reminds club members that a St. Patrick's pot luck dinner is scheduled for March 15 and you're all to wear green! Viola's son, Tom Stickle of Brantford, visited his mum over the March 1-3 weekend.

The Carlton Showband of TV's long-ago "Pig and Whistle Show" was performing at the Academy Theatre in Peterborough on Feb. 24. Thirty intrepid citizens from our area joined a bus trip and braved the elements in order to go to see the show and we're pleased to hear they enjoyed it.

They made their way home rather tremulously in the bad weather following an enjoyable dinner at Swiss Chalet. All arrived safe and sound.

It has been a bad winter. We send out happy birthday wishes this week to Flossie Bailey, who will be 88 on March

15. Hope it's a lovely one, Mrs Bailey.

And happy birthday to Chevron Smith, Trudy Smith's grandson, who will be 21 on March 16; to Joe Chapman who will be 17 on March 20, and to Kaitlin Newton, Marjorie and Art Bailey's granddaughter, who will be eight years old on March 22. It's Floyd Bellamy's birthday on March 22, so happy birthday, Floyd, as well!

And a special happy birthday wish to Doreen Bond who will be 85 years old and who is still young at heart.

And, in an effort to be a week ahead, instead of a week behind, let us send out the best of happy birthday wishes to the rest of our March people: to Ford Arthur for March 26, and his wife, Sandra, for the 27th; to Earl Bailey for the 30th and to Darlene Bellamy, 'way up in Whitehorse, for the 31st.

Kurt Newton, Kaitlin's little brother, will be four on March 27, and we send him a special birthday wish.

Bon Mots: Horse power was a wonderful thing when only horses had it.

- Unknown

KEMP, CECELIA MARY
At Providence Manor, Kingston, on February 18, 1996, in her 94th year. Cecelia Mary Kemp wife of the late James Melville Kemp. Daughter of the late Francis Keeley and the late Margaret Byrne. Predeceased by her sisters Sister Mary Madeline (Margaret), Elizabeth, Florence, Alice (Mrs. J.B. Myers) and Kathleen (Mrs. O. Brocha) and by her brothers James, Frank and Joseph. Mrs. Kemp will be missed by her nieces and nephews. A funeral mass was held at St. Mary's Church, Grafton, on Tuesday, February 20. Interment will be held at Salem Cemetery this spring. Those wishing may make memorial donations to St. Francis de Sales Church, Colborne. MacCoubrey Funeral Home, 11 King Street West, Colborne. 355-2829.

New Colborne-Cramahe Fire Dept. is bargain for township

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By Eileen Argiris

Even at the projected cost of \$73,150 for 1996, Cramahe Township will still pay less for fire protection this year than it did in 1995, says township administrator Gerry Morrison.

The figure does not include an over-\$90,000 one-time cost to buy into the existing Colborne Fire Dept. to create the new Colborne-Cramahe Fire Dept.

In 1995, with no ownership of any fire department, Cramahe paid over

\$60,000 (actual) to Colborne Fire Dept., alone, Mr. Morrison told Cramahe council at a recent meeting.

Part of the township used to be protected by Brighton Fire Dept., which received about \$30,000 from Cramahe in 1995.

The northern part of Cramahe, part of which is still protected by Percy (Warkworth) Fire Dept., cost the township about \$14,500 last year, said the administrator.

The joint fire board has set a "very preliminary" budget of about \$133,000

to be split between the township and the village on a 55-45 per cent basis, explained Mr. Morrison.

That figure also does not include an estimated \$24,000 for renovating the former township garage in Castleton for use as a satellite fire station.

That cost will be borne by Cramahe alone, but

Colborne must bear 45 per cent of the estimated \$24,000 cost of training and equipping fire fighters to staff the substation.

Mr. Morrison said he is confident that the municipalities will find the cost of training and equipment to be substantially lower than that estimate.

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