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Prominent Citizen Dies Suddenly

A death of shocking suddenness to his family and friends was that of Mr. Wm. Sharp at his home a mile and a quarter south of the village on Wednesday, Nov. 5th. Mr. Sharp went to the barn to do some chores about 11 o'clock and a few minutes before had been talking to a neighbor, apparently in his usual health. About half an hour later his son came in from work in the field and was shocked to find his father dead on the barn floor.

The deceased, who was sixty-four years of age, was born in Clark township, but at four years of age came to Artemesia with his parents who settled on the farm on which he died. He was a highly respected man and well known in the township which for a number of years he served in the capacity of Councillor and also Deputy-Reeve. He was a staunch Conservative and a prominent Orangemen a member of the Lodge at Ceylon and had filled the honorable position of County Master. Thirty three years ago he was married to Miss Alice Bellamy, of Flesherton, who survives him also four daughters and son, Mrs. F. Sinclair, Collingwood; Mrs. Thos. White, Saugeen; Irene, Mildred and Robert at home, all of whom have the deep sympathy of the community in their bereavement. One son, Jack, was killed in action a year ago last march, and one daughter, Mrs. Sam McLaren, died seven years ago. One brother, Andrew, of Crystal City, Man., and four sisters, Mrs. George Wilson, Singhampton; Mrs. Ed. Elson, of Crystal City, Man.; Mrs. George Johnston and Mrs. Joseph Blakely, of Flesherton, also survive.

The funeral under the auspices of the Orange Order, took place to Flesherton cemetery on Friday afternoon and was very largely attended. Service was held in the Methodist church conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Belfry, after which the burial service of the Orange Order was conducted at the grave, members of the Order acting as pall bearers.

Beautiful floral tributes consisted of a pillow from the family, wreath from the Orange Lodge at Ceylon, sprays from Mr. and Mrs. Scott, Hanover, Mr. and Mrs. W. Moore and R. and T. Bentham, of Flesherton.

Relatives from a distance were, Mrs. G. Wilson and son. Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. W. Neff, Mrs. J. Stinson, Mr. Hamil and John and Robert Weir, Singhampton; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sinclair, Collingwood; Mr. and and Mrs. Scott, Hanover; Miss Kate Bellamy, Toronto.

CEYLON

Mr. J. J. Pattison of Toronto visited his parents here a week ago for a couple of days.

Mrs. (Dr.) Holmes and little daughter, Jean, of Owen Sound, are spending a fortnight with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Chislett.

Mrs. Jarvis Hazard of Priceville visited her father, Mr. H. Stone, the first of the week.

Mrs. Gilbert and little daughter left Thursday for her home in Rochester after spending a couple of months with her brother, Mr. Geo. Williamson.

Mr. James Patterson spent a week with friends in Toronto and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Embury, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cook of Ebredale visited at R. Cook's on Saturday.

Our W. I. intend holding a bazaar on December 3rd, afternoon and evening, in the hall. They will gladly receive any donations of any kind. The proceeds are in aid of the Church Building Fund.

Miss Edna McLeod of the Orangeville Business College spent the week end with her mother.

A miscellaneous shower and dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McLeod on Monday evening in honor of Miss Edna Fletcher, bride-to-be. A large crowd was present and a most enjoyable evening spent. Mrs. Fletcher and daughter leave this week for the city. They will be very much missed as they were good neighbors. The good wishes of the whole community go with them.