

OBITUARY

Wm. A. Nephew Former Merchant Buried Recently

Associated with Kincairdine most of his lifetime of 83 years, William A. Nephew passed away in his sleep January 30th at his Victoria Street home in Kincairdine.

Born in Kincairdine, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Nephew, he received his education there. As a young man, he was a member of the armed forces in the first war, after which he was associated with a retail firm carried on by Fred Temple, J. B. Dakin and O. M. Thomson.

For many years he was prominently associated with athletics in Kincairdine, first as a player and later in an executive capacity. When baseball was a major sport in Kincairdine, he was one of the stars in both town league and the various leagues in which Kincairdine had entries.

He was a member of Penitence Lodge, I.O.O.F., which conducted a memorial at the Linklater funeral home.

Illness in recent years necessitated amputation of one limb, but though confined to his home, he followed sports events through newspapers and by television.

Service Wednesday, January 22 at the funeral home was in the hands of Rev. T. J. McDowell of Kincairdine Baptist church, of which he was a member. Interment was in Kincairdine cemetery with Ogle Duggan, Matheson McGraw, David Hamington, Lloyd Moulton, Graham Lavery and Harry Johnston acting as pallbearers.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Walter Steele of Kincairdine and Mrs. Allan Buchanan of Acton, and a nephew, "Sanddy" Steele of Toronto.

LIMEHOUSE

Mrs. A.C. Patterson Hostess to W.M.S.

(Intended for last week) The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. A. C. Patterson on Thursday evening, 12 attending. Miss Quinton read the scripture and Mrs. J. Crichton led in prayer. Text word "anointed" in verses of scripture was "comfort".

A letter received by Mrs. H. Patterson, from Mrs. Dickson, a missionary in Formosa, which told of work there, was read by the secretary, Miss Quinton, who accompanied the hymns Mrs. A. W. Benton reviewed the story of Dr. Kate by Adele Comandini. A number paid annual membership fees.

The treasurer read the 1957 financial report showing that the objective had been reached. Following the Lord's Prayer, the hostess served lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Benno Spitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mawer, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Noble, Mrs. and Mrs. Chas. Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roughley, Mrs. E. Sanford and Bill Sanford were guests at the Spitzer wedding and reception at Knox Presbyterian Church on Saturday.

Mrs. C. James had her mother, Mrs. Temple and her brother, Mr. Alex Temple of Hamilton with her last weekend.

The junior room pupils at S.S. No. 9 and their teacher, Miss Quinton enjoyed a toboggan party and hot dog lunch on the Newell Ruddell farm last Friday. Mrs. McKay and the seniors held theirs the week before.

ROCKWOOD

School Association Hear Guest Speaker

The January meeting of Rockwood Home and School Association was held in the school recently.

Mrs. Thos. Gellatly, president, opened the meeting with the Lord's Prayer. Minutes of the previous meeting were read. Roll Call showed the attendance banner had been won by Dale Armstrong's room.

Mrs. James Neave gave an address on Citizenship, in which she carried out her subject, "The Child as a Citizen". Mr. Thos. Gellatly introduced Mrs. T. O. Graham of Guelph who spoke on New Canadians.

Dr. R. J. Hilton thanked Mrs. Graham for her address. The meeting closed with God Save the Queen. Refreshments were served.

Scrapbooking is extended to Mrs. Cameron Kitching in the passing of her mother Mrs. Wingrove in Hamilton last week. Besides Mrs. Kitching, Miss Elsie Wingrove of Hamilton and Robert of Jacksonville, Florida survive. Funeral service was held in Hamilton with interment in Rockwood cemetery.

Mrs. Thos. Garstang returned home last week from Toronto after spending some time with Mrs. Phillips.

Mr. John Hibbs of Knox College, Toronto, conducted the service at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning.



BURN'S NIGHT held by the Scottish Dance Club on Saturday, January 25, at Guelph, was almost a re-union for the two couples shown above. Both men flew to Canada together on the same plane. Shown left to right are Bob Currie and Mrs. Currie, of Guelph, and Mrs. W. Wilson and Mr. Wilson of Acton.

St. Alban's G.A. Plan Projects

The regular meeting of the G.A. was held Thursday, January 23. The meeting was opened with a hymn and the G.A. Prayer.

The girls did special work on their cookery badge work. Outfits were planned for a doll to be sent to some worthy child.

The meeting closed with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer.

CAMPBELLVILLE

Three Mishaps For Local People

William Coulter Jr. fell on ice skates on Sunday. He slipped on the bank of Crawford's pond and tore the ligaments of his knee.

Charles Inglis, while using a hammer and coal chisel at his work bench, had a piece of steel all the face of the hammer fly into the white of his eye.

Lloyd Crawford at the farm on the Guelph road was piling wood, being drawn by team when the whipple-tree caught a two inch stick of wood that flew up. It cut him in the left eye which is most uncomfortable.

Mr. Jack Biren student of the Presbyterian Ministry has accepted a call at Eden Mills and Rockwood charges. We will miss him at Campbellville and Nassagaweya Churches. We wish him every success.

At St. John's Anglican Progressive Euchre party held last Thursday, prizes were awarded to Mrs. Wallace King, Mrs. J. Hearty, Mrs. William Turner, Amos Mathies, Harold Small and Harry Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Inglis and Mr. and Mrs. George Inglis were conveners at the S.S. No. 1 Progressive Euchre party held on Tuesday evening. Nine tables were in play and prizes were awarded to Mrs. George Reid, Mrs. William DeForest, Bruce Small and George Reid.

Another party will be held in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hurten and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cairns as conveners.

Fifty interested persons attended a meeting in Brookville Hall on Monday evening for the purpose of asking Halton County Roads Committee to hard surface the mile of road between Guelph Junction and Flamborough Town line, the joining links between No. 6 and 25 Highways, which has caused many accidents. A resolution was passed while Mr. E. D. Mahon was chairman and Mrs. Russell Hurten as Secretary.

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Erin Township Council Holds Inaugural Meeting

The inaugural meeting of the Erin township council was held at Hillsburg on Tuesday, January 7 when the following took the oath of office: H. L. Griffin, reeve; G. C. Wallace, deputy reeve; and R. A. Rowan, H. Ferguson and H. M. Harden, councillors.

The following by-laws were passed: The remuneration for members of council and officials was set for 1958. Officials were appointed for the year.

The reeve and treasurer were authorized to borrow money from the Royal Bank of Canada at Hillsburg from time to time when necessary to meet the current expenditures of the township.

It was decided to join the Good Roads Association and membership fee of \$15 was ordered paid. A fee of \$10 was to be forwarded for membership in the Association of Rural Municipalities. Delegates were to be members of council.

Ten copies of the Municipal World were to be ordered for use of council and officials. Dog licenses are to be reduced \$1 per license if they are paid at the time of assessment.

An application from Mr. Clarke for a license to operate a wrecking yard was refused at the present time. George T. Lacey was hired as township clerk. Accounts paid were: general accounts, \$616; welfare accounts, \$185.47; roads accounts, \$7,800.01; total, \$8,602.64.

Mr. Smith Griffin Jr. attended the Ontario Shorthorn Clubs Annual Meeting in Peterborough on Saturday.

The ladies of Church Hill have had two quilts. They quilted one last week and are at work on the second one this week.

The community is pleased to hear Mr. Wm. Thompson is progressing favourably after his recent operation at Sunnybrook Hospital, Toronto.

Miss Edith Thompson is in Toronto General Hospital, this week undergoing treatment on her eyes. We wish her luck.

Prizes for high scores went to Mrs. Ken Stubbington and Hugh Sinclair. Prize for Lucky Lane Hand went to Mrs. George D. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter and Colleen of Guelph were recent guests with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sinclair.

Mr. Bill Wagg Jr., who has been employed recently in Toronto is now home with his parents.

Friends of Mrs. J. A. Bulloch will be pleased to learn she was able to leave the Guelph Hospital on Thursday following surgery and is now convalescing.

Misses McMahon, Villeneuve, Stock and Wilkinson of Teachers' College Toronto, are at the local school this week, observing and teaching under the guidance of the teachers Mrs. N. Bathburn and Mr. J. Brown.

Mr. Hayes said he wiggled left of his house after the thieves left the bank and when he tried to telephone police he found the receiver had been ripped from the telephone. He ran next door to the home of Mrs. Doug Inglis to use the telephone.

Provincial police who poured into the area within minutes searched back roads and highways in the area and searched all cars until, mostly supertime Thursday, but no trace has been found of the car or its occupants. Although the intensified search was given up later that night, constable Hazlett and Inspector Craig were still following out leads today in hopes that some clue to the whereabouts of the three men may turn up.

In 1947, robbers got \$11,000 in cash in another robbery of the same bank.

NOTES FROM PAST YORKTON, Sask. (CP) - How- and Jackson has a letter showing that male housekeepers were at a premium 100 years ago. Dated Oct. 27, 1836, the letter from James McKnight to W. J. Christie said the writer could not let a man as a housekeeper at 20 pounds per year, but one of my uncles will engage at 30 pounds.

The daughter of the late Robert Henderson and Mary Cook, she married Charles Noble, who predeceased her, in Toronto in 1928.

Left to mourn her loss are two sisters, Mrs. Orric Lamb and Miss Christina Henderson, both of Acton; one brother, George of Dawson Creek and three step-daughters, Josephine, Mrs. John Walker, Hamilton; Idelea (Mrs. Arthur Wilson), Georgetown and Adele (Mrs. Clarence Bouskill), Georgetown; and one step-son, Marshall of Guelph.

Mrs. Noble had been a member of the United Church. Rev. Gordon Adams conducted the funeral service. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery, Georgetown.

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NOTICE

TO ALL ACTON SHOPPERS

Re Monday Store-Closing By-Law

AMENDMENT TO THE PRESENT STORE CLOSING BY-LAW HAS BEEN GIVEN TWO (2) READINGS BY THE ACTON COUNCIL.

AT THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD, PROVIDING THE NEW BY-LAW RECEIVES FINAL READING IT BECOMES EFFECTIVE BY LAW ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 1958.

THUS ALL-DAY CLOSING OF ACTON STORES BY THE ACTON RETAIL MERCHANTS WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, 1958.

BEGINNING WITH MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH, AND THEREAFTER STORES WILL REMAIN CLOSED FROM SATURDAY 6 P.M. TO REGULAR OPENING TIME TUESDAY MORNING.

No Mid-Week Closing

Stores Open All Day on Wednesdays

Store hours now in effect will be maintained by the Acton Retail Merchants to accommodate the buying public -- with the exception of MONDAY ALL DAY CLOSING and WEDNESDAY OPEN ALL DAY TO 6 P.M.

Restaurants, confectionery stores, Drug Stores and Barber shops are not affected by this By-law. The Barber shops have signified their intention to change their closing day from Wednesday to Monday.

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