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## Death Ends Long Career of Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore

**Native of Halton County**

Very Rev. Dr. T. Albert Moore, former Moderator of the United Church of Canada and one of the Dominion's outstanding ministers, died at his home in Toronto on Sunday, March 31st. He was 79 years old.

Born in Acton, Ont., June 29, 1860, Thomas Albert Moore was educated at Acton Public School, Georgetown Academy, and McGill University. As a young man he entered the newspaper business, and with his brother, E. F. Moore, published the Acton Free Press. His clerical life started in 1884, when he was ordained a minister of the Methodist Church.

For more than half a century, Dr. Moore was a preacher and a great part of that time he devoted to church movements for social reform. In an address to Toronto Conference of the United Church six years ago he struck out at the parliaments of the church for their attitude on gambling and liquor. But although fearless and outspoken on questions of social and moral reform, Dr. Moore had a capacity for tact and a grace of humor which carried him far in discussions with cabinets and tribunals.

**Assisted in Demobilization**

It fell to his lot in the course of his long term as general secretary of various departments of his church to lead many delegations before the Dominion and Provincial governments in the quest for tightening up of the Criminal Code or stricter administration of existing laws.

The State recognized his organizing ability during the Great War when he was appointed head of the Methodist chaplain's branch of the War Bureau to assist in demobilizing in France and Belgium.

At that time he was granted several interviews with the late King George V, and on three occasions preached in John Wesley's pulpit in Wesley's Chapel London. As a young pastor he became a friend of the Earl and Countess of Dufferin in Ottawa in the eighties and later used to visit them at Dublin when Dufferin was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

In 1919 the Crown Prince of Serbia conferred upon Dr. Moore the Order of the Red Cross for his work as president of the Canadian Brotherhood Federation in raising war relief funds for Serbia. Dr. Moore had degrees of B.A. and D.D. from McGill; the degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology from Syracuse University; Doctor of Laws from Mount Allison University, as well as six other awards of the D.D.

Dr. Moore played a prominent part in the realization of the Church Union. He was Secretary of the Methodist Committee on Church Union and Methodist Secretary of the Joint Committee on Church Union from 1914 to 1926. Later he served as Secretary of the General Council of the United Church and of the Executive Committee between 1925 and 1929, during the arduous early years following union.

**Served Alliance Many Years**

His activities extended to many fields of religious, moral and social endeavors. After acting as General Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada from 1903 to 1910, he was chosen to act as president of that organization from 1910 until his death in 1939. He was also General Secretary of the Department of Evangelism and Social Service of the Methodist Church, and prior to union had been Secretary to the Methodist General Conference, member of the Board of Appeal, and Editor of the Methodist Discipline and Journal of the General Conference.

The United Church of Canada honored Dr. Moore's years of service with the highest office within its gift when on Sept. 28, 1932, he was elected moderator for a two-year term. Other candidates who stood for election as moderator on that occasion were Rev. Dr. Richard Roberts and Rev. Dr. W. L. Armstrong, both of Toronto.

Dr. Moore had held various pastorates in Ontario and in later years he had conducted several preaching missions for the Department of Evangelism and Social Service. He was engaged in work for the Social Service Council of Canada until a few weeks ago when stricken with an illness from which he failed to recover.

His clerical leadership was recognized in 1925 when he was active in framing the basis of union of Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational Churches of Canada. And, as secretary of the General Council, he was a prominent factor in the administrative side of the church after union.

Dr. Moore represented his church on probably more international and interdenominational bodies than any other Canadian churchman. For many years he was general secretary and then president of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada and joint secretary of the Social Service Council of Canada.

He had been president of the Canadian Brotherhood Federation and vice-president of the World's Purity Federation and the International Moral Reform Bureau; member of the Ecumenical Methodist Commission and the World Conference on Faith and Order.

Dr. Moore was twice married. His second wife, the former Annie Laura Foster, survives with three daughters, Mrs. Percy Robinson, Norma and Dorothy. A son, Harry M. Moore, who had wide experience as reporter and editor with Canadian, Irish and United States newspapers, died two years ago in Philadelphia.

## Esquing Council Mel on Monday

**I. M. BENNETT APPOINTED TREASURER PRO-TEM IN ABSENCE OF GEORGE LESLIE**

Stewarttown, April 3rd, 1940. Esquing Township Council held their regular meeting on Monday afternoon. Deputy-Reeve F. C. H. May, Councillors G. W. Murray, Edwin Harrop and G. E. Cleave were present. Reeve Wm. A. Wilson presided at the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Communications were read from the Commissioner of Agricultural Loans, Bell Telephone Co., J. E. Chown, Sawyer-Massey Ltd., and Department of Highways.

Moved by May and Cleave, that the Treasurer pay the road sheets as presented by the Road Superintendent, \$1294.00.—Carried.

Moved by Murray and Harrop, that the Treasurer pay: Acton Public Utilities Commission, Crescent street lights \$15.00; Bell Telephone Co., 381 r 21, \$3.04, 91 r 12 \$1.40, total \$4.44; George MacDonald & Co., 1 box carbon paper \$3.15; Commissioner of Agricultural Loans, travelling expenses of A. J. Oliver, taking indigent to Old People's Home \$2.40; Mrs. J. M. Moore, supplies \$4.85; Walter Lawson, 100 lb. corn \$1.75; I. M. Bennett, telegram collect \$5c. supplies \$3c. total \$6c; postmaster stamps \$6.00.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave and May, that the Treasurer pay the relief accounts as presented by the Relief Officer, \$272.35.—Carried.

Moved by May and Cleave, that the Treasurer pay Board of Health accounts, Georgetown Cemetery Board, single plot indigent \$12.50, opening grave \$8.00, total \$20.50; Harold C. McClure, to burial of indigent from Toronto General Hospital \$40.00; Department of Health of Ontario, Insulin for indigent \$1.46.—Carried.

Moved by Harrop and Murray, that this Council appoint I. M. Bennett to act as treasurer pro tem, during the absence of Mr. G. Leslie.—Carried.

Moved by May and Cleave, that this Council do now adjourn to meet on Monday, May 6th, at 1:30 p.m. or at the call of the Reeve.—Carried.

## A MAN WITH A MESSAGE FOR OUR TROUBLED TIMES



**REV. DUNCAN McLEOD, B.A., D.D.**

A Preaching Mission, sponsored by the Baptist and United Churches will be held in Georgetown from April 7th to April 21st. This will be under the leadership of Dr. Duncan McLeod, returned missionary from Formosa, who has an international reputation as a sincere and eloquent preacher of the gospel.

Commencing Sunday evening, April 7th at 7 p.m., when Rev. J. C. Williamson, B.A., B. Th., of First Baptist Church, Preston, will be in the pulpit, there will be nightly services in the Baptist Church at 8 p.m. No service is planned for Saturday.

Dr. McLeod will be present at all these meetings. A feature of the week will be a general Young People's Rally on Monday evening at 8 p.m.

The second week, services will be held in the United Church. Highlights of this week include Rev. G. C. Pidgeon, of Bloor United Church, Toronto, who will preach at the evening service on April 14th, and a mass meeting for men that same afternoon.

Various choirs and soloists will provide the music at these nightly services. These include choirs from Acton and Milton, and a quartette from Mount Pleasant.

The people of Georgetown are urged to attend these inspiring meetings, and hear Dr. McLeod's wonderful message.

## Medical Officer's and Auditors' Report Presented to Council

**Necessity of Road Foreman for Town Discussed Pro and Con—Daylight Saving By-law Passed.**

### GEORGETOWN KIDS NEW ONTARIO MIDGET N.H.L. CHAMPIONS

**DEFEATED COPPER CLIFF IN BEST OF FOUR GAME SERIES**

With little information at our disposal last week, we were not in a position to give our readers a clear-cut summary of the Copper Cliff—Georgetown Midget N.H.L. hockey series. However, we will endeavor this week to give a brief account of the play-off in which Georgetown Kids romped home with the Calder Cup, emblematic of the Ontario Midget N.H.L. championship.

A series similar to the one this year was played in Copper Cliff last winter, when the Northern boys took the Cup. The Georgetown team played under the name of Boston Bruins, while Copper Cliff New York Rangers were the opposition. The series ran into four games with the Bruins winning the first and fourth games by the scores of 3-1 and 4-2. The second game was a 3-3 draw after thirty minutes of overtime, and Copper Cliff took the third game 4-2.

The play-off was a thriller all the way, with splendid hockey, and drew a crowd of 700 people to the night games, and as many as 300 to the morning affair. The Georgetown Bruins had the edge over their opponents throughout the series and deserved the win on their efforts.

In the first game of the series Georgetown edged Copper Cliff 3-1. The scorers were Carter, Sargent and Klem-headed for the Bruins and McCarthy for the Rangers. The goals were all scored in the first period, leaving the second and third periods scoreless.

The second game on Saturday afternoon was a hectic struggle, going into 30 minutes of overtime and ending in a 3-3 draw. Copper Cliff netted 3 goals to Georgetown's 1 in the first period. The Bruins rallied in the third stanza to tie the count. The scorers, O'Reilly, McCarthy and Digby for the homesters; Soloeki for Georgetown. There was no score in the second period, but Georgetown goalkeeper, W. Emmerson, was hit in the face by a flying puck and was removed to the hospital for treatment. The accident was not serious and he was able to play in the remaining games. The Bruins put up a desperate attack in the third period and tied the count on goals by Sargent and Carter. After 30 minutes of overtime the score remained the same.

It was up to Copper Cliff to win the third game or go out of the running for the cup, and they did by a 4-2 score. They netted two goals in the first period, by O'Reilly and Johnson. Carter in the second and third by Robertson, McCarthy, Georgetown scored in the second and third periods with goals by Harlow and Soloeki. Rivarly ran high in this match and several flistic affairs marred a good game, but drew more interest for the fourth and deciding encounter. The Bruins were out to win in the final game, but Georgetown proved superior by two goals when the gong sounded to end a great series. The local lads had better combination and the staying power that well deserved a championship. The Copper Cliff Bruins fought hard in the last period to overcome a two-goal lead, but were unsuccessful, even after drawing their goalkeeper to put on six-man offensive. Both teams scored twice in the first frame: Robert scoring twice for the Cliff, Carter and Collier for the Bruins. Carter and Schenk clinched the game in the second, and the third period went scoreless.

The Copper Cliff Rangers took the defeat like the good sports they are, and after the game accompanied the Georgetown boys to the station where they boarded the train for home.

Georgetown—Goal, Emmerson; defence, Coffel, Sargent; centre, Schenk; wings, Harlow, Klemhead; subs, Soloeki, Carter, Walker, Hill, Wilson, Yates.

Copper Cliff—Goal, Flynn; defence, Leclair, Butler; centre, McCarthy; wings, Digby, Robert; subs, Johnstone, O'Reilly, England, Zahavich, Cooke, Desanti.

### GEORGETOWN KIDS NEW ONTARIO MIDGET N.H.L. CHAMPIONS

Council met at 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 2nd. Members present: Mayor Gibbons, Reeve Cleave, and Councillors N. H. Brown, A. E. Cripps, T. R. Cave, Jas. Costigan, K. R. McDonald and S. J. Mackenzie.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Mar. 5th and the special meeting of Mar. 12th were read and adopted. Communications were read from K. M. Langdon, Misses Moore, Mrs. M. McKenzie, Department of Agriculture, Hospital for Sick Children, Guelph General Hospital.

Mayor Gibbons also extended a welcome to Mr. W. Blehn, the new publisher of the Georgetown Herald, and wished him every success in his new undertaking.

Moved by S. J. Mackenzie, seconded by A. E. Cripps, that the auditor's report as presented be accepted and that 100 copies be printed.—Carried.

Mrs. Lever, of Jenkins & Hardy, chartered accountants, auditors for the Town of Georgetown, was present to discuss the report. He expressed his appreciation of the assistance given by the town officials when making the audit.

Moved by K. R. McDonald, seconded by N. H. Brown, that we purchase from A. E. Coleman lot 83 on Edith Street at a price of \$50.00.—Carried.

Moved by S. J. Mackenzie, seconded by H. Cleave, that W. G. Marshall be appointed Weed Inspector for the Town of Georgetown for the year 1940.—Carried.

Moved by K. R. McDonald, seconded by N. H. Brown, that the report of the Medical Health Officer for 1939, as presented, be accepted.—Carried.

Dr. C. V. Williams, M.O.H., presented his report for the year 1939. This report—a comprehensive survey of factors affecting the general health of the community—will appear in detail next week in the Herald.

Moved by N. H. Brown, seconded by T. R. Cave, that the Treasurer pay the Relief Commission the sum of \$128.34 to pay March accounts.—Carried.

Moved by S. J. Mackenzie, seconded by H. Cleave, that Daylight Saving Time for the Town of Georgetown commence on the 28th day of April, 1940, at 12:01 a.m., and end on the 21st day of September, 1940, at midnight.—Carried.

A suggestion that daylight time be ended sooner than September 21st was met with the objection that Toronto continued the practice till that date, and different times between the two municipalities tended to confuse things.

Moved by J. Costigan, seconded by K. R. McDonald, that by-law No. 2 to grant certain exemptions to farm lands in the Town of Georgetown be now read a first time.—Carried.

Moved by T. R. Cave, seconded by A. E. Cripps, that by-law No. 3 to grant certain exemptions to farm lands in the Town of Georgetown be now read a second and third times and finally passed and the seal of the Corporation be attached thereto.—Carried.

Moved by J. Costigan, seconded by A. E. Cripps, that the Treasurer pay the following accounts: James McCartney, s/s. \$ 3.00; Len Harding, s/s. 3.00; Bell Telephone Co. 1.50; Wm. Ward, court services 4.00; E. C. Thompson, court services 4.00; W. H. Kenner & Son, coal 28.50; Gutta Percha & Rubber, Ltd. fire hose 189.13; W. F. Smith, boots firemen 21.00; Jenkins & Hardy, audit fees 300.00; Alton Sawmills, w.w. rebate 2.50; Hydro Electric 761.84; Gordon Hiltz, painting Library 65.00; Speight's Garage, town truck 4.10; Georgetown Herald, printing 63.90; W. C. Anthony, wiring Library 180.00.

Moved by K. R. McDonald, seconded by S. J. Mackenzie, whereas the employing of another man for outside work is considered unnecessary at the present time. Therefore be it resolved by this Council that the applications for the position as advertised in the Herald be filed, and the work be divided throughout the year as fairly as possible among the applicants or others unemployed.—Carried.

A lengthy discussion took place concerning this motion. Mayor Gibbons stated that Chief Marshall, with his many duties could give scant time to overseeing outside work, and if he did so it was at the expense of his other duties. He believed that by hiring a foreman, not only would outside work be more efficiently taken care of, but that the resultant economies would more than pay a foreman's salary.

The opinions of the Councillors were divided on this point. Reeve Cleave stated that, though there was no urgent need at present for the creation of such a position, in time it might well become a necessity.

Mayor Gibbons pointed out that in all fairness to the applicants, a decision would be arrived at. As opinion was against hiring a foreman at this time, the decision of the Council was expressed in the above by-law.

Councillor Brown made an appeal regarding enforcement of the "loose dog" by-law now in effect. While this by-law specifies that dogs be locked up during the period from May 15th to September 15th, he stated that in the past enforcement of this had been lax. He cited one instance where a local lady had been forced to twice replace a garden torn up by marauding dogs.

Moved by N. H. Brown, seconded by K. R. McDonald, that we do now adjourn.

## Canadian Legion Elect Officers for Year

The annual general meeting of Branch 120 Canadian Legion was held in the Legion Rooms, Thursday, Mar. 28th, at 8 p.m.

Teh President gave a report on the year's activities of the branch, which was responded to by a hearty clapping of hands.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year, results being as follows: Honorary President—Capt. Dr. Sutherland.

Past President—Col. G. Cousens.

President—F. McCartney.

1st Vice President—Dr. Learmonth.

2nd Vice President—H. Harlow.

Secretary—J. Roberts.

Treasurer—G. O. Brown.

Sgt.-at-Arms—G. Alcott.

Chairman of Canteen Committee—H. Sheppard.

Entertainment Committee—J. Murphy.

Transportation and Publicity Committee—S. B. Groat.

Property Committee—W. Roney.

Sports Committee—O. Harrington.

Standard Bearers—J. Emmerson, H. Watkins.

Auditors—S. P. Chapman, W. Thompson.

Chaplain—Rev. W. G. O. Thompson.

## DISTRICT FARMERS VISITED COCKSHUTT FACTORY

Last Monday, March 25, a group of Georgetown district farmers visited the Cockshutt factory in Bramford.

Divided into groups, the men were taken on a conducted tour of the plant. This started in reverse order, in the shipping department, then through the great warehouse, inspection department, and paint shop.

The visitors were guests of the company at a luncheon, with Mr. E. Good, General Manager of Ontario Branch, presiding. Mr. W. J. Phillips, General Manager of the Company, spoke a few words of greeting on behalf of the Cockshutt organization, followed by short speeches by different members of the firm.

The lunch room was flanked with models of the different Cockshutt lines. The afternoon was spent in finding out just how Cockshutt implements are made and put together.

One press was capable of exerting 400 tons of pressure, and was controlled by a light touch on a foot treadle. Huge machines, known as "bulldozers," used for shaping plough beams, bend the tough steel as easily as you would bend a wax candle. Rows of furnaces heat different parts for "heat-treatment" which puts toughness into the finished product.

The men expressed their appreciation at this first-hand view of how farm machinery is manufactured. The trip was arranged through the J. N. O'Neill & Son agency.

## GEORGETOWN LIONS

The members of the Georgetown Lions Club met on Monday evening, at 6.30, in front of H. C. McClure's store, and proceeded in a body to the Presbyterian Church basement, where they partook of the roast beef dinner provided by the ladies of that church. Chief Kelly sat at the head of the table allotted to the Lions, and his flock—no herd—no pack—gathered round him. A pleasant evening was enjoyed, though the usual songs, and business—yes, and fines—were absent. Those who could remained for the programme which followed.

## KNOX CHURCH SUPPER

The Women's Association of Knox Presbyterian Church sponsored a hot roast beef supper in the Sunday school room on Monday evening.

After supper a delightful program was enjoyed by the guests, introduced by a short session of community singing. Among the highlights of the program were: The Georgetown Stringed Ensemble; a duet by Miss Ruth Davis and Miss Jean McDonald; a solo by Master Henry Mathews; a recitation by Miss Charlotte McCullough, and a solo by Mrs. Francis Thompson.

A good crowd turned out for the supper, although road conditions kept many motorists from attending.

## BRIDGE CLUB NEWS

With two new members present, the members of the Men's Bridge Club held their regular Monday evening play on April 1st.

Individual scores were kept, with high-roof honours going to Mr. F. Spires and Mr. J. R. Williams.

## NORVAL RIFLE CLUB

The Hamilton Rifle Club visited Norval on Monday night, and were defeated by a score of 19 points out of 1000. The scores, Hamilton 983 out of 1000, Norval 982 out of 1000.

Postal matches are being arranged with South Edmonton and Winnipeg to be shot sometime next week. Dates will be announced later.

On Friday night, March 29th, the Norval Club visited Hillsburg, and came back home with a comfortable margin.

The scores made by Norval in the aggregate event are: Nurse 100 x 9, Atkinson 100 x 9, Johnson 100 x 9, Meredith 100 x 6, Robertson 98 x 6, Hall, Norma, 96 x 6; Caves 97 x 5; Hall, G. H., 96 x 5; Rustler 96 x 5; Dr. Stevenson 96 x 5; Lick 95 x 5; Reeve 94 x 5; Ruddell 94 x 5, Wilson A. W., 93 x 5.

The Hillsburg Rifle Club are due to visit Norval on Monday night, April 8th, 1940.

## ROBERTSON-HAMILTON WEDDING

A wedding of interest to people of this district took place on March 28th when Muriel Patricia, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hamilton, Toronto, was united in marriage with Ernest Robertson, son of Mrs. Robertson and the late Donald Robertson of Milton. The ceremony took place at Rochester, Kent, England.

## LIMEHOUSE

Mr. Billie Millere spent his Easter holidays with his grandparents here.

Mrs. E. Beerman, Audrey and Earl spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. Harding near Kitchener.

Messrs. Gordon and Stanley Wright of Toronto spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Davidson entertained the members of the Limehouse Presbyterian Church Bible Class on Friday evening. The Bible class had the best attendance for the term ending March 31st.

Miss Janet Gray of Georgetown spent the week end with Miss Inez Scott.

Miss Ruth Norton was home from Brampton on Sunday.

Mrs. James Davies of Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Davies.

"So Sandy forgets his nationality when he takes you to dinner?"

"Yes, then he goes Dutch."

## ACTIVE SERVICE VOTES

	Cleave	Atkins
No. 1	119	86
No. 2	71	62
No. 3	140	99
No. 4	131	87
No. 5	123	74
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Majority for Cleave	233	
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## MILTON

The funeral service was held from Howard Park United Church on Tuesday, April 2, with interment in Fairview cemetery, Acton.