Jack Alger dies in Guelph hospital

A former resident of Acton survived by a brother with a distinguished war William, Niagara On the record had died in St. Joseph's Lake, and sisters Catherine, hospital, Guelph, on Sept- Mrs. Frank Williams, Torember 26.

Warrant officer Jack Harold Johnston, Stroud. some time. He lived in Guelph. Scots in 1939 and served in the land in 1901, and was the son of North Africa. He was honor-Acton before getting married He earned and was issued in Winnipeg in 1926. He is the following medals; the

a Lieutenant.

onto, and Winnifred, Mrs. E.

Alger had been in ill health for Mr. Alger joined the Lorne He was born in London, Eng- Eighth Army in Italy and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alger. ably discharged in 1945 with In 1906, he came to Canada. the rank of Warrant Officer I, Mr. Alger attended schools in Regimental Seargent-Major.

retired from the Guelph Corr- Bronze Star, 1939-1945; The ectional Centre where he was Bronze Star, Italy; The Bronze Star, France and Ger-Mr. Alger was predeceased many; King George VI, Silver by his parents and wife. He is medal; King George VI, silver

medal with Oak Leaf; Canada, 1939-1945 (Voluntary) silver medal; The Lorne Scots Medal; King George V and Queen Mary silver medal was issued to him commemorating the occasion when he was one of five Canadians chosen for Honor Guard to their Maj-

The following Distinguished Service Dispatch was treasured by Mr. Alger; "By the King's order, the name of Warrant Officer I (R.S.M.) Jack Harold Alger, Royal Canadian Army Service Corps., was published in the London Gazette on 4th April, 1946, as mentioned in a dispatch for Distinguished service I am charged to record His Majesty's high apprecation" J.J. Lawson, Secretary of State for War.

Funeral service was held at Shoemaker Funeral Home on September 29 with the Rev. Ewing officiating. Interment at Fairview Cemetery.



Obituary

C.W. Lucas dies at home Oct. 2

Funeral service was held October 5 for Clarence Wellington Lucas who died at his home at 84 Mill St. on October 2. He had been ill for three months.

Born in April 28, 1898 in Camden Township, Kent County, England, he was the son of Richard and Tilly Lucas. He had one sister, Norma Handsor, who predeceased him in 1947. He attended Chatham township area schools and was a past employee of Cal-Dale Estates.

Mr. Lucas is survived by a daughter Heene, of the U.S.A. and stepson Allen of Brampton. He was the guardian of

Ted and Hope Emery, and uncie of Charles and Wilfred Handsor, Mrs. Jean Funn, Mrs. Mildred Ladd and Mrs. Betty Prestage, who all survive him. He also had three grandchildren and six great

grandchildren. The Rev. Das Sydney of Acton Baptist church officiated at the funeral. Interment at Fairview Cemetery. Pallbearers were Norman David, Albert David, Stanley David, Doug Foster, Albert Hicks and Rick Pyle.

Hallowe'en

Children are preparing for Hallowe'en, which falls on a Monday this year.

Symposium on history

Early settlements Ontario provide the theme for the University of Guelph's Second Annual Symposium on The Agricultural History of Ontario. Scheduled for Saturday, October 22, the symposium will be held on campus in the University's Physical Sciences building.

Like last year's initial seminar on The Agricultural History of Ontario, this symposium should attract history buffs and folks interested in agriculture. Participants will include members of provincial historical societies, libraries and museums, officials from the Ontario ministry of agriculture and food, geography and history people from various colleges and universities, and of course those with a general interest in Ontario's agricultural history.

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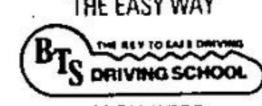
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