

Active Milton woman turned 100 Wednesday

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The Champion

Winifred Motteram's secret to vitality may be somewhat run of the mill, but it's certainly put her in select company.

The Milton woman turned 100 years old Wednesday at her Pine Street residence, where she lives with daughter Iris Innes and Iris' husband Bill.

Ms Motteram — who lived through two world wars in England — attributes her long life to "plain, active living."

She still enjoys relatively good health and up until two years ago, when she dislocated her shoulder, she could be found gardening in her backyard almost every day in the spring and summer.

"I began gardening many, many years ago in England. During the war we were encouraged to grow as much of our own food as possible," she recalled.

Monday afternoon she received a special birthday card from none other than Queen Elizabeth. It included a photograph of the British monarch as well as a celebration wish.

This came as a huge surprise to Ms Motteram, who lights up when asked about the card.

Ms Motteram left her native England in 1980 to live with her last surviving daughter.

Said her son-in-law Mr. Innes, "She came to stay with us after her other daughter passed away. She said she wanted to spend her last few years with us. That was 19 years ago and she's probably good for another 19 years."

In her younger days, Ms Motteram owned a wool shop that still operates in England. She was an expert knitter, amateur painter and according to Ms Innes a "loving and devoted wife and mother."

"She was always a very active person," added Ms Innes. "My grandmother lived to be 95 years old and now my mother has reached 100 years. I guess we've got pretty good genes in our family."

Ms Motteram, who's still fairly independent, has six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren — with a third on the way.

Many of these family members will be on hand for her official birthday celebration tomorrow (Saturday) from 2 to 4 p.m. at her 296 Pine Street home.

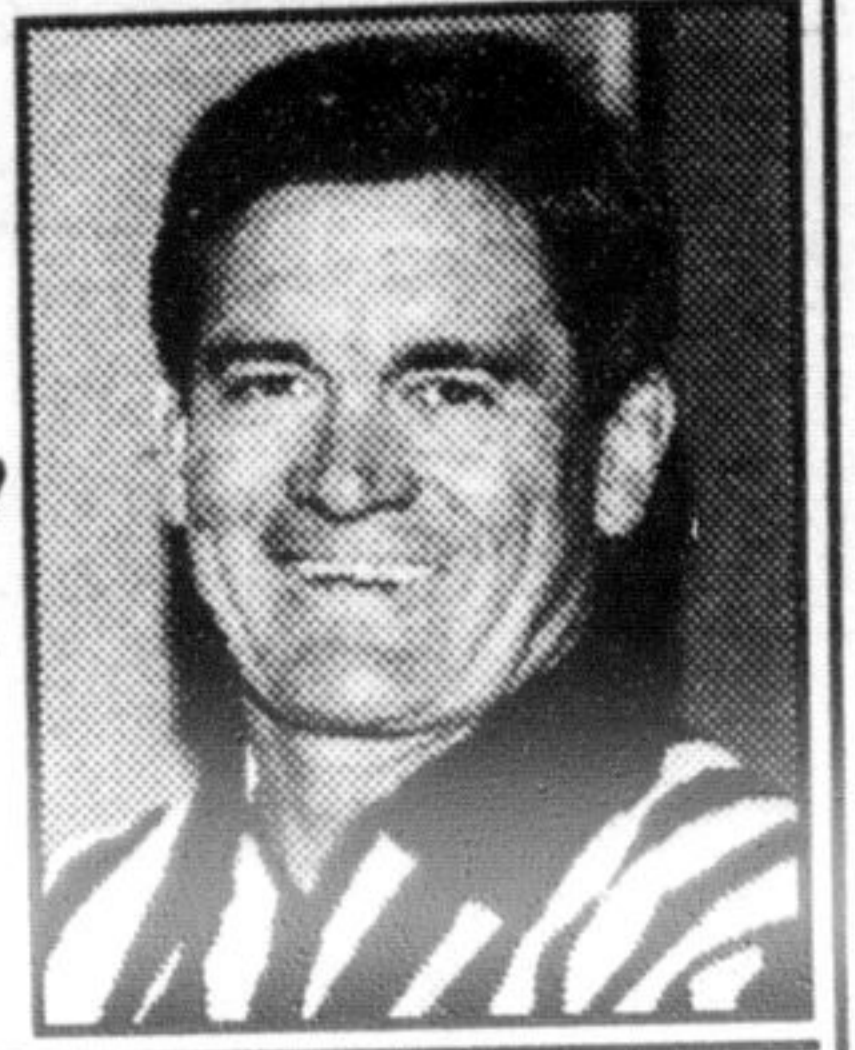
Longtime friends are also welcomed to attend.



Winifred Motteram (right) turned 100 years old Wednesday at her Pine Street residence. She's pictured here with daughter Iris Innes.

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AS YOU READ THIS COLUMN, there has been a further upgrading of 'access of knowledge' via the WONDERFUL WORLD OF THE COMPUTER, as changes are happening in the world of technology these days almost in that amount of time! And in the 'world of travel' the changes are as significant as anywhere, with information coming at one from all avenues — ideas popping up right and left — adding more and more challenge to decision making when it comes to travel planning.



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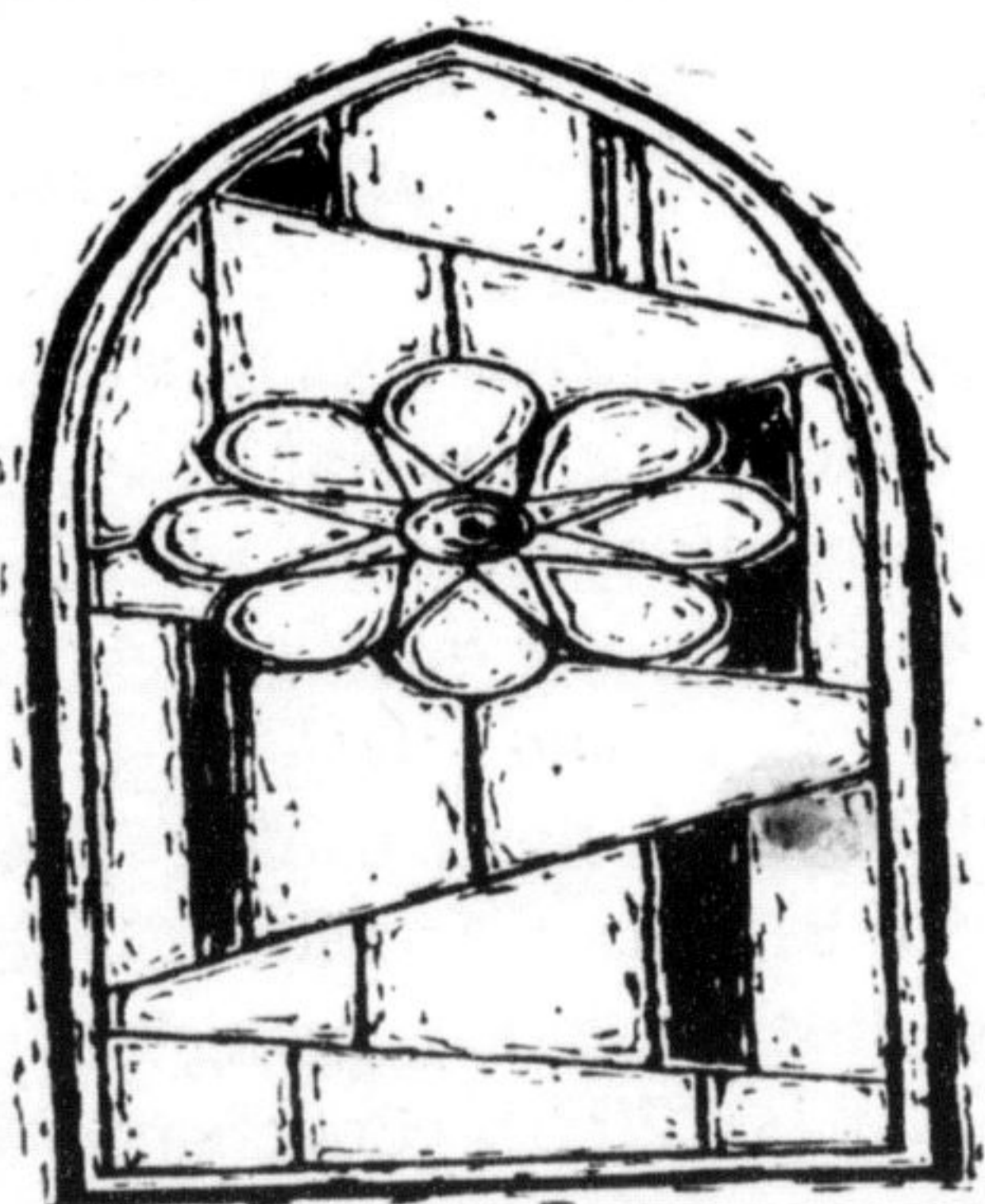
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8:00 am — Holy Communion
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