

Obituaries

Dorothy Miller

A funeral service was held on May 1, 1982, at Nicholls Funeral Home for the late Dorothy Miller of RR 1, Hillsdale.

Rev. Ivan Dambrowitz of Hillsdale Presbyterian Church was the officiating

clergyman. Interment in Vasey Union Cemetery.

The former Dorothy Jones was in her 77th year when she died on April 28 in Huronia District Hospital following two days illness.

Her sons Dale Williamston, Ont., and Kale of Mount St. Louis, and her daughter Jane Jamieson of Toronto, and her sister Irene (Mrs. Frank Wilford) of Midland survive her. She had nine grandchildren.

Her husband, William Howard Miller, died in 1973. Other members of her family who predeceased her were Katharine, Walter, Nelson, Earl and Graham.

The late Dorothy Miller was born in Tay

Township, the daughter of Levi Jones and Jane Dalton. She was educated at Riverside Public School in Tay Township, Midland High School, and Toronto Normal School. She was a teacher at Rosemount, Hawthorne,

Mount Forest, Durham, Holstein, Mount St. Louis, and Moonstone, and a homemaker. She retired in 1970.

Mount St. Louis was her home since her marriage on Oct. 22, 1932, in Hillsdale, to

William Miller.

She was a member of Moonstone Presbyterian Church. She belonged to the Moonstone Women's Association and the Superannuated Teachers Association of Ontario.

Eldon Courtney

At Scarborough General Hospital, April 16, 1982, after a lengthy illness, Eldon E. Courtney of Phepston in his 68th year.

He was born in Minesing April 24, 1914. The youngest son of the

late James and Pearl Courtney.

He spent his boyhood in Minesing on a farm. Attended Minesing public school.

On Dec. 2, 1933, he married Mildred Wright

of Elmvaie. In March 1935 they moved to a farm in Flos Township. He farmed there for a number of years.

In 1947 he sold out and moved to Fergusonvale. He went to work for

Barrie Tanning Ltd. and was employed there for nearly 25 years.

In 1954 he purchased a farm on the 4th Con. of Flos. He farmed and worked at Barrie Tanning. In April 1980

he sold out and retired from farming due to ill health, but remained on the farm.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred, three daughters, Mrs. R. Townes (Faye), Mrs. J. Ayotte (Connie), both of

Phepston, and Mrs. D. Burger (Marion), of Stroud.

A daughter, Cora, predeceased him in 1950.

Three grandchildren survive: Cheryl Ayotte, Terri Ayotte, and

Douglas Burger. Also a sister, Mrs. B. Puncher, Kitchener.

Funeral services were held at the James Lynn Funeral Home, Elmvaie, April 19. Interment later in Elmvaie cemetery.

Theophile Grozelle

The death occurred on May 1, 1982, of Theophile Grozelle, a longtime resident of this area who for the past two years lived in Edmonton.

He passed away following a lengthy

illness in Penetanguishene General Hospital at age 53.

Surviving the late Theophile Grozelle are his wife Clorraine Grozelle of Penetanguishene, his

sons Wayne of Edmonton, Jerome of Cornwall, Stephen, James and Neal, all of Penetanguishene, his daughter Joan (Mrs. Mike Desroches) of Lafontaine, and his mother, Agnes

Lalumiere of Penetanguishene.

Surviving brothers and sisters are Constant, Willie, and Marcel, all of Penetanguishene, and Marie Desroches of Midland, Rachel

Quesnelle and Leona Quesnelle, both of Port McNicoll, Rena Dupuis of Toronto, and Olive Belcourt of Penetanguishene. The late Mr. Grozelle had two grandchildren.

His father, Louis

Grozelle, and his brothers Louis and Doriste, predeceased him.

Fr. Gordon F. Davies officiated at the funeral mass held May 3 in St. Ann's Memorial Church. Interment in

St. Ann's Cemetery, Penetanguishene.

Pallbearers at the funeral were Mike Grozelle, David Desroches, Stan Ironside, Claude Quesnelle, Donald Grozelle, and Roland Belcourt.

Lyle Loughridge

The death occurred on April 22, 1982 at Penetanguishene General Hospital, of Lyle Loughridge of 6 Brock Street, Penetanguishene. He passed away after a

brief illness at age 83.

Rev. Francis Cook officiated at a funeral service held in the Beausoleil Funeral Home on April 25. Burial in Pleasantview Memorial Gardens, St.

Catharines, Ont.

His wife, Olive Loughridge, of Penetanguishene, his sons Gordon of Thorold and Dalton of Chilliwack, B.C., his daughters Jean (Mrs.

Arthur Finnigan) of Markham, Doris (Mrs. Sian Carson) of Port Severn, Barbara (Mrs. Cecil Firth) of Thorold

South, and Gwen (Mrs. Paul Irvine) of Welland, and his grandson

Douglas of Midland, all survive him. He has 19 grandchildren.

Lyle Loughridge was born and raised in the Ottawa Valley at Morewood and Chrysler, the son of

James Harvey Loughridge and Agnes Marcellus. He also lived for many years in the St. Catharines area at Port Dalhousie. Penetanguishene was his home for the past 25 years.

Lyle Loughridge was a chef for Ontario Hydro for 30 years.

He was a member of Trinity United Church, Penetanguishene, and, recently a member of St. Paul's United Church, Midland.

Howard Holden

Longtime Midland newspaper employee, and Second World War veteran, Howard Clarence (Clare) Holden passed away on May 4, 1982, in his Colborne Street,

Midland, home.

Rev. J.L. Self officiated at the funeral service held on May 7 at Nicholls Funeral Home. Interment in Lakeview Cemetery, Midland.

The late Clare Holden's wife Doris, his son Wayne of Hamilton, and his daughter Elizabeth Ann (Mrs. Peter Hutchinson) of Kitimat, B.C., survive him, as do his brothers

Reg and Jack, both of Midland. He had two grandchildren.

The late Mr. Holden was born in Toronto on Feb. 16, 1917, the son of the late Herbert Holden

and the late Elizabeth Bouvair. On April 30, 1942 in that city he married Doris Stewart.

He was a type-setter with the Midland Free Press for 25 years. He

retired seven years ago.

Howard Clarence Holden served in the Canadian Army from 1942 to 1946. He was an avid golfer and a member of the Brooklea

Golf and Country Club.

Following the funeral service the family and friends joined at the Royal Canadian Legion, Midland, where refreshments were served by the Ladies Auxillary.

Jack Grier

Jack Grier died at his home at 685 Seventh Avenue, Port McNicoll, on May 1, 1982. The late Mr. Grier was 71 years of age at the time of his death.

Rev. Al Farthing officiated at the May 5 funeral service held in the J.H. Lynn Funeral Home, Midland. Interment in Lakeview Cemetery.

Surviving him are his wife, Marie, his son James Arthur of Farnborough, England, and his daughters Phyllis Gethon, Natalie

Ferrier, and Laurie Ann Brusted, all of Barrie, also his brothers Adam, Bill, Agnes, Richard (Dick) and Howard, and his sisters Eva, Esther

and Agnes.

Deceased members of the immediate family are Norman and George.

The late Jack Grier was born in Penetanguishene, the son of John and Agnes Grier. He attended Beach Grove and Vigo

Public Schools.

On Oct. 29, 1966, in Toronto, he married Marie Lawn. Since then he lived in Toronto and Port McNicoll. He was a master mechanic and had been retired for seven years.

Pallbearers at his funeral were Paul

Twigg and Robert Smith, both of Port McNicoll, Wayne Gethons, a son-in-law, and Murray Ferrier, a son-in-law, both of Barrie, and Archie Wanless of Phepston and Aubrey Kerr, a brother-in-law, of Hamilton.

Evelyn Thompson

Evelyn Thompson of Midland Bay Woods died suddenly on April 4, 1982, in Kentucky on route home from spending the winter in Florida. The former

Evelyn Stewart was 69 years of age.

A private funeral was held in the Nicholls Funeral Home on April 8. Interment in Prospect Cemetery,

Toronto.

Her husband, Edwin Thompson, her daughters Joy Maynard of Wyebridge, Irene Wilkinson of Oakridges, and Joan Jones of

Oakridges, and her brother Arthur Stewart survive her. She had nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Toronto was her birthplace.

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