

To Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Sales of R. R. 1 Windsor will celebrate open house on their Golden Wedding Anniversary, on Sunday, August 23rd, at Bethel United Church, Base Line and 9th Con., Sandwich South from 1:30 to 5 p.m. They were married in Windsor and have lived in Sandwich South 45 years. They request no gifts.

AUG. 14. 1979

DEATHS

SALES—William Rickard, 86 years, Sept. 6, 1985 at Metropolitan Hospital. Mr. Sales was retired from Canada Customs and worked as Registrar for Ivan R. Sales, School of Hair Dressing. He was a member of The Bethel Maidstone United Church. He served in WWI with the 241st Battalion, Essex Scottish Highlanders. Beloved husband of Ethel (nee Graham). Dear Father of Shirley Lord. Devoted grandfather of Mary, Ruth, Patricia, Sherry and John. Also survived by 8 great-grandchildren. Dear brother of Millie Coutts, Chatham; Ivan R. Sales, Windsor and Helen Apedaile, Clearwater Florida. Friends may call at The James H. Sutton Funeral Home 1567 Ouellette Ave. after 2 p.m. Monday. Funeral services Tuesday Sept. 10th at 11 a.m. Rev. Glenn J. Ashford officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Gardens. Memorial donations to The Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the Family.

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Congratulations to Bill and Ethel Sales who are celebrating their 65th wedding anniversary at the Bethel-Maidstone Church Hall with an open house from 2:30 p.m. to 5 p.m., August 17th. They have requested best wishes only.

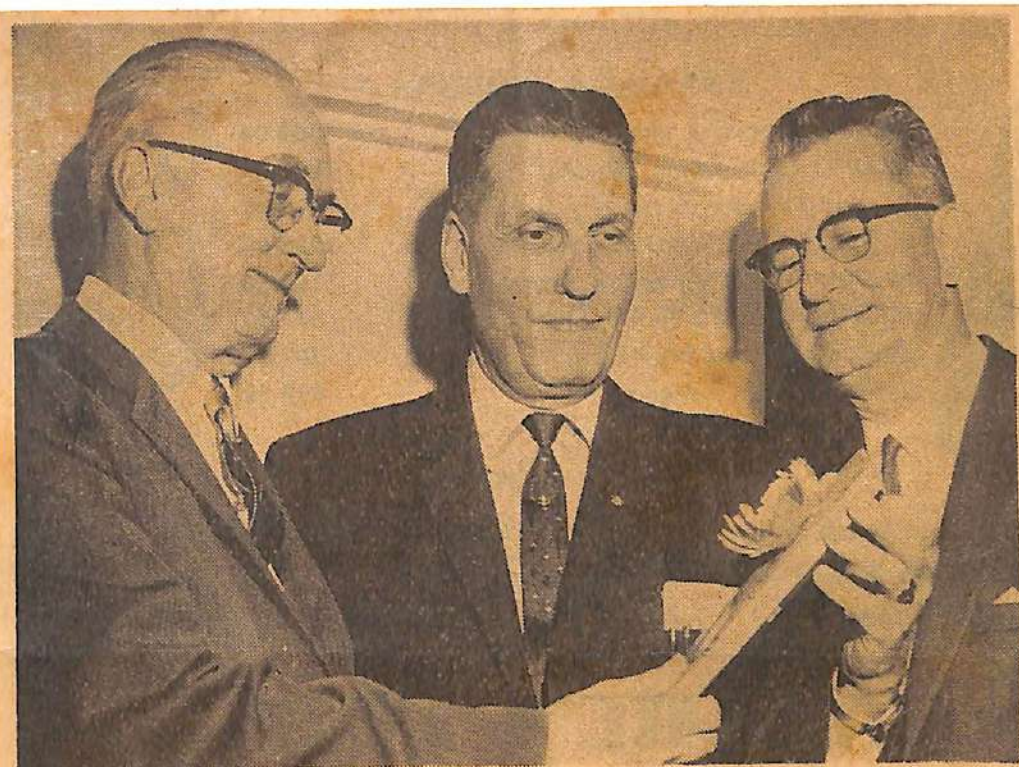
AUG. 16. 1985

Bill and Ethel Sales are celebrating their 65th Wedding Anniversary at our Church Hall with an Open House from 2:30 till 5 p.m. on August 17th. Best Wishes Only.

AUG. 9. 1985

AUG. 8. 1976

Nov. 27th, 1967 - Mrs. Wm. Sales (Ethel) 68 yrs. old never sits idle so says the feature article by Eloise Wilkinson of the Windsor Star. A member of Roseland W.I. for 35 years Mrs. Sales learned most of her crafts, she has 24 from Home Economics Teachers supplied to the Institute by the Dept. of Agriculture Extension Services. She has taught students how to make aluminum trays, hooked rugs, block printing, crocheted Swiss straw hats, embroidered bags, made out of furniture including pine needle bags, trays and jewelry.



CUSTOMS RETIREMENT—More than 170 persons were present at the Norton Palmer Hotel Thursday night when the Windsor customs appraisal staff held a special banquet to honor W. R. Sales, who is soon to retire after 35 years of service. Here,

George H. Large, Windsor Collector of Customs, presents Mr. Sales with a memento of the evening, while K. E. Swan, chief customs appraisal officer, shows his approval.

(Star Staff Photo)

Dec. 6. 1963

THE WINDSOR DAILY STAR, TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1951

Get W.I. Life Membership Pins



Mrs. William Sales is shown above, left, with the life membership pin which she was awarded for her work with the Roseland Women's Institute. Mrs. E. A. Souliere (right) also received a life membership. Mrs. Sales, a W.I. member for 19 years, was president of the Roseland group for six years. She is also immediate past district president of the North Essex W.I., and helped organize branches in Oldcastle and Puce. Mrs. Souliere received her award in recognition of the active role she has played in W.I. activities for the past 26 years. She, too, is a past president of the Roseland W.I.



BUSY HANDS — Mrs. Ethel Sales displays some of the many handicrafts she has made. At left, are bags made from pine needles and raffia (from Madagascar), a foam rubber pil-

low, a wool bag made from furniture webbing, a hand-embroidered hat, cushions of checked gingham, a copper tooled flower box. In front are aluminum trays and a lipstick blotter.

She masters many hobbies and then teaches others

By ELOISE WILKINSON

Sixty-eight-year-old Mrs. Ethel Sales never sits idle.

Even while watching television, her hands are busy with 24 different hobbies or handicrafts.

A member of the Roseland Women's Institute for 35 years, Mrs. Sales learned most of her crafts from home economics teachers supplied to the institute by the Department of Agriculture's Extension Branch.

The institute provides evening craft classes which are open to the public free of charge at their hall on Ronald Ave.

She has taught students how

to make aluminum trays, hooked rugs, block printing, crocheted Swiss straw hats, embroidered bags made out of furniture webbing, pine needle bags and trays and jewelry made of sea shells from the Gulf of Mexico.

Other interesting courses she participated in were glove-making, copper tooling, leather tooling, embroidery and making quilts and slip covers.

She was president of Roseland Women's Institute for six years and secretary for another six years. Mrs. Sales organized the Oldcastle Women's Institute in 1950 and the Puce Women's Institute in 1951.

From 1952-53, she helped Dr.

Neil Morrison collect material for his history book *Garden Gateway to Canada*.

Mrs. Sales was made a life member of the Roseland Women's Institute in 1951. In 1962, the District of North Essex presented her with a district life membership bar.

Her husband, William, is a retired Civil Service Customs appraiser. The Sales have one daughter, four granddaughters, one grandson and two great-grandsons. "Sewing and mending alone keeps me busy," says Mrs. Sales.

For more information about classes offered at the Roseland Institute, call Mrs. Leo Russette of 1616 Ouellette Ave.

War vets recall their battle days

At age 91, Bill Nicol can't march and play his bagpipes at the same time any more — "I haven't got the wind," he says.

But every year he plays in Windsor to honor comrades who fell at the Second Battle of Ypres in 1915.

Nicol, of Highland Park, Mich., and two other survivors of the April 23 First World War battle met Saturday at the Top Hat Supper Club, as they have every year for decades.

"There's not too many of us left now," said Nicol. "They're going fast. I'm the only one left in his nineties."

Nicol left the British Army's 9th Battalion, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, after suffering a shrapnel wound to his scalp. After the war he immigrated from Mangavie, Scotland, to the U.S. where he worked as a toolmaker.

ALTHOUGH he has suffered a heart attack, Nicol still swims. "I try to get a few lengths in now and then. But I don't overdo it. Now I'm prudent. I wasn't 20 years ago, so I slowed down."

Only three of the old vets attended the commemoration Saturday. Five others still in Windsor couldn't make the luncheon, said organizer Angus W. MacMillan, 89.

"We're getting old. Some of us can't get out anymore. I have to keep scratching names off the list."

At another reunion, five of the seven remaining area veterans

from the 241st battalion celebrated their 68th year since leaving France during the First World War with a dinner Saturday at the Chicken Court restaurant.

"We really enjoy getting together. If there were only two of us we'd get together and sit on a stool somewhere and talk about it," said 86-year-old William Sales, the youngest of the veterans.

The 241st was made up of about 600 recruits from the Windsor-Detroit area and left for France on April 23, 1917 to replace those killed at Vimy Ridge. They returned to Windsor in July, 1919, said Sales, who has lived in Windsor since he returned after joining the army in 1916 when living in Tilbury.

The other veterans, George Carroll, 86, Charlie Smith, 92, George Sommerton, 94, and Roy Smith, 89, joined with Sales in renewing their friendship.

"There were five of us in a small town in Belgium and we thought there was no one in the village. I was sent back to get the company," said Sales. "When I returned the five were dead, riddled with machine-gun fire. The next day the war was over. That's how close I came to death. I was lucky."

A former Canada Customs worker, Sales retired in 1964 after 34 years and now works as a registrar for his brother's hair-styling school.

Ethel Sales (2)
She was president of Roseland W. I six years, and secretary for another six years. She organized the Oldcastle W. I in 1950 and the Puce W. I in 1951 while Essex North West president. While organizing Oldcastle her first grandchild Elizabeth Williams was born Oct. 3, 1950. She was District President 2 yrs. and from 1952-53 she helped Dr. Neil Morrison collect material for his history book "Garden Gateway to Canada". Mrs. Sales was made a life member of W. I. in 1951. In 1962 the District of North Essex (in Roseland Branch) presented her with a district membership bar.

APRIL 22, 1985

SALES

Anniversaries



CELEBRATE 60TH — Mr. and Mrs. William R. Sales, RR 1, Windsor, celebrated their diamond anniversary at home with their family Aug. 19. The couple were married 60 years ago at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Windsor. They have one daughter, five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

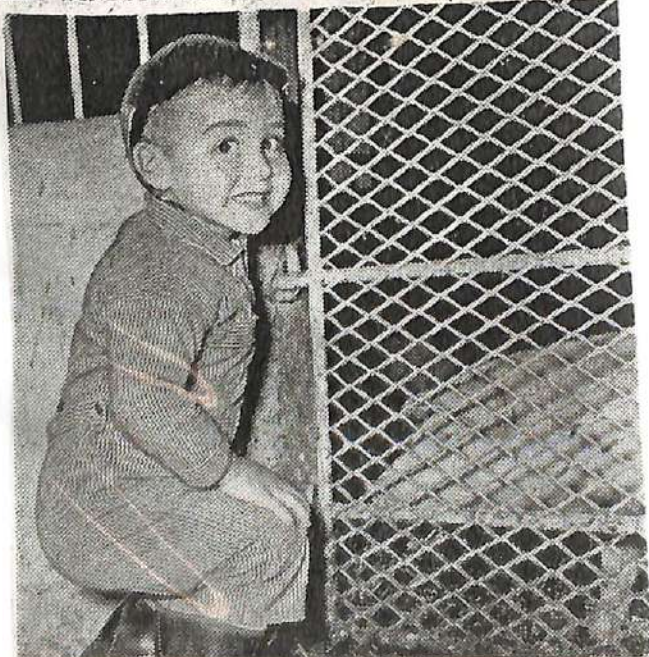
CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all my wonderful family, relatives and friends for their flowers, gifts, cards and visits while I was a patient at IODE Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Child, and Rev. T. Koning for his visits and prayers. God Bless You All.
Mary Santo

OCT. 30. 1981

SANTO — Santa came early to Nicole & Chad this year! Bringing them a new baby sister, Natalie Anne, born December 17, 1986, weighing 6 lbs. 9 ozs. Proud parents are David & Judy (nee McCarthy). Proud grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Steve Santo, Jr. and Mr. & Mrs. Ed McCarthy. Proud great-grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Steve Santo, Sr., Mrs. A. Chapo and Mrs. J. McCarthy.

THE WINDSOR STAR, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1961



LIVING IN COMFORT—That old political saying: "You never had it so good," is true for the hogs on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Merz, Sandwich South Twp. Electrical heated concrete floors is the main reason for subdued grunts of contentment. A nephew, pictured is 3-year-old David Santo a regular visitor.

To Celebrate 65th
Wedding Anniversary

Sixty-five years ago on March 24, 1923 in a small village in Hungary called Tolnanemedi on an especially warm day in early spring a young couple were walking and being serenaded by musicians, by family and friends to their wedding. Maria Andrassi and Steve Santo were married there and have continued on that walk of love and harmony all their lives.

Congratulations and Best Wishes are extended to both of them from their children and families.

MARCH. 8. 1988

Happy 62nd Anniversary

MR. & MRS. STEVE SANTO SR.
of Maidstone

MARCH. 22. 1985

We welcome Bishop Percy O'Driscoll to Saint Stephen's Church for the Easter Vigil Service on Easter Eve, April 2, at 7 p.m.

Our special wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo on their 65th Wedding Anniversary on Thursday, March 24.

We send our special thanks to Harriet Kearns for typing the bulletin stencil each week for the past thirteen and a half months. Thank you Harriet.

MARCH. 25 1988

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo of R.R. 1 Maidstone who will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday March 25th with an open house for relatives and friends from 2 until 6 p.m. at their home.

Mar. 23-73

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo who celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary on March 24th. After the 9:30 a.m. service at the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday Rev. John Swain went back to the altar and said a prayer for them.

MARCH. 30. 1984

Mr. and Mrs. Santo were wed in Tolnanemedi, Hungary in 1923 and have resided in Sandwich South for 47 years. They have two children and six grandchildren. They request no gifts.

Voice of the Essex Farmer, Tuesday, Mar. 10, 1987, Page 37



TRY BUYING IN BULK -- David and Gerry Santo offer a new service. Smaller farmers who want the lower cost of bulk buying can join San-Agri Services and still keep their business to themselves. Five different distributors have been signed up. Products available include chemicals, fertilizers, automotive parts, sales and service, cars and trucks, fuel and seeds. The Santo brothers operate a farm west of Essex on County Road 8 with their father Steve Santo Jr. and also sell seed corn. They hope the service can provide average savings of three to five per cent.

SANTO—David and Judy (nee McCarthy) thank God for the safe arrival of their first son, Chad David, a brother for Nicole, born at Grace Hospital Feb. 22nd, 1985 weighing 5lbs. 4 1/2 oz. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCarthy.

SANTO -- David and Judy (nee McCarthy) are pleased to announce the safe arrival of their lovely daughter Nicole Lynn on November 20th, 1982. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ed McCarthy.

We recently learned with sincere regret of the death of Joseph Santo, age 74, dear brother of Steve Santo Sr. in a London hospital on Nov. 29 following a stroke. He is also survived by a son Joseph, two daughters and several grandchildren. To all of whom we extend our deepest sympathy. Deceased lived on th Holden Road several years ago and was well liked and respected by his former neighbors and local friends.

PAQUETTE

Enjoying a delicious dinner and enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vito Stegnorille on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mergl and family and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. and family.

NOV. 22. 1974

Sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr. and family in the death of her beloved mother, Maria Andrassy, on Sunday, July 16th at Windsor Western Hospital Centre I.O.D.E. Unit at the age of 91. Funeral services were held in the Memorial Chapel of the Don Morris Funeral Home on Tuesday with Rev. Tony Koning officiating. Interment was in Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

JULY 28. 1978

Diamond Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr., married in the Village of Tolnanemedi, Hungary, on March 24, 1923. They have resided in Sandwich South using the same address for 57 years. Surrounding them on their 60th anniversary will be their son and daughter, 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

MARCH 25. 1983

Schembri-Santo Wed . .



Array of summer floral arrangements at St. Stephen's Anglican of Oldcastle was the scene of a beautiful wedding on June 5th, when Susan Margaret Santo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr., of Maidstone and Joseph Andrew Schembri, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Schembri, of Luga Malta were married. Rev. T. Koning officiated the double ring ceremony.

The bride presented to the groom by her father wore a lovely gown of bridal silk and chantilly lace, a-line skirt with a built in train bordered with a deep ruffle, a scallop edging of lace enhanced the high neckline and waist embedded with tiny seed pearls. She wore a long Mantilla veil with matching lace trim and hand sewn pearls. The bride carried a bouquet of roses, stephanotis and baby's breath.

The maid of honour Bettyann Proctier and bridesmaids Mary Ann Chapo, Cathy Chapo, cousins of the bride and

Kathie Thomas, all wore pink knit gowns with chiffon capes and white picture hats. They carried baskets of pink roses and daisies. Lisa Justis was flower girl, who also wore pink and white.

David Santo, brother of the bride was bestman. The ushers were Gerry Santo, brother of the bride, Joe Busutill and Andrew Mergl was ring bearer, cousin of the bride.

The bride's mother chose a floor length gown of Nile green sheer crepe with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Attending was the bride's paternal grandmother Mrs. A. Chapo and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo. Debbie Bondy was soloist accompanied by Jeanne Huczel at the organ.

A reception at TBQ's Other Place followed.

Upon their return from a honeymoon to Rome and Malta the happy couple will reside in Brantford.

CARD OF THANKS

I want my deep feelings of gratitude to extend to each of you who remembered me in any way during my recent illness. Your cheery cards, gifts, prayers and visits, helped my long days to pass. Many thanks to all the nursing staff at IODE who so gently cared for me and to Doctors Bhatt, Wong and Winistock for giving me a longer lease on life. To Rev. Tony Koning for his uplifting visits.

-Sincerely,
Steve Santo Sr.

Dec. 16. 1977

PAQUETTE

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr. who celebrated their diamond wedding anniversary March 24th. Married in the village of Tolnanemedi, Hungary on March 24th, 1923 they have resided in Sandwich South for the past 57 years. They have one son Steve Jr., one daughter Eleanor (Mrs. Henry Mergl) 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.



Eleanor Santo
Maidstone

JUNE 11. 1959



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JUNE 25. 1976

MARCH 20. 1987

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr., on the birth of a son, David, November 4th, at Metropolitan Hospital, Windsor, a brother for Susan and Jerry.

NOV. 14. 1958

Congratulations to Gerald S. Santo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr., who has been named to the President's Roll of Scholars for 1971 for the University of Windsor. He is a graduate of Essex District High School.

FEB. 4. 1972

Acknowledgements

SANTO—To all of the dear people who helped make our 50th wedding anniversary such a pleasure, we extend our sincere thank you. We accept with love all of the gifts, flowers, cards and telegrams sent to us by our children, relatives, friends and neighbors. The radio salutations, wires from Mr. and Mrs. F. Burr, M.P.P., Governor and Mrs. Mitchener, Mr. William Davies, Premier of Ontario and Mr. Eugene Whelan, Minister of Agriculture will be long remembered. To all our dinner guests and open house visitors. We were so happy to spend our special day with all of you. Sincerely Mr. and Mrs. S. Santo Sr., of Maidstone.

Mrs. Maria Andrassy Passes

Maria Andrassy, 91, July 16, 1978 at Windsor Western Hospital Center, I.O.D.E. Unit. Predeceased by her husband Julius (1970). Dear mother of Mrs. Steve Santo (Mary), Maidstone; Mrs. Lydia Izsak, Windsor; Mrs. Benny Czaplá (Margaret), Leamington, 11 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren, 4 great great grandchildren. Funeral was held Tuesday with Rev. T. Koning officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

JULY 21. 1978

PAQUETTE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Andrassy of Windsor parents of Mrs. Steve Santo Sr., who celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on Saturday, August 3rd at a family dinner at their home with their three daughters and their families. It was a double celebration really for Mr. Andrassy's 86th birthday will be August 20th. The Andrassys were married in Hungary and have lived in Windsor for 45 years. They live by themselves, do all their own work and even keep up their own garden. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. and their children Susan, Gerry and David, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mergl and family were guests at the anniversary dinner.

AUG. 9. 1968

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo were married on January 14th at St. Stephen's Church by Rev. Gordon Dickin officiating.

JAN. 20. 1950

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr. and grandchildren, Susan and Gerald Santo have returned by air from an enjoyable five weeks vacation in Hungary,

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo who celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary on March 24th. After the 9:30 a.m. service at the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday Rev. John Swain went back to the altar and said a prayer for them.

MARCH 3. 1984

Congratulations to David Santo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. on his graduation from the Ridgeway College of Agriculture and Technology having successfully completed the College's two year program in Agricultural Production and Management. David will receive his agricultural diploma at graduation exercises on Friday, May 19th.

MAY 12. 1978

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Steve Santo Sr., on the occasion of her 80th birthday. Many more years of health and happiness from her family and friends.

SEPT. 13. 1985

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. are happy to announce the engagement of their son, Gerald to Sharon Kolodzy of Windsor and of their daughter Susan to Mr. Joe Schembri of Malta.

APRIL 11. 1975

We are happy to report that Steve Santo Sr. who has been a seriously ill patient in I.O.D.E. Hospital is now making daily progress towards recovery. We all send him our best wishes and prayers for his speedy recovery. He would appreciate a card or letter from his many friends.

JULY 20. 1973

SCHEMBRI - Joseph and Susan (nee Santo) are happy to announce the arrival of a son, Matthew Joseph, 9lbs. 8 1/2 ozs. on Aug. 15, 1977 at Brantford General Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Schembri. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr. and Mrs. Anna Chapo.

SEPT. 2. 1977



GOLDEN WEDDING — Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo of RR 1, Maidstone, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, March 25, with an open house for relatives and friends from 2 until 6 p.m. at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Santo were wed in Toinanemedi, Hungary, in 1923, and have resided in Sandwich South for 47 years. They have two children and six grandchildren. They request no gifts.

MARCH 16. 1973

SCHEMBRI — Joseph and Susan (nee Santo) proudly announce the arrival of Matthew Joseph, 9 lbs. 9 ozs., at Brantford General Hospital on August 15, 1977. Delighted first time grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr., and great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo, Sr. of Maidstone. Mrs. Anna Chapo. Also Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Schembri of the Island Of Malta.

Congratulations to Eleanor Santo who was graduated on Saturday from the Training School of Nursing of Metropolitan Hospital. Eleanor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo honoured her with a reception following the exercises.

JUNE 19. 1959

Miss Eleanor Santo was honored recently at a graduation party for the Class of '56 of Essex District High School at her home. The party was given by her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Jr. Miss Santo is now in nurses' training at Metropolitan General Hospital, Windsor.

SEPT. 21. 1956

Wed 25 Years Ago



Eleanor H. Santo to Henry E. Mergl of Langton, Ontario, on August 16, 1957 at Huntsville, Ontario

AUG. 20. 1982

SAYLOR

2.2.8.
Mar. 23, 1984
Happy 61st
Wedding Anniversary
To
Mr & Mrs. Steve Santo
Sr.

Steve Santo Sr. has returned from a vacation and visit in Central Europe just in time not to be involved in conflicts over there.

NOV. 2. 1956

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Santo Sr. returned home last Wednesday after spending the past two and a half months in Hungary.

NOV. 2. 1956

Congratulations and many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Steve Santos Sr. on the event of her 82 birthday, with much love and affection from her family and Redeemer congregation.

SEPT. 11. 1957

We are happy to report Mr. Steve Santo Jr. is recovering at his home, from his stay in hospital. We send our prayers and best wishes for his complete return to good health.

MARCH. 14. 1986



COUPLE CELEBRATES—Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of R.R. 3, Maidstone will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 10 with an open house at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Lemire, 2558 Chandler Rd. The couple will receive guests from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Saylor were married in Welland Sept. 6, 1922 and have lived in this area since that time. They have one daughter and three grandchildren.

SEPT. 8. 1972

On Sunday, October 14th, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor, accompanied by Mrs. Sarah Lord, Mrs. Saylor's mother, who is 83 years old, motored to Brownsville, near Ingersoll, to attend the centennial services of the Brownsville United Church. Mr. and Mrs. Lord settled in that district in 1904, where Nellie (Mrs. Saylor) first started school and until going to high school, when the family moved to Welland. Mrs. Lord, as the oldest lady and former member, was present at the afternoon service and was presented with a basket containing 2 dozen red roses and 2 dozen white mums, with a streamer of white net ribbon with gold letters spelling "One Hundred." The choir leader, James Gay, a personal friend, had just completed 30 years as choir leader. The organist since 1937, Mrs. Ormiston Smith, Nellie went to school with. The Rt. Rev. George Dorey, B.A., B.D., L.L.B., was guest preacher for all the services. Mrs. Lord and Nellie met many, many old friends and schoolmates, whom Nellie had not seen since, and meeting old school friends from London, Guelph, Hamilton and numerous other localities. They report a marvellous time, which could only happen once in a hundred years.

OCT. 26. 1956

Congratulations to Gordon Saylor of Robinson sub-division who was 80 years old on the 21st of July. There was a family dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Lemire of Windsor, Eunice is the Saylor's daughter and the Lemire's celebrated their 28th wedding anniversary on the same day as Mr. Saylor's birthday. Many more happy years!!

JULY. 23. 1976

Gordon Saylor of Ray Road is celebrating his 81st birthday on Thursday. His daughter Eunice, and husband Eddy Lemire of Windsor will join her father in their celebrating their 29th wedding anniversary on the same date.

Congratulations on this happy occasion. The Saylor's have been wonderful neighbors and citizens here for 55 years.

JULY. 22. 1977

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor on the occasion of their 52nd wedding anniversary on Friday, September 6th. (Nellie) Saylor being born in the ninth month, nineteenth day, year 1900, will have a birthday soon. She is a retired telephone operator, for both Sandwich South and Maidstone Townships and is well known. We wish for the Saylor's many more happy occasions.

SAYLOR—Nellie, 86 years, February 11, 1987 at the Richmond Nursing Home, Amherstburg, late of Sandwich South Twp. Beloved wife of the late Gordon (Jan. 1987). Dear mother of Mrs. Eddy Lemire (Eunice), Windsor. Dear grandmother of Brian and Nancy; Bruce and Cathy and Shelley Beattie. Dear great-grandmother of Scott, Jason, Danielle, David, Brandon and Cara. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Rev. Phillip Marzec officiating. Interment Fairbairn Cemetery.

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WOMEN'S NEWS

Golden Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of R.3 Maidstone are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on September 10th with open house at the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Lemire, 2558 Chandler Road, Windsor, from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

The couple were married in Welland, September 6th 1922. They have resided in Windsor and vicinity since that time. Mrs. Saylor was a former switchboard operator at both Sandwich South and Pleasant Park telephone exchanges.

SAYLOR - Gordon A. 90 years, Jan. 18th, 1987 at the Richmond Nursing Home, Amherstburg. Late of Sandwich S. Township. Beloved husband of Nellie (Lord). Dear father of Mrs. Eddy Lemire (Eunice), Windsor. Dear grandfather of Brian Lemire, Bruce Lemire and wife Cathy and Shelley Beattie. Dear great grandfather of Scott Beattie, David, Brandon, Jason and Danielle Lemire. Dear brother of Mrs. Myrtle Smith, Toronto, Mrs. Cora Sider, Wellandport. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral Service Wed. at 1 p.m. Rev. Philip Marzec officiating. Interment Fairbairn Cemetery. VISITATION AFTER 2 P.M. TUES.

Nellie Saylor Passes

Nellie Saylor, 86 years, passed away February 11, 1987 at the Richmond Nursing Home, Amherstburg, late of Sandwich South Twp.

Beloved wife of the late Gordon (Jan. 1987). Dear mother of Mrs. Eddy Lemire (Eunice), Windsor. Dear grandmother of Brian and Nancy; Bruce and Cathy and Shelley Beattie. Dear great grandmother of Scott, Jason, Danielle, David, Brandon and Cara.

Funeral services were in charge of the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex. Rev. Phillip Marzec officiated. Interment Fairbairn Cemetery.

FEB. 20. 1987

DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of Maidstone will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 12. An open house will be held from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lemire, 2558 Chandler Rd., Windsor. Married Sept. 6, 1922 in Welland, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Saylor have one daughter, three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. They request no gifts please.

SEPT. 10. 1982



Gordon Saylor, 79, tries his luck

SENIOR'S week JUNE.26.1976

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor and Mrs. Sarah Lord, who is 84 years old, motored to Lansing, Mich., on Sunday to help Mrs. Sarah Engle celebrate her 93rd birthday. Mrs. Engle is Mr. Saylor's aunt and despite her age has good hearing and eyesight but this year was bed-ridden for her birthday.

NOV.8.1957

1 Acknowledgements

SAYLOR - I wish to thank friends, neighbors and family for cards, flowers, plants, and calls and other gifts while in Metropolitan Hospital. A very special thanks to Dr. M. Daniel and Dr. J. Purvis, nurses in Intensive Care Heart Unit and north ward, 2nd floor convalescent ward. Thanks again, Gordon Saylor.

JUNE.18.1976

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of R. No. 3 Robinson Sub-Division will celebrate their 53rd wedding anniversary on Sat, the 6th with dinner with their daughter Eunice and hubby Eddie Le Mire and their three grandchildren in Windsor. Nellie was telephone operator for Sandwich South and Maidstone Municipal Telephone systems and her friends wish them many more years of happiness.

SEPT. 5.1975

Mrs. Gordon Saylor (Nellie) will celebrate her 80th birthday on Friday, September 19th. She will be remembered as a telephone operator at both Maidstone and Pleasant Park. We wish you many more Happy Birthdays Nellie.

SEPT. 19.1980

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of the Robinson subdivision, Con. 8, will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sept. 18. Mrs. Saylor is well known and highly respected as she was our telephone operator until we went Bell and then she was an operator for Pleasant Park. Mr. Saylor is retired. Mrs. Saylor's Birthday is 19/9/1900.

SEPT. 1. 1972

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Gordon Saylor of Ray Road is still in Metropolitan Hospital, but is improving nicely and is out of intensive care.

NOV.19.1976

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor and mother, Mrs. Lord, of Windsor, motored to Bright's Grove, near Sarnia, on Sunday, to visit Mrs. Lord's niece, Mrs. Neil Gillis.

APRIL.9.1954

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor and Mrs. Sarah Lord, of Joy Road, 8th concession, motored to Lansing, Mich., on Sunday, to attend the ninetieth birthday of Mr. Saylor's only living relative, his paternal Aunt Sarah, Mrs. Engle. There was open house and over 100 called to offer hearty felicitations. Among the many gifts was a personal portrait of President Dwight Eisenhower, autographed. Mrs. Engle's father and the president's father owned farms across from one another in Abol, Kansas, years ago, and so were fast friends over the ensuing years.

NOV.12.1954

LEMIRE--Brian, Cindy and son David thank God for His precious gift of a healthy baby boy, upon a long awaited and safe arrival. Brandon Edward, weighed in at 7 lbs. 11 ozs., Aug. 22, 1980 at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud grandparents are Edward and Eunice Lemire and John and Ethel Kay. 3rd great-grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor.

Mrs. Saylor, our day telephone operator, has returned from her two weeks' vacation and we again hear her cheery "Number please."

JUNE.8.1956

Mrs. Gordon Saylor motored to Niagara Falls last week accompanied by her mother to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lord's sister. They will remain there a few days to visit with relatives. Mrs. Trimble, of Essex, the relief telephone operator, is working for Mrs. Saylor for two weeks.

MAY.27.1955

Congratulations to our day telephone operator, Mrs. Gordon Saylor and her husband on becoming grandparents for the first time when their daughter Eunice, her husband, Eddie Lemire, presented them with a grandson, Brian Wayne, at Metropolitan Hospital, Monday morning, April 25th. Mother and son are doing well now.

APRIL.29.1955

Mrs. Gordon Saylor, our day telephone operator, and husband, of Ray Road, Sandwich South, will hold open house, on Sunday, July 10th, at their home, from 2 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m., to honour Mrs. Saylor's mother, Mrs. Lord, on the occasion of her 82nd birthday. Congratulations, Mrs. Lord, and many more happy days.

JULY.8.1955

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor and Mrs. Sarah Lord spent their vacation at Turkey Pointe, near Simcoe, Ont. Mr. Saylor is now under the doctor's care with severe burns to the legs.

AUG.2.1957

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor of Maidstone, attended the graduation ceremonies of their two nieces, Karen Marr of Stephenville and Kristine Sider of Wellandport, from Niagara Christian College, last week. Also while there, they attended the opening ceremonies of Ridgeway Battlefield Hospital Museum commemorating the Fenian Raids of 1812.

Mr. Gordon Saylor will celebrate his 79th Birthday on July 21st and will be joined by his daughter and husband who will be celebrating their 26th wedding anniversary the same day. Congratulations.

JULY.18.1975

LEMIRE--Bruce and Cathy (Nee Nicodemo) are proud to announce the safe arrival of their first child, a son, Jason Andrew, weighing 8lbs. 5oz. on March 17th, 1983 at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Eunice & Edward Lemire and Marion and Ron Nicodemo. Great-grandparents are Nellie & Gordon Saylor.

MAIDSTONE

Nellie and Gordon Saylor of Roy Road, Maidstone, celebrated their 55th Wedding anniversary on Sept. 6th.

SEPT.9.1977

Sept. 24 - 1965 - Mr & Mrs. Gordon Saylor attended the first family reunion of the Climenate Family on Mr. Saylor's maternal side dating back to 1826 held at the Niagara Christian College, Niagara Falls, Ont. Sept 24 as of this time there are 818 descendants, seven generations represented with 300 in attendance.

Mrs. Sarah A. Lord, of Windsor, and Mrs. Saylor's (our day operator) mother celebrated her 81st birthday on Saturday at her home with a few relatives and friends in for cake and tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Saylor and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie LeMire spent Sunday with a cousin, Mrs. Neil Gillis, at Kenwick-on-the-Lake, 16 miles north of Sarnia.

JULY.16.1955

SAYLOR

Sandwich South Families

SAVILLE

Happy Birthday to Gordon Saylor of Maidstone who will be 82 on Friday, July 21st. We hope he continues to improve from his lengthy illness.

Sincere sympathy to the Hemen St. Louis and Everett Quinlan families.

Mrs. Gordon Saylor wishes to thank the United Neighbors of Sandwich South, Bethel United Church W. A. and all friends and neighbors for cards, flowers and other kindnesses during her accident, of a shoulder and elbow injury received in a fall.

Mrs. Gordon Saylor, our day telephone operator, wishes to thank all who sent her get-well cards and remembered her while she was off work for three weeks with whooping cough.

SAVILLE—Harold Arthur, 75 years, November 25, 1973, at Grace Hospital. Late residence 4018 Howard Avenue. Beloved husband of Flora, Dear father of Greg, Dorchester, Ontario; William, Rochester, Mich.; Hugh of Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Lorne (Phyllis) Cook, Joliet, Ill.; Mrs. John (Eileen) Malone, Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Jack (Jean) Orendorff, London, Ontario; Mrs. William (Betty) Burt, Troy, Ohio; Mrs. Gerry (Sheila) Lawlor, Rochester, Michigan; Mrs. William (Gail) Harper of Windsor; Miss Patricia Saville of Westland, Mich.; and Mrs. Waide (Margaret) Dixon, Sparks, Nevada. Forty-five grandchildren also survive. Brother of Frank Saville of Sillery, Quebec; Jack Saville of Quebec City; Mrs. Murray (Eileen) Bessy of Toronto. Friends may call at the James H. Sutton Funeral Home, 1567 Ouellette Avenue. Funeral service Wednesday, November 28 at 10 a.m. to Mount Carmel Church at 10:30. Interment Heavenly Rest Cemetery. Prayers, Monday and Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Time marches on and so did Henry Saville who marched along with the mail delivery for so many years and was a familiar scene here with his jeep delivery truck in these parts for so many years. Roseland and the surrounding territory was almost a rabbits' trail when he first started carrying the area postage.

Henry has decided the time has come to have a little time of his own and retire and do a little of his own stamping around. We here pass on the best of luck in retirement and that he and the little better half will enjoy happy times.

JULY 21. 1978

SEPT. 20. 1977

NOV. 23. 1956

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BIRTH

BEATTIE- Ron and Shelley (nee Lemire) are happy to announce the safe arrival of Ronald Scott III, 7 lbs. 10 ozs. on Aug. 27th, 1977 at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud

grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. Beattie Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Lemire. Great grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor motor-ed to Lansing, Mich., on Sunday to help celebrate the 91st birthday of Mr. Saylor's aunt, Mrs. Sarah Engle. Mrs. Engle is still enjoying life at this advanced age.

NOV. 11. 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor attended the double wedding, on Saturday, May 25th of Mr. Saylor's two nieces, Miss Donna Marion Saylor and Miss Kathleen Joan Saylor of Stevensville, Ontario. The impressive ceremony was preformed in the Chapel of the Niagara Christian College, on the Niagara Boulevard.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Sider and two children of Sherkston, Ont., were Tuesday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor enroute to vacation in Uplands, Calif., to visit with Mr. Saylor's nephew Harold Sider.

11 Thank You Cards

SAVILLE—The family of the late Harold Saville wish to express their sincere appreciation to all the friends, neighbours, and relatives for their many acts of kindness, floral tributes, mass offerings, sympathy cards, and contributions to the Heart Fund. Special thanks to Monsignor Charles Carrigan, Dr. Peter Milo, nurses and staff at Grace Hospital and James Sutton Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Saylor, accompanied by Mr. Saylor's sister, Mrs. Christian Sider, of Perry Station, Ont., spent the week end in Lansing, Mich. attending the wake and funeral on Saturday morning of their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Engle, aged 93 years. Mrs. Engle passed away Thursday, May 15th after a short illness.

Congratulations to Mrs. Sarah A. Lord, mother of Mrs. Gordon Saylor, on the occasion of her 84th Birthday on Wednesday, July 10th. Mrs. Lord is enjoying good health and can read and sew without glasses.

MAY. 1957

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Gordon Saylor in the sudden loss of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Lord, who passed last week.

JULY. 1957

MAY. 23. 1958



Miss Gwen Kenney, center, is seen above with some of her good friends admiring her new bracelet which she received at a luncheon given in her honour. Miss Kenney will be moving to Vancouver shortly. She has lived on Howard Avenue, Windsor, since her childhood. The area at that time, she commented,

was more peaceful with just a few homes, farms and apple orchards. Subdivisions now occupy the area. With Miss Kenney are her long-time neighbours Mrs. Violet Shuttleworth, left, and Mrs. Flora Saville, right.

NOV. 15. 1957



GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Saville of Howard Ave. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house Aug. 2 from 2 to 5 p.m., followed by a family dinner. A family mass will be held at Holy Redeemer College. Mr. and Mrs. Saville were married in Oshawa, July 26, 1920, and have resided in Windsor for 44 years. They have 11 children and 44 grandchildren. They request no gifts.

JUNE 20. 1974

If you were reading The Windsor Star between 1949 and 1960, you'll probably remember Flora Saville and her weekly columns on Garden Hints, plus other articles of interest to homemakers. Topics of discussion came easy to Mrs. Saville, mother of 11 children in a lively household.

She's a widow now and the family has grown to include 45 grandchildren and one great grandson. The family has scattered from Delaware to British Columbia with two daughters still in Windsor — Mrs. John Malone (Eileen) and Mrs. William Harper (Gail).

Flora is on the move all the time and this summer she visited in Nevada, Oshawa and Ohio and is planning a trip to Victoria, B. C. soon.

"When I'm at home," she says "I'm a central clearing house for family information and packages."

She sews and knits for the grandchildren and for the Red Cross, keeps up a copious correspondence and admits "sometimes I have terrible telephone bills."

How in the world did she find time to research and write her column with such a busy household? The answer is simple. "I needed a corner for myself." Her husband Harold encouraged her to have outside interests, so she worked in a library, took courses in hat-making, public speaking and first aid and then a correspondence course in creative writing.

"When I started submitting articles, at first I got a lot of blue-pencilled rejects, but I began to write better," she remembers. In 1946, she interviewed C. H. Smith at the department store, about a miniature monkeys' cabaret that was a feature of the annual Christmas toyland festival. The Toronto Evening Telegram bought the article and Flora never looked back.

When Windsor Star executive editor Harold Vaughan was looking for a local writer for a garden column, she was ready.

Since Essex County gardens come to life about two weeks

For the seniors

Flora a busybody

culture and soon was writing about everything from pruning and drying herbs to news of the latest seed catalogues and tips on houseplant care.

Her favorite flowers are the delicately-perfumed freezias and sweet peas which are difficult to grow in hot, dry Windsor summers. She recalls that her mother used to toss dish-water over the sweet peas in their garden. "They needed the water and the soapsuds killed aphids."

Mrs. Saville has windows facing north, which are best for foliage plants, the only ones that can survive in the



Flora waters her plants

Co-op quilt completed

by Barbara Ford

from several cities.

Relatives were sewing for her baby from Delaware on the east coast to Victoria B.C. on the west coast and points in between (seven from the U.S. and five from Canada). Pat's sister Eileen Malone bought the material, and after much discussion as to the theme of the proposed quilt, Mrs. Saville sent blocks to family members and said "do your own thing".

Eventually the completed blocks came back to Grandma and with Eileen's help, it was soon quilted and bound, making a single bed size (the original plan called for a crib size, but it just grew) with a pink background. Some blocks are in chain stitch, some embroidered and most are appliqued.

There are children's toy figures combined with symbols of the baby's Canadian and American relatives: Olympic symbols and bicentennial figures, both events of 1976. A calico cat was made by Bill Saville's four daughters.



Mrs. Flora Saville is proud of the quilt that she and members of her family created for a new grandchild.

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ters, a dove of peace by Eileen Malone, a gingham dog by Leah and Wilma Saville, Olympic figures by Mrs. Flora Saville, baby in cradle by Dawn Saville, Snoopy by Jean Orendorff, hobby horse by Betty Burt, Spirit of '76 by Phyllis Cook, Monarch butterfly by Gail Harper, Pooh Bear by Sheila and Lynn Lawlor, tulips by Margaret Dixon and Giraffe by Beverly Currie.

AUG. 4, 1976

By Nanci Lugsdin

Mrs. Flora Saville counts her blessings in big numbers . . . 11 children, 46 years of marriage and many, many interests.

Most of her interests "figure" in a large way, too . . . 20 years as librarian at the Roseland Library, 15 years writing a gardening column for The Windsor Star, and 40 years a member of the Catholic Women's League.

Mrs. Saville's husband, Howard, long ago was advised by doctors to give up his trade as a tinsmith, and so became a rural mail courier ("there's not as much money in it but it's healthy").

Most women would have considered raising a large family on a not-so-large salary quite a challenge in itself. But Mrs. Saville handled the challenge beautifully and still found time to develop her many interests.

"When the war came, the government told everybody how to economize. There were no suggestions of which I hadn't already thought!" As for her children's education, "We gave them lots of encouragement to stay in school. I used to say things like, 'If I can feed you for a year, the least you can do is pass.'"

The children began saving for their higher education while they were still at Roseland Public School, and worked their way as far as they wanted to go. "And when the older ones got going, they helped the younger ones or offered to if needed."

As a result, three of her eight daughters are nurses, one is a teaching Felician Sister, one is a journalist, and two of the three boys have university degrees. One son is a social worker, the other,

with an M.A. in education, holds an administrative position. Most of the eight daughters are now housewives and Mrs. Saville has 37 grandchildren.

Mrs. Saville said that she "had to do things to get away from the children. Every fall I'd think of something new to do. That's why I started to work at the library. At first it was just for a year, but I kept it up."

Mrs. Saville has taken numerous courses in the fields that interest her, such as horticulture, sewing, millinery, tailoring, home nursing, public speaking and even china painting!

It was just such a course that started her column in The Star.

The U.S. Newspaper Institute, from whom she was taking a journalism course by correspondence, advised students to write articles in a field that interested them. Mrs. Saville asked Harold Vaughan, then executive editor of The Star, if he wanted a gardening column. He did want a local column, since Windsor's gardens are ahead of the rest of Canada's.

"I started writing them once a month, then they got to be weekly," said Mrs. Saville, who only gave up writing the columns two years ago.

Her gardening columns also ran in papers in Ottawa, Belleville, Brampton and Elmira.

Church activities are also important to this blue-eyed grandmother.

She was until recently on the executive of the CWL at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, and says of the CWL, "I can't remember when I wasn't in it."

She also belongs to the Seminary Guild, which looks after vestments at Holy Redeemer College.

But, instead of sewing at the Red Cross with other CWL members, she goes to the headquarters once a month with a group of women from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. She started sewing with that group with a friend of hers. Her friend has now moved away but Mrs. Saville continues, for "I know the others and they're all good neighbors."

She also was a Brownie and Guide leader and still tests them for their hostess, writer, reporter and reader badges.

Mrs. Saville has lived in her Roseland home for 30 years,

and has seen the area change from a pastoral landscape of fields and woods to that of new homes and subdivisions.

However, it's still much like

country living, and Mrs. Saville keeps a birdbook near the kitchen in winter to identify the many "feathered friends" who use the feeding

stations in her garden. But, she admits that on birdwatching hikes she used to spend more time identifying wild flowers than birds.

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MRS. FLORA SAVILLE

... septuagenarian of many interests

JUNE. 10. 1966

ESSEX FARMER - ENQUIRING REPORTER -
IF YOU HAD TO DO IT ALL OVER AGAIN, WOULD YOU GO INTO FARMING?

ANDY SCHEERTZER, R.2
 Tecumseh - Yes, I would because I like the challenge, the freedom and working outdoors. Furthermore, I'm a believer in free enterprise and I believe the strong will survive no matter what. Oh, sure it takes a lot of hard work, but to me, it's worth the effort. Besides, there's no gain without pain.



SCHERTZER-Katharina, 70 years at Hotel Dieu Hospital on Thurs. Aug. 28, 1980. Beloved wife of Andrew Schertzer. Dear mother of Andrew, Tecumseh, Ont. and John, Sarnia. Dear sister of Maria (Mrs. Steve Hartig), Susanna (Mrs. John Dienesch) both of Windsor. Also survived by 5 grandchildren. Visiting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home 1969 Wyandotte St. E. until 12 noon Sat. Aug. 30 thence to Trinity Lutheran Church for service at 2 p.m. Pastor Erwin Lange officiating. Interment in Windsor Memorial Cemetery. Prayers Fri. evening at 8 p.m. Visiting after 7 p.m. Fri.

JUNE 29, 1980



The reserve grand champion hog in 4-H swine junior competition was owned by Diane Schertzer and sold to Weston's Abattoir. Neil Weston of Maidstone bid \$1.40 a pound for this one and \$2.70 for the champion owned by Shannon Webb.

SEPT. 9, 1983



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RICHARD SCHERTZER

Mr. & Mrs. Andreas Schertzer are proud to announce that their son, Richard Andrew, received his Master of Science Degree in Chemistry at the fall convocation of the University of Waterloo. Richard received his Bachelor of Science Degree, Honours Chemistry, from the University of Windsor. He is a graduate of Essex District High School. Richard is employed with Glidden Coatings and Resins, Toronto.

NOV. 16, 1985



PUT PORK ON YOUR FORK - Among those handing out free samples at the Food Fair were these representatives of the Essex County Pork Producers.

From left to right are George Vandenberg and his wife Ruth of Amherstburg and Andy Schertzer of Tecumseh. (Staff Photo By Micki McDougall)

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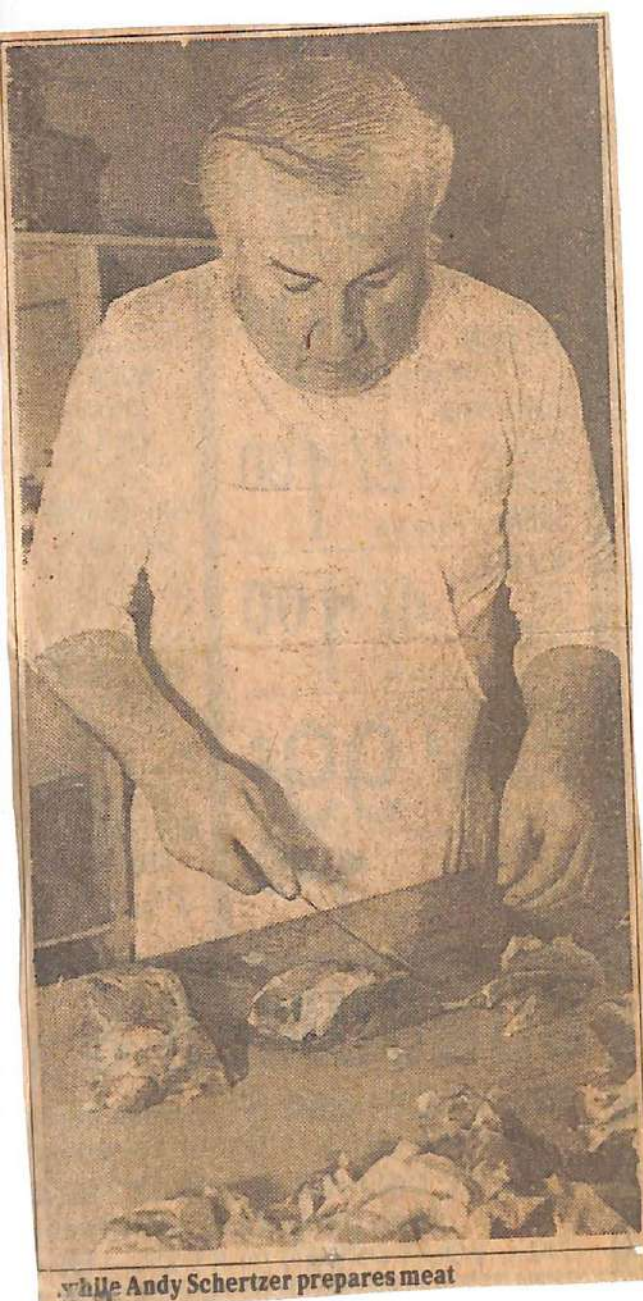
Champion Hog at 4-H Auction



Diane Schertzer's champion hog was bought at Harrow Fair 4-H auction for \$2.80 a pound by United Co-operatives

of Ontario. Eric Denotter of UCO made the purchase.

SCHERTZER



WHILE THE WEATHERMAN - Dealt a hand of cold weekend weather, directors of the Essex County Pork Producers' Marketing Board had their grills full keeping up to the demand for Bavarian burgers and sausage at the Harrow and Colchester South Harvest Festival. Pictured above left and right are Bill Bailey, Amherstburg and Andy Schertzer, Tecumseh.
(Staff Photo - J. Dwyer)

While Andy Schertzer prepares meat

WHO SAYS Canada lacks a gastronomic heritage? All of those cynics claiming Canadian food is simply an aberration of American and European cuisine are invited to attend the Alpha Kai Omega (AKO) Fraternity's Distinctively Canadian dinner scheduled for Feb. 18.

To accommodate the expected crowd of more than 1,000 self-indulgent diners, at \$20 a plate, the Fraternity has booked the elegant Ciociaro Club.

Feb. 8, 1984

And that's no bull!

Windsor police were forced to destroy a 635-kg (1,400-lb) bull Monday that had escaped from its owner's truck last week and continued to wander loose on the city's east side.

Police spokesman Staff Sgt. John Abbey said a complaint was received about 11 p.m. Monday that a bull was "creating a hazard to traffic" on Banwell Road just north of the E.C. Row Expressway.

The animal's owner, Andy Schertzen of Tecumseh, was then notified. After unsuccessful efforts at capture, he authorized its destruction, Abbey said.

The bull was felled by a member of the department's emergency response unit. Abbey said the officer felled the animal with a single bullet and then shot it a second time "to ensure it was incapacitated."

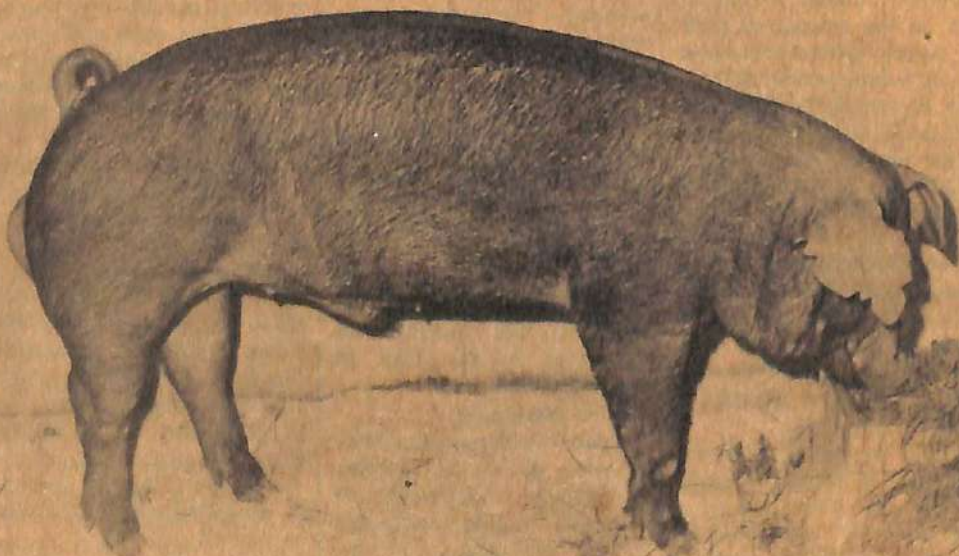
The bull and a steer had escaped from Schertzen's truck near E. C. Row and Jefferson Avenue Thursday, as they were being transported to a slaughterhouse. The steer was recaptured a short time later.

Oct. 29, 1985

Oct. 21, 1980

Top Indexing Duroc Boar . . .

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Highest Indexing Duroc Boar Selected for September Station Tested Boar Sale at Ontario Test Station. Breeder is Andy Schertzer, R.R. # 2, Tecumseh.

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GRAND CHAMPION WINNERS - Top winners shown with their buyers at the ham and loin auction are as follows, from left to right: Wayne Hooyer, of St. Clair Grain and Feeds, purchaser of the loin for \$22/lb.; Bill and Thea Verburg of Chatham, Grand Champion

Winners in the ham and loin competition; Charles Elliott, of Elliott Bros, purchaser of the winning ham for \$8/lb. and Andy Schwertzer of Tecumseh, whose top bid of \$41/lb. earned him five pounds of bacon.

(Staff Photo by Micki McDougall)



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Richard is employed with Glidden Coatings and Resins, Toronto.

Nov. 22. 1985



CHAMPIONS -- Winners of this year's ham and loin competition at the Southwestern Ontario Pork Conference in Ridgetown were Henry and Annette Hartemink of Elgin County -- the prize-winning ham, loin and bacon going on the traditional auction block.

From left, with the producers and their purchases, were, buyers Charlie Elliott of Elliott Bros. Grain and Feed, Dave Hartney of ShurGain Feed Division, Highgate; the Harteminks and Andy Schertzer of Tecumseh.

(Staff Photo - G. Hardy)

MARCH .11. 1986



BEAUTY IN LIVESTOCK BUILDING -- It was a shame that beautiful Liz Geroly, crowned Review Queen of the Ridgetown College of Agricultural Technology, March 5, had to keep herself in the Livestock Building instead of showing herself to the public during Review Day, March 10. Maybe the large crowds, which could be found in the building for most of the day, remained for the sole reason of seeing her. She appears here with President of the Essex County 4-H Club, Andy Schertzer.

(Essex Farmer Photo)

MARCH .15. 1977



Susan Brown showed the reserve champion hog, a 4-H animal auctioned at Harrow Fair. It was purchased by Andy Schertzer of Tecumseh for Quality Swine of Shedden for \$1.50 a pound. Volunteer auctioneers were Clarence and Tom Knapp of Comber.



Gord Kirkpatrick, of Gord's Abbatoir, purchased the champion hog at the Harrow Fair 4-H auction last week. He is shown with Diane Schertzer who raised the animal under 4-H regulations. It brought \$2 a pound.

Ten Years and 180 4-H'ers Later

DEC. 12, 1982



Andy Schertzer, leader of the 4-H Essex County Swine Club, was honored for the completion of 10 years.

If we are going to have livestock farmers in the future someone has to help them acquire an interest in caring for animals.

That conviction has made Andy Schertzer a pork producer near Tecumseh, a dedicated 4-H leader for ten years.

He was given an award recently by the ministry of agriculture.

Andy initiated the first 4-H swine club for the county and

since then more than 180 young people have learned to feed and care for pigs, prepare them for market and show them in the ring.

Since some members came back for more than one year, Andy's not certain how many young people in Essex County will make more efficient pig farmers. Two of them are his sons, Richard and Mike, who usually take the hog championship at Harrow Fair. His daughter Diane will soon be old enough to join 4-H and continue the record.

"The beginning of farming is learning to manage and look after animals. I was taught that and I like to teach others. It's almost a must if we want to keep youngsters on the farm, especially livestock farms," Andy affirmed.

Andy finds time managing his 120 sows to attend the provincial leaders' convention although it is not mandatory that he do so.

"You exchange ideas with other leaders; learn what other groups do. It's just a great exchange of ideas. I recommend it (attendance) to any leader."

His is a breeder operation, supplying commercial herds with purebred stock.

"I like the challenge of raising better breeding stock and I always look forward to seeing the progeny of a new mating."

Great enthusiasm to inspire all those 4-H'ers Andy guides along the way to more efficient production.

The Champion hog was exhibited by Martin Rahn, R. 2, Wheatley, and also sold to Gord's Abattoir, Leamington, for \$2.25/lb. The Reserve Champion hog was shown by Mike Schertzer, R. 2, Tecumseh, and sold to United Cooperatives of Ontario, Essex District, for \$1.75/lb. There were 14 hogs sold for an average price of \$1.21/lb.

Many thanks to our buyers of Gord's Abattoir, Weston's Abattoir; U.C.O., Essex District; Comber Sales Yards; Victoria Steel, Windsor; Wheatley Elevators; and many other individual buyers. Also, thanks to the services of Clarence and Tom Knapp, Auctioneers and 4-H leaders and members. 1982



STEEL RAILINGS FOR PENS -- Andy Schertzer, R.R. 2, Tecumseh will use steel railings for pens in the new testing barn he's built. A purebred hog breeder, Andy decided on an afterthought to install the windows in the barn. "We've taken the ground, the light away from the pigs," he said. "I believe it's a must to have daylight for animals." (Staff Photo -- P. Epp)



ALMOST FINISHED -- Andy Schertzer's new testing barn for purebred hogs is almost finished and the animals should be able to move in soon. The R.R. 2, Tecumseh hog breeder built the barn for reasons of modernization, rather than expansion. Andy doesn't want his hogs crowded so the new barn is bigger than the one it replaced. "By not crowding them I think I can grow a better pig," he said.

(Staff Photo - P. Epp)



ENCLOSED LOADING RAMP -- One of the innovative ideas Ted Ure had for his new hog finishing barn was an enclosed loading ramp (as seen in foreground). Ted said the ramp would be more efficient than the conventional open one. Air vents for the eight-foot-deep manure pit can be seen at the side of the barn. (Staff Photo -- P. Epp)

Fugitive cows spur road rodeo

Call it a bovine version of The Great Escape. Two steers, soon to become hamburger, broke out of their pen and ran amok on a service road of the E.C. Row Expressway Thursday night.

The 590-kg (1,300-pound) steers led police and farmer Andy Schertzer on a merry chase along the south service road of the expressway between Lauzon Parkway and Jefferson Avenue.

Schertzer and some friends, riding in a truck, lassoed one of the beasts about 8 p.m., but not before the brute put some nasty dents in a Ford pick-up. The other steer escaped into nearby fields and bush area when Schertzer called off the chase because of darkness about 9:30 p.m.

"If I had known this I would have slaughtered them sooner," said a frustrated Schertzer after calling off the hunt for the night.

The chase started about 2:30 p.m. when the steers "got spooked and jumped the fence" at Schertzer's Sunnybitch Farm on Lauzon Road. He said the animals wandered through nearby fields most of the afternoon but started to head toward Windsor along the service road later in the evening.

That's when the police were called in. Schertzer said "at least" five police cruisers converged on the area, blocking off traffic and forming a kind of corral on the service road.

One steer was roped, tranquilized and put aboard a trailer back to the farm where his days on the hoof are numbered. The other fled into fields south of the expressway, where men on all-terrain vehicles hunted until after 9 p.m.

Schertzer said the steers, both about 18 months old, were due to be slaughtered "any time" and laughed when it was suggested that they'd gained a reprieve.

Oct. 10, 1969 - Mrs. Mary Katherine Schwertner, wife of Robert. The family farmed all their lives. Married, 66 yrs. Lived on Hwy 3 near Maidstone, since coming to Canada from Ohio in 1920. She was born July 26, 1880 in Ohio. One daughter Bertha survives besides her husband who was in Riverview Hospital. 6 grand children, 15 great grandchildren. 3 daughters pre-deceased her. Funeral from

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Bertha Trautman of Dearborn, Mich. in the death of her father, Robert Joseph Schwertner, age 90 years of Hwy. 3, who passed away on Tuesday, March 2nd, after a long illness at Riverview Hospital. He came to Canada over 50 years ago, from Ohio, and bought the 100 acre farm of the late Hugh Lennon, where he had resided with his wife, the former Mary Rayman, who died in 1969, until his last illness. The happy couple were bereaved of their other daughters, Veronica in Dec. 1947, Martha, Mrs. Leo Dorey in 1966 and Helen, Mrs. Discon in 1951. His six grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren mourn his passing. A man of jovial personality and a good farmer, deceased had made many friends since making his home here. Brother of Louis of Flint, Mich., and a sister, Mrs. Adeline Wannamacher of Ottoville, Ohio, who attended the funeral with neices and nephews. Funeral was held Saturday morning from Janisse Funeral Home, to St. Mary's Church at 11 a.m. with the pastor, the Rev. A. P. Marentette officiating. Burial beside his wife and daughter Veronica in St. Mary's Cemetery. The pallbearers were neighbours: Joseph Fortowsky, Robert Hergott, Charles Sim and Jackie Sim.

MARCH 12, 1971

Celebrate 60th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwertner, of Maidstone Cross, quietly celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary, on Sunday, June 23rd. Mr. and Mrs. Schwertner have two daughters, Mrs. Leo Dorey, of Windsor, and Mrs. Frank Trautman, of Dearborn; also two grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

JULY 5, 1963

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwertner on the happy occasion of their diamond anniversary. High Mass in thanksgiving was sung by their pastor, Rev. Fr. J. A. Mackesy, on Monday morning at St. Mary's Church. The many friends of the jubilant couple wish them many more years of joy and best wishes for continued health. Mrs. Schwertner was the former Mary Raymond, of Ottoville, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Schwertner have been residents here for 43 years, having come from Otter-

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ville, Ohio, when they bought the farm, they have since resided on, Highway 3, from the Jacob Simon Estate. They have two daughters, Bertha, Mrs. Trautman, of Dearborn and Martha, Mrs. Daree, of Windsor. They were bereaved in 1952 when their daughter Veronica passed away and in 1953 when another daughter, Helen, passed away. They are blessed with 8 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Their grandson, Bill Triench, who is with an American air crew in Texas called his grandparents to also offer his congratulations.

After seven months in the hospital, Robert Schwertner, of Hwy. 3, was brought home on Sunday, to visit his wife and family, returning to Riverview in the evening. His many friends wish for him, better health. He enjoyed an auto ride in the afternoon, and was delighted by the beautiful country-side and growing crops, flowers and blossoms. Bob is 84 years "young" and being a farmer all his life, is anxious to be home with his beloved wife after 62 years of happy bliss, to "watch" the crop grow.

MAY 21, 1965

MAIDSTONE CROSS

The community was saddened on hearing of the death of Mrs. Mary Katherine Schwertner, at 1631 Riverside Drive, East, Windsor on Friday evening. Deceased was born in Ohio on July 26th, 1880 and she and her husband Robert, and family moved to their farm on Hwy. 3, in 1920. When her husband was moved to Riverview Hospital, she went to live in a Nursing Home. They had a happy married life for 66 years and farmed all their lives, and were highly respected. Left to mourn her passing besides her husband is a daughter, Bertha, Mrs. Trautman of Dearborn, Mich., 6 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren; 2 sisters, Mrs. Theresa Hardin, Toledo and Mrs. Kathryn of California. 3 daughters predeceased. Miss Veronica (Dec. 1947), Mrs. Martha Dorey (Nov. 1965) and Mrs. Helen Dixon. Funeral was held from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home, Windsor to St. Mary's Church, on Monday at 11 a.m. Rev. Father A. P. Marentette officiated at the Mass and grave side service. Interment in Family Plot of St. Mary's Cemetery. Pall bearers were Stanley Deehan, Robert Hergott, Charles Sim and Joseph Fortowsky. R. I. P.

OCT. 10, 1963

Robert Trautman, son of Mrs. Bertha Trautman, of Detroit, and the late Louis Trautman and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwertner, was married on Saturday at Guardian Angel Church to Miss Monica Kopchick, of Detroit. Reception and breakfast followed at Perini's on Whit-tier. The happy young couple are honeymooning in Northern Michigan. Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Schwertner following the wedding were Marlene and Richard Dixon, of Dearborn; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tiece (Eleanor Trautman) and their four children, Cathy, Patricia, Edward and John, of Dallas, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wannan, of Ottonville, Ohio and their son Ludwin and his wife; Mr. and Mrs. Armond Schwertner, of Cleveland, Ohio. Attending the lovely wedding from here were Robert's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwertner, Mr. and Mrs. John McAuliffe and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dorey (Martha Schwertner) of Windsor. Congratulations Robert and bride from your friends ere.

JULY 8, 1966

Fire of undetermined origin was discovered in an attached building to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwert-

SCHWERTNER — Robert, 90 years, March 2, 1971, of No. 3 Hwy., Sandwich South. Mr. Schwertner was a farmer. Dear husband of the late Mary (nee Rayman, died 1969). Dear father of Mrs. Bertha Trautman, Dearborn, the late Veronica (died 1947), the late Mrs. Leo Dorey (Martha, died 1966), the late Helen Dixon (died 1951). Brother of Louis, Flint, Mrs. Adeline Wannamacher, Ottoville, Ohio. 6 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren survive. Funeral Saturday at 10 a.m. from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home, 1139 Ouellette Avenue, to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, at 11. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Prayers Friday, 8:30 p.m.

MARCH 1971

Mrs. Robert Schwertner was taken by ambulance early last week to Grace Hospital, for treatments. She is in a room across from her husband, who has been there several weeks. Their many friends hope they soon will be well enough to return to their home.

JAN. 1, 1965

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schwertner, on the occasion of their 61st wedding anniversary on June 24th. A committee of C. W. L. ladies called on them and presented

JUNE 1964

Mrs. Schwertner with a gold brooch C. W. L. pin.

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ner on No. 3 Highway at 1 p.m. Monday. A fire brigade quickly responded to the telephone fire alarm and with the aid of Anderson Township fire apparatus, confined the blaze to the three out buildings. The downstairs furniture was moved out and Mr. and Mrs. Schwertner moved in with the Plaucer's.

New trend in family medicine

Doctor lays down law to patients

By Brian Bannon
Star Medical Reporter

Windsor's Dr. Roger Scott has laid down the law to his patients:

- no more missed appointments;
- no more failing to follow the doctor's orders;
- no diagnoses or prescriptions over the telephone;
- no rudeness;
- and no running to specialists for routine problems.

He has told his patients if they abuse their doctor-patient relationship, he may choose to drop them from his practice.

Dr. Scott's rules, presented recently to most of his 2,500 patients in a letter, represent a trend in family medicine.

Only about three or four other doctors in Essex County have similar codes, but more are talking about it.

His letter says mutual trust is vital.

"It is hard to maintain high standards of practice in these difficult times with OHIP (the Ontario Health Insurance Plan), but I do not intend to let them deteriorate."

The rules provide "a proper relationship between myself and my patients," Dr. Scott said during an interview.

They include billing patients directly for missed appointments if there is no prior notice or a good excuse, and dropping a patient in some cases.

"In the past, a number of patients have failed to follow my treatment and missed appointments, ending up as emergency hospital admissions, inconveniencing other physicians and causing great expense to OHIP," his letter says.

Those patients may not like a certain medication or its side-effects, or they just aren't convinced the doctors' diagnosis is correct.

"In such circumstances I will not continue to be responsible for that patient's health. A doctor can decide which patients he chooses to treat, in the same way that a patient can choose his or her doctor."

"It's frustrating when you know you're providing good treatment, but the patient won't take it," Dr. Scott said.

Few patients have complained about the new rules, and, for Dr. Scott, the letter is "one of the best things I ever did. My practice is much more satisfying than it was six months ago."

His letter was written after discussions with fellow family doctors.

Patients don't seem to feel their family doctor can handle anything more complicated than a sore throat, he said. And so, they want referrals to specialists, such as pediatricians and gynecologists.



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"The time taken up in such visits means that either the other 99.9 per cent of my patients suffer, or I get no time with my family."

So, Dr. Scott has limited his work to Hotel Dieu, near his office at 1428 Ouellette Ave., to save time.

That rule was the direct result of a frustrating holiday Monday last August when Dr. Scott visited four different hospitals to see five patients. He said for those 3 1/2 hours of work, he was paid only \$25.

"That made me see the light," he said.

As for diagnosis by telephone, Dr. Scott flatly refuses to do it.

"It is difficult and dangerous to diagnose by telephone," he says.

"Please do not ask me to prescribe medications by telephone, or to repeat prescriptions without seeing you," his letter says.

"If I think you can have a certain number of repeats without seeing me, e.g. the 'pill', I will write this at the time the prescription is written."

"In fact, a family doctor is probably prepared and able to treat everything, unless he tells you otherwise," Dr. Scott said.

"I think if a family physician knows the family members well, he is in the best position to spot what's wrong when there's a problem."

A specialist seeing a patient who complains of back pain may believe it to be organic, while his family doctor, who knows him well, would have recognized the back pain as a psychosomatic symptom of depression, he said.

So, in his letter, Dr. Scott tells his patients he does "not believe in different family members going to different doctors for different complaints as a matter of routine...these specialists should be seen by referral only."

"I think a lot of specialists in Windsor — but not all — would also agree with that sentiment," he said in an interview. In Britain, where Dr. Scott was trained, every family doctor receives full training in both pediatrics and gynecology. In addition, he has studied dermatology and orthopedics.

British medical schools are ahead of those in Canada and the U.S. in placing more emphasis on family medicine.

The family doctor was in vogue at the turn of the century, but since then, North American medical schools have gradually changed their emphasis toward specialties, hospital practice and complex technology.

But about 10 years ago, the pendulum began to swing back toward family practice as the centre of the health system, with specialists used mostly as back-up.

Part of the reason for this was economics — specialists and hospitals are expensive.

But many experts believe the general health of the population is not being improved although billions of dollars are being spent on equipment and hospitals.

The old, reliable family doctor, who knows his patient inside and out, may provide the best care after all.

"Less than five per cent of complaints seen by me need referral to a specialist of any sort," Dr. Scott said.

In line with his close relationship with the family, Dr. Scott encourages his patients to feel free to ask his advice on marital problems and family planning.

"It is better to obtain advice at an early stage, than leave things until they are impossible to resolve, i.e. separation or divorce, or an unwanted pregnancy," his letter says.

Dr. Scott said one reason he drew up his rules for patients is so he can cope with OHIP.

"Only in exceptional circumstances will I treat or visit patients in hospitals other than Hotel Dieu Hospital," his letter says. "OHIP treats visits to patients in hospital by their family physician as a luxury for the patient, and pays the family physician accordingly, i.e. almost nothing."

MARCH 31, 1986

NEW OFFICE LOCATION
DR. ROGER SCOTT
announces the opening of an office for the practice of
Family Medicine at . . .
9833 Tecumseh Rd. E. (at Forest Glade Drive)
Windsor, Ontario N8R 1A5
FOR APPOINTMENT 735-1001

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at
SUITE 307, 1428 OUELLETTE AVE.
Telephone 255-1200

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William G. Seamer Dies

William George Seamer, aged 89 years, of R. R. 3, Maidstone, passed away, in Riverview Hospital, on Saturday.

Surviving are his widow, Ellen; a daughter, Mrs. Elsie Walt, of Detroit, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, on Tuesday, Rev. Herbert Wonfor officiating. Burial was in Victoria Memorial Park.

MARCH 31. 1972

Mrs. Ellen Seamer, age 92 yrs., passed away at Country Village Nursing Home, on March 9th. Deceased was bereaved of her husband, William G. Seamer, in 1972 when they lived in their home on Hwy. 3. Left to mourn her passing is her daughter, Mrs. Elsie Walt of Florida, formerly of Detroit and dear grandmother of John Rothman, Detroit and one great granddaughter. Funeral from S.L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, on Wednesday 1 p.m. Rev. H. Wonfor officiating at the service. Interment in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

MARCH 14. 1976

SEAMER—Ellen, 92 years, March 9, 1975 at the Country Village Nursing Home. Late of RR 3, Maidstone. Beloved wife of the late William G. Seamer (1972). Dear mother of Mrs. Elsie Walt, Florida, formerly of Detroit. Dear grandmother of John Rothman, Detroit. One great-granddaughter. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. North, Essex. Funeral service Wednesday at 1 p.m. Rev. H. Wonfor officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Park. Family will receive friends after 7 p.m. Tuesday.

SEAMER — William George, 89 years, March 25, 1972 at Riverview Hospital, late of R.R.3 Maidstone. Beloved husband of Ellen. Dear father of Mrs. Elsie Walt of Detroit, Mich. One granddaughter and one great grandson also survive. Funeral services were Tuesday at Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St., Essex.

SEAMER—William George, 89 years, March 25, 1972 at Riverview Hospital, late of RR 3, Maidstone. Beloved husband of Ellen. Dear father of Mrs. Elsie Walt of Detroit, Mich. One granddaughter and one great grandson also survive. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St., N., Essex. Funeral service Tuesday, March 28, at 11 a.m. Rev. Herbert Wonfor officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Park.

APRIL 14. 1972

Mrs. Alcide Chateauf, of Windsor; Mrs. Robert Sexton, and Miss Agnes Sexton, were joint hostesses at Mario's Restaurant, Windsor, with a miscellaneous shower, honouring Miss Mary Patricia Eccles, of London. Bunco was enjoyed, with prizes going to Clare McLean, Shirley Walker and Patsy Sexton, of Detroit. The tally prize went to Mrs. Alfred Byrne, of Woodslee. Pat received many lovely gifts and her marriage to Paul Edward Sexton will take place at St. Peter's Cathedral, London, on July 16th, at 11 a.m., E.D.S.T., with reception at 2.30, at Braemar Lodge.

JULY 1. 1959

MAIDSTONE CROSS

It is with deep regret that we report that Stanley Sexton suffered a tremendous loss when his barn burned Saturday afternoon, and both he and his brother Ralph lost their machinery, 800 bushels of oats and 13 of their milk cows. A man in a passing car notified Mrs. Sexton that the barn was burning and she had to be treated by a doctor for shock. The Sextons had attended the funeral of Mrs. Sexton's aunt, Mrs. Martha Lennon in the morning and everything was in order then. Neighbors arrived on the scene shortly after the fire alarm went out and got their truck out and five of the cows and five calves. Donald Flood, with his fire equipment, saved the double garage and milk cooling house. The wind, luckily, was blowing away from their home. The Anderdon fire department arrived but was too late to save the large barn.

APRIL 1955

Mrs. John E. Sexton, age 91

years and son Stanley were taken to Hotel Dieu shortly after 5 o'clock Tuesday morning from smoke inhalation, cold exposure, cuts, frost bitten hands and feet, when they were rescued by a Detroit motorist from their burning home. The home and all their belongings were lost by the fire. The Anderdon Fire Department saved a double garage and the barn. William Gillard, of the Village, arrived shortly after the Detroit motorist and turned in the farm alarm and went to the Highway Department garage for help. The whole community extend heart felt sorrow for Mrs. Sexton and Stan in the great loss of their lovely home and all their belongings, but, Thank God, their lives were spared.

JAN. 12. 1962

Thanks

Ralph and Stanley Sexton wish to thank passers by, neighbors, friends and all who responded so quickly to the fire alarm, so quickly put in by Mrs. Roy Hartley, our operator, in helping them in their severe loss on Saturday afternoon.

APRIL 22. 1959

Mrs. John E. Sexton will celebrate her 95th birthday on November 20th. Why not shower this wonderful person with birthday cards and good wishes. Mrs. Blake Estabrooke (Helen Sexton) and daughter Cathy, of Montreal, were here this week to visit her mother on her 70th wedding anniversary. Also, her sister, Mrs. Streib, of Cleveland is visiting with her and Stanley.

Walter McNeeley, who lives in the late Robert A. Halford home has moved a home on the lot he purchased from Earl Burstyn, formerly the Tom Cassidy property on No. 3 Highway, in the Ben Kerr subdivision.

NOV. 12. 1965

Vincent Brown was moved from Hotel Dieu last week to Tecumseh Nursing Home. His condition remains about the same.

Mrs. Thos. Andrejeskia (Marian Sexton) of Windsor is improving following major surgery in Met. Hosp. Miss Mary Hergott is improving at I.O.D.E. Hospital following major surgery last Friday. Her many friends are hoping for a complete recovery.

We are sorry to report that Frank A. Kane is in serious condition in Hotel Dieu.

JAN. 30. 1976

The riddle now has come to an end, Happy Birthday Paul E. Sexton, dear brother and friend. We love you dearly and miss you too. A happy birthday from your sisters, nephews and nieces. When we don't hear from you we fall to pieces. Hugs

and kisses are sent your way. We hope you have a very special day.

APRIL 27. 1984

Edward Sexton and daughters, Miss Agnes and Marion entertained on Sunday at a family dinner to honor Miss "Pat" Eccles of London and Kingston and Paul E. Sexton, who flew in from Fredericton, N.B., on Friday evening.

JULY 15. 1955

and for Paul Edward Sexton, son of Edward C. Sexton and the late Mrs. Sexton, and Mary Patricia Eccles, of London, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Eccles, of Kingston.

JULY 8. 1955

THANKS

We wish to thank the Anderdon fire department and Sandwich South telephone operator and all who helped at the fire and cleaning up after.—Ralph and Stanley Sexton.

APRIL 1955

Mrs. John E. Sexton, one of Sandwich South oldest Mother's had an enjoyable Mother's Day with her family all home for the day.

MAY 19. 1957

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Paul E. Sexton has opted for early retirement, effective September 1st, from Bank of Montreal. Paul completed forty-one years of service in July, the last five of which were as senior account manager, special account's management unit at the bank's headquarters in First Canadian Place, Toronto. He will continue to reside in Scarborough.

AUG. 26. 1988

Mrs. Mildred Chateauf (nee Sexton) retired September 1, 1988 from Champion Spark Plug after 17 1/2 years of service. Mildred will be spending her time between her home in Windsor and her recreation home in Bayfield, Ontario. She is also planning a trip to Homosassa Springs, Florida in October to visit her sister and brother-in-law, Marion and Paul Poisson.

SEPT. 16. 1982

St. Peter's, Cathedral, London, was the scene of a lovely double-ring ceremony wedding at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, when Paul Edward Sexton of Montreal, son of Edward C. Sexton and the late Mrs. Sexton, was united in marriage to Miss Mary Patricia Eccles, of London, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Eccles, of Kingston. Rev. Fr. O'Donnell, of West Lorne, officiated. The lovely blond bride, given in marriage by her father, was radiant in her floor-length white gown. The basque bodice of chantilly lace studded with rhinestones around the scalloped, off-the-shoulder neckline with illusion yoke. The bouffant skirt was nylon tulle over white taffeta. The bride wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom. Her veil of silk illusion was attached to a taffeta head piece. She carried a cascade bouquet of pink baby orchids and stepanotis. Her matron of honor, a girl friend, and the groom's sister, Miss Marion C. Sexton wore identical ballerina-length, light green crystalline gowns with green satin headpiece and satin-strap slippers and carried cascade bouquets of white carnations. The groom was assisted by William McPharlin, of Norfolk, Va., and Detroit, and the bride's brother, Douglas Eccles, of Kingston. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony and nuptial mass, at Braemar Lodge and the reception from 2 to 5 p.m. at the lodge followed. The happy young couple left, amid a shower of confetti and good wishes by plane to Cleveland, Ohio, for a honeymoon and will make their home in Montreal. Mr. Sexton is attached to the inspectors' staff of the Bank of Montreal. Some of those attending the wedding were the bride's parents and brother, from Kingston; the groom's father, Ed C. Sexton, and grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, and his brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Chateauf, of Windsor; Miss Agnes and Marion and Bernard Sexton, Stanley Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters, all of Maidstone; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sexton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Halford and daughter Miss Barbara, and fiancé Richard Villeneuve, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chittle, of Los Angeles, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Byrne, of West Lorne, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. D. Quinlan and Nancy, of Essex; Miss Shirley A. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. McLean, Miss Clare, Chris, Dan L. and Gerry McLean, of here, and Mr. and Mrs. John J. McLean, of East Detroit.

JULY 22. 1955

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Ilene (Sexton) Morneau and family in the sudden 'Crib' death of her 9 month old granddaughter, Christine, darling daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Morneau, of 1959 Ferndale, Windsor. Surviving besides the parents and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Murphy are 2 sisters, Mary Anne and Janet and 2 brothers Kelly and Daniel. Funeral was held on Friday from Marcotte Funeral Home to St. Vincent de Paul Church. Interment in Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

JUNE 6. 1975

SEXTON - In loving memory of a dear son and brother, Paul, who passed away one year ago today, Oct. 1, 1986. One whole year has passed us by. But many tears our hearts still cry. We won't forget your smiling face, Your tender heart or warm embrace. You left a space no one can fill, We miss you dearly and always will. No need for more, except to say, Still loved, still missed in every way. We love you Paul. -Dearly missed and remembered by your loving family.

SEXTON - In loving memory of Paul Thomas, who passed away Oct. 1, 1986, at the age of 17. You bid no one a last farewell, Or never said goodbye. You were gone before we knew it, And only God knows why. A million times we've needed you, A million times we've cried. If love alone could have saved you, You never would have died. In life we loved you dearly, In death we love you still. In our hearts you hold a place, No one can ever fill. It broke our hearts to lose you, But you didn't go alone, For part of us went with you, The day God took you home. -We miss you so, Barb, Gary, Steven and Sean.

OCT. 1987

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Sexton are the happy parents of an 8 lb., 10 oz. baby son, Douglas Wayne, born on Tuesday afternoon in a Montreal hospital. Mother and baby both well. Congratulations from all their relatives and friends here.

JUNE 15. 1956

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JULY 1. 1955

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. James Coakely and sons Jim Jr., Robert, Johnnie and Vincent, of South Amboy, N.J., left for home this Thursday after vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Halford and sons. On their way back they stopped at London to visit with Sister Agatha at Bonne Font.

JULY 15. 1955

Paul E. Sexton, of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, London, Ont., flew to Montreal on Sunday, to receive a promotion to be attached to the inspection staff and would be posted out of there on Tuesday. Paul will be married in London, at the Cathedral, on July 16th, to Mary Patricia Eccles. Congratulations, Paul.

MAY 13. 1955

George Sexton Passes.

George Sexton, well-known Sandwich South farmer, passed away in Hotel Dieu, Windsor, early this (Thursday) morning, after being stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage, on Tuesday.

Deceased was born in Sandwich South, on September 18th, 1897, a son of the late Simon Sexton and Margaret O'Neil. He farmed all his life, never married, and was the last of his immediate family, an only brother, Russell, having predeceased him.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete, but services are likely to be on Saturday morning.

FEB. 13. 1953

Card of Thanks—The family of the late Anne Elizabeth Sexton wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the relatives, friends and neighbours for the masses, floral tributes, expressions of sympathy, and the many acts of kindness during their recent bereavement in the loss of a loving mother. Special thanks to Rev. Fathers A. P. Maren-tette, J. F. Murphy, A. J. Weiler Doctor J. L. L. Anderson of the Essex Medical Group and staff at I. O. D. E. and Riverview Hospitals.

FEB. 6. 1970

Congratulations to Thomas Ondrejeska Jr., 16 year old son of Thomas and Marion (Sexton) Ondrejeska of 1441 Labodile, Windsor, who has returned home from 8 weeks with the Sea Cadets at Camp Borden, Ont. He was presented with a Plaque for the most outstanding Cadet in all Canada. Next year he is to be Gymnastic Instructor for the Sea Cadets at Camp Borden. Tommy is the grandson of Edward Sexton.

SEPT. 7. 1973

Mrs. Ethel (Cox) Streb of Grand Rapids, Mich., passed away on Sunday. She was the widow of the late Frank Streb (1956) and sister of the late Mrs. Annie Sexton and the late Mrs. Estell Kavanagh of here. Deceased was the last member of the William Cox and Mary Lennon family of Grosse Pointe Michigan. Funeral was held from the Peters Funeral Home, Mack Ave, Detroit to St. Paul's Church, Grosse Pointe on Wednesday morning. A daughter, Doris, died in 1965. Three sons survive. They are Dwyane, Timothy and Donald. R.I.P.

JAN. 26. 1973

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Birthday - Paul E.
Sexton on 28th

SEXTON—Stanley, 64 years, June 8, 1974, suddenly. Late of RR 3 Maidstone, Ontario. Dear brother of Edward, Windsor; Elmer and Warren, Detroit; Ralph, Maidstone; Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), Windsor; Mrs. Blake Estabrook (Helen), Montreal; and the late Florence Byrne (1972). Resting at the Marcotte Funeral Home, 870 Wyandotte Street. Funeral Tuesday at 9:45 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 10:30. Prayers Monday at 8:30 p.m. Interment Church Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Sexton, of Montreal, Quebec, flew in Thursday evening and left Tuesday a.m. after spending the Christmas season with Paul's father, Edward C. Sexton, and family, his grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, and many friends and relatives.

DEC. 30. 1955

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Blake Estabrook (nee Helen Sexton, R.N.), of London, on the arrival of their daughter, Catherine Jean, on August 31st. Mother and baby well. A sister for Garry and Jimmie.

SEPT. 10. 1954

Stanley and Ralph Sexton have started to build their new barn. The old one was destroyed by fire some time ago.

JULY 15. 1955

Mrs. John E. Sexton wishes to extend her sincere thanks and appreciation to her many friends, neighbors and relatives for the lovely, useful gifts, and special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fisher for presenting her with her lovely corsage and gift of a planter, to the Oldcastle Women's Institute for the beautiful comforter; to the Oldcastle Co-op and staff for the huge mirror; to the Maidstone Shamrocks for the chrome canister set and to the Sisters of St. Joseph for the grand crucifix. And to be assured of her heartfelt thanks to all.

MAY 11. 1962

Card of Thanks—Mrs. Sexton and Family wish to thank the St. Joseph Sisters of Maidstone, all their friends and neighbours for the beautiful reception and gifts given Mrs. Sexton on Sunday afternoon. To those who were unable to attend and sent gifts our heartfelt thanks to you, it will always be remembered.

MAY 11. 1962

Stanley Sexton passed away at Hotel Dieu at eleven o'clock on Saturday morning after a short illness. Deceased was born on the farm on Hwy. 3 (where he lived all his life) on Aug. 12th 1909, twin son of John Edward Sexton and Annie Cox (1970). He was a bachelor and farmer and a devoted son and brother. Survived by 4 brothers, Edward C., Windsor; Elmer and Warren of Detroit; Ralph (his twin) of Hwy. 3 and 2 sisters, Eileen, Mrs. John Morneau, of Windsor and Helen, Mrs. Blake Estabrooke, of Montreal and several nieces and nephews. A sister, Florence, Mrs. Alfred Byrne and a brother, Albert, predeceased him. Funeral was held from Marcotte Funeral Home, Windsor, to St. Mary's Church on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. Interment in the Family Plot: Deceased niece, Sister Elizabeth Sexton, S.S.J. of London, Ont. Pallbearers - Bernard Sexton, Elmer Eyne, Gerry Morneau, Jackie Morneau, Thomas Staddon and Larry Rau. R.I.P.

JUNE 14. 1971

Community House-Warming Shower

This is your invitation to a house-warming shower, to honor Mrs. John E. Sexton (Annie) at St. Mary's Hall on Sunday afternoon, May 6th at 2 p.m. before Mrs. Sexton and Stan take up residence in their new home. Fire destroyed their home and all their furniture and personal belongings. All neighbors, friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend, to show the esteem in which Mrs. Sexton is held in this community.

APRIL. 1962

SEXTON

Mrs. John E. Sexton and son Stanley Sexton wish to thank all the neighbours, the crew of the Ontario Highway Department, and William Gillard of the Village, for the help rendered to them in the loss of their home and all their belongings, when it burned early Tuesday morning, January 9th. Mrs. Sexton is at her son's home, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sexton in Detroit and Stan is with his brother Ralph and family.

JAN. 19. 1962

CARD OF THANKS

Stan Sexton wishes to thank all his relatives, friends and neighbours for visits, cards and help at his home while he was a patient in Grace Hospital. Special thanks to the nurses and staff on 5th floor and in Intensive Care; also Drs. Anderson, Foster, McLeod and McKenzie.

NOV. 2. 1973

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Sandwich South Taxes unpaid as of December 1st, will be subject to a 2½% Penalty.

The host of friends of Mrs. John E. Sexton, of Highway 3, (formerly Annie Cox, of Grosse Pointe, Mich.) are wishing her much happiness, on the occasion of her 94th birthday last Friday. And pray God, to give her continued good health and happiness, with her lovely big family of children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

NOV. 29. 1964

A hundred ladies, friends, neighbors and relatives of Mrs. John E. Sexton, honored her on Sunday afternoon in St. Mary's Hall, to wish her well and show her the respect she so justly deserves. Coming as a bride, 67 years ago, from Grosse Pointe, Mich., to live on the farm of her late husband, Mrs. Sexton has made and kept many friends. Assisting her to open her beautiful gifts for her new home, was her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Warren Sexton, of Detroit, with whom she has been making her home, since the loss of her home and belongings. Also assisting were her granddaughters. A dessert-tea was enjoyed by the guests, after four games of euchre. Tally prizes went to Miss Mary Halford, R.N., Mrs. James D. Quinlan, Mrs. Thomas Barry and Mrs. Peter Halford. Prizes for cards to Miss Eileen Austin, Mrs. Edward Quinlan, Miss Mayme Robinson, R.N., and Peggy Sexton. Mrs. Sexton deeply appreciates and is very grateful for the thoughtfulness of her friends, who remembered her with the lovely gifts to enhance her new home.

MAY 11. 1962

OLDCASTLE HIGHLIGHTS

By Carson Jessop

There seems little to pen this week of the usual happenings of Oldcastleville. Death to President John F. Kennedy, of the U. S., was in the minds and hearts of local Canadians, as well as many other places in the world.

People in stores and business places around the area were as shocked and grieved as if a well-known member of the community had passed away.

Regardless of how much both nations bicker over political affairs, a tragedy in the U. S. is felt deep by Canadians. So much of a common ground exists between these two nations, that it is as though a member of the family were taken from them.

Canada and the U. S. are very much like two local neighbours, who live side by side over a period of years. Sometimes they may agree and also disagree, but, yet in times of distress they have deep respect for one another and without any doubt will fight for the same principals of freedom of the democratic way of life.

J. F. K., the familiar initials, will be remembered by the common human being for a long time to come. John Kennedy proved he had the courage to lead a nation towards the principals of every free man or earth. He was struck down before it could be proved, that he would be one of the greatest statesmen and leaders of the modern world.

Abraham Lincoln's famous Gettysburg address, in his time, became one of the most famous pieces of literature, that foreign nations under tyranny groped for, for years after that address.

Winston Churchill's famous speech of blood, sweat and tears inspired men to fight and stop a merciless invader of 1939 until the end of the 2nd World War. John Fitzgerald Kennedy's presidential speech of 1961 will go down in history as the most moving speech of modern times.

St. Mary's, Redford, was the scene of a beautiful wedding at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, when Joan Marie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sexton, (Veronica Byrne, formerly of Woodslee) was united in marriage to James Burrough, of Detroit. A reception for 240 guests followed at Meadowbrook at Northville. Mrs. John E. Sexton, the bride's grandmother, was there for the happy occasion. Others from here were Stanley Sexton, Edward C. Sexton, the Ralph Sextons and their four daughters, Suzanne, Elizabeth, Joan and Judy. Heartly congratulations from the many relatives and friends here to the happy young couple, Joan and Jim.

Right now it may seem just another political speech made by a politician, but it holds more truth than all statesmen have proclaimed since World War II. John Kennedy was a Christian leader in faith and principals and one the world needed so badly in these troubled times. To be shot and killed by an unknown crackpot, belonging to a subversive organizations, shows a weakness of our system. God can only judge a man who would murder a Christian gentleman in mind, spirit and body.

Our democratic systems must move to stop subversive organizations that would murder the youth and cream of our nations that die in such a useless unmitigated way.

Nov. 29. 1963

We extend a belated Happy Birthday to Mrs. John E. Sexton (Annie Cox) of Hwy. 3, on her 97th Birthday of Nov. 20. Mrs. Sexton was honoured by her family and we are happy to say she is enjoying good health and still enjoys a game of Euchre. Her host of friends are wishing her continued good health!

Dec. 1. 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kaisson (Agnes Sexton) of Windsor, are happy to announce the safe delivery at Metropolitan Hospital, of a 8 lb. son on Tuesday, September 27th. A brother for Michael Jr. and Katherine. Mother and son well.

SEPT. 30. 1960

SEXTON — Thomas, 79, late of Victoria Ave., died Tuesday at Riverview Hospital after a lengthy illness. He was born in Maidstone and lived in Windsor for more than 60 years. He was the former owner of Sexton Hardware Store in Windsor, a member of the St. Clare Roman Catholic Church, and was in the Knights of Columbus. His wife, Joyce, died in 1965. Surviving are: sisters, Mrs. A. (Grace) McCarthy of Maidstone, Mrs. H. R. (Olive) Venn of Detroit, Sister M. Noreen O.P. (Mae) of Adrian, Mich., Mrs. T. P. (Dorothy) Hart of Detroit, Mrs. C. A. (Gladys) Wing of Ingersoll. Funeral Friday at 9:30 a.m. from the Morris Memorial Chapel, 68 Giles Blvd. to St. Clair Church at 10 a.m. Burial is in St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Prayers, Thursday at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Sexton announce the arrival of their son, on Friday the 8th, a brother for Robbie. Mother and son are well.

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Sexton are happy to announce the arrival of a baby girl. A sister for Pam, Robbie, Billy and Christine. Mother and baby well.

Dec. 15. 1961

Edward C. Sexton had all the family home for Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sexton and sons Robbie and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Alcile Chateauf and children, Marlene and Ronnie, of Windsor; Misses Agnes and Marion, of Windsor, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sexton and son Wayne, of Montreal.

Dec. 25. 1956

and to Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts (nee Mildred Shanan) on the arrival of a son, a brother for Charles, at Hotel Dieu. Mr. and Mrs. Blake Estabrooke and family, of London, were weekend guests of Helen's mother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, and brother Stan. The Estabrooke's witnessed the first fatality on Highway 401.

Oct. 5. 1956

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard (Butch) Sexton (Patricia Delarge), of Windsor, on the arrival on Monday of twin daughters, 4 lbs., 5 ozs., at Grace Hospital. Sisters for Kevin. Mother well and baby will be in incubator for about two weeks.

MAY. 11. 1962

We are sorry to report that Stanley Sexton was admitted to I.O.D.E. Hospital last week, for tests and is awaiting major surgery. His aged mother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, Hwy. 3, who has been in the same hospital for several weeks, is still in the same condition.

JULY. 11. 1969

The host of friends of Mrs. John E. Sexton will be offering her sincere congratulations and felicitations, on Sunday, on the happy occasion of her ninetieth birthday. Mrs. Sexton is enjoying good health and it is wished she will still enjoy many more year of good health and happiness.

Nov. 18. 1960

Irene would be pleased to hear from her friends. Edward Sexton is now being cared for at Le Pointe Centre Riverside Drive E., Windsor after several months in Metropolitan Hospital. He has trouble with swollen legs.

Nov. 12. 1976

CARD OF THANKS

SEXTON — The family of the late Edward C. Sexton wish to express their deep appreciation to all the relatives and friends for their acts of kindness, sympathy, prayers, mass cards, and for floral tributes.

Special thanks to Rev. Father L. Bastien, Marcotte Funeral Home, and Metropolitan Hospital. Also, our sincere appreciation to his 6 grandsons who acted as pall bearers, to the CWL of St. Mary's Parish, Maidstone as well as the altar boys and organist.

Robert, Paul and Bernard Sexton, Mildred Chateauf, Agnes Kassian and Marion Ondrejicka

June. 27. 1980

SEXTON -- Edward C., 83 years, June 15, 1980, late of 692 Hildegard St., formerly of Maidstone. Predeceased by his wife Margaret Halford (1952). Dear father of Robert, Mrs. Mildred Chateauf, Mrs. Michael Kassian (Agnes), Mrs. Tom Ondrejicka (Marion) and Bernard Sexton, all Windsor; Paul, Toronto; dear brother of Elmer, Livonia, Mich.; Warren, Detroit; Ralph, Maidstone; Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), Windsor; Mrs. Blake Estabrook (Helen), Montreal; the late Stanley (1974), and Florence Burnie (1971). 25 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren survive. Resting at the Marcotte Funeral Home, 870 Wyandotte E., funeral Wed., June 18 to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. (Time later). Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

JUNE. 16. 1980

Nov. 29, 1963 E. J. R.
The many friends of Mrs. John E. Sexton will be wishing her belated birthday greetings when they know Mrs. Sexton celebrated her 93rd birthday on Nov. 20th. Her family spent an enjoyable day with her and she really enjoyed playing Euchre.

SEXTON

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Paul E. Sexton of Toronto writes he had a grand vacation. He had a delightful vacation in San Juan, Puerto Rico, St. Thomas, Virgin Island and ended up in New York City where he saw a couple of Broadway Shows and took in the sights for four days.

AUG. 24. 1979

Edward C. Sexton Passes

Edward C. Sexton, 83 years, of 692 Hildegard St., formerly of Maidstone, passed away on Sunday, June 15th.

He is survived by his sons Robert and Bernard, of Windsor, and Paul E., of Toronto; daughters, Mrs. Mildred Chateauf, Mrs. Michael Kassian (Agnes), and Mrs. Tom Ondrejicka, all of Windsor; sisters, Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), of Windsor, and Mrs. Blake Estabrook (Helen), of Montreal; brothers, Elmer, of Livonia, Mich., Warren, of Detroit, and Ralph of Maidstone; 25 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. He was predeceased by his Brother Stanley (1974) and sister Florence Byrne (1971).

Funeral services were held from the Marcotte Funeral Home, Windsor, on Wednesday to St. Mary's Church in Maidstone. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

June. 27. 1980

MAY. 12. 1961

JULY. 13. 1956



More captains of the Old Newsboys are shown above. At the left, Mr. E. J. Pattison, representing the Kiwanis Club, and vassing. Mr. Howard E. White compare notes on can. At the right, Mr. Harris Bickford, Reeve

Storvick on several pages for history

Congratulations to the following winners, at the Leamington Fair, which is being held this week: 1st prize winner in wheat, Ralph Sexton; 2nd, James Halford; 3rd, Mr. Janisse; 4th, Peter Halford, and 5th, Stanley Sexton, and 6th, Alfred Byrne, Rochester Township. Mr. Janisse is of Belle River and the Sexton's and Halford's are local winners. Mr. Byrne is a brother-in-law of Ralph and Stan's.

AUG. 10. 1956

Mrs. Alfred Byrne, of Woodslee, spent a week with her mother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, before Mrs. Sexton was hospitalized, and Mr. and Mrs. Byrne, as well as some of the Sexton family, will be in West Lorne on Saturday for the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Byrne's elder son, Elmer, which will take place at the West Lorne Church, May 1st. Elmer's many friends here send him congratulations and best wishes.

MAY. 1954

Family was notified of the serious condition of Paul E. Sexton in Calgary, Alta. on Saturday morning. Paul is the second eldest son of Edward Sexton and the late Margaret Halford. At this writing he is being cared for in intensive care unit. His son Wayne flew to Calgary on hearing the news to be with his father.

June 2. 1978

Mrs. Mildred Chateaufeuf (Sexton) and Mrs. Michael Kaisson (Agnes Sexton) both of Windsor returned Saturday by Air Canada from Calgary where they spent 10 days at the bedside in Rockie View Hospital of their brother Paul who has been seriously ill. The many relatives and friends are hoping and offering prayers for Paul's recovery.

June 16. 1978

Sunday, May 14th is both Mother's Day and Pentecost Sunday.

Those celebrating birthday's this week are Kevin Sexton 61, Brenda and Bonnie Sexton, 62, Robert Arpin 63, and John Daniel Arpin 70, Ann Marie Cook 71 and Christine Cook 68, Lori Lafferty 60, Mrs. A.C. (Agnes Halford) McPharlin, Daniel L McLean, Mrs. K.E. (Gertha) Brett, Wilber Brett, Dustin Doyle 72, Peter J. 64, and David De Meuellemester 63, Michelle (McRae) Sylvester 75, Kelly Hebert 77. Happy Birthday, young and old and many more.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith (Linda Walker) will celebrate their 10th Wedding Anniversary on the 17th. Many more happy days.

MAY. 12. 1978

SEXTON

Warren Sexton of Maldstone suffered a fractured skull and broken right hip when he ditched his car near Maldstone Cross after being blinded by an oncoming car's lights.

Nov. 11. 1977

'A real fighter' loses to cancer

OCT. 2. 1986

By Jim Potter
Star Staff Reporter

Paul Sexton, a top city high school wrestler, lost his last round to cancer early Wednesday.

The 17-year-old William Hands Secondary School student who won a string of medals in wrestling competitions at the local and provincial levels earlier this year, died at Metropolitan Hospital after a three-month battle with the disease.

Hands wrestling coach Rod Gray said Mr. Sexton was a determined, hard-working wrestler who used technical skill over brute strength to win competitions.

He topped the 38-kg (84-lb) weight class in Windsor Intermediate Athletic Association championships last winter and won a gold medal at an all-Ontario vocational school meet in Oshawa.

In February he won a gold medal in Windsor Secondary School Association (WSSA) championships and helped propel Forster Secondary School, Hands' "sister school," to a first-place berth in citywide competition. He also brought home medals from invitational tournaments in Woodstock and Sandwich.

"Last (school) year seemed to be his year to put everything together," said Gray.

He said Hands students plan to establish a Paul Sexton Memorial Trophy as a tribute to Mr. Sexton's wrestling ability. The trophy will be given each year to the school's outstanding wrestler.

"He was a pretty tough kid and he worked real hard to make it where he did," said Forster wrestling coach John O'Farrell, describing him as a "keen and eager" athlete who practised faithfully.

GRAY SAID Mr. Sexton was "a real fighter" both on the wrestling mat and during his three-month battle with cancer.

Mr. Sexton was a favorite to win top honors in South Western Ontario Secondary School Association wrestling but placed third behind wrestlers he'd beaten consistently throughout the season. He lost, Gray



PAUL SEXTON

now believes, because cancer was beginning to take its toll on the young wrestler's body.

Patricia Sexton, 42, said her son was diagnosed with a lymphatic tumor in late June and fought the disease bravely through the summer despite painful chemotherapy treatment.

She said he came close to dying three times but bounced back, and was able to return home briefly. "He was a very determined boy," she said.

Gray said Mr. Sexton remained in good spirits during the last few weeks of his life and "still was talking about going home."

He said Mr. Sexton came from a "wrestling family." Brothers James, 20, and John, 19, were both distinguished wrestlers with the Forster team and helped their younger brother train.

"He was a real technician, he really knew the moves," Gray said. "A lot of kids use brute strength ... he was smart."

Mr. Sexton is survived by his mother Patricia, father Bernard, 48, brothers Kevin, 25, James and John, twin sisters Brenda Bell and Bonnie Cadarian, both 24 and sister Barbara Couvillon, 22.

Visitation will be after 2 p.m. today at Marcotte Funeral Home, 870 Wyandotte St. E. A service is planned at Assumption Church at 10 a.m. Saturday with burial at St. Mary's Cemetery in Maldstone.

nicely from a tonsil and adenoid operation, performed at Hotel Dieu last week.

Mrs. Saylor, of Joy Road, is our new operator, replacing Mrs. Frank Marion who, we are sorry to report, is sick again, and is hospitalized in Hotel Dieu. Her many friends are hoping for a speedy recovery for her.

Mrs. Edward Sexton is again confined to her bed with a severe cold in her chest. Her many friends are hoping for better health soon.

Howard Fleming, of Windsor, moved into his home, purchased from Ben Kosokowsky, and the Kosokowsky family have moved into the Earl O'Neil home. Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil have moved into their new home at the Snack Bar.

Mrs. Ada McAuliffe is as well as can be expected following an emergency operation performed on Friday night. She is again in Hotel Dieu.

Mrs. Margaret Deehan, widow of the late William Deehan, passed away on Friday evening, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Deehan was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Shanahan, pioneers of Maldstone Township. After the death of her husband, many years ago, she made her home with her sister Rose, Mrs. Peter Lalonde, in Belle River, until being hospitalized a few weeks ago. Funeral was held Saturday morning from the Melady Funeral Home, to Sts. Simon & Jude Church, Belle River. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery here. Mrs. Deehan is survived by her sisters, Susan (Mrs. Charles Bourbeau), of Detroit; Rose (Mrs. Peter Lalonde) of Belle River; Josephine (Mrs. Ernest Murphy), of Belle River; and brothers, Thomas, of Maldstone, and John, of Detroit. Many nieces and nephews.

through Mrs. Hurley, of Essex.

The secretary was asked to send a letter to the parent of one of the pupils, not yet 16, who wishes to leave school.

Disbursement list in the amount of \$5,406.07 was presented to the Board and approved, on motion of Mr. Hartley, seconded by Mr. Banwell.

Meeting adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7 1952
MAIDSTONE CROSS

Buy a Poppy, Saturday, November 8th.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fildes (nee Agnes V. Robinson), on the birth of their daughter, Barbara Jane, October 28th, at Mount Hamilton Hospital.

The many friends of Frank Sexton are happy to know he was not seriously injured when an eastbound Michigan car spun out of control on the curve in front of Mrs. Genevieve Hayes' home, on 98 Highway, and crashed into the tractor of George Sexton, which he was driving, with a trailer load of corn, that belonged to Russell Robinson. The driver of the car was killed, his car demolished, and four others rushed to Metropolitan Hospital, their condition being serious. Frank, although knocked unconscious, was able to be released from the hospital.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Chateaufeuf (Mildred Sexton) on the birth of a son, Ronald Anthony, at Hotel Dieu, Sunday, November 2nd, a brother for Marlene. Mother and son are well.

Dan L. McLean left on Sunday, with James Reaume, of Windsor, for three

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Feb. 13, 1953 E. F. P.

George Sexton - well known Sandwich South farmer, passed away in Hotel Dieu, Windsor early this Thurs. morning after being stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage, on Tuesday.

Deceased was born in Sandwich South on Sept. 18th, 1897, a son of the late Simon Sexton and Margaret O'Neil. He farmed all his life, never married, and was the last of his immediate family, and only brother Russell having predeceased him. Services at St. Mary's, Maldstone, interment in Church Cemetery.

JULY 22, 1971 Fire levels WINDSOR STAR Sexton barn

A barn and most of its contents were destroyed during an early morning fire in Sandwich South Township today.

The barn, located on the Sexton Sideroad, was the property of Stanley Sexton Sandwich South Township firefighters were at the scene. The cause of the blaze has not been determined.

SEXTON

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ondrejicka, (Marion Sexton) on the arrival of a 6 lb. 2 oz. daughter, Janice Lynn, on Thursday, December 15th, at Metropolitan Hospital. A sister for Tommy and Margaret. Mother and baby well.

Dec. 23. 1960

Fifty Years Ago.

Items Culled from Essex Free Press Files of March 31st, 1905.

John Sexton, of Detroit, formerly of Sandwich South, narrowly escaped instant death, when struck by an M.C.R. express train, while walking along the tracks, on his way to visit his brother, who was ill. He stepped off the west-bound track to allow a freight to pass and was about to step onto the east-bound track, when the train hit him a glancing blow. His left arm was cut off and his right leg broken.

Community House-warming Shower.

Sunday, May the 6th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon in St. Mary's Hall, the friends, neighbors and relatives will honor Mrs. John E. Sexton (Annie) with a house-warming shower for her new home. Mrs. Sexton came here as a bride from Grosse Pointe, Mich. and has resided here since. They lost all their worldly possessions when their home burned. This is your invitation to honor Sandwich South's

April. 13. 1962

John Sexton, Maldstone Cross, suffered fractures of both arms in a fall of 20 feet, in his barn.

July. 20. 1986

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Warren Sexton, of Detroit in the loss of her mother Mrs. James Compeau, age 67 years, who died Sunday at Hotel Dieu following a lengthy illness. Mrs. Compeau, born Juliette Guenot in France, deceased came to Tecumseh, Ontario, 63 years ago, where she has since resided. Her husband died in 1947. Surviving are two sons, Ernest and Edmond and three daughters, Therese, Mrs. James Bruce, all of Tecumseh, Madeline, Mrs. Albert Brouillette of Windsor and Marie, Mrs. Sexton of Detroit. Four brothers and four sisters, George, Ernest, Paul and August Guenot and Harriet, Mrs. Wilfred Hebert, of Tecumseh, Mary, Mrs. Arthur Meloche, Antoinette, Mrs. Gilbert Pare, all of Windsor. 20 grandchildren, also survive. Funeral was held Wednesday morning from Marquette Funeral Home to St. Ann's Church. Burial in Church Cemetery, beside her husband.

Jan. 27. 1955

Nov. 22, 1968 - Mrs John E. Sexton celebrated her 78th birthday on Nov. 21st at her home here on No. 3 Hwy. Her pastor, Rev. Father J. M. Fogarty would sing a mass for her intentions Wed. morning at her home. The gift of her granddaughter Mrs. Tommy Ondrejicka (Marion Sexton) She was born in Grosse Pointe Farms Mich. The daughter of the late Tom. Cox and Bridget Lennon, came to Sexton Farmstead when married. Mr. Sexton died in 1948. They had six sons + 3 daughters. 23 grandchildren and 46 great grandchildren. Mrs. Sexton passed away at Riverview Hospital Jan. 16th at age 99 and was buried beside her husband in St. Mary's Cemetery, Maldstone. She and her son Stanley were rented out of their home by fire when their house burned in 1962. an below fire temp.

On May 6 the 1962 a neighborhood of women were held in Maldstone St. Mary's Hall before they moved into new home.

1898, eldest daughter of the late John E. and Anna (Cox) Sexton. Residing here until her marriage. A person of a friendly and happy disposition, she had many friends. Survived by dear husband, Alfred, of 1004 Fairview Ave. Windsor, 2 sons, Elmer of Blenheim, and Russell of St. Clair Beach, 9 grand children 2 sisters, Zileen (Mrs. John Morneau) of Riverside, and Helen Mrs. Blake Satabrooke of Montreal 5 brothers, Edward of Windsor, Elmer & Warren of Detroit, Ralph & Stanley of Hwy. 3. Funeral from Melody Funeral Home, Belle River to St. John. Evangelist Church, Woodlee, Rev. Dr. E. Lynn officiating. Sister Elizabeth Sexton, S.S.J. of London, arrived on Sunday to spend a few days with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Sexton and sisters Suzanne (Mrs. L. R. Raul) Judy, Mrs. L. John and Joan.

Jan 1972

2 Rescued as Home Burns

Passing Motorist Saves Pair

Woman of 91,
Son, 50, Recover
In Hotel Dieu

A 91-year-old woman and her 50-year-old son suffered minor injuries early today when they were rescued from their blazing home near Oldecastle.

A passing motorist took Mrs. Annie Sexton and her son, Stanley, to Hotel Dieu Hospital where both were reported in satisfactory condition with minor face burns. Both suffered from exposure and smoke inhalation.

The story-and-a-half frame home on Highway 3 about a mile east of Walker Rd. burned to the ground. The two occupants escaped in only their nightclothes.

Carl Steeg, pastry chef at the Whittier Hotel in Detroit, discovered the fire at 4:50 a.m. as he was driving to work. He resides at R.R. 3, Leamington.

"I saw fire on the top of the house," he said. "I didn't see anyone else around so I stopped. Soon the whole roof was on fire. Another car stopped and a man came running toward me. We didn't see any signs of life. It was getting very hot so we threw rocks through the front window. I thought I heard some crying from the back of the house. I went around and found a lady lying on the floor of the garage. A minute later, the other man who had stopped, brought an unconscious man out the front door."

Mr. Steeg placed them in his car and went to the highway to get help.

"It was heartbreaking," he said. "I flagged at least five cars down and they wouldn't even stop. And the house was really burning by then. One man driving a sand truck stopped and I sent him into Essex to call firemen and police. Then I drove the two to hospital in Windsor," he stated.

Chief Eric Hooper of the Anderdon Twp. police answered the call with 12 men, a pumper and two tank trucks. The dwelling was completely ablaze by the time the firemen arrived so they concentrated on saving the nearby garage and a large barn. The temperature was below 15 degrees and a brisk wind fanned the flames.

Chief Hooper said there was no water shortage, but live hydro lines which fell when the roof collapsed hampered their efforts.

"It was a terrible experience," Mr. Steeg continued. "The woman kept mumbling about a son and I thought maybe there might have been someone else inside. The man was unconscious in the back seat. I was so relieved to hear they are all right."

Mrs. Eileen Morneau, of 141 Jefferson Blvd., night dispatcher for the Windsor police, was on duty during the hours of the fire but was unaware of what was happening. She is Mrs. Sexton's daughter.

Relatives and friends were saddened on Sunday when a telephone call gave the news that Sister Norene (Mary (Mae) Sexton) of the Dominican Order at Adrian had passed away peacefully that morning. Sister Norene was born on Nov. 14th 1887 on her parents farm at corner Hwy. 3 and Sexton side road; Thomas Sexton and Rose Barrett being pioneers of this settlement. Sister worked in business for Heintzman's in Windsor before joining the Sisterhood and served faithfully as a teacher all her religious life. Being blessed with a happy personality Sister made many lasting friendships. Left to mourn her passing are three sisters, Grace Mrs. Andrew McCarthy, Hwy. 3, Dorothy, Mrs. John Hart, Detroit and Gladys, Mrs. Clarence Wing, Woodstock, Ont. Many nieces, nephews and grand nieces and grandnephews. Predeceasing her was her sisters Alma (Ollie) Mrs. Harry Venn of Detroit, Ann, Mrs. Rockwell Gust also of Detroit and two brothers Thomas of Windsor and Earl of Los Angeles Cal. Funeral was held on Tuesday at the Mother House, Adrian, Mich. with interment in the Sister's Plot, R.I.P.

SEXTON

Thirty Years Ago

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press June 24, 1949.

Died - Mrs. Rose Sexton, age 86.

Miss Madge Sexton resigned as telephone operator at Sandwich South Telephone Central. Her place was taken by Miss M. Greenaway.

JAN. 1. 1913

The engagement of Miss Madge Sexton, Maidstone, and Edmund Barron, of Amherstburg, was announced. Wedding to be solemnized Jan. 7th, 1914.

DEC. 28. 1973

Miss Madge Sexton of Maidstone Cross, accepted a position with the Bell Telephone Company in Detroit. Miss Mary Greenaway took her place in the local telephone office.

Jan. 31. 1913

Mrs. Grace (Sexton) McCarthy received the sad news of the death of her niece, the former Ann Gust, age 41 years, of Ann Arbor, Mich. Deceased was the daughter of Rockwell Gust of Detroit and the late Ann Sexton. Deceased died of Leukemia and leaves two children, her father a sister and a brother Rockwell Gust Jr.

JAN. 3. 1969

MAIDSTONE CROSS

We are sorry to report that Edward Barron, formerly of McGregor and Amherstburg is in St. John's Hospital, Detroit, 22101 Moross Road. Better health is wished for him. His sister-in-law Mrs. Lou Bissonnette is here to be with Ed in the hospital.

Mrs. Harry Venn, the former Olive (Ollie) Sexton, born Sept. 2nd, 1885, passed away in her home in Detroit from a fall on Wednesday night. Daughter of Thomas Sexton and Rose Barrett. Her husband predeceased her, about 21 years ago. Surviving are two sons Robert and John, both of Detroit. Also 4 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild, four sisters, Mrs. Andrew McCarthy (Grace) Highway 3, sister, M. Norene (Mae Sexton) of Adrian, Michigan, Dorothy (Mrs. John Hart) of Detroit and Gladys (Mrs. Clarence Wing, Ingersoll, Ont.

Funeral was held Saturday from Jarzembowski Funeral Home, St. Thomas Aquinas Church and burial in St. Hedwig Cemetery. Pall bearers were brother-in-law John Hart 3 nephews John Hebert, Leonard and Emmett McCarthy and two neighbours.

R. I. P.

JUNE 29. 1973



HOME DESTROYED—Anderdon Twp. firemen pour water on the ruins of a farm home near Oldecastle, which burned to the ground this morn-

ing. Two occupants, one a 91-year-old woman, were rescued by passing motorists. The home was located beside Highway 3 about a mile east of

Walker Rd. Firemen are attempting to determine the cause of the fire.

(Star Staff Photo)

AUG. 8. 1969

SEXTON

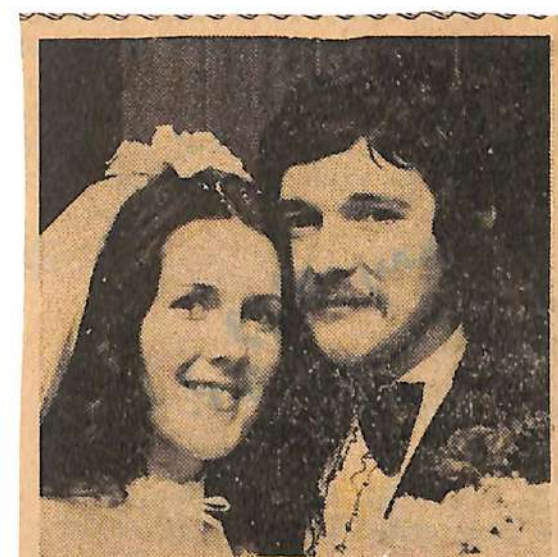
Jan. 8th. 1965 - Mrs. Mabel Mc Intyre, age 69, died suddenly at her home 742 Parent Ave, Windsor. Born in Sand South (on the now Albert Beahan farm), daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. Daniel Sexton (Ellen Nagel). She was a former employee of The Windsor Utilities Commission, retiring in 1960. Her husband died in 1958. Survived by two sons, Francis & Albert and seven grandchildren. Burial from Marquette's to Immaculate Conception Church, to St. Alphonsus Cemetery.

Mrs. Ralph Sexton (Rose Halford) and her four daughters, Suzanne Rau, Judy Jobin, Joan Staddon and Sister Elizabeth (S.S.J. of London) all attended the last Tea at St. Mary's Academy, Windsor. Many of the graduates returned to enjoy visiting with the Sisters, attend the 2 o'clock mass, in the beautiful Chapel and visit with classmates and enjoy the Tea, served by the Alumni. Mrs. Bernard McIntyre, of Detroit and Angela's school mate, Mrs. Leo Russette (Alda Morand) were also there to enjoy the occasion.

Mrs. Ralph Sexton
R.R. 3
Maidstone, Ontario

July 10, 1970
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Sexton and family, Stanley Sexton Mr. & Mrs. Peter Halford and family attended the wedding on Friday evening of Mary Catherine Sexton, eldest daughter of Elmer Sexton and Veronica Byrnes (a former teacher at old No. 5 and 8 School) at St. Mary's Church, Redford, Mich.

MAY. 7. 1976



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS STADDON

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton were pleasantly surprised on October 11th on their 33rd wedding anniversary when their children honored them at their home with a party to mark the occasion. Coming home for the very special occasion were Sister Elizabeth S.S.J. of London, Suzanne and her husband Larry Rau and son Mathew, of Harrow, Judy R.N., Mrs. Larry Jobin and her husband and children Jeremy and Jade, of Hwy. 98 and Joan and her husband Tom Staddon, of Amherstburg, who has returned from a delightful three weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard V. McIntyre (Angela Halford) of Detroit, were happily surprised by their children on Saturday on the occasion of their forty-fifth wedding anniversary. Besides their lovely family of children and grandchildren they were joined by Sr. Agatha (Halford) S.S.J. of London, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Halford of Maidstone. All enjoyed a very happy day and evening. Many more happy



FIELD MEET WINNERS—More than 1,000 students from elementary schools in Maidstone and Colchester North Townships took part in the Essex Rotary Club's 10th annual field day in Essex. Some of the winners, from left, back row: Marilyn Kobelsky of Essex, Susanne Sexton of St. Marys, Sharon McAuliffe of Sandwich South; front: Larry Chittle of Maidstone, Douglas Queen of Essex, and Lorne Weaver of Essex.

Sister Elizabeth S.S.J. of London, spent the weekend with her parents, Ralph and Rose Sexton. Sister came down especially to act as Godmother at the christening of her nephew Michael Andrew Staddon.

At Sacred Heart Church of LaSalle on Saturday night after mass, Michael Andrew Staddon was baptized. First child for Joan and Tom. The Godparents were his aunt Sister Elizabeth Sexton and uncle Chris Bailey. The Staddons entertained both families after the ceremony.

June 30. 1978

Congratulations to Rose and Ralph Sexton on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary. In honour of the day, their daughters Sue Rau, Sr. Elizabeth Sexton, Judy Jobin and Joan Staddon celebrated with them at 11 a.m. mass. Sr. Elizabeth did the readings at mass and grandchildren, Jade and Jeremy Jobin and Matthew Rau, carried the offertory gifts. Later the family gathered for dinner at the Rendezvous.

OCT. 15. 1981

At an impressive ceremony at St. Mary's Church, Reverend A. P. Marentette united in marriage Rosemary Joan Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton of Maidstone and Thomas Douglas Staddon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bailey of Amherstburg. The bride given in marriage by her father wore an empire styled gown of silk organza featuring a princess skirt with self-contained cathedral train. The fitted bodice featured a Victorian neckline edged in lace and sheer Juliette sleeves. Rows of lace inserts highlighted her gown and formed the hem-line. She carried a Victorian bouquet of white daisies, pale blue miniature carnation, tipped deeper blue, with baby's breath and blue and white streamers.

Judy Jobin was her sister's matron of honour and the bridesmaids were Ann-Margaret Crowder, Marlene Diotte, Rosemary Chupik, Beth Bailey and Shelley Bailey. All were dress-

ed alike in gowns of pale blue crimplene with white collars and clusters of blue-tipped carnations at the neck. They carried bouquets of white daisies, blue miniature carnations and baby's breath.

Bill Bailey was best man and the groomsmen were Harold Crowder, David Hamilton, Jim Beaudoin, Lawrence Jobin and Dave Baker. Larry Rau and Bob Bailey served as ushers.

Mrs. Sexton's gown of pale pink crepe featured a lace bodice and long, puffed sleeves. Her corsage was pink roses.

Mrs. Bailey wore a mint green gown of organza featuring a ruffled V-neck, empire waist and flowered overskirt. She wore a corsage of yellow roses.

Immediately following the ceremony a dinner and reception was held at Lakewood Golf and Country Club. Following a trip to Florida and the Bahamas, the couple will reside in Amherstburg.

MAY. 18. 1973

OCT. 18. 1974

Ralph Sexton Passes

Ralph L. Sexton, 77 years, passed away Feb. 14, 1987, suddenly at his home.

Beloved husband of Rosemary (nee Halford). Loving father of Mrs. Larry Rau (Susanne), Maidstone; Sister Elizabeth Sexton C.S.J. (London); Mrs. Laurence Jobin (Judy), Maidstone and Mrs. Thomas Staddon (Joan) LaSalle. Dearest grandfather of Matthew and Michelle Rau, Jeremy, Jade, Jodi and Jeff Jobin, Michael and Jenny Staddon. Brother of Elmer and Warren, both of Michigan; Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), Windsor; Mrs. Blake Estabrook (Helen), Montreal and the late Florence Byrne (1972); Stanley (1974) and Edward (1980).

Mr. Sexton was a retired farmer in Maidstone for 50 years.

Funeral services were in charge of the Janisse Brothers Funeral Home, Windsor. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

Donations to Hospice of Windsor would be appreciated as your expression of sympathy.

FEB. 20. 1987

Mrs. Ralph Sexton, daughter Joan and grandson Jeremay Jobin drove Rose's other daughter Sister Elizabeth to Sarnia on Tuesday. Sister had been here from London to attend the wedding of her cousin Rosemary Levac, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Levac (Rosemary Halford) of Windsor at St. Ann's Church on Saturday to Mr. Michael Chupik also of Windsor. Others attending the wedding were the Ralph Sexton's and family, the Peter Halford's and family, the Bernard McIntyre's and family and Mrs. James Coakely, Mary Elizabeth, John and Robert of South Amboy, N.J.

The Coakely's were to fly back on Wednesday.

SEPT. 1. 1972

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton were honoured on their 30th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday with a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jobin (Judy Sexton, R.N.). Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rau (Susanne) of Harrow and their daughter, Sister Elizabeth S.S.J. of London who was here for the long weekend and Joan Sexton, nurse-in-training at Hotel Dieu and Robert Coakely, of Detroit. Many more happy anniversaries.

OCT. 15. 1971

SEXTON-Ralph L. 77 years, Feb. 14, 1987 suddenly at his home. Beloved husband of Rosemary (nee Halford). Loving father of Mrs. Larry Rau (Susanne), Maidstone; Sister Elizabeth Sexton C.S.J. (London); Mrs. Laurence Jobin (Judy), Maidstone and Mrs. Thomas Staddon (Joan) LaSalle. Dearest grandfather of Matthew and Michelle Rau, Jeremy, Jade, Jodi and Jeff Jobin, Michael and Jenny Staddon. Brother of Elmer and Warren, both of Michigan; Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), Windsor; Mrs. Blake Estabrook (Helen), Montreal and the late Florence Byrne (1972); Stanley (1974) and Edward (1980). Mr. Sexton was a retired farmer in Maidstone for 50 years. Funeral Service was held Tues. 9:45a.m. from Janisse Brothers Funeral Home 1139 Ouellette to St. Mary's Church Maidstone at 10:30. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Parish Prayers Monday 8p.m. Donations to Hospice of Windsor would be appreciated as your expression of sympathy.

In St. Mary's Church on Sunday, the Pastor Rev. Fr. A.P. Marentette baptised Michelle Mary, infant daughter of Larry and Suzanne Rau, the grandparents Ralph and Rose Sexton were Godparents. Here especially for Christmas and the baptism was Sr. Agatha (Halford) the Great Aunt and Sister Elizabeth (Sexton) Aunt. Both S.S.J. of London, Ont. The Rau's entertained at dinner following the ceremony.

JAN. 1976

Ralph and Rose Sexton have been without their four daughters for a week. Their youngest, Joan having undergone surgery in a Detroit Hospital and we are happy to say is convalescing now at home. Their oldest daughter left last week on Monday by plane from Willow Run to visit with her aunts, Mrs. James Coakely and family in So Amboy, N.J., and Mrs. John J. Carpenter and family of So Plainfield, N.J. Elizabeth and Judy are visiting with their aunt, Mrs. B. J. MacIntyre in Detroit.

AUG. 22. 1958

Cathy Estabrooke, of Montreal is staying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and attending school at St. Malachy's while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Estabrooke, are on a 2 month European Tour. Theresa Carpenter, of S. Plainfield, N.J., is also a guest with the Sextons and attending school until her brother, John J. Carpenter and wife, come from Omaha, Nebraska, to take her home.

1958

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Congratulations to Mrs. John E. Sexton of Highway 3, on the occasion of her 98th Birthday on this Wednesday, November 21st. Her pastor, Rev. Father J. M. Fogarty will sing a Mass for her intentions at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, at her home, the gift of her granddaughter, Mrs. Tommy Ondrijicka, (Marion Sexton) of Windsor. Many more happy days are wished Mrs. Sexton on this happy occasion. Born in Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan, the daughter of the late Wm. Cox and Bridget Lennon, she resided there until her marriage to the late Mr. Sexton (Feb. 11, 1948) when they moved to Mr. Sexton's farm. The devoted mother of six sons and 3 daughters - Edward of Windsor, Florence, Mrs. Alfred Byrne and Eileen, Mrs. John Morneau, both of Riverside; Elmer and Warren of Detroit, the twins Ralph and Stanley, both of Highway 3, Helen, Mrs. Blake Estabrooke, of Montreal and Albert, who died in young manhood. Loved by 23 grandchildren and 46 great grandchildren, Mrs. Sexton has been a devout parishioner of St. Mary's where she was active in all the Societies of her parish. Her host of friends are Greeting her and wishing her continued good health. Two granddaughters are Elizabeth Sexton Sr. Ralph S.S.J. of London and Sr. Mary Brenden, (Mary Sexton) of Monroe, Mich.

Nov. 22. 1968

Mrs. John E. Sexton was pleasantly surprised on her birthday on Sunday when her family honoured her with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sexton, in Detroit. Born November 20th, 1870, Anna Cox, on a farm in what is now Grosse Pointe, Mich. She lived there until marrying the late Mr. Sexton, when she came to make her home on No. 3 Highway. With her were three daughters, Florence, Mrs. Alfred Byrne, of Woodslee; Eileen, Mrs. John Morneau, of Riverside, and Helen, Mrs. Blake Eastabrook, of London and her five sons, Elmer and Warren, of Detroit; Edward, Ralph and Stanley, of here and her twenty-three grandchildren and her only surviving sister, Ethel, Mrs. Frank Streb, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Mrs. Sexton also has twenty great-grandchildren. Her host of friends wish her continued good health and hope she will live for her century birthday.

Nov. 25. 1960

Judy Sexton, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, had the misfortune of breaking her arm, the first day of school, with a fall at her home. The arm was x-rayed and put in cast at Hotel Dieu. Ralph won an aluminum door at the draw on Firemen's Field Day.

SEPT. 16. 1955

Miss Judy Sexton, a Grade 10C student at St. Mary's Academy, was named Mardi Gras Queen at the Academy's 6th Annual Mardi Gras party at the school. Judy is the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, of Highway 3. She was elected by the students of the Academy. Congratulations Judy, a very personal young lady.

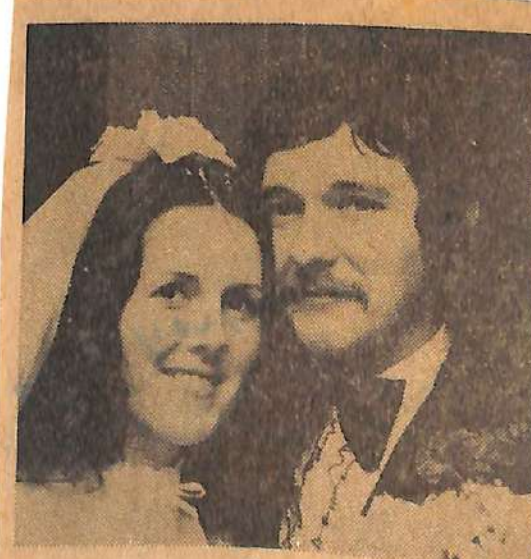
FEB. 21. 1964

Many happy returns to all of those celebrating birthdays this week some of those are: Edward Sexton, Patricia (McPharlin) Bronke, Margaret Flood, Margaret Mary Markham, Catherine Markham, Clare McCarthy, Lillian Larkin and Debbie Duncan, of Columbus, Ohio.

Ralph Sexton was surely surprised on Sunday when his four daughters went home to join his wife Rose in making a happy occasion for their father and husband. Sister Elizabeth, S.S.J., a daughter and Sister Agatha (Halford) S.S.J. both of London were in attendance besides his daughters and their husbands.

Susanne, Mrs. Larry Rau, of Harrow; Judy, Mrs. Thomas Staddon of Amherstburg, and Joan, Mrs. Larry Jobin, of Hwy. 98 and Miss Mary Halford, R.N. of Hwy. 3. Ralph surely enjoyed having his family around him for the day, long to be remembered. It was Ralph's first birthday without his twin brother Stan.

JULY. 26. 1974



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS STADDON

Rosemary Joan Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Sexton of Maidstone was united in marriage to Thomas Douglas Staddon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bailey of Amherstburg. The ceremony took place in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone with Mrs. Judy Jobin as matron of honor and William Bailey as best man. Following a trip to the Bahamas and Florida, the couple will reside in Amherstburg.

MAY. 22. 1973

Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters, Susanne, Elizabeth, Judy and Joan; Mrs. Peter Halford and Miss Mary Halford attended a shower at the home of Mrs. B. J. McIntyre in Detroit on Sunday for John McIntyre's fiancée, Jan Borowski. Both John and Edward McIntyre are stationed at Camp Leonardale, Missouri. John will be married on his next 14-day leave from camp.

MARCH. 13. 1959



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosemary Joan, to Thomas Douglas Staddon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bailey of Amherstburg. The wedding will take place April 28 at 5 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone.

MARCH. 23. 1973

SEXTON

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mrs. Blake Estabrooke of Montreal arrived last week, to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, who is not as well as usual and is under the care of nurses.

Sister M. Ralph (Elizabeth Sexton) daughter of Ralph and Rosemary (Halford) Sexton was home on Friday and Saturday from Mount St. Joseph's, London to visit with her parents, and sisters and her grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton.

MAY 9. 1969

Sandwich South's 'Grand Lady' age 99 years, passed peacefully away in Riverview last Friday morning, after being hospitalized a few months. Celebrating her "99th" in November in the hospital. The nurses were most kind, posting up her many greeting cards and surrounded by her floral bouquets and other gifts. Born in Grosse Point, Mich., in November 1870, the daughter of the late William Cox and Bridget Lennon (the Lennon family being pioneers of Sandwich South). Deceased came as a bride of the late John Edward Sexton (1948) to reside the rest of her life in Sandwich South. A wonderful wife, mother and grandmother, she was highly respected being an active parishioner of St. Mary's Parish all her life. She was in her days here active in St. Mary's Altar Society, Catholic Women's League and League of the Sacred Heart. Their union was blessed with nine children, Albert, having predeceased her. Also predeceased by one brother, William Cox and six sisters. Left to mourn her passing is a sister, Mrs. Ethel Streb, of Grand Rapids, Mich. and five sons, Edward C., of Windsor; Elmer J. and Warren, of Detroit; Stanley, with whom she lived and his twin brother, Ralph, both of Hwy. 3; three daughters, Florence, Mrs. Alfred Byrne and Eileen, Mrs. John Moreau, of Windsor, and Helen (R.N.) Mrs. Blake Eastabrooke, of Montreal; 23 grandchildren and 46 great-grandchildren. Late in life she suffered the loss of her home, by fire, when all her cherished keepsakes were lost, but, she saved her life by breaking a bedroom window on the ground floor and escaping in her night clothes. Funeral was largely attended on Monday morning from the Marcotte Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church for a Con. Celebrated Mass, by her pastor, the Rev. Fr. A. P. Marentette and friend, Rev. John Murphy, C.S.B., of Assumption, Windsor, who gave the Homily. Burial was in the family plot beside her husband. The pallbearers, grandsons, were Paul E. Sexton, of Montreal; Bernard Sexton, John and James Morneau, of Windsor; Emer Byrne, of Cedar Beach and Russell Byrne, of Riverside.

JAN. 23. 1970

SEXTON --The family of the late Ralph Sexton, would like to extend their deep appreciation to their many friends, neighbours and relatives, for the acts of kindness and compassion shown to them during the loss of their beloved husband, father and grandfather. Special thanks to our Pastor Fr. Bill Kornacker; Fr. Cullen and Fr. Higgins from Assumption College School; Fr. Chris Quinlan of Kingsville; Tim Hebert, organist; Mrs. Duronio and the Resurrection Choir of St. Mary's, Maidstone; the ladies of the Altar Society for the lovely luncheon; the Pallbearers; Parish Honor Guard and David Janisse of Janisse Brothers.

--Rose, Susanne, Elizabeth, Judy and Joan.

On November 16, 1974, the 27th Anniversary of her Baptism, Sister Elizabeth Ann Sexton spoke her final vows at Mount St. Joseph, London. A supper for her family and aunts and uncles preceded the profession Mass. Father Jim Mockler celebrated the Mass, assisted by Father Fuerth and Father O'Brien. Sister Elizabeth had planned the music and liturgy in detail. Her sister, Judy, read The First Reading (which Sister had chosen) Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, carried the offertory gifts to the altar. The litany that followed the profession ceremony included the names of the patron saint of each family member. Following the Mass a reception was held for the several hundred friends and relatives of Sister Elizabeth who were present. Among the guests besides her parents were her sisters and their husbands: Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rau, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jobin,

NOV. 22. 1974

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton was happily surprised on Sunday afternoon, the occasion of their 35th wedding anniversary. Their four daughters hosted the party at Suzanne's, their eldest daughter and her husband, Larry Rau, at their lovely new home on Hwy. 3. Sister Elizabeth S. S.J. of London was there and remained over until Tuesday. Also their daughter, Judy, R. N. and husband Larry Jobin and Joan, R.N. and husband

OCT. 15. 1976

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Snow began falling on American Thanksgiving and by this writing the countryside looked like the proverbial Winter Wonderland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Sexton, of Detroit, entertained at their lovely home in the western part of the city at a turkey family dinner. Among the guests were Elmer's mother, Mrs. John E. Sexton, who was celebrating her 86th birthday, and her many friends join in wishing her continued good health and best wishes; Elmer's sister Florence and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byrne, of Woodslee, celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary, and their man friends offer hearty congratulations and many more years of happiness. Edward and Stanley Sexton were among the other guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and four daughters spent the American holiday with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McIntyre, of Detroit, who entertained at a family dinner being blessed with their two grandsons in attendance.

NOV. 30. 1956



MR. AND MRS. LAWRENCE JOBIN

Mary Geraldine Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton of Maidstone, was wed to Lawrence Joseph Jobin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jobin of Maidstone. The ceremony, in St. Mary's Church in Maidstone, included Joan Sexton as maid of honor and Ron Jobin as best man. Following a trip to Northern Ontario, the couple will reside in Riverside.

SEPT. 17. 1970

Thos. Staddon of LaSalle. Other guests were Roses's sister Angela and husband Bernard McIntyre of Detroit and Sister Adelaide McAuliffe of Windsor, Charles and Lorna (Queen) Kavanagh and Mrs. Dorothy (Queen) Kavanagh of Detroit. Other neighbours and friends were guests to make their day a happy, memorable one. A delicious dinner was served at 6 p.m. Their mass of Thanksgiving, gift of their daughters, were all on hand Monday morning at 9 o'clock when Rev. Fr. A.P. Marentette gave the Homily in their honour. Many more years of happiness and good health is extended to them on this happy occasion.

SEXTON



MRS. LARRY WILLIAM RAU

Rau-Sexton wed at St. Mary's Church

Red pointsettias decorated the altar of St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, for the wedding of Mary Susanne Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, to Larry William Rau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hazael of Windsor.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of Lagoda silk. The stand-away collar and long sleeves were trimmed with floral appliques. The back waistline also featured a similar trim above the chapel train. A floral headpiece held the full-length veil of silk illusion. She carried a Victorian bouquet of red Yuletide roses, white miniature carnations and lily of the valley.

Joan Sexton was her sister's maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Marlene Rau, sister of the groom, Judy Sexton, another sister of the bride, and Darlene Rocheleau. All were dressed alike in floor-length gowns of deep red

velvet with a gold sash at the waist. They carried bouquets of red roses, white miniature carnations and ivy.

Bob Bain was best man and the groomsmen were David and John Rau and Ron Schmuck, a cousin of the groom. Bob Coakley, a cousin of the bride, and Paul Forder served as ushers.

Mrs. Sexton's dress of deep green velvet was trimmed with satin at the neck and cuffs of the sleeves. Her corsage was a gold cymbidium orchid.

Mrs. Hazael wore a dark blue velvet dress. The long sleeves featured a lace trim at the cuffs. She wore a white cymbidium orchid.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Lakewood Golf and Country Club. For travelling to the Smoky Mts., the bride wore a black maxi-coat over a crepe pantsuit. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Rau will reside in Harrow.

DEC. 29. 1969

SEXTON

Congratulations to Judy Mahon daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mahon (Maxine Hayes); to Judy Sexton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton (Rosemary Halford) and Angela John, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George John on their graduating from Hotel Dieu School of Nursing, at the Exercises at Cleary Auditorium, on Sunday. Judy Sexton and Angela John both received Awards for "The Spirit of Nursing". Mary Catherine Byrne, of Woodslee, was the Valedictorian. Miss Byrne was the Class President and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Byrne, of Woodslee.

SEPT. 4. 1970

Sorry to hear that Ralph Sexton broke his hip and is now at Hotel Dieu at this moment. Rose and Ralph are together for now and luckily their daughter, Judy Jobin, is working there and can keep an eye on them.

Dec. 19. 1986

SEXTON—Annie E., 99 years, Jan. 16, 1970 at Riverview, late of R.R. No. 3, Maidstone, predeceased by her husband John E. (1948) dear mother of Edward, Windsor, Elmer and Warren, Detroit, Ralph and Stanley, Maidstone, Mrs. Alfred Byrne (Florence), Mrs. John Morneau (Eileen), Windsor, Mrs. Blake Eastbrook (Helen), Montreal, sister of Mrs. Ethel Streb, Grand Rapids Mich., 23 grandchildren, 46 great grandchildren, predeceased by one brother and six other sisters, resting at the Marcotte Funeral Home, 870 Wyandotte E., funeral Monday, 9:45 a.m. to St. Mary's Church Maidstone, at 10:30 a.m., Interment Church Cemetery. Players evenings 8 p.m.

Ralph Sexton was pleasantly surprised on the 12th when his family honoured him with a birthday party at the home of Tom and Joan Staddon of LaSalle. All the family were present including his daughter, Sister Elizabeth S.S.J. and her companion Sister Noelle, S.S.J. both of London. A lovely time was enjoyed in swimming, a song-fest, dinner and Euchre in the evening and a happy birthday to Ralph and grandpa after an enjoyable day.

AUG. 18. 1978

Congratulations to Thomas and Joan (Sexton) Staddon of

LaSalle on the safe arrival of their son Michael Andrew, 6½ lbs. on May 17th at Hotel Dieu. Seventh grandchild for Ralph and Rose Sexton and third grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bailey, great grandmothers, Mrs. Andrew Sifferman and Mrs. Lewis Bailey.

MAY. 26. 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton accompanied by their daughters Susanne Rau, Judy Jobin and Joan Staddon attended the graduation of their daughter Sister Elizabeth at the University of Western Ontario on Thursday. Sister received her Degree as Bachelor of Social Welfare. After the graduation ceremonies Sister returned with her family and remained until Sunday, returning for five days in Toronto for a course at Queen's Park.

JUNE. 15. 1973

Arriving on Saturday from Montreal, for the wake and funeral of the late Mrs. Ann Sexton, were deceased daughter, Helen and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Eastabrooke and grandson, Paul Sexton, wife Patricia and son Wayne; from London, granddaughter, Sister Elizabeth Sexton from Mount St. Joseph; and a nephew, Donald Streb, of Grand Rapids, Mich.

JAN. 23. 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Halford attended the wedding of their nephew on Saturday afternoon. Thomas Condery and his bride Vickie Sinocini, spoke their vows at St. Mathew's Church, Detroit. Thomas is the son of Larry and Joan (McIntyre) Condery and grandson of Bernard and Angela (Halford) McIntyre. Reception followed at the Royalty House, Warren, Mich. for many guests.

JUNE. 23. 1972

Young ladies from this vicinity who will be graduated on June 23, at 7:30 p.m. at Cleary Auditorium. This class is two-plus-one year Graduates, Lyne Allen, Carolyn Gerard and Joan Sexton.

Fifty-one graduates will be presented with diplomas and graduation pins by Sir Anthony Fuerth, chairman of the advisory board of Hotel Dieu Hospital and Sister Yvette Hains, director of the school of nursing.

Guest speakers will be: Mayor Frank Wansbrough; Herb Gray, minister of revenue and MP for Windsor West; Dr. Jack Barber, chief of staff at Hotel Dieu Hospital; Rev. Don Therriault, lecturer at the school of nursing and Canon B. A. Silcox, rector of St. Paul's Anglican Church.

Miss Mary Anne Paterson will deliver the valedictory address.



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton of Maidstone announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mary Susanne, to Larry William Rau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hazael of Askin Blvd. The wedding will be Dec. 27 at 4:30 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone.

Nov. 28. 1969

Mrs. Larry Rau (Suzanne Sexton) of Harrow, after receiving her B.A. Degree at University of Windsor, then attended the St. Mary's Farewell dinner, accompanying her was her mother Mrs. Ralph Sexton, and sisters, Mrs. Larry Jobin, Joan, nurse-in-training at Hotel Dieu, Sister Elizabeth of S.S.J. London, her Aunts, Sister Agatha S.S.J. Windsor and Mrs. Bernard McIntyre (Angela Halford) of Detroit.

June. 4. 1971

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters, Suzanne, Elizabeth, Joan and Judy, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. McIntyre, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kasson and children Michael and Katherine of Elloit Lake, Ont., arrived on Saturday to spend two weeks with Agnes' father, Edward Sexton and relatives.

AUG. 7. 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byrne entertained at a family dinner on Sunday at their home in Woodslee. Some of the guests were Mrs. John E. Sexton and Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters Suzanne, Judy, Elizabeth and Joan, the latter two having birthdays on the 2nd and 6th respectively, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sexton, of Detroit.

Nov. 9. 1956

Sister Agatha (Genevieve Halford) of Bonne Font, London, who is vacationing at St. Joseph Convent, at St. John's parish, Kingsville, visited Wednesday at the home of her brother-in-law, Ralph and her sister Rose, (Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughters) and with her brother Peter L. and wife Doris, (Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Halford and sons). Sister was also privileged to visit with Dan J. McLean, who was ill and her cousin, Mrs. McLean.

JULY. 27. 1956

Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Sexton and Mr. & Mrs. Orville Bellaire attended a dinner at Holiday Inn, Windsor last week, when they were honoured at a "Parents dinner" by their daughter's Joan Sexton and Catherine Bellaire, who will be in the Graduating Class of Hotel Dieu's Nurses' in training Class.

RAU—Larry and Sue (nee Sexton) are happy to announce the arrival of their first child, a son, Matthew Morris, 6 lbs. 5 ozs., on May 1, 1973, at Grace Hospital.

Congratulations to Larry and Judy (Sexton) Jobin on the arrival of their son, 7lbs. 8 ozs. at Hotel Dieu, on Sunday, Sept. 18th at 6:30 p.m. - Jeffery Louis - a brother for Jeremy, Jade and Jodi. Mother and son well.

SEPT. 23. 1941

RAU - Larry and Sue (Sexton) are happy to announce the arrival of their daughter, Michelle Mary, 6 lbs. 9 ozs., November 24, 1974 at Grace Hospital. Little sister for Matthew.



Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Geraldine, to Lawrence Joseph Jobin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jobin of Maidstone. The ceremony will be Sept. 12 at 5 p.m. at St. Mary's Church.

AUG. 28. 1970

SEXTON — The family of the late Anne Elizabeth Sexton wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the relatives, friends and neighbors for the masses, floral tributes, expressions of sympathy, and the many acts of kindness during their recent bereavement in the loss of a loving mother. Special thanks to Rev. Fathers A.P. Marentette, J.F. Murphy, A.J. Weiler, Doctor J.L.L. Anderson of the Essex Medical Group, Staff of the I.O.D.E. and Riverview Hospitals.

St. Elizabeth Sexton is visiting this week from London. Her family and especially her nieces and nephews are always happy to see Aunt Tizzie.

Birthday greetings to Nathan Chevalier on July 29th, Peter Quinlan on the 31st, to Charles MacDougall on Aug. 2, Mike O'Neil and Danny Gyetvai on Aug. 3, Karen Hebert on the 5th, B.J. Leon on the 6th and Sam Kovac on the 10th.

AUG. 1987

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sexton, of Detroit, spent their vacation with Mrs. John E. Sexton, Stan and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton. Warren is convalescing from virus pneumonia and hopes to be able to resume work next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton attended the wake and funeral of Hugh Dean, age 74 years, who passed away after a 3 day sudden illness. Mr. Dean is survived by his wife, a son Hugh Jr. who is in his senior year at Notre Dame University, a daughter Miggs and two grandsons. Funeral was held on Tuesday at Our Lady of Sorrows, Farmington, Mich. Mr. Dean is retired vice-president of G.M.

Miss Mary Sexton, daughter of Elmer and Veronica (Byrne) Sexton, of Detroit, left on (this) Thursday for Monroe to enter the novitiate of Immaculate Heart of Mary Order.

SEPT. 8. 1961

STADDON -- Thomas and Joan (nee Sexton R.N.) thank God for the safe and happy arrival of their second child, a daughter, Jennifer Anne (Jenny) 6 lbs. 4 ozs., born May 18, 1979 at Hotel Dieu. Little sister for Michael Andrew. 8th grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton; 4th grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton were godparents on Sunday at Holy Rosary Church, Windsor, for their grandniece, Brenda Ann Sexton and Stanley Sexton and Mrs. John Morneau (Aileen Sexton) for their grandniece, Bonnie Marie Sexton. The Sexton babies are twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sexton, of Windsor and the Sexton's entertained after the baptism. Stanley and Ralph are twins too, sons of Mrs. John E. Sexton and the late Mr. Sexton.

JULY. 13. 1962

Joan Sexton, daughter of Ralph and Rose (Halford) Sexton and Margaret, daughter of Emmett and Mary (McCloskey) McCarthy were among the 96 Graduates of St. Mary's Academy, on Sunday afternoon. The sweet-girl graduates' parents entertained after the ceremony at their respective homes.

Oct. 11. 1965

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton had all their family, grandchildren included, at home for a turkey dinner with all the trimmings for Thanksgiving. They celebrated on Sunday.

Oct. 18, 1978

Congratulations to Ralph Sexton in being high man in the wheat test with 90. Emmett McCarthy was runner-up.

JULY 28, 1961

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Miss Judy Sexton entered Hotel Dieu Nurse in Training Course, in the September Class. Judy is Ralph and Rose (Halford) Sexton's third daughter and graduated this year from Grade XIII at St. Mary's academy.

May 28, 1971 E. 3 P.
Mrs. Larry (Suzanne) Sexton's Raw received her degree in General Program from Univ. of Windsor

Feb. 13, 1987

July 11, 1970 E. 2 P.
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Sexton & family, Stanley Sexton, and Mr. & Mrs. Peter Halford and family attended the wedding of Mary Catherine Sexton, eldest daughter of Elmer Sexton and Veronica Byrne (a former teacher at old No. 5 and 8 School), at St. Mary's Church, Redford, Mich.

Apr. 29, 1977 E. 2 P.

Thomas & Joan (Sexton) Staddon celebrating Golden Annis on Apr. 28th

May 28, 1971 E. 2 P.

Univ. of Windsor graduate in General Program is Mrs. Larry Raw (Suzanne) Sexton, daughter of Ralph Sexton.

July 29, 1983 E. 2 P.

Maidstone Cross - Sr. Elizabeth Sexton is spending some time visiting her parents Rose and Ralph Sexton. Liz will be leaving early this week after an enjoyable stay entertaining her many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. John E. Sexton (Annie Cox) will observe her 99th birthday on Nov. 20th. Mrs. Sexton is at Riverview Hospital.

Nov. 14, 1969

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and daughter attended the wedding of their nephew, John McIntyre, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard J. McIntyre (Angela Halford) to Miss Jan Borowski, of Detroit, at Precious Blood Church. Special dispensation was granted because John being in the U. S. Army is being shipped out this Thursday. A wedding breakfast at the Bride's home on Tracey Ave. followed the nuptial mass for the immediate families. Congratulations to the happy young couple.

march. 27, 1959

Elizabeth Sexton, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton was one of the 12 graduates of St. Mary's Academy on Sunday. Elizabeth's parents honoured her with a dinner and party and reception at their home, following the exercises. Elizabeth's grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton was one of the many guests.

June 25, 1965

Mrs. Ralph Sexton, Mrs. Dan J. McLean and Mrs. Bernard McIntyre were among the 300 A.M.A. members to attend the Diamond Jubilee at St. Mary's Academy, Windsor, on Sunday. The Rev. Mons. W. J. Langlois, celebrant of the Mass at noon, followed by dinner, entertainment and annual meeting.

Nov. 1961

Rose Sexton and family surprised Ralph Sunday with a birthday party to celebrate his 75th. The family gathered at the 11 a.m. Mass, followed by lunch at the Rendezvous and a pool party at the home of Larry and Suzanne (Sexton) Rau. Guests included daughters Elizabeth of London, Joan and Tom Staedon of LaSalle and Judy and Butch Jobin along with all the grandchildren.

Aug. 17, 1984

Mrs. John E. Sexton (Annie Cox) was pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening when her family gathered at her home on Hwy. 3 for a party on the occasion of her 96th birthday. She enjoyed playing euchre and her many friends take this opportunity to wish her Belated Birthday Greetings and many more years of continued good health.

Nov. 25, 1966

MAIDSTONE CROSS.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Byrne (Shirley Ducharme) of Woodslee, who were married Saturday morning in St. Simon and Jude Church, Belle River.

Guests attending the Byrne-Ducharme wedding and later the reception in the church hall were the groom's grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton and uncles and aunts, Mr. Stanley Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Sexton. George Sexton and John Halford also attended.

June 29, 1951

Mrs. Bernard V. McIntyre, of Detroit, was the week-end guest of her sister, Rose, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton. Ralph has just completed a double garage at his home on No. 3.

Nov. 11, 1955

Sister M. Ralph (Elizabeth Sexton), of London, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton and sisters, Suzanne, Judy and Joan, and visited her grandmother, Mrs. John E. Sexton at Riverview for her 99th birthday.

Nov. 1969

Suzanne Sexton received her Scholarship at the Commencement Exercises at St. Mary's Academy for Grade X, last week. Suzanne is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton.

June 30, 1961

Ralph and Rose (Halford) Sexton will observe their 36th wedding anniversary on October 11th.

Oct. 7, 1977

Happy anniversary to Rose and Ralph Sexton who celebrated 45 years of marriage recently and to

Oct. 17, 1986

Larry and Suzanne (Sexton) Rau, hope to be able to move in their new home on Hwy. 3 for their sixth wedding anniversary, December 27th.

Dec. 12, 1975

SEXTON

Mrs. Larry Jobin (Judy Sexton R.N.) underwent surgery at Hotel Dieu Hospital and had to miss her father's, Ralph Sexton, 70th birthday party on Sunday. His daughter Sister Elizabeth S.S.J. and companion Sister Noella S.S.J. of London were there over the weekend for the happy occasion.

A special Thank You to Mrs. Rose Sexton from Saint Mary's Church, Maidstone, for kindly donating a piano stool to Saint Stephen's Church.

March 21, 1986

Congratulations to Miss Suzanne Sexton on her receiving a Department of Education award in the form of a \$175 Bursary to further her education at Teachers' College, Windsor. Suzanne has finished her Grade XIII at St. Mary's Academy and several years of her high school education received awards.

Sept. 4, 1964

Mrs. Larry Raw (Suzanne Sexton) received a hundred dollar bursary from U. of W. for the highest marks attained in Math in the summer course. Suzanne has only one more credit to get to receive her B.A.

Sept. 4, 1976



Winners of the children's parade were Peter Palesh of Essex, Cara Beckon of Cottam, and Wendy Ouellette of Essex in wagon drawn by Craig Sexton of Maidstone.

SOYBEAN FESTIVAL

AUG. 1, 1980

SCHINDLER—John M. at his home in Kingsville on Thurs. Nov. 11, 1982, age 75 years. Beloved brother of Frances Schindler, Kingsville and Mrs. Ursula Sexton, Maidstone. Dear uncle of Dan Schindler of Emeryville and Beverley (Mrs. Jerry Rose), Placentia, California. Also survived by other nieces & nephews. Predeceased by his brothers Royden, Frank and Del and sisters Mary Margaret and Agnes McQuarrie. Resting at the C. Stuart Sykes Funeral Home, 91 Division St. South, Kingsville after 2 p.m. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

Charles Sexton Sr. was brought to I.O.D.E. Hospital last week for x-rays and tests and is in Room 317 Tower Bldg. and at this writing results are uncertain. Russell Byrne is in Hotel Dieu for observations following a heart attack. His many friends in this community are hoping for better health.

Edward Sexton was moved from Metropolitan Hospital on Tuesday to I.O.D.E. Hospital for therapy on his hip that was fractured some weeks ago, when he fell on the street in Windsor.

Sept. 13, 1974

Congratulations to Ursula Sexton who became a great-great grandmother on Nov. 11, 1986 when her great-granddaughter, Debbie (Duncan) Boester and her husband, Jeff became parents of Kassandra Nicol. Debbie's mother, MaryAnn and husband, Gordon of Columbus, Ohio, are grandparents for the first time. Monica and Ted VanderAa are the proud great-grandparents. Debbie, Jeff and newcomer, Kacie, reside in Greenfield, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. and Mrs. Chas. Sexton Jr. attended the commencement of the Senior class at John Glenn High School of their granddaughter, Peggy Lynn, daughter of Dan V. and Jean Sexton. The large class received their diplomas at Crisler Arena, Ann Arbor, Mich. Congratulations to both graduates, Debbie Anne and Peggy Lynn, who also was pleased with her other grandmother, Mrs. LeFrance of Port Huron, Mich. was also able to be present to enjoy the festivities.

June 10, 1977

Nov. 28, 1986



Celebrates 94th Birthday

Five generations were present to help Mrs. Charles (Ursula) Sexton celebrate her 94th birthday on April 8th. Pictured above are daughter Mrs. Ted (Monica) Vanderaa, of Maidstone; great-granddaughter Mrs. Jeff (Debbie) Boester, granddaughter Mrs. Gordon (Mariane) Duncan, both of Ohio; Mrs. Charles Sexton holding Cassandra Boester.

Mrs. Sexton, formerly of the village of Maidstone, is now a resident of the Essex Nursing Home.

April 29, 1988

Best wishes to newly married Todd and Pamela (Jones) Sexton. Tod is the son of Dan and Jean Sexton of Westland, Mich. Attending the ceremony in Ann Arbor on October 12th were aunt and uncle, Monica and Ted VanderAa and cousins, Terry and Carolyn Collins. Grandmother, Ursula Sexton, was unable to attend but sent her congratulations to the young couple.

Oct. 18, 1985

Mr. and Mrs. Lew J. Bissonette entertained their immediate family to a delicious buffet supper on Sunday evening at their lovely home in Ferndale, Mich. The occasion being Mr. and Mrs. Edmond J. Barron's 40th wedding anniversary and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton's 30th. Each couple was the recipient of lovely gifts. Their many friends here wish each many more happy anniversaries.

JAN. 29, 1954

Dan V. Sexton, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr., will take as his bride Miss Jean LaFrance, at St. Agnes Church, Detroit, early in April. Terrence and Mary Ann Collins will be the attendants. The happy young couple will honeymoon in Florida and later make their home in Detroit. Dan V. is an Assumption graduate and served in the U. S. Army and is on the staff of General Electric.

March 20, 1956

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton of Detroit whose quiet, spring wedding was solemnized on Saturday morning at ten o'clock at St. Agnes Church, Detroit. Rev. Fr. Cook officiated at a double ring ceremony and sang Nuptial High Mass. The bride, Jean LaFrance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. LaFrance of Port Huron, Michigan with her blonde loveliness was radiant in her ballerina length white taffeta New-York creation gown. Her headpiece was white taffeta and had attached a short illusion veil and she carried a white prayer book topped with white orchid and satin ribbon. On leaving the church the bride donned a white linen duster. The attendants were the bridegroom's nephew and niece, Terrence Collins and Miss Mary Ann Collins. Mary Ann's gown was identical to the brides only the colour was blush-pink and pink accessories. Her colonial bouquet was pink carnations and her duster was light blue. The bride's mother, Mrs. LaFrance was lovely in faille beige suit and pink accessories and her corage was pink carnation. The groom's mother, Mrs. Sexton was radiant in an orchid gown, pink hat, shoes and purse and her corage was feathered pink carnations, and she wore a beige faille duster. A wedding breakfast, at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. followed the church ceremonies for the immediate families. The happy young couple leaving afterwards for a honeymoon in Florida. They will make their home in Detroit. The host of relatives and friends of Danny are wishing his bride and him many happy years of health and happiness.

April 13, 1956

Ursula Sexton enjoyed very much the visits, gifts and good wishes of all the folk who dropped in Sunday at an open house in celebration of her 90th birthday. Thanks to family and friends who made this day a joyful one.

April 13, 1984

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. (Ursula Schindler) in the death, in Ridgetown on Wed., Oct. 19th of her sister, Mrs. Duncan McQuarrie, Nee Agnes Schindler, age 86 years old. Surviving besides Mrs. Sexton is a brother John and Miss Frances Schindler of Kingsville and a brother Frank of London, Debert and Mary Margaret Schindler, deceased. Surviving Agnes are her children, sons, Norman, Garnet, Kenneth, Herbert, and daughters Gladys and Margaret. One son George predeceased his mother. Funeral was held on Saturday in Thamesville, Ont.

Nov. 3, 1978

SEXTON—Charles Randolph, 88 years, February 15, 1981 at I.O.D.E. Hospital, late of Maidstone. Beloved husband of Ursula (Schindler). Dear father of Mrs. Monica Collins, Charles G. Sexton, Maidstone; Daniel V. Sexton, Westland, Mich. 15 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren. Dear brother of Mrs. L.H. Bissonette, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Steve and Jack Dunn, Windsor. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral service Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 10 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Prayers Wednesday at 8 p.m. As an expression of sympathy masses would be appreciated instead of flowers.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sexton Sr. in the sudden passing of Ursula's sister, Mary Margaret Schindler, aged 69 yrs. of Kingsville, 92 Wellington St. Surviving besides Mrs. Sexton are a sister, Miss Frances Schindler and brother John, both of Kingsville a brother Frank of London and sister, Mrs. Agnes McQuarrie of Highgate. Rev. Fr. M. Langan celebrated the mass at St. John De Brebeuf on Saturday morning with interment in the family plot, St. Paul's Cemetery, Thamesville. Dobson and Habbkirk Funeral Home were in charge of the funeral. R.I.P. Pallbearers were Denis Emery, Desmond Zimmer, Gerard McCarthy, Herbert and Norman McQuarrie and Ronald Gravel.

Feb. 21, 1975

Mrs. Mabel McIntyre, age 69 years, died suddenly at her home, 742 Parent Ave., Windsor, early Sunday morning. Born in Sandwich South (on the now Albert Beahon farm) the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sexton (Ellen Nagel). Deceased has lived in Windsor sixty years. A former employee of Windsor Utilities Commission, retiring in 1960. Her husband died in 1958. Surviving are two sons, Francis and Albert (Bunny), both of Windsor, and a brother, Albert Sexton, of Riverside; seven grandchildren also survive. A brother, Danny, predeceased her, an outstanding amateur baseball player. Funeral was held Tuesday morning from Marcotte's Funeral Home to Immaculate Conception Church. Burial in St. Alphonsus Cemetery. R.I.P.

Jan. 8, 1965

Congratulations to Lori Ann Sexton who celebrated receiving her First Holy Communion at St. Mary's on June 4th at St. Mary's Church.

June 15, 1979

Charles Sexton Sr. who is hospitalized at I.O.D.E. was pleasantly surprised when his family gathered for his 82nd birthday on Friday, September 13th. Birthday cake, presents and he enjoyed opening his cards of "Happy Birthday" greetings.

Sept. 20, 1974

Mrs. Edmund Barron, whose death was reported in last week's issue, was born Mary Magdalen (Madge) Sexton, daughter of the late Charles Sexton and Julia Halford, on July 9th, 1890, in Duluth, Minn. Coming to Maidstone to live at the age of about 3 years. Resided here until her marriage on January 7th, 1915 to Mr. Barron, when she went, as a bride, to make her home for 9 years in Amherstburg. Living in Detroit at 17131 Citre Ave. the past 38 years, deceased was a faithful member of Assumption Grotto Church. Deceased had a lingering illness and passed away at St. John Hospital, Detroit, on Wednesday afternoon and is survived by her bereaved husband, a step-sister, Julia, Mrs. Lou Bissonette, of Ferndale, Mich., her brother, Charles Sexton, of here, and two step-brothers, Stephen Dunn, of Roseland and John H. Dunn, of Windsor. A step-sister, Bernardine Dunn and step-brother Llewellyn Dunn predeceased her. Funeral was held on Saturday from James H. Sutton Funeral Home, Windsor, to St. John the Baptist Church, Amherstburg, at 11 o'clock. Burial in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Pete Halford Jr., Pat L. McAuliffe, Robert Dunn, Ted Smith and two nephews of Detroit. Dean W. J. Langlois, a cousin of Mr. Barron, was in the Sanctuary.

SEXTON

Here's hoping everyone had a happy Thanksgiving and know thirty-nine ways to serve leftover turkey. Gram (Ursula) Sexton enjoyed her holiday meal with her daughter, Monica and son-in-law Ted VanderAa. Gram is sporting a new hairdo these days and is keeping in good health and spirits for a young lady of 92.

Oct. 17. 1986

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Charles Sexton Sr. wish to express their sincere thanks to Rev. Father Mark Barrow and Dr. Foster, to all those who sent flowers and mass offerings. A special thanks to the ladies of St. Mary's Parish who served a delicious breakfast.

Mrs. Ursula Sexton

Feb 27. 1981

Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. and Mrs. Russell Collins attended the graduation of Timothy Gerard Sexton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton on Saturday at the Ford Auditorium, Detroit. Tim was a graduate from the John Glenn High School, Garden City, Mich. Sunday morning the graduation class, parents and relatives all attended a mass of Thanksgiving at St. Richard's Church, the Parish Church of the Sextons.

June 6. 1975

SCHINDLER -- Frances, at Leamington Hospital, on Sat. March 10, 1984. Age 72 years. Beloved sister of Mrs. Ursula Sexton, Maidstone; dear aunt of Dan Schindler, Emeryville; and Beverly (Mrs. Jerry Rose), Placentia, Calif.; also survived by other nieces and nephews. Predeceased by her brothers Royden, Frank, Dell, and John and sisters Mary Margaret, and Agnes McQuarrie. Resting at the C. Stuart Sykes Funeral Home, 91 Division St., S. Kingsville. Funeral mass from St. John de Brebeuf Church, Kingsville, Mon at 11 a.m. Interment in St. Paul's Cemetery, Thamesville. Mon at 2 p.m.

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Hatt, of Essex (Pamela Sexton) on the safe arrival of their daughter, Julie, 6 lbs. 10 ozs. on Aug. 16th at Grace Hospital, a sister for Terry Lynn. Mother and baby are well.

Aug. 25. 1972

We're sorry to hear that Emilia Fenton and Ursula Sexton were taken to emergency last week. Fortunately both ladies did not remain in the hospital very long and seem to be improving at home.

Aug. 6. 1982

Next Sunday at all 3 Masses, the Annual Bishop's Collection for the needs of the Canadian Church will be taken up. Your donation is important so be generous.

Happy Birthday to Charles Sexton Sr. and his granddaughter Peggy Lynn Sexton and to Mrs. Aileen Flood, all on the 13th.

Sept. 14. 1979

DECEMBER 26, 1969

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Season's Greetings to Editor, Staff and Readers and a very happy and healthful 1970.

Terri-Lyne Hatt, infant daughter of Ron and Pam (Sexton) Hatt, whose baptism was reported last week, should have read that the baby had eleven grandparents instead of godparents. So Sorry!

On November 17th, Terri Lynne was born to Ronald Hatt and the former Pamela Sexton, in Leamington Hospital. Terri-Lynne was baptised in St. Michael's Church on Sunday. The Godparents were Leonard Hatt and Mrs. Harold Hatt. Then new off-spring of the Hatt's is a very lucky baby girl, having 11 Godparents to welcome her. Godparents for the 1st time, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton (Jean Huggard) and Mr. and Mrs. Len Hatt, great Godparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. (Ursula Schindler) and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huggard, Essex and great-great Godparents (maternal) Mrs. Annie McLellan and (paternal) Mrs. Jack Armstrong, Chatham and Mrs. Bertha Hatt, Wheatley. With all that loving care, Terri-Lynne should grow to be a very lucky daughter. Congratulations Pam and Ron from all your friends in this community.

Dec. 19. 1969

Mrs. Charles Sexton Jr. was completely surprised with combined Birthday Party and Blessed Events shower. The hostesses were Mrs. Jack Huggard, Mrs. Richard Thornton and Mrs. Clair D. Cowan at the latter's home. A lovely decorated Birthday Cake complete with cloth-line and Booties, centered the decorated lunch table. Games were enjoyed and Jean received many lovely gifts. A belated "Happy Birthday" Jean from your friends here.

March. 15. 1968

A very special birthday wish to Gram (Ursula) Sexton on the 8th when she begins her 9th decade.

April. 6. 1984

Dan V. Sexton, Maidstone Cross, accepted a position with G.E. Advertising in Detroit.

March. 17. 1978

We are sorry to hear of the death of John Schindler, brother of Ursula Sexton and uncle of Monica VanderAa, Charles and Dan Sexton. Mr. Schindler was buried from St. John's Church, Kingsville on Saturday, November 13th.

Nov. 26. 1982

Happy belated birthday to Ursula (Gram) Sexton on April 8. She is a very young looking 92.

April. 17. 1987

Ursula Sexton spent a few days in Port Huron accompanied by her daughter-in-law Jeanie. They visited with Jeanie's mother, Hattie, at her home on the lake.

1982

Charles Sexton Sr. will celebrate his 86th birthday on Sept. 13th and Mrs. Donald (Aileen) Flood's birthday on the same day. Charlie's granddaughter, Peggy Lynn Sexton will celebrate her 19th on Sept. 16th.

Sept. 8. 1978

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Sr. attended the rehearsal and dinner of the Dan V. Sexton-Miss Jean LaFrance wedding party in Detroit last Thursday evening.

April. 13. 1956

Sandra Sexton, through her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Jr., wish to thank her schoolmates of No. 5 and 8 School and her teacher, Miss Dallaire, as well as friends and relatives for cards, prayers and gifts when she was hospitalized and underwent an eye operation.

Nov. 2. 1956

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Jr. and children, Sandra, Pamela and Randy Charles, moved into their new home for Christmas. The Chas. Sexton seniors entertained for Christmas, guests being Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Collins and family, Terry, Dale, Mary Ann, Maureen, Trudy and Leonard.

Dec. 28. 1956

Wright-Shanahan Wed



Miss Donna Jean Shanahan, of Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shanahan, of R.R. 3, Essex, was united in marriage to John William Wright, of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wright, of Oakville, in Assumption University Chapel on Saturday, September 15th. Maid of Honour was Joan M. Shanahan, sister of the bride. Joseph P. Maggisano, a friend of the groom, was best man. After a wedding trip to Bermuda they will reside in 755 Avenue Rd., Apt. 206, Toronto.

Sept. 21. 1979

The sport news of the day - Thomas Shanahan and Bert Hicks captured and shot a very large wolf, on the Sid Vivier farm on Tuesday morning.

Jan. 11. 1974

Ursula (Gram) Sexton celebrated her 91st birthday at the home of her daughter

April. 12. 1985

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Collins acted as Godparents for Timothy Gerard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton at the christening in St. Agnes Church, Detroit. The Sexton's entertained at dinner after the ceremony.

MAY. 17. 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton and children, Tim, Todd and Peggy, of "Cherry Hill", Wayne, Michigan, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton, Sr.

March 24. 1961

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dan V. Sexton (nee Jean LaFrance), of Detroit, on the arrival of the 6½ pound son, Timothy Gerard, on Friday morning, April 12th, at Harper Hospital. Mother and son Timmee doing well.

April. 19. 1957

MAIDSTONE CROSS

The long and full life of Thomas Shanahan Sr. was celebrated at a mass of resurrection on Saturday, June 25, at St. Mary's Church. During his 102 years in the community, Tom was a family man, father of 15 children, devoted husband of Alice, inveterate euchre player and a staunch supporter of Paul Martin and the Liberal party. Although he will be missed he leaves behind good memories for hundreds of descendants and friends.

Fr. Kornacker celebrated mass on Sunday, June 26, in the cemetery for Mr. Shanahan and all the deceased members of the parish family. He referred to the sense of continuity in faith reflected by the history of the families buried there. Martin Strong, president of the cemetery board, addressed the parishioners on the function of the board and how it maintains the cemetery. He especially mentioned the hard work and dedication of the first board members and the long hours of service by Bernie McLean from 1947-1975 as secretary-treasurer. Bernie continued as advisor until she was forced by ill health to retire from the board. Following the mass refreshments were served in the hall.

July. 1. 1988

and son-in-law Monica and Tia VanderAa on Easter Sunday. Grandchildren and great grandchildren were happy to share this special occasion with her.

Mother's Day visitors to the VanderAa home on Sun. included Ursula Sexton, mother of Monica and Annie Boyle. Many will remember Annie as the school nurse who took mother's place to soothe those bumps and bruises. May 16-86

May. 16. 1986

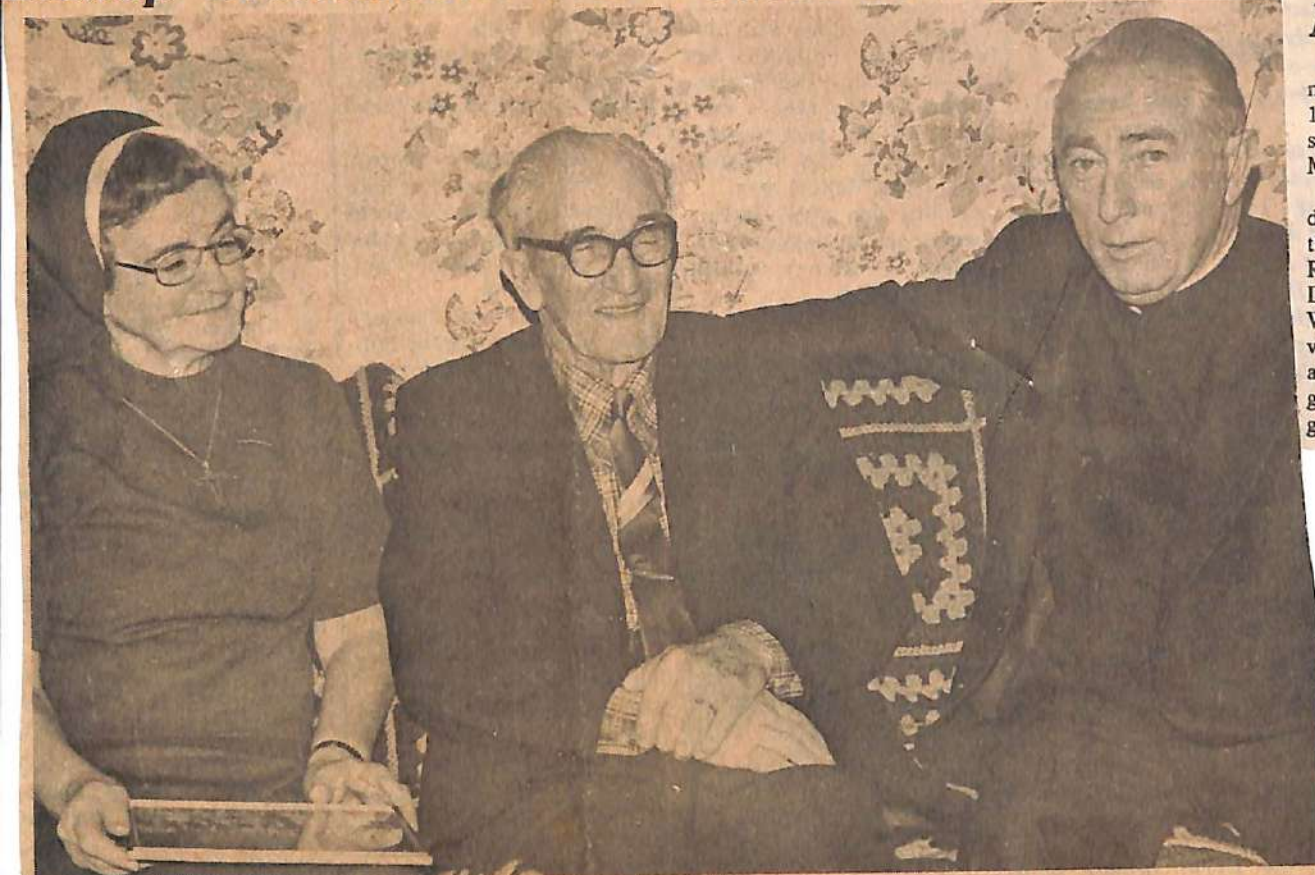
Wray Reynolds of Leamington purchased the house Charles Sexton had for sale.

March 7. 1986

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sexton Jr. (Jean Huggard) on the safe arrival of their son, 7 lbs., on Saturday, June 13th at Hotel Dieu, a brother for Sandra, Pamela and Randy. Mother and baby well and expect to be home on this Thursday.

June 19 1959

Bishop Breitenbeck Visits Uncle Tom



A HAPPY REUNION — The family of Tom Shanahan, of Maidstone, were honoured last Saturday by a visit from his grand nephew, Bishop Joseph Breitenbeck, of Grand Rapids, Mich. and his niece, Sister Anna Catherine Lavin (left), of St. Joseph Community, London.

This ceremony will be celebrated on August 14th, 1977 at Holy Redeemer Parish Church.

Bishop Joe was given a centennial book by his uncle Tom and will treasure it. We asked Bishop Joe for his blessings over the family and home. He also asked us to pray for him.

Sister Anna Catherine Lavin also visited her Uncle Tom Shanahan. She has been with St. Joseph Community for 35 years. Sister Anna Catherine is the daughter of Joe and Catherine Lavin (Shanahan) of the 11th Con. in Sandwich South.

We enjoyed the visit from both Bishop Joe and Sister Anna Catherine.

Cake and coffee and a huge cake with 'Welcome Bishop Joe' was served to the numerous relatives and family who came to visit on Saturday morning.

Thomas Shanahan Sr. received a phone call last week from Bishop Joseph M. Breitenbeck, of Grand Rapids, Mich., that said he would be coming over on Saturday for a few hours to visit with his grand uncle Tom. He was recalling days when he was a little boy and would come to visit his grand mother Mrs. Wm. Quinlan, (Mary Shanahan) with his mother May Brietenbeck (Quinlan) also at his great grandparents (John and Rose Shanahan) at the farm of Thomas Shanahan.

The day he was ordained a priest, and also, when he became a Bishop, his aunt Alice and uncle Tom went over on December 20th, 1965 to Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, Detroit, Michigan, remembering the day he

came over for Aunt Alice and Uncle Tom's 55th anniversary, on Nov. 4, 1966 which was celebrated at St. Mary's church, Maidstone.

Bishop Joe invited Uncle Tom Shanahan and wants all his children and families of 170 to come and celebrate his brothers 40th year in

priesthood. His brother who will be celebrating this ceremony, is Father Gerard Breitenbeck, of Detroit.

WOODSLEE

Estelle and Jerome Collins announce the arrival of a daughter on August 4. Her grandparents are Jerome Collins Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Byrne.

Donna and Victor Harris welcomed the birth of their daughter on July 30. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shanahan and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris are her grandparents.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Rosemary Shanahan, youngest daughter of Thomas and Alice (McGuire) Shanahan to be an event at 9 o'clock, Saturday morning, November 8th at St. Mary's Church with the Pastor, Rev. Fr. I. M. O'Neil officiating. Reception at Golden Tavern, Tecumseh, from 2 p.m. till 6 p.m.

Maidstone Patriarch Dies at 102

Tom Shanahan, died three months after celebrating his 102nd birthday, after spending a century of life in Maidstone Township.

Except for a few problem days he was well and alert to the last, his daughter Rosemary Garrod reported. During his time in Windsor Western, he anticipated visits from family members and enquired about his great grandchildren and the great great grandchildren.

Mr. Shanahan was the youngest of 10 children of John Shanahan who immigrated to Canada from Limerick, Ireland, in the 1850s. He married Alice McGuire in 1911 and they had 15 children. The total of his descendants is 176. Mrs. Shanahan died in 1974 at the age of 84. Six of their children predeceased their father.

He was well-known for his interest in Liberal politics

through his wife, who nominated Paul Martin as the Essex East in 1935, the first time Martin sought the post. Mrs. Shanahan nominated him each election time during his political career and sometimes managed the campaigns. The Shanahan home was the last stop of election night victory celebrations.

His lifetime started early enough for him to recall the first cars, the first telephones and the awe of seeing an aeroplane in the sky. Both he and his wife were christened in the Maidstone St. Mary's church where they were later married.

As a farmer in the area, active in the fields until he was 85, he was admired as a remarkable man and citizen. He is remembered too, as the mail carrier for R.R. 1, Maidstone, for 26 years.

He was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society.

He is survived by Gerald, Raymond, Jim, Mrs. Francis St. Louis, (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod, (Rosemary), Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Windsor, Mrs. Sadie O'Connor of Essex, John and Vincent of Tecumseh, as well as 61 grandchildren, 90 great and 10 great, great grandchildren.

Funeral services were in charge of the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex. Father Wm. Kornacker officiated. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Maidstone.

HARRIS—Donna (nee Shanahan) and Victor of Toronto announce the birth of beautiful "Caitlin Frances" at 8:28 a.m., Sat. July 30, 1988. Caitlin is a sister to Kieran, ninth grandchild of Violet and Gerald Shanahan of Maidstone and tenth grandchild of Elizabeth and Robert Harris of Toronto. Thanks to St. Michael's Hospital staff. You were terrific.

July. 1. 1988

CARD OF THANKS

SHANAHAN - The family of the late Thomas J. Shanahan wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to their friends, relatives and neighbours in the support given in the loss of their dear father, grandfather, great grandfather and great great grandfather for the many masses, floral tributes, donations to the Chronic Care Unit at Windsor Western Hospital, also donations to the St. Mary's Building Fund in Maidstone.

We mention as well the many nurses that cared for him on the third floor east and third floor chronic care unit. We thank Dr. Child of Essex for his care and comfort to all of us, Fr. Hathaway Windsor Western Hospital Chaplin.

We especially thank Fr. Bill Kornacker and Fr. Chris Quinlan for their many visits to Dad and Grandpa and their beautiful celebration of the mass. We thank the pallbearers, the honorary pallbearers, the altar boys, the organist Tim Hebert, the choir and the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home.

A special thank you to all the people at R.R. 1 Maidstone for all their support and visits. A sincere thank you to all the ladies of St. Mary's C.W.L. for preparing and serving the beautiful luncheon.

A very special thanks to Dad's faithful friend, Frank Renaud, for the many visits and games of euchre he played with Dad. You will forever be remembered. God Bless all of you.

The Shanahan Family



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Shanahan of R.R. #3, Essex announce the engagement of their daughter Donna Jean to John William Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Wright of Oakville.

The marriage will take place September 15, 1979 at Assumption University Chapel.

Congratulations to Mr. T. Shanahan on the occasion of his birthday, March 28. 'Tom' is enjoying good health.

March. 4. 1977

Aug. 26. 1988

AUG. 17. 1979

July. 8. 1988

April. 1. 1977

Nov. 21. 1969

Oct. 31. 1958

Aug. 31. 1979

Gerald T. and Violet (Eyrud) Shanahan announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Jean to Mr. John William Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth A. Wright of Oakville. The wedding will be on September 15th at Assumption University Chapel.

Celebrity Dan the Clyde is Home

Dan the ribbon winning Clydesdale gelding has retired to his old home, the Ray Shanahan farm in Maidstone Township.

To get here, he travelled 3800 miles in ten days, most of that to Milwaukee where Ray and Helen Shanahan were to meet him. They brought him the remaining 400 miles in a horse trailer through six-lane traffic out of Chicago.

"It was a hectic ride. Quite an experience," Ray said with evident delight that he was again the owner of Dan.

Ray owned him five years ago and sold him to James Kennedy of South Dakota. He resold to Dan Langston of Sherwood, Oregon.

Always the big Clyde who is 18 hands high and weighs 2350 pounds has been a show horse. His last owner showed him throughout California, Oregon, Wisconsin, Illinois and Michigan until Dan had 100 first class ribbons, won either by himself as a cart horse, or as a team, unicorn (3 horse-hitch) and in a four and six horse hitch.

When that goal is reached, Ben Langston retires a horse, frequently giving it to someone who will provide a good home, so Dan was given back to Ray Shanahan.

"He (the owner) came down for a six-horse hitch harness (made by Ray's son Garnet) he offered me Dan back. Then the word came Dan would be coming to Milwaukee and Ray could pick him up there if he wanted the horse.

The addition of the purebred Clydesdale, brings Ray's stable occupancy to six. He has three Belgians, a mother with her foal and yearling and two Percherons.

Dan may have come home to retire, at 13 years, (horse's lifetime about 25 years) but Ray isn't going to let him have any more retirement than he has after graduating from the full-time work force. Ray will show this great horse at Harrow Fair and in the Tecumseh Corn Festival parade, and "probably at other shows".

"He's a good show horse; high-headed with perfect



Ray Shanahan has a new boarder in his stable, Dan, a purebred Clydesdale show horse that has 100 first prize ribbons for his stall. They were won either on his own merits or in team work in a multiple hitch. Dan has returned to his former owner after travelling in shows for five years across the United States. He has gone into semi-retirement but Ray will have him, all 2350 pounds of him, in the local fall fair show circuit.

markings and most important in the hitches (two or more teams) a good action horse."

He's a good friend too. He'll let Ray stand on his back while he waits patiently and lift whatever foot Ray asks for, to display his oversize shoe. So big is the horse that Ray needs a bale of straw to boost him high

enough to groom Dan's back. Ray has shown horses across Canada and in the States. An array of ribbons and trophies fill his display room. He makes the round on fall fairs.

Horses are a family interest. As well as Garnet, and his wife, being the makers of some of the finest harnesses in North America, Tim operates Pine Grove Farms, the location for sleigh and hay ride parties.

Our sympathy to the Shanahan family on the death of Norm. Mr. Shanahan was buried in St. Mary's cemetery after mass at St. Mary's Church celebrated by Fr. Bastien, Fr. Chris Quinlan and Fr. Charbonneau. He leaves his wife Doris, daughters

Colleen Lazar, Cheryl Gagnon, Marlene and son Norman, father, Thomas Sr., brothers Gerald, Raymond, Jack, Vincent and Jim and sisters Sadie O'Connor, Dorothy St. Louis, Mildred Roberts and Rose Garrod.

May. 11. 1984

KATT — James and Alice (nee Garrod) thank God for the safe arrival of their first son, Aaron James Thomas, weighing 5 lbs. 10 ozs. October 7th at Grace Hospital, Windsor. A brother for Jennifer and Sarah. Proud grandparents are Ed Katt of Windsor and Grant and Rosemary Garrod of Maidstone, great grandfather Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone.

Oct. 14. 1984

SHANAHAN -- Norman, 54 years on May 4, 1984. Husband of Doris (nee Dumouchelle). Dear father of Mrs. Jack Lazar (Colleen), McGregor; Mrs. Louis Gagnon (Cheryl), Brantford; Norman Gregory, Edmonton and Marlene at home. Dear son of Thomas and the late Alice McGuire (1974). Dear brother of Gerald, Raymond, Jack, Vincent, Jim, Mrs. Sadie O'Connor, Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Mrs. Oscar Garrod (Rose), and the late Leo, Helen Shanahan, Rita Deehan, Tom and Don. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. Resting at the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home, 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E. until Mon. May 7, 1984 at 10 a.m. then to St. Mary's Catholic Church - Maidstone for funeral mass at 11 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Maidstone. Prayers Sun. at 8 p.m. In kindness donations to Brentwood would be appreciated as your expression of sympathy. VISITING AFTER 4 P.M. SAT.

Norm Shanahan would appreciate hearing from friends as he recuperates from a serious operation at Windsor Western Hospital.

Sept. 2. 1983

Aug. 26. 1983

Mr. and Mrs. Thos Shanahan wishes to thank their friends, relatives and neighbours for the flowers, gifts, cards and many get well wishes and masses that Mr. Shanahan received and the personal visits. Their 58th Anniversary will remain in their thoughts for a long time as it was really appreciated. Thanks again.

Nov. 21. 1969

SHANAHAN — Pat and Cathy announce with love the birth of their son, Joshua Aaron was born Jan. 17th, 1984 at Grace Hospital weighing 8 lbs. 1 oz.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to Fr. Bastien and Fr. Chris Quinlan and to our many relatives, friends and neighbours for the many cards, gifts and making Dad's 98th birthday a memorable one.

The Shanahan Family

April. 13. 1984

Paul Shanahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shanahan, will travel to Toronto on Friday, November 16th to attend a luncheon with the Ontario Minister of Agriculture, the Hon. Dennis Timbrell, in order to receive an award for his first prize winning Christmas card design for 1984. Paul had also won first prize at the recent Maidstone Bicentennial with his original oil painting depicting pioneer life in Ontario. On November 23rd Paul will be attending the 4-H Awards Night in Harrow where he will receive yet another award for his first prize poster promoting the 4-H organization. All in all Paul's artistic talents have been well rewarded these past few months and we wish him future success in his chosen vocation.

Nov. 16. 1984

Congratulations to Alice and James Katt on the birth of their first son, Aaron James Thomas, a brother for Jennifer and Sarah. This 5 lbs. 10 ozs. package arrived on Sunday, October 7th at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents include Rose and Grant Garrod, Ed Katt and great grandfather, Tom Shanahan.

Oct. 1. 1984

This week the eldest member of St. Mary's parish, Mr. Tom Shanahan, celebrates his 97th birthday. May God continue to bless you with good health and happiness on this special day. Warmest regards from St. Mary's Altar Society.

March. 25. 1983

June 26/53 - 30 yrs 1983

Mildred Shanahan and John Roberts were wed

Lambs Are Here — Spring Must Be Near

The bleat of little lambs has created a beaten path between the Leo Shanahan house and the new sheep barn.

Eleven of the frisky, wooly creatures have arrived already this year to make their demands for care on Leo and his two eldest sons and to amuse all five of the Shanahan children.

When one three-week lamb practises his bunting-skills on a younger counterpart, a mother ewe shows him how forcefully she can use her head to protect her baby. Another, in his attempt to reach a sidewall ledge, hops on top of his resting mother who patiently accepts him while he stands with front feet on the ledge and hind feet firmly on her back.

"When the sun shines through the windows they like to lie in its beam on the straw. And they move as it does," Leo explained.

About half of them will be sold for Easter dinner or for summer barbecues when they weigh about 80 pounds each. The Shanahans will keep the young ewes to enlarge their flock of 43 Suffolk breeding stock.

The demand in the Windsor area is for whole lambs, killed on the farm by people of ethnic origins whose customs require a lamb for religious ceremonies.

"They prefer to kill it themselves so they know how it has been handled," Leo explained.

Sheep raising is a new venture for this Windsor accountant who recently lost his job. It could become his new career.

"I've been hobby farming on 22 acres here," he explained. "I thought I'd try



Hey ewe, come and bunt this kid out of here, the three-week old lamb seems to be saying when four-year-old Brian Shanahan joined the lambs to hold a newborn for our picture. The eleven lambs of an expected crop of 60 are in tune with our spring-like weather but they could be in for colder days. Raising lambs for meat is a new venture for owner Leo Shanahan.

raising sheep as something of interest for my boys. (He has four.) I intended to do it as a hobby but I may move to raising sheep."

Knowledge of farming was gained as a boy helping his father, Gerald Shanahan, who always raised a few sheep and is actively involved in this new operation. Incentive for this type of farming came through government and news reports of the economic possibilities in the lamb market.

"The department of agriculture is recommending people go into the sheep business and encouraging the housewife to use more Ontario lamb for regular

meals.

Leo attended a few discussions on sheep farming, read books, built a 56x64 foot barn according to ministry of agriculture recommendations for housing sheep, then purchased 43 ewes and a ram.

"We built the barn with features the agricultural department recommended. It has a built-in ventilation system and black ten-test on the ceiling to avoid sweating (moisture collecting and dripping off metal roof) and to act as insulation," Leo explained.

All the ewes are penned together on straw bedding.

After one has her lambs or lamb (they average 1½ overall) she is moved with her family to a holding pen, where she can be observed closely. If a lamb isn't getting enough milk or develops a problem, Leo can spot the problem early. Occasionally a ewe will reject her young.

"I noticed that lamb had a cough this morning," Leo said as he pointed to one of two-day old twins. "So I gave it some medication." A heat lamp provides extra warmth.

Many sheep producers have their ewes shorn at this time of year (wool clipped off) but Leo thinks they need the protection from cold weather.

"I wouldn't want somebody to take my coat off right now," he laughed.

Lambs easily show vitamin E deficiency that causes weak muscles so the mother gets an injection before lambing and the young get a supplement of the vitamin.

Newborn lambs are large, compared to piglets for instance. They frequently weight 13 pounds. Suffolk, although a good meat breed, are not as prolific as some strains which will have three babies. To increase productivity, Leo will retain for breeding only the female lambs of ewes who produce twins in his aim for a flock of 200.

A bright green tag with a large number perches atop the ear of each female, young or old, for easy identification and to simplify record keeping.

Even if the government succeeds in interesting Ontario people in eating lamb Leo hopes his market will be farm-gate style.

Right now the work of feeding and cleaning, administering medication, checking day and night that lambing is without problems for the ewes, is the job to be done to ensure there are lambs for that market.

JAN. 14. 1983

We are sorry we reported last week that Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, who will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on November 4th, had 12 living children. They have 13 living and two deceased, Leo and Helen. Their children are: Sadie, Mrs. Gerald O'Connor, of Essex; Rita, Mrs. Ted Deehan; Dorothy, Mrs. Francis St. Louis; Mildred, Mrs. John Roberts and Rosemary, Mrs. Oscar Garrod; sons, Gerald, Raymond, John Tom Jr., Jim, Donald, Vincent and Norman, all in this vicinity. There are 3 great-grandchildren, besides their 49 grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan have received the Papal Blessing from the Rev. Fr. Breitenboch.

OCT. 27. 1961

SHANAHAN - The family of the late Norman Shanahan wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the many relatives, friends and neighbours for the acts of kindness, sympathy, floral and spiritual offerings during the loss of a father and brother. We would especially like to thank Father Paul and Bob Charbonneau, Father Bastien, Father Quinlan and Father Giroux, Windsor Chapel, the ladies of St. Mary's Church and all the members of Brentwood. May God bless all of you

MAY. 12. 1984

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Over 70 people gathered at the home of Thomas Shanahan on March 24th at a beautiful mass celebrated by Fr. Linus Bastien assisted by Fr. Chris Quinlan in honour of Tom's 98th birthday. Paul and Alan Shanahan, great grandsons, served the mass with nephew, Gary Deehan, as reader. On this feast of the Virgin Mary, the mass intentions were for Alice, Tom's wife, deceased sons and daughters as well as the living members of the family and friends and neighbours.

Bishop Joseph Breitenbeck of Grand Rapids, Tom's grand nephew, sent his regrets because of confirmation obligations but wished Tom a happy day. The family would have enjoyed seeing Bishop Joe but understand his busy schedule and look forward to seeing him later in the year.

MARCH 30. 1984

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As popular as May is for weddings, it's only natural that we have anniversaries. Best wishes to Debbie and Brian Lawson on May 4th for 11 happy years. Also on May 4th Iris and John Shanahan were married at St. Mary's 40 years ago.

MAY. 11. 1984

THOMAS SHANAHAN still lives in the rather smallish house he was born in and when the family gets together to celebrate Mass with him for his 99th birthday, it's going to be a little crowded! His great-nephew Bishop Joseph Brientenback of Grand Rapids, Michigan, will be the chief celebrant along with godson Rev. Chris Quinlan of Leamington and parish priest Rev. Linus Bastien, and there will probably be about 60 others!

Shanahan's actual birthday is March 28 but everyone wants to be there so the big event is set for March 30. This nonegenarian has retired from both farming and delivering the mail and still enjoys a friendly card game with family and friends. As daughter Rosemary Garrod says "when we want to head for home at 10:30 p.m., he wants to know why we have to leave so early."

MARCH 25, 1985

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Ninety-Eight Years for Shanahan



Tom Shanahan has reached his 98th birthday and is aiming for his 100th he said at his home Sunday during a gathering of the family.

Celebrating with him were Msgr. John Giammona, Chancellor of the Diocese of Grand Rapids, Sr. Anna Catherine of London, a niece, Bishop Joseph Breitenbeck, Bishop of Grand Rapids, a nephew, and Marjorie Lavin (front seated), Tom Shanahan's godchild.

Mr. Shanahan has 65 grandchildren, 75 great grandchildren and five great great grandchildren.

Rev. Fr. J. A. Mackesy officiated at the baptism on Sunday, of Marlene, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shanahan (Doris Dumouchelle), at St. Mary's Church. The godparents were the baby's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester McGuire Jr.

Dec. 16, 1960

It was a beautiful sunshiny fall day on Saturday and the high esteem of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) was plainly shown from the time they arrived at St. Mary's Church, with their bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Quinlan, of Detroit, and Sylvester McGuire of 50 years ago until the end of the memorable day. The High Anniversary of Thanksgiving Mass, celebrated by their pastor, the Rev. J. A. Mackesy and Papal Blessing read by him, as they knelt before the High Altar, decorated by yellow mums in gold vases, was attended by all their children, grandchildren, relatives, a host of friends and neighbors. Following the impressive church service, their pastor extolled the virtues of this popular 'young' couple, who have given so much to church and community in their 70 odd years of life in Maidstone community and vicinity. The celebrants, family and a few close friends then drove to Shawnee Club where 100 partook of the dinner with the Hon. Paul Martin, M.P., as toastmaster, in his usual affable way. Mr. Martin was accompanied by Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Art Reaume was on hand to extend congratulations in the absence of her husband, who was in Sudbury attending the funeral of a colleague who had passed away suddenly from hepatitis. Mr. and Mrs. Don Emerson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson and many others were present. After the toast, by Mr. Emerson, 'Vesty' McGuire spoke of the early life of Tom and Alice. Rev. Fr. M. I. O'Neill, also spoke a glowing tribute to the honored couple. To start the afternoon reception, that followed the dinner, the orchestra played the Anniversary Waltz and Tom and Alice had the spot light, until being joined by their sons, daughters-in-law, daughters, sons-in-law and grandchildren. Over 400 had an enjoyable afternoon and buffet lunch. Tom and Alice had hundreds of congratulatory messages, letters and anniversary cards. Telegrams from the Honorable Governor-General of Canada, Mr. Wintermeyer, the Honorable Mr. Pearson, the Essex and Essex North Liberal Women's Association, the executive of Essex East and North Liberal Association, and a framed plaque with seal from the Provincial Secretary of the Minister of Citizenship. The secretary of the Paul Martin Women's Liberal Association, Mrs. Stephen Fontaine, read a glowing tribute and congratulatory address. The C.J.S.P. executive also wrote and enclosed a certificate from Trotters of Chatham for a framed wall-sized portrait of the happy couple. After all had enjoyed the festivities, they were wished by all for continued good health, with the fervent wish and prayer that life will be spared to them for their Diamond Anniversary.

Nov. 10, 1961

In honour of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan's (Alice McGuire) fiftieth wedding anniversary, on November 4th, their sons and daughters are entertaining at dinner for 100 and a reception in the afternoon at the Shawanee Tavern. At ten o'clock on Saturday morning, the 4th, a High Mass will be sung for Tom and Alice and their 12 children and 49 grandchildren and many, many friends. Tom is the youngest son of the late John Shanahan and Mary Smith and Alice's parents were Timothy McGuire and Sarah McHugh. They were both born in Maidstone Township and have been devoted parishioners of St. Mary's Church all their life and both have been hard workers for the Liberal Party. They have been blessed with good health and had 15 children, 3 deceased. Mr. Shanahan has been a farmer all his life and is a rural mail courier.

Oct. 20, 1961

Donald Shanahan, a local young man has opened up his Service Station on 98 at the Six Corners. Congratulations to Don in his fine new endeavour from his host of friends where he was born and raised.

AUG. 14, 1959

Ten o'clock Saturday morning at St. Mary's Church will mark the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan. It will be a gala, memorial day commencing when their pastor, the Rev. Fr. J. A. Mackesy being celebrant at the Nuptial Mass, for the honoured couple in Thanksgiving for the abundance of Blessings bestowed on the highly esteemed couple. Surrounded by their host of friends, neighbours, relatives and thirteen children with their wives and husbands and 49 grandchildren and their attendants of 50 years ago, Miss Margaret Quinlan, of Detroit, and Sylvester McGuire. Dinner for 100 of their immediate family and few close friends, will be served at Shawnee. From 2 p.m. till 5 p.m. a reception for more of their relatives and many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan, both born in Maidstone Township of pioneer farmers, the John Shanahans and the Timothy McGuires, have been a credit to this community, being staunch and active workers of St. Mary's Parish. The late Rev. Peter McCabe married them 50 years ago. Always agreeable to help neighbours and any community activities. Mrs. Shanahan has been an executive many years for the Liberal organizations. Mr. Shanahan is a mail courier on Route 1. May God Bless them with continued good health for many years to come is the fervent prayer and wish of their host of friends.

Nov. 1961

Birthday greetings to Tom Shanahan who recently became 101 years old.

April. 3. 1987

Speaking of good times, Violet and Gerald Shanahan have returned from a trip to the sunny south. Pinky said that George and Ella Mae Markham are having such a good time that they aren't ready to return from Florida just yet. Who can blame them when March just

March. 6. 1987

ST. LOUIS—Jerome and Paula are pleased to announce the arrival of a beautiful baby girl Jacqueline Amanda, born April 16, 1987 weighing 6 lbs. 7 ozs. Proud grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bet. Great grandparents Mr. Tom Shanahan & Mrs. Beatrice St. Louis.

Louis and Cheryl (Shanahan) Gagnon welcomed their first child, Ashley Doris Yvonne in Brantford. Cheryl is the daughter of Doris and the late Norm Shanahan.

The brothers and sisters of Jim Shanahan surprised him with a birthday party on May 30th at his home on the family farm. Best wishes to Jim who is 59 and holding?

June. 7. 1985

SAUVE — Tara welcomes a sister Trisha Anne, born July 9, 1985, weighing 7 lbs. 12ozs. at Grace Hospital. Proud parents are Wayne and Chris. Grandparents Wayne and Shirley Sauve, Jake and Ellen O'Connor. Great grandparents Mrs. Mabel Brinacombe, Mrs. Sadie O'Connor, Mrs. Stella Sauve, Mrs. Bernadette Taylor. Great Great Grandfather Mr. Tom Shanahan.

Thomas Shanahan spent an enjoyable evening, last Friday, when his son Ray and wife, Helen, took him to the Banquet at Beach Grove Country Club, to honour, the Hon. Paul Martin, who had resigned from the Senate and has been given the Duties of Canadian Ambassador or High Commissioner to England. He had served faithfully Essex County and Windsor for 40 years and his host of friends and Constituents gathered to bid him farewell and wish him continued good health and happiness, with his wife Nell (formerly Martin, of McGregor) in his new endeavour.

Dec. 20. 1974

Nov. 30, 1984 E.P.P.
Aaron James Thomas Katt, son of Alice (Savard) and James Katt was baptized Nov. 25th at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, Windsor by Fr. Wm. Morris. Aaron is the grandchild of Rose and Grant Savard and Edward Katt of Windsor, and great grandchild of Thomas Shanahan, Maidstone.

Horsemen Learn Showmanship

Area horsemen learned the finer skills in all facets of horse-riding Sunday at Little Acres Farm of Paul Rivait, Cottam.

Pat Caza, of Chatham, an English Riding School owner and instructor, and Joanne Cartan, Mt. Albert, the Ontario Barrel Racing champion of 1983, taught grooming, English Pleasure riding and Barrel Racing techniques. The clinic was sponsored by the 40-member Wheatley Mustangs club under direction of Bill Windsor, Leamington.

Barrel racing is the art of riding a horse around barrels on a course in the shortest time without touching them.

It is important to use bandages or splints on the horses legs, Cartan advised, "Even in workouts at home. Your horse can easily hurt itself."

She warned against the use of bandages on the forelegs unless the person is well skilled in applying them.

"Be gentle on the horse's mouth," she warned with emphasis on the need to treat the horse well to get its co-operation. "The equipment should fit well. If it hurts the horse it is not going to work for you."

A horse should be four years old before training for barrel racing begins, and it takes about two years of training for proficiency.

"It is into its prime when it is about 10 or 12 years."

Preparation for showing a horse starts well before the season with correct feeding and exercise, Pat Caza told those in attendance.

For Canadian shows, hair around the ears, chin whiskers, hairs around the nose and eyes must be trimmed. But do it the day before the show so the horse can shake away any hairs that fall into the ears, she said.

She prefers consistent grooming to bathing a horse because the latter method removes the natural oils that make the coat shine.

The care and appearance

CARD OF THANKS
To our Bishop Joe Brietenbeck, and to the Bishop's secretary Monsignor of Grand Rapids, to dad's Godson, Fr. Chris Quinlan and a our very special friend, our parish priest Fr. L. Bastien who celebrated a mass, and to all relatives who came from near and far, our friends, the grandchildren and great grandchildren, who came to make Dad's 99th birthday a very joyous occasion. Thank God for a perfect day.
The Thos. Shanahan family

April. 5. 1985

SHANAHAN

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Here's hoping all the fathers enjoyed Father's Day. Many friends and relatives gathered to honour Tom Shanahan Sr. at his belated 100th birthday party on Sunday, June 15. He was happy to see his old friend, Paul Martin Sr., who dropped in at the homestead for a visit. Congratulations Tom and many more happy returns.

June. 20. 1986



What's going on here the horse appears to be asking as three Shanahan sisters get some pointers on training a horse for barrel racing from Joanne Cartan of Mt. Albert, Eastern Ontario Barrel Racing champion of '83. She was one of the instructors at a clinic in showing and gaming with horses sponsored by the Wheatley Mustangs at the farm of Paul Rivait, Cottam. Seated on the horse is Chris Shanahan. Her sister Anne Marie pats the horse's muzzle as Carolyn strokes its neck. They are from Sandwich South.

Births

WILLSIE — Little Princess - fooled you's all. Mommy and daddy were so surprised when unexpectedly I arrived. My name is Jamie Lee, born at Grace Hospital weighing 5 lbs. 9 ozs. My proud parents are Lenard and Kimberly (O'Connor) who thank God for her quick and safe arrival. Proud grandparents are Mrs. S. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bridgen and Mr. W. (Willie) Willsie. Proud great grandfather is Mr. Thomas Shanahan.

Dec. 7. 1984

St. Mary's parish wishes the Shanahan family, Leo, Dolores, Paul, Allan, Patrick, Brian and Elizabeth, all the best in their new home. They have served their parish and school well as altar boys, readers and volunteering time to share their talents with many. Thank you.

July. 12. 1985

April. 20. 1984

Great grandfather Tom Shanahan has another great grandson. The first born to Shelley and Chris Shanahan on February 7th. Burdette, Frank & Joanne Wade and Helen Shanahan are his grandparents.

March. 6. 1987

SHANAHAN

Mrs. Thomas Shanahan was pleasantly surprised on May 11th, Mother's Day, when all their children, five daughters and eight sons, with their husbands and wives and 39 grandchildren, making a party of 65, were home to visit and make a gala day for their beloved mother, father and grandparents

MAY. 30. 1958

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to all who came to Dad's belated birthday party (Father's Day). Thanks for the many cards and gifts. Thanks also to Fr. Bill Kornacker, Fr. Chris Quinlan, Fr. Bastein and Fr. Mark Barron who came to celebrate with us. Thanks also to Tim and Isabel of Pine Grove Farms for inviting us to their farm.

Sincerely

The Tom Shanahan Family

June 27. 1986

MAIDSTONE CROSS

The Shanahan family will belatedly celebrate the 100th birthday of Tom Shanahan Sr. on Sun., June 15 with an open house from 1-4 at Pine Grove Farm (Tim Shanahan's, Middle Road, Woodlee). All are welcome to attend and the family requests best wishes only.

Other birthday celebrants include Darcy McGregor on the 11th, Christine Cloutier on the 15th, Kevin Flood on the 18th and David Hebert on the 19th.

June. 13. 1986

Congratulations to Norman and Doris Shanahan of the Service Station on Highway 98 at the Townline, on the safe arrival of a daughter at Hotel Dieu, on December 2nd. Mother and daughter well.

Dec. 9. 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan received a congratulatory telegram from the Governor-General of Canada, the Hon. Mr. Vanier and Madam Vanier, on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Nov. 10. 1961

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary Shanahan) whose lovely wedding was an event at St. Mary's Church on Saturday. Rev. Fr. Moss officiated. Reception from 2 to 6 p.m. at Golden House for 200 guests.

Nov. 14. 1958

MAIDSTONE CROSS.

About fifty friends and relatives of Donald Shanahan tendered him a stag party on Thursday, 23rd of May at the Grand Central, Essex. Euchre was enjoyed followed by refreshments and lunch, after which the presentation was made. Donald will marry Miss Helen Nantais at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church, Windsor on June 1st. Reception at Lakewood in the evening.

MAY. 19. 1957

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shanahan (Helen Nantais) on their marriage at Mount Carmel Church, Windsor, on Saturday morning. The Rev. Fr. Donovan officiated. A wedding breakfast at Lakewood Club followed the ceremony. A lovely afternoon reception for over 100 guests at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan. The evening reception for 200 guests at Lakewood was enjoyed. The happy young couple, after their honeymoon, will reside in Windsor.

June 7. 1957

Congratulations to Tim and Joan (Shanahan) Hebert on the birth of their daughter, Michelle, on October 22nd. Proud grandparents are Gerald and Violet Shanahan and John and Rose Hebert.

Nov. 1. 1985

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Your dreams of a white Christmas have just come true but I wonder if most of us would rather forget about it at this late date. After all, the roads are not in peak condition for those post-Christmas sales.

Former Maidstone residents, Dolly and Leo Shanahan and their children, Paul, Alan, Patrick, Brian and Elizabeth have been home for the holidays visiting their families over the past few days. Pat and Brian have

been staying with Gramma and Grampa Shanahan (Violet and Gerald) and the rest of the family has been with the Strong's in Woodlee. They all hope to have left for home in Clifford, Ont. by Tuesday if the weather permits. It's pleasant to renew friendships and share family fun at Christmas.

JAN. 1. 1988

Even though Tom Shanahan is 100 years old he still continues to play cards well. Tom and his daughter, Rosemary Garrod, skunked Oscar Garrod and Jim Shanahan last Sat. night.

Sept. 5. 1986

Fire at Pine Grove

Fire Monday night extensively damaged the home of the Tim Shanahan family on Pine Grove Farms.

Essex firemen answered a second call Tuesday morning when the fire rekindled. They spent six hours fighting the blaze after the 9 p.m. call Monday. Firefighters said it burned in the walls, making it difficult to extinguish.

The house and contents suffered considerable smoke and water damage.

Pine Grove Farms is on the Malden Road in Maidstone Township, east of the Naylor Sideroad (County Road 23). Essex firefighters man the Maidstone Township fire truck.

Feb. 8. 1985

SHANAHAN-WADE—Chris and Shelley thank God for the safe arrival of their first child Jonathon Christopher, weighing 8lbs. 1oz., born at 1:32p.m. Feb. 7, 1987 at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Burdette Wade, Frank & Joanne Wade, and Helen Shanahan. Proud great-grandfather Thomas Shanahan. Special thanks staff at Grace Hospital.



Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shanahan are proud to announce the recent graduation of their daughter, Susan, from the University of Windsor.

Susan graduated with her Bachelor of Arts Degree in Political Science and with a specialty in public administration.

Oct. 10. 1986

DIETRICH—George and Becky (nee Parent) thank God for the safe arrival of their first born, a beautiful baby girl Alexandra Leigh. Born April 7, 1987, she weighed 9 lbs. 8 ozs. Proud grandparents are John and Kathleen Dietrich and Gilbert and Sharon Parent. Delighted great grandparents are Hector and Irene Parent, Sarah O'Connor, Katherine Dietrich and great great grandfather Thomas Shanahan. Ecstatic aunts and uncles, Judith Dietrich and Jennifer and Len Suzor. Special thanks to Case Room and Cafeteria Staff at Grace Hospital, especially Mary.

April. 3. 1987

Fire Causes Extensive Damage To Home



Last Monday evening fire caused extensive damage to the home of Tim and Isabelle Shanahan, owners of Pine Grove Farms, in Maidstone Township. Firemen were called

after 9 p.m. and spent six hours fighting the blaze. The farm buildings were not damaged by the fire.

Photo by Rich Tapping

Feb. 15. 1985

Helen Shanahan Passes

Helen Shanahan, 64 years, passed away May 28, 1987 at Grace Hospital. Late of Maidstone Township.

Beloved wife of Raymond. Dear daughter of the late Nicholas and Florence Ruggaber. Mother of Tim and Isabelle of Woodslee; Garnet and Beatrice of Maidstone; Dennis and Brenda of Victoria, B.C. and Linda and Bob Dalglish of Essex and the late Ruth Ann (1957) and thirteen grandchildren. Dear sister of Rose McAuley of St. Clair Shores, Mich. and Mrs. Leonard Dame (Ida) of Tecumseh, Emile and Gertrude (deceased).

Mrs. Shanahan was a member of The Ladies Altar Society.

Funeral services were held from The Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex. Interment St. Mary's Ceme-

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June 5, 1987

CARD OF THANKS

SHANAHAN — The family of the late Helen Shanahan wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbours for their acts of kindness, sympathy, lovely flower tributes, masses, prayers, gifts of food, kind words and sympathy cards during the loss of my beloved wife, loving mother and dearest Grandma.

Special thanks to Dr. H. Gopinathan and to all the super nurses on Telemetry and C.C.U. Floor at Grace Hospital.

Special thanks to the V.O.N. nurse Julie and the Red Cross Homemakers. Thank you to the pallbearers, honorary pallbearers and the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home.

Special thanks to Fr. Bill Kornacker and to Tim Hebert and the St. Mary's Adult Choir, the tribute to Mom was beautiful. Special thanks to Fr. Quinlan and Fr. Ouellette. Thank you for the donations to the Ontario Heart Fund, the Chronic Care Building Fund and to the Hospice of Windsor. To the Ladies of St. Mary's parish, thank you for the lovely lunch you served in the hall. Again thank you, your help and kindness will always be remembered.

Ray Shanahan
and Family

June 19, 1987

Happy "100th" Birthday TOM SHANAHAN



Pictured above, from left to right, Mr. Tom Shanahan, Emmet McCoy, Sylvestre McGuire and Jim McCoy.

**YOU'RE A WONDERFUL DAD,
GRANDFATHER &
GREAT GRANDFATHER
BEST WISHES**

Love

Sadie O'Connor & Family

March 28, 1986



Tom Shanahan, 96, is looking forward to seeing Halley's Comet in 1986. He saw it on its last visit in 1910.

Feb. 26, 1983

Clan patriarch as spry as ever

TOM SHANAHAN, the perky patriarch of Maidstone Township's Shanahan clan, is one month away from his 97th birthday.

Despite his age he still has an excellent memory — whether dealing with yesteryear or just last week.

His home has always been on the same farm, on Conc. 7 at North Middle Road, where he was born March 28, 1886.

Less than a year ago, this near-centenarian recorded the death of his first school teacher. His beloved schoolmarm, Clara Murphy, of Wood-slee, had reached the ripe old age of 107.

Tom and his late wife Alice were blessed with 15 children, and their offspring number 65 grandchildren, 75 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

He saw Halley's Comet on its last visit in 1910, and hopes to be around to see its scheduled return in 1986.

A witness to the arrival of the automobile era and the age of flight, Tom drove a tractor on his farm until he was 85, but he has never travelled in a plane and has no desire to fly.

His wife became the celebrated political worker who nominated Canada's politician extraordinaire, Paul Martin, the first time he sought the Liberal nod in Essex East in 1935, and nominated Paul each election time during his 33 years as an MP. She managed some of the campaigns, as well.

"He was a great fellow to get votes," Tom said of Oom Paul. "He'd stop to speak to people on the street. He'd talk to them. Some poor, old hard-working fellow liked to be recognized. It's funny — a guy comes in from out of town and knows the names of the people here."

Martin, who went on to become a cabinet minister, a senator and Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain, had compliments, too, about Tom, and the rest of the Shanahans, this week.

"I have no greater friends than that family, and Tom, the most important surviving member and the father of the clan at 97 years of age, is a model for the relationship that I have always sought for my constituents and party workers."

"Many of his friends flock to the Shanahan farm in Maidstone Township to see Tom as he sits around the kitchen table near the old kitchen stove which I remember so well from my earlier political days."

"The Shanahans believed in political participation and I numbered them among my most valuable workers, supporters and friends."

"In saluting Tom Shanahan, I project him as a model for anyone who wants to be a good citizen."

Tom and Paul both recalled how the Shanahan home was the last stop of election night victory celebration motorcades throughout the riding.

Tom, who still sits mostly in the kitchen, has peppery comments on what's going on in the world today.



JIM CORNETT'S PEOPLE

Recalling how farmers worked when he was a young man, he declared: "It was all work. There was no play. Now they're playing football or hockey. There's nobody working at all."

"In the old days, if you got a dollar a day, you were a millionaire. Now they're given \$10 an hour and it's not enough."

Tom feels it's the banks' fault for farmers going broke these days.

"The banks are to blame for lending them the money. You couldn't get a nickel if you had a 100-acre farm free and clear, because the bank managers got their orders from the head gazooks. But then the interest rate went up to 18 or 20 per cent and they wanted to lend the money to the farmers."

Recalling the arrival of cars, he chuckled: "You should have seen the horses go crazy when they saw an automobile! Now the colts don't move — they're used to seeing them from the yard."

Tom smiled at remembering a neighbor's first encounter with a telephone. A woman returning from a general store in Maidstone told a friend: "Poor Mr. Morand has gone out of his head — he's talking to a hole in the wall." She was serious, said Tom.

Advances in technology drew this comment: "There's no comparison between now and then. There's so much machinery. There's the computer. If you're wrong, it'll tell you. They say that's going to spoil education — it won't."

Tom remembered the number of arms and hands severed when mechanical corn pickers and corn shredders came upon the scene. In a 10-year period in Essex, Kent and Lambton Counties, "42 hands were lost on farms", he said.

Tom drank "very little" liquor and says he hasn't "smoked more than six packages of cigarettes" in his life.

"Some people kill themselves drinking. Some people kill themselves eating. I believe chewing (tobacco) isn't as bad as smoking because you're spitting it out. Women smoked clay pipes 100 years ago."

Tom was the youngest of 10 children of John Shanahan, who emigrated from Limerick, Ireland, in the 1850s, and Rose Smith, who was born on the same concession road as Tom.

Part of the house in which Tom was born still exists. The kitchen is being used for a garage by a cousin, Ed Mahon.

Tom married Alice McGuire in 1911, moved his current sent home to the property in 1914, and built his barn in 1916 with the help of 75 neighbors. He engaged in mixed farming.

Today he has a flock of 20 sheep and a grandson, Tim Shanahan, works the land.

Tom's wife died in 1974 at the age of 84 and five of their children — Leo, Tom, Don, Helen and Rita (Mrs. Ted Deehan) — have died.

Remaining children, all of whom reside in the area, are Gerald, Ray, John, Vince, Jim (who resides with his father), Norm, Sadie (Mrs. Gerald O'Connor), Dorothy (Mrs. Francis St. Louis), Mildred (Mrs. John Roberts) and Rose Mary (Mrs. Grant Garrod).

"I never thought I'd live this long," said Tom, who still wants to live a while yet, especially to see Halley's Comet again. That would make him 100.



TOM SHANAHAN

100 years down on the farm

**By Jim Cornett
Star Staff Reporter**

Tom Shanahan was stoic and realistic when he replied to the expected question of how he felt about his 100th birthday on Good Friday.

"It's not going to change anything. It's too late now," said the popular patriarch of the Shanahan clan of Maidstone Township.

He had hoped he would spend the day on the farm on Conc. 7 at North Middle Road, where he has lived all his life.

But the father of 15 children has been in Windsor Western Hospital Centre for three weeks recuperating from a bad cold.

"If it wasn't for this cold, it would be wonderful," he sniffed.

Regarding the party his nine surviving children and others planned for him at Pine Grove Farms, owned by grandson Tim Shanahan, he declared: "As soon as I get out of here, we'll try it again. I'm not going to let a little thing like this stop me."

In the interval, his family had a mass for him on Palm Sunday at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Maidstone.

His determination to get going again is typical of the hardy life he led on his farm, where he drove a tractor until he was 85.

He once compared farming in the past to farming today by saying: "It was all work. There was no play. Now they're playing football or hockey. There's nobody working at all."

Shanahan drank "very little" liquor and couldn't recall smoking more than half a dozen packages of cigarettes in his lifetime.

He brightened at hearing that Paul Martin had been concerned about him being in hospital.

It was Shanahan's late wife, Alice, who nominated Martin the first time he sought the Liberal nomination in Essex East (now Windsor-Walkerville) in 1935 and nominated him each election time during his 33 years as an MP.

"My wife ran some of his campaigns and worked hard to get him elected every time and he never forgot," Shanahan said of Martin. "He said he's coming to see me when he gets back home. And I know he will."

The Shanahan home was the last stop for the Martin motorcades which wended their way through the riding in celebration of victory at the polls.

Shanahan is anxious to see Halley's Comet as he did in 1910 — "It almost hit the ground last time" — but he still has no desire to have his first airplane trip.

The only trip he wants is by car to his home. And the sooner the better.

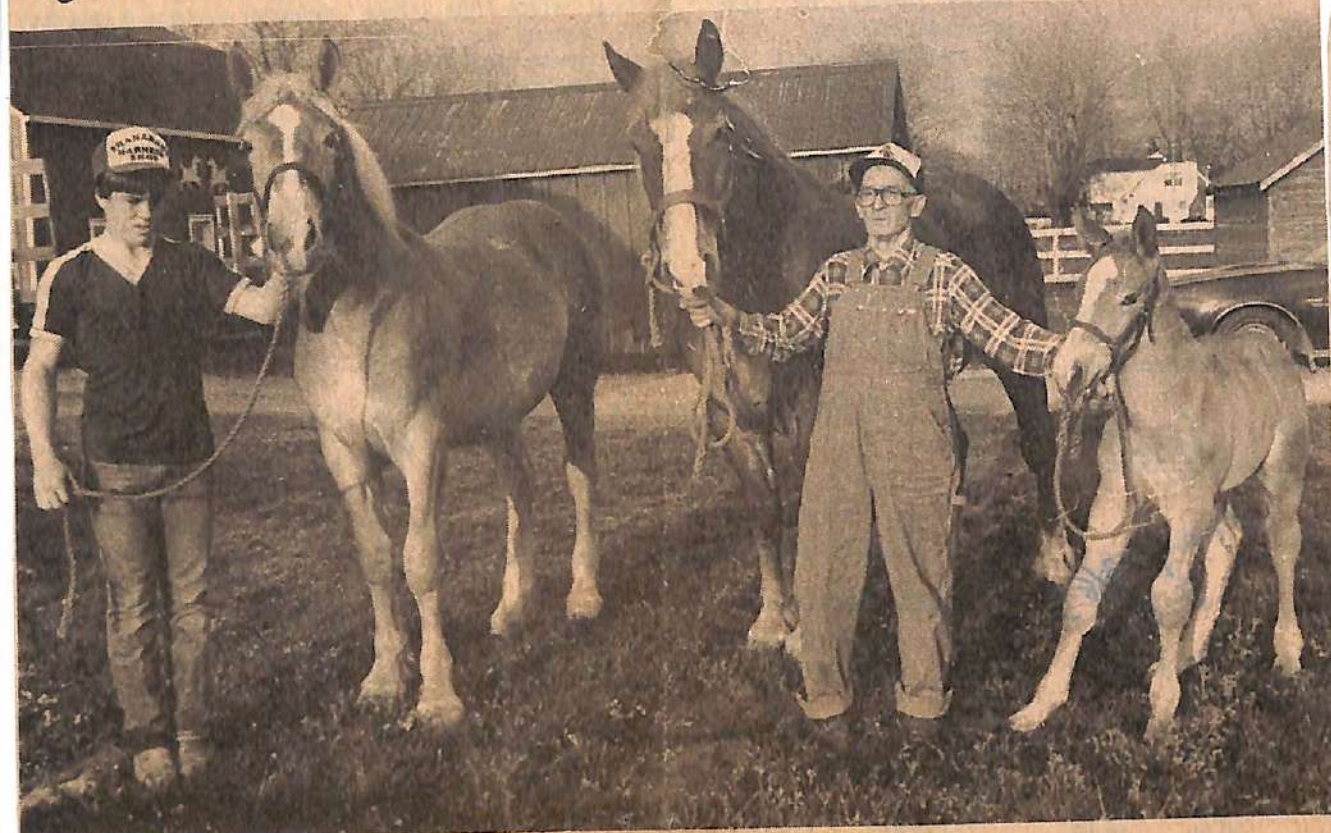
March 27, 1986

SHANAHAN—Jim, Mike and Tom thank God for the safe and healthy arrival of their new sister, Randi Lynn on July 29, 1988. The proud and blessed parents, Ken and Brenda wish to give special thanks to Dr. McLeod and Dr. Hasen, to The Met Hospital and O.B. Staff, especially to Karen Lynn, to Grandma Helen Shanahan and family and friends for support and prayers. Also to grandparents, Ben and Ruth Shaw and family of Peace River, Alta. We love you all.

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Aug. 25/87 E.S.P.
Violet + Gerald Shanahan and Sue (Shanahan) and Marie Vadori visited this past weekend in Toronto at the home of their daughter and son-in-law Donna and Vic Harris and family

My! How Fast These Youngsters Grow



This is ma and her two young'uns and that big girl on the left is only a year old. April is held by Robert Shanahan, who helped his grandfather, Ray Shanahan, line up the three purebred Clydesdales; daughter, mother and son. Ray

has owned Clydesdales for forty years, first as work horses and now for show purposes. The colt bears the proud name of Naden's Charlie II.

MAY. 13. 1983

Local Designer of Minister's Christmas Card



December 21, 1984 - Essex Free Press.

Paul Shanahan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shanahan displays some of his artwork Stripe the gremlin, a character sketch and animal sketch, along with two recent awards for

his entries in 4-H competition. Paul's design for a Christmas card was accepted by the provincial minister of agriculture as his personal greeting.

SHANAHAN

Dec. 21, 1984 - E.F.P.



This is the Christmas card designed by Paul Shanahan of Maidstone Township for the minister of agriculture, Dennis Timbrell. Paul's design of a wreath with sprigs of wheat, grapes, apples, pears and peaches was one of 41 entries in the competition for 4-H members. The card was sent by the minister as his personal Christmas greetings and was identified as the work of Paul.

The Christmas Card Dennis Timbrell, Provincial Minister of Agriculture sent to his friends, was designed by a Maidstone Township youth.

Paul Shanahan, a student at Ste. Anne's high school, Tecumseh, had the winning design among 41 entries from Ontario 4-H members.

For that he won plaques from the minister and the local 4-H and the honour of having lunch with Timbrell's assistant, Bob Eaton. That was a very special luncheon with Mr. Eaton for Paul, the second and third place winners, and their parents.

Paul came close to missing that opportunity. Ian Rumbles, the local 4-H director with ministry of agriculture Essex office, suggested Paul enter because he had won in 4-H competitions.

But Paul didn't get busy until two days before the deadline when his mother, Mrs. Leo Shanahan, urged him to create an entry. With family suggestions, Paul painted a wreath with sprigs of wheat behind it and the fruits of Essex county in it, using colour pencil and pen.

Entries could be black and white but Paul reports the minister commended his colour effect as well as the design.

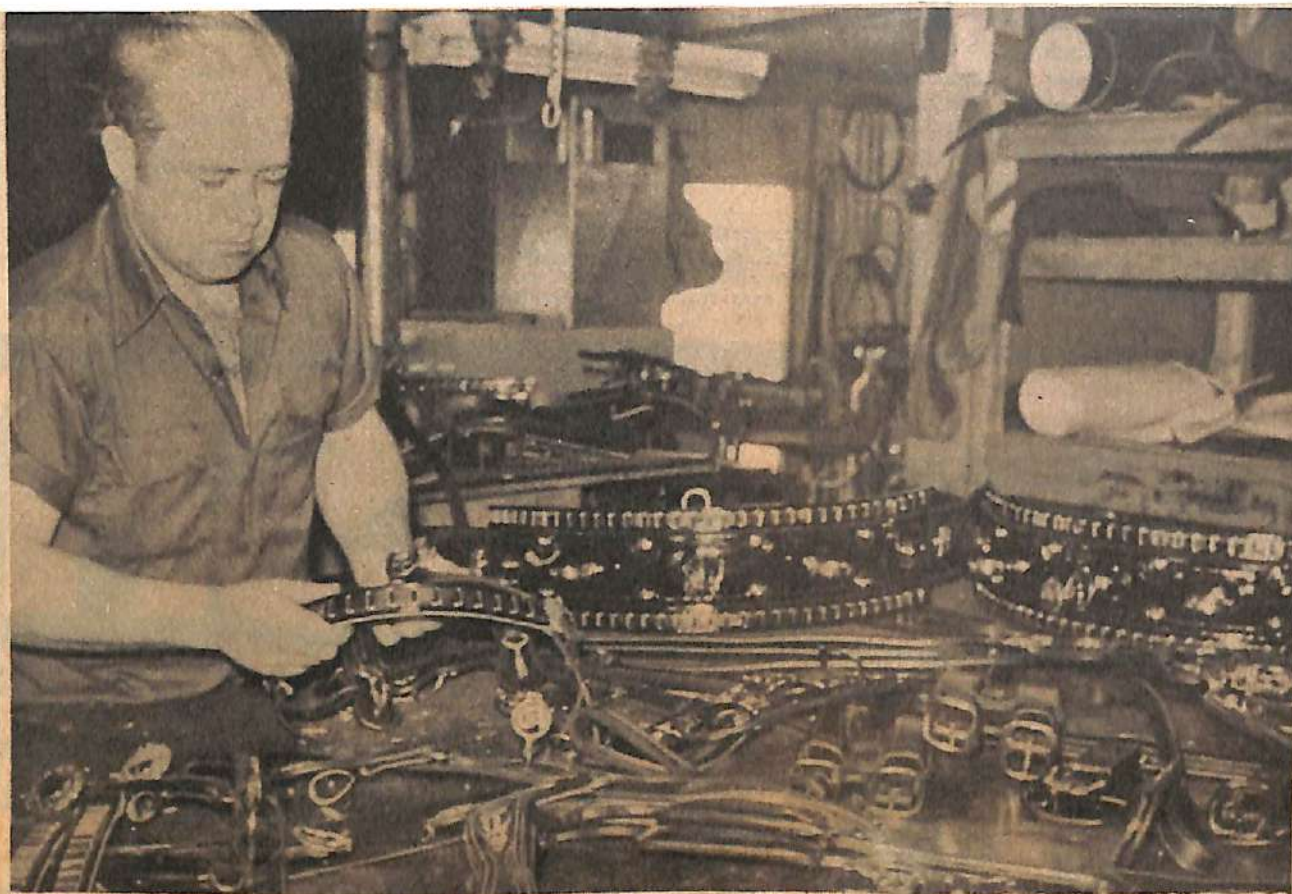
Art has captivated Paul since he was a pre-schooler. Along with his art course at high school he has taken two courses in sculpture, ceramics, oil painting and charcoal sketches from Al Linnel, the art director for the Essex County Civic and Education Centre.

His skill will become his career.

"I'm going to put it (training) to use in computer graphics," Paul said.

The high school course will prepare him as a professional artist and for entry into an art institute or university.

Perhaps the most artistic animals and he has been of his 4-H posters was one of doing some artwork in his a rooster with the caption, welding classes, such as a Don't Just Scratch the gift for his Grandfather - but Surface, Dig Deeper, Become Involved in 4-H. Of course the poster carried the 4-H emblem.



Garnet Shanahan assembles parts of a double harness.

Draft horse harness so beautiful, it can be described as a work of art, is being made by Garnet and Beatrice Shanahan of Maidstone Twp., and worn by teams of four and six horses as they travel the show circuit across the continent.

There's nothing of nostalgia in the harness shop where the two of them make the gleaming, fine quality sets of harness. The cement block workshop is new; not used long enough for the smell of dyed leather to permeate it. The Shanahans themselves, are a new kind of harness maker, making harness for show purposes and probably the youngest (in their early thirties) of the half dozen of the North American continent doing so. Of those six they are the only man and wife partnership.

They are new to the job; as new as the revival of interest in draft horses, the big Percherons, Belgians and Clydesdales that used to pull great loads for the farmers. This is the first year Garnet has made harnessmaking his full time employment.

He started three years ago after his father asked him if he thought he could make a harness for the show team he had just bought. Garnet had been making repairs to the harness used on the horses he and his brother Tim had in partnership on Pine Grove Farm where they gave sleigh rides in winter and summer hayrides.

When he was a boy the construction of a horse harness puzzled Garnet but the idea of being a harness maker never entered his youthful dreams because, he says, he thought the possibility was beyond his reach.

"Ever since I was this high," Garnet said indicating a spot just above the knee of his short and stocky body, "it always aggravated me as to how a harness was made and I wanted to know how those old harness makers did it."

In a cement block workshop constructed for the purpose, Garnet and Beatrice work together almost silently with a radio tinkling in the background unnoticed. Garnet thrusts out his lower lip as he concentrates on packing a horse collar with rye straw and Beatrice's slim hands deftly guide a long rein through the sewing machine. Five year old Danny plays in and out of the shop door. The two older children, Bobby, 11 and Lynn 8, have jobs they can do.

Although in the three years he has put his harness in demand across the United States and in Canada, it is not a get-rich-quick business. Garnet could earn a better income by working in his trade of tool and die maker but he and Beatrice value this independence (and the joy of a family enterprise) along with pride in workmanship that involves their older children.

It takes them six to eight weeks to hand craft a double harness. Garnet makes the collars, cuts the leather and dyes it, makes small ornaments, while Beatrice stitches the fine, even edging or blacks and polishes the raw edges.

Most of his harness is bought in the States largely because of the proximity of his shop to the American border. He has done little actual advertising but got a boost in sales when his Iowa customer put a tribute in his show horse ad to Garnet Shanahan of Maidstone,

Canada, for the fine set of new harness his horses wear.

He says another reason for his American sales is because of the six harness makers in all of North America, only two are in the United States. The other four are in Canada.

His father's horses wore their new harness at a show in Calgary and an order for one like it was sent home with them. Then they went to another show in Washington and again brought back an order. Garnet continued to make his living in the tool and die trade and make harness as a hobby and eventually worked in the factory only during the winter months.

"Even last Christmas we wondered if it was the right thing to continue harness making or if I should go to my trade full time. Since then it just turned over so much more that it's the first year we have had orders ahead for a year's work."

When Garnet talks of his work he always speaks of it as a partnership with Beatrice by saying, "we", even when he speaks of making the collars, a heavy job which he does alone.

He shapes a V-throated collar to prevent choking of the horses windpipe as it strains to pull against the harness. Then he adds special touches, both for proper fit and for the show effect of a specially shaped top and a patent leather trim.

They are packed with rye straw, which fortunately is available in Essex County. Hand stuffing them didn't make them firm enough to suit Garnet's ideas of perfection and durability, so he made a machine with what he calls a stuffing rod.

"We saw pictures of one used around the turn of the century, so I went ahead and made one from that."

He holds the collar, firmly braced against his hip, while the thrust of the rod packs the straw deeply into the throat and sides of the collar. The final packing and stitching he does by hand, alternating from one to the other as he shapes and packs.

"Unless they are very hard, they soon lose shape and the leather wears through," Garnet said as he indicated a bare spot where the rye straw was showing, on an old collar.

To make a collar with his show-style top and patent leather trim, takes three days.

His first harnesses were cut and made entirely by hand with the exception of the sewing done on a suitable machine he found near Essex. To find machines, the family travelled to towns across Alberta to Nova Scotia on numerous trips. Now they have the cutting, sewing and stamping machines and the tools they need.

"Most of ours are reclaimed", he said. "They were discarded at least forty years ago."

He uses 18 different cutting dies to make one harness and it is cut from 7 sides of leather; three of English leather and 4 of Canadian.

"The English leather has a very smooth, polished finish," he explained.

To put his harness in demand he had to come up with original ideas to add quality.

"We make our own ornamental chain. We have figured a way to hold it in place so it doesn't shift and we give it a special finish so

it won't deteriorate.

Making the chain is the children's job. Dad stamps it out and they assemble it. It would take the two of them two days to make a hundred feet.

The chain is used to decorate the edges of the backpad.

With the set of harness complete, the family goes along to make delivery, combining the trip with a holiday. They have been to Washington, Minnesota and Michigan, so far. If the destination of the harness is too far away, it is shipped, but Garnet says there is a greater satisfaction for his customer to have it delivered personally rather than having to take it out of a box. Garnet can fit it to the horse that will wear it by adjusting buckles and straps. All he needs with an order is the

weight of the horse.

While he was unloading one set for a customer at a fair, he had an order before he got it out of the truck. Another customer who had enquired about a white harness because he wanted something uniquely different, saw one of the Shanahan sets of harness on a team at a show and immediately was satisfied he would have something beautiful on his horses if he ordered a set. His horses will wear them as they travel to shows up and down the Pacific Coast.

Those are the harnesses the Shanahans will be making over the next year.

The Shanahans are building their business on quality so they will be harness-makers for a lifetime.

"It's not just for now, but I'm looking down the road ahead," says Garnet.

Congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. Daniel McCarthy on their marriage on Saturday at Holy Rosary Church, Windsor.

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Shanahan were happily surprised, when all their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, gathered at their home for a "Picnic style dinner" on Father's Day. It was also Dorothy's Birthday and Monday was Francis and Dorothy's St. Louis wedding anniversary. Their son Tom Jr. will celebrate his??? Birthday on Saturday. Mr. Shanahan enjoyed the day reminiscing of other happy Father's Days.

June 23, 1972

There were eighty children, grandchildren and three great grandchildren gathered at the home of Thomas Shanahan Sr. on the occasion of his 89th birthday, last week to wish him much happiness and good wishes for continued good health. Donald's daughter, Connie, made the huge birthday cake decorated with 89 candles. Presenting it to her grandfather, to blow out the candles.

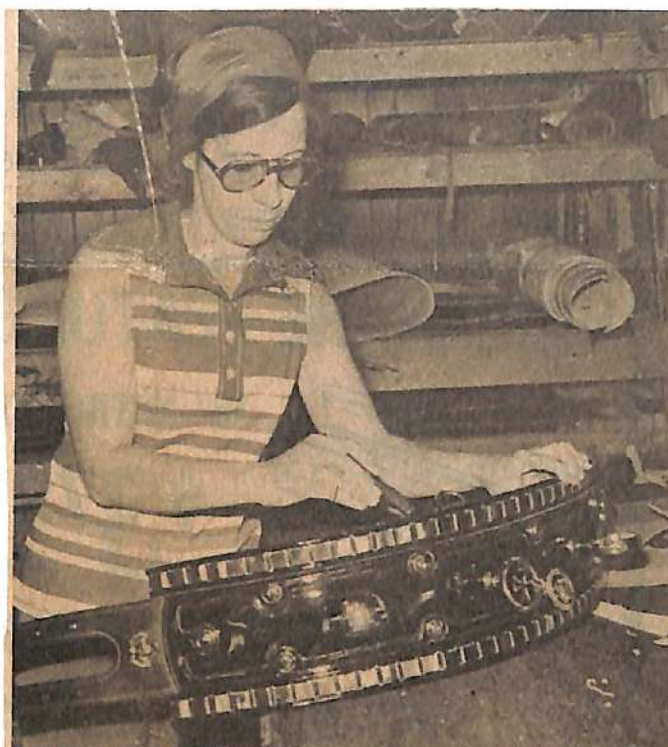
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dles as Tom was enjoying his favourite game of euchre. Many more happy days from your host of friends.

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The harder the collar, the better it wears, says Garnet Shanahan so he hand makes them, stuffing them with rye straw.



Beatrice Shanahan does the sewing and polishing of much of the harness.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis entertained on Sunday at a buffet supper to honour Mrs. St. Louis' (Dorothy Shanahan) mother, Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, on the occasion of her 74th birthday. There were 35 members of the family present for the happy day. Congratulations to Mrs. Shanahan from her host of friends and best wishes for many more happy birthdays.

Oct. 18. 1963

PLEASANT PARK

A very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Tom Shanahan on Father's Day, with 85 of their family on hand, with grandchildren and great grandchildren around 5 o'clock in the evening. Tables on the lawn were filled with everything and everyone had a swell time. The instigator Mr. & Mrs. Osar Garrod. A complete surprise.

Aug. 11. 1978

Mrs. Thomas Shanahan Dies

Mrs. Alice Shanahan, aged 84 yrs., wife of Thomas Shanahan, Maldstone Twp., passed away, on Wednesday, April 17th, following only a few weeks of ill-health.

Mrs. Shanahan was a very devout public spirited citizen. She was a member of St. Mary's C. W.L.; the Altar Society; Our Lady of Angel Assn. and the Martyr's Shrine Assn.; President of the Liberal Assn., Maldstone Twp. the past 35 years or more and Pleasant Park correspondent for the Free Press for close to 50 years.

Surviving, besides her husband, are eight sons, Gerald, Ray, Thomas, James, of Maldstone Twp.; John and Vince, Tecumseh; Norman, Donald, of Windsor; four daughters, Dorothy (Mrs. Francis St. Louis); Rosemary (Mrs. Grant Garrod), Maldstone Twp.; Mildred (Mrs. John Robert), Windsor; Mrs. Sadie O'Connor, Essex; 64 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren; also a brother, Sylvester McGuire, Maldstone Twp. Two daughters, Rita (Mrs. Ted Deehan), (1972); Helen (1921) and a son, Leo, (1929), predeceased their mother.

Funeral services in charge of the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home were held in St. Mary's church, on Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, Rev. Fr. Marentette officiating at Requiem High Mass. Interment was in the Church Cemetery.

Young Girl Fatally Injured.



A large number of relatives and friends from this section attended the wake and funeral of Carol Shanahan on last Friday from Marcotte Funeral Home to St. Anne's Church, with Requiem High Mass by Fr. Freker and interment in Church Cemetery. Carol is survived by her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Shanahan of No. 2 Highway, one brother Jack and one sister Jean and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Heman St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shanahan and several aunts and uncles. Her pallbearers were six of her uncles, James Norman and Donald Shanahan and Edward, Wally, and Maurice St. Louis.

Aug. 23. 1957

Congratulations to Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, of Maldstone Twp., in her being honoured at the Annual East Essex Liberal Association get-together, last Friday evening. Mrs. Shanahan has been an ardent, conscientious worker for the past 30 years. The Minister of External Affairs, the Hon. Paul Martin, spoke with a glowing tribute to her ever-capable work and presented her with a pen that was used by President Lyndon Johnson, in the signing of the Columbia River Treaty. Surely, a momentous keep-sake as a remembrance of a happy evening, for her many years of work. Your host of friends, Alice, are happy for you and wishing you many more years of good health and happiness.

Dec. 4. 1964

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) will celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary on Friday, November 4. The celebration will begin with their Anniversary Mass of Thanksgiving at 4:30 p.m., at St. Mary's Church, where they were wed, with his Excellency Bishop Joseph T. Breitenbach, of Detroit, singing the Mass. His Excellency is Mr. Shanahan's grand nephew, being Mr. Shanahan's late oldest sister, Mary Quinlan's grandson. A family dinner will follow at the Shawnee Tavern. The host of friends of the Shanahan's will be wishing them continued happiness and good health on this happy occasion, and especially for Bishop Breitenbach being able to be with them.

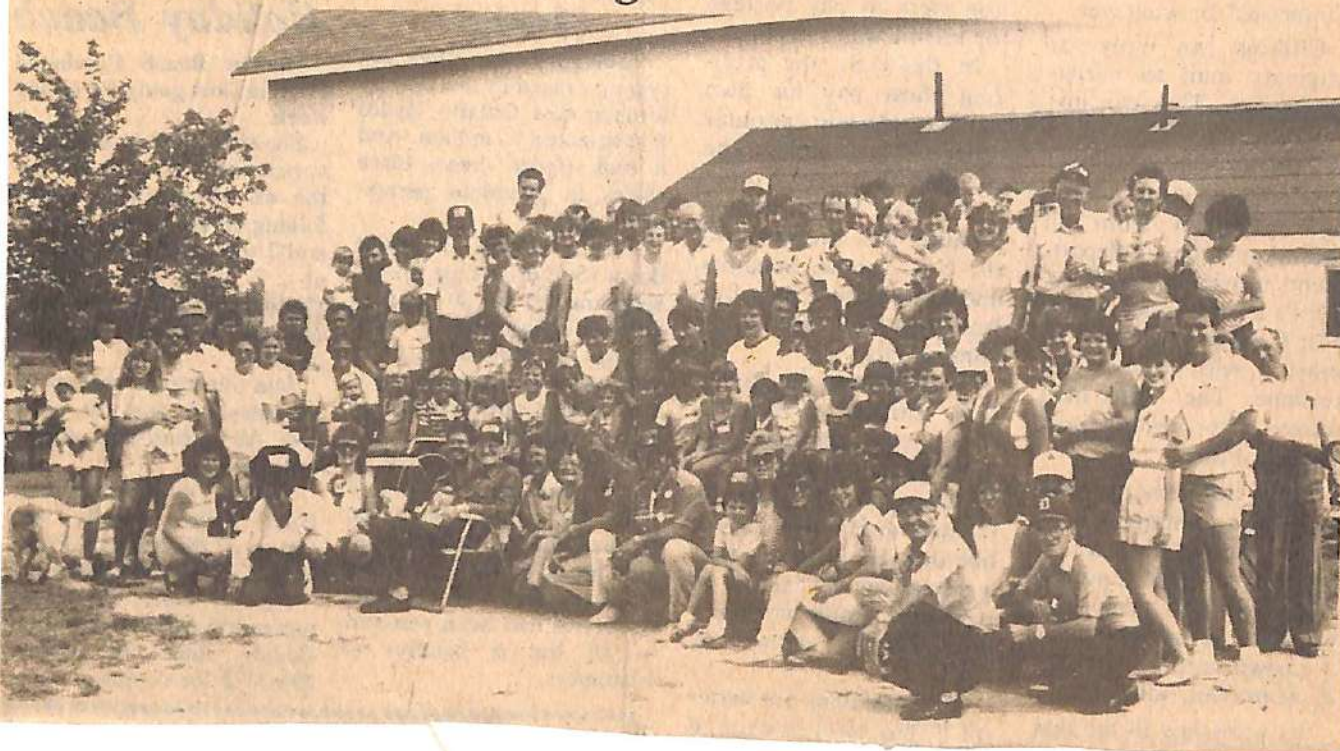
Oct. 28. 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) had their family picnic on Sunday, at the farm of their nephews, Tim and Garnet Shanahan, on the Malden Road, Maldstone Twp. There were 106 members of their family on hand for a joyous day. The younger folk enjoyed a hayride, drawn by a fine team of horses. Some of the family were unable to attend but, Vincent Shanahan, of Toronto, was home, and there were 10 great-grandchildren present. Many more years of happy gatherings are hoped for Tom and Alice.

Aug. 30. 1968

April. 26. 1974

The Shanahan Clan Gets Together



SHANAHAN

The Shanahan Clan has gotten together again. On Sunday, July 21st it was the "Shanahan Reunion '85".

It was held at Pine Grove Farms owned and operated by Tim and Isabelle Shanahan and family.

The clouds started rolling in at about 11 a.m., the rain began falling, but still with the overcast, we were determined to carry on with the day as planned. Families begin arriving at about 1:30, everyone with their smiles, picnics, lawn chairs, everything they needed for a good day.

With Grandpa arriving at about 2:30 the day was

brightened and ready to begin.

Games began about 3 with Potato Sac Races, 3 legged Races, Wheelbarrow Races, Watermelon Eating contest and Water balloon throwing contest. The games were held for kids ages 4 to 15 years.

From there came games for the kids ages 6 months to 3 year olds, the crawling races and running races.

The adults were not forgotten, their games included the Potato Sac Race, Water balloon throwing contest and the one they loved the most, the Ski Race!! (Maybe next time John Ridder's team will be able to get the skies over the starting line!! It has to be left, right, left, right!!) Best of luck next time.

From that point, the families sat down, brought out their picnics and enjoyed a good meal. Hayrides followed along with log sawing, baseball games and of course the goodbyes.

There were about 160 in attendance for the day. A family tree was made up where we calculated that Grandpa has 9 out of 15 children alive today, 58 grandchildren, 80 great grandchildren and 7 great great grandchildren.

All in all it was a successful day and a whole lot of fun for all.

Coming from myself, I was happy to see such a good turn out, to see Grandpa sitting back with a smile on his face taking everything in. The kids running, playing and giggling, the laughter, the smiles, the winners and everyone who came.

Maybe there will be another reunion, but if not next year or the year after, at least we will have these memories to hold on to until the next one.

Until then thanks for making my day and the Shanahan Reunion '85 a day of success and a whole lot of memories.

Love Alice

Aug. 9/85 E. J. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan were happily surprised at their home, last Saturday evening when their family gathered to honour them on the occasion of their sixty-first wedding anniversary. Euchre was enjoyed by the older members, especially "Tom" who really enjoys a good game of Cards. Rosemary their youngest daughter and her husband had a "double" celebration, that being their fourteenth wedding anniversary. All left after a bountiful evening meal, wishing their beloved parents, many more years of happiness and Good Health and their host of friends echo a belated congratulations.

Nov. 10. 1972

Miss Margaret Quinlan of Detroit and Mr. Sylvester McGuire, brother of Mrs. Shanahan, will be present at the anniversary ceremony. They were the attendants 50 years ago.

The sons and daughters are Gerald, Raymond, John, Thomas Jr., Vincent, James, Norman, Donald, Mrs. Jerry O'Connor, Mrs. Ted Deehan, Mrs. Francis St. Louis, Mrs. John Roberts and Mrs. Grant Garrod. The children will entertain at a reception Saturday following a family dinner at the Shawnee Tavern.

The bride, the former Alice McGuire, is well known in Liberal women's organizations in the area. Her husband was born on the farm on which they have always lived.



MR. AND MRS. THOMAS SHANAHAN

13 Children to Honor Parents on Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday surrounded by their 13 children. The Shanahans were married on Nov. 4, 1911, in St. Mary's Church in Maidstone. A high mass will be said in their honor on their anniversary in that same church.

Nov. 3. 1961

The host of friends of the Shanahan families, residents of this community and St. Mary's Parish for five generations, were happily surprised when, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan were notified that Right Rev. Joseph Mathew Breitenback, was named Auxiliary Bishop of the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit. Monsignor Breitenback is only 51 years old and is a grandnephew of Tom and his brother John Shanahan, of Detroit, the last surviving members of the large family of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Shanahan, of 7th Concession, Maidstone Twp., pioneers of here. Mons. Joe's grandmother was the late Mary Shanahan, who was married to Captain William Quinlan, of Detroit and his mother was the late Mae (Quinlan) and late Mr. Breitenback. His brother, Rev. Fr. Gerard Breitenback C.S.S.R., is on the staff of the Liguorian and another brother, Fr. James Breitenback lost his life in Texas, in an auto accident, coming to his mother's funeral. Mons Breitenback was secretary to the late Cardinal Mooney of Detroit and was with him in Rome, when the late Cardinal died. His host of relatives and friends are wishing him Blessings and good health on his appointment, which was announced in Washington, D.C., on October, 20th by Archbishop Egidio Vagnozzi, Apostolic delegate to the United States.

Oct. 29. 1965

Shanahan Re-union . . .

Aug. 29, 1975



TOM AND HIS DESCENDANTS — The children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and even great, great grandchildren of Thomas Shanahan gathered for a family re-union. Mr. Shanahan, who is 89, is in the right hand

corner of the picture surrounded by part of his many descendants. He has 64 grandchildren and 43 great-grandchildren.

The many friends and relatives in this community will be happy to learn that Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) was honoured on Monday night by The Paul Martin Rural Liberal Ladies at a party at the home of Mrs. Edward Doyle, in Tecumseh. The occasion was the resignation of Mrs. Shanahan, after many years and untiring work, and rewarding work, for the Association. A presentation of a combination can opener and knife sharpener was appreciated. (N.B.: Tom, no more sharpening knives, but look out for the can goods dinner.) Mrs. Shanahan has been a great organizer, which results have shown and her proficient work will be sorely missed, as her long tenure in office. No doubt the honouree will still keep in touch and her host of friends will hope for continued good health, to coach the younger Liberals. Mrs. Shanahan thanked the Ladies who have worked with her, for this happy occasion of honouring her.

Feb. 12, 1965

Edgar Shanahan, age 65 yrs. years of St. Clair Shores, Mich., passed away on Sat. after a long illness. Deceased is the son of John Shanahan, 96 yrs., a native of Maldstone Twp. and the late Etta McMahon. Besides his aged father, bereaved also is three daughters, Mrs. Susan Bornols, Mrs. Mary Hogan, Mrs. Joanne Dunn, three sisters, Mrs. Margaret Brogan, Mrs. Sarah Sickles, Mrs. Bernice Casto and seven grandchildren. Funeral was held from Fred H. Kauf Funeral Home,

28433 Jefferson E., St. Clair Shores, Mich. to St. Gertrude Church at 10 a.m. Tuesday morning for mass. R.I.P. Thomas Shanahan Sr., 90 yrs., of Maldstone Twp. and Mrs. Ernest Murphy, age 93 yrs., (Josephine Shanahan) of Sandwich South Twp., are uncle and aunt of the late Edgar Shanahan.

Nov. 26, 1976

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan will celebrate their 55th wedding anniversary on (this) Friday, November 4th. The Mass of Thanksgiving will be sung by Tom's grand nephew, His Excellency Bishop Joseph T. Breinbeck, of Detroit, assisted by their pastor, Rev. Fr. J. M. Fogarty. Mass at 4:30 p.m. with friends and relatives meeting the Bishop after the Mass. Dinner will follow for the family at the Shawnee Gun Club. The Shanahan immediate family consist now of 100 members, when their grandson, Garnet married the former Beatrice Byrne. Many more years of good health and continued happiness is sincerely wished Tom and Alice (McGuire) by their host of friends and relatives.

Another happy occasion at the Thomas Shanahan's 55th wedding anniversary will be that the original attendants will be present. They are Sylvester McGuire, Alice's brother, and Miss Margaret Quinlan, of Detroit, Tom's niece and the Bishop's aunt.

Nov. 4, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) of 7th Conc. Maldstone Twp. will observe their 62nd wedding anniversary on Nov. 7th. This highly respected couple are the parents of 13 children: Gerald, Raymond, Tom and Jim of Maldstone Twp, John of Sandwich South, Norman and Donald of Windsor, Vincent of Tecumseh, Mrs. Sadie O'Connor of Essex, the late

Mrs. Ted Deehan (Rita), Mrs. Frances St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Oscar Garrod (Rosemary) of Maldstone, Mrs. John Roberts (Mildred) of Windsor. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan are enjoying good health and enjoy a good game of euchre. Best wishes for health and happiness are extended from the community.

Nov. 1, 1973

SHANAHAN

Commentators next Sunday in St. Mary's church 9 a.m. J. Bissonnette, 11 a.m. F. Langan. Sup. office help, Frank Renaud and Ray Shanahan.

Dan. L. McLean of Toronto visited his mother Mrs. D.J. McLean last weekend.

Second Annual Social Evening of St. Mary's School, Sunday, May 5th, at St. Joachim Hotel. Tickets available at the school.

Banns of marriage at St. Mary's church on Sunday, for David Wehby and Barbara Massong.

St. Mary's church on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock was filled for the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, who passed away at her home on Wednesday evening, after a few weeks illness. Born in Maldstone Twp. daughter of the late Timothy McGuire and Sarah (McHugh) on Oct. 15th, 1889, deceased lived there all her life, and was highly respected. Being a very charitable worker for her church, township and country. Deceased was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society, C.W.L., Our Lady of Angels Society and Canadian Martyr's Association. Active and a staunch worker and President of the Liberal Association for 35 years. She was honoured upon her retirement. The number of friends and relatives who visited S.L. Kennedy Funeral Home, to show their respect of deceased and express their sympathy to her bereaved husband and family, showed the esteem held for her. Among them the Hon. Senator Paul Martin, Donald Emerson, Adrian Tillier and Richard Ruston, M.L.A., who also attended the funeral. Gene Whelan was stranded in Saskatchewan and was represented by his wife, Mrs. "Liz" Whelan. Left to mourn her passing is her beloved husband, Thomas Shanahan, beloved mother of Gerald, Raymond, Thomas Jr., James, (Dorothy) Mrs. Francis St. Louis, (Rosemary) Mrs. Grant Garrod, all of Maldstone, (Sady) Mrs. Gerald O'Connor, Essex, (Mildred) Mrs. John Robert, Norman and Donald, all of Windsor, John and Vincent, of Tecumseh, 64 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren and her brother, Sylvester McGuire, of Maldstone. Predeceasing their mother is (Rita) Mrs. Ted Deehan (1972), Helen (1921) and Leo (1929). They were blessed with 15 children and had many happy wedding anniversaries being married 63 years. Rev. Fr. Christopher Quinlan sang the mass and delivered the Homily. Interment was in the Family Plot in St. Mary's Cemetery with her Pastor, Rev. Fr. A.P. Marentette at the graveside service. Rest in Peace. The pallbearers were James Quinlan, Frank Renaud, Maurice Mullins, Melborn Phillips, John Zack and Maynard Cline.

April 26 1974

Dalglish-Shanahan

Wed . . .



On Saturday, May 8, in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 3 p.m., before an altar banked with summer floral arrangements, Linda Mary Shanahan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shanahan of Maidstone, and Robert Dale Dalglish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Dalglish of Cottam, were married. Father Marentette officiating with Leo Shanahan as commentator.

The bride presented to the groom by her father, wore a beautiful gown of white crystal, dotted with white daisies with long sleeves gathered at the wrist. The matching train fell at her waist and her four tier veil was set on a delicate headpiece of lace and daisies. She carried red roses and baby's breath.

Maid of honour, Karen St. Louis, and bridesmaids, Kim Dalglish, sister of the groom, Jan Drouillard and Laurie Ford, wore gowns of yellow dotted swiss with long full sheer sleeves and a bow at the back. Each carried a colourful bouquet of straw and silk flowers.

The bride's mother wore a

lovely peach coloured gown with white accessories and a corsage of white roses.

The groom's mother wore a blue floral gown with matching coat and a corsage of white roses.

Joseph Davidson was best man while Dennis Shanahan, brother of the bride, Monchito Bumanlag, and Rick Chapman assisted as groomsmen. Ushers were Tim Shanahan, Garnet Shanahan and Bill Findlay.

The groom's grandmother, Mrs. Smith, was there to wish the young couple a long life of happiness. Grandpa Shanahan who was unable to attend sent his best wishes also.

Mrs. Catherine Nikita presided at the organ with Mrs. Maureen Choje, who sang, "I Believe" at the offertory, "The Wedding Prayer" at communion and "We've Only Just Begun".

Reception for the guests at Rose Garden in Kingsville followed.

Upon their return from a honeymoon in the Pocono Mountains, Pennsylvania, the happy couple will reside in Essex.

Mr. Thomas Shanahan was honoured on Sunday with a birthday party at his home on Sunday from one till nine p.m. on the occasion of his 90th birthday. Many friends and relatives called to visit with Tom and his family. His sons and daughters were on hand on this happy occasion and also his 69 grandchildren and 39 great grandchildren; also his Godson, Rev. Fr. Chris Quinlan. Mr. Shanahan received plaques from P.M. P.E. Trudeau, Mr. Whelan, M.P. of Agriculture, M.M.P. Richard Ruston; also letters of congratulations from Hon. Paul Martin the Governor-General of Canada, Premier Wm. Davis and many birthday cards from friends who could not be with the party. Mrs. Ellen (Reilly) Martin of Florida telephoned her greetings also. A huge birthday cake with 90 candles was displayed on the centre of the table with all the other goodies. His sister, Josephine, Mrs. Ernest Murphy and his brother John both of Detroit, were unable to attend.

April 2, 1976

Some of those driving up to Grand Rapids, Michigan last weekend to attend the wedding of Miss Debra McGuire and to stay over to help Debbie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McGuire's celebrate their Silver Wedding Anniversary with a special mass Sunday morning at St. John Vianney Church, Wyoming, Mich. were Mr. Sylvester McGuire Sr., Stan's father, Mr. and Mrs. Junior McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Everett McGuire and their son Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lanoue (Joyce McGuire), Mr. and Mrs. Tim McGuire (Margaret McCarthy), Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Croft, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bellaire, Mary Ann and Victor Bellaire, Mr. and Mrs. John McAuliffe, Debra McGuire and Ricky Lee Niclay spoke their marriage vows on Saturday morning at a lovely wedding at St. John Vianney Church. Congratulations are extended to Stan and Lucille on this happy occasion and to Debbie and Ricky for many years of happiness.

There were 125 guests from this community who were in attendance.

Aug. 2, 1974

SHANAHAN—Mr. Thomas Shanahan and family wishes to thank their many relatives, neighbors and friends who came to extend their sympathy and the many acts of kindness in their great sorrow in the loss of a loving wife and mother Mrs. Alice Shanahan. Special thanks to our Pastor, Father Marentette who visited her so often at home and the hospital, to Father Christopher Quinlan who sang the Mass and delivered the beautiful homily. For all the Masses, flowers and beautiful cards we received, to Mrs. Bernie McLean for all her kind words in the Essex Free Press, the ladies who put on the dinner and to all who sent food. To her chosen pallbearers, to the doctors and nurses at Essex Medical Centre, to the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home and to all who helped in any way. May God bless you all.

April 30, 1974

A mass of thanks was celebrated at St. Mary's Church in Maidstone on Wednesday, November 7th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan for their 62nd wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan were married in the same church on November 7th, 1911. The Maidstone community wishes the couple health and happiness for the years to come.

Nov. 1973

SHANAHAN—Alice (McGuire), 84 years, April 17, 1974, of RR 2, Maidstone. Beloved wife of Thomas Shanahan. Dear mother of Gerald, Ray, Thomas Jr., Jim Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary), Maidstone; John and Vince, Tecumseh; Norman, Donald and Mrs. John Robert (Mildred), Windsor; Mrs. Gerald O'Connor (Sady), Essex; Mrs. Ted Deehan (Rita) (deceased 1972), Leo (1929), Helen (1921), 64 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren. Sister of Sylvester McGuire, Maidstone. Mrs. Shanahan was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society, C.W.L., president of the Liberal Association, Maidstone, 35 years. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex, after 7 p.m., Thursday, Funeral Saturday, April 20 at 9:30 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone for mass at 10 a.m., Rev. Father Marentette officiating. Interment Church Cemetery. Prayers Thursday and Friday, 8 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

Thos Shanahan and family wish to thank their many relatives, neighbors and friends who came to extend their sympathy and the many acts of kindnesses in their great sorrow in the loss of a loving wife and mother, Mrs. Alice Shanahan.

Special thanks to our pastor Father Marentette who visited her so often at home and hospital. To Father Christopher Quinlan who sang the Mass and delivered the beautiful Homily. For all the masses, flowers and beautiful cards we received. To Bernie McLean for all her kind words in the Essex Free Press. The ladies who put on the dinner in the hall and to all who sent food. To the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, to her chosen Pall Bearers, to the doctors and nurses at Essex Medical Centre and to all who helped in any way. May God Bless you all.

May 3, 1974

SHANAHAN

St. Mary's Church was filled to capacity at 11 o'clock mass, on Sunday when Rev. Fr. A. P. Marentette, parish priest celebrated a Mass of Thanksgiving for the Diamond Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan. Surrounded by their children, grandchildren, groomsmen Sylvester McGuire Sr., relatives and friends before the Altar enhanced with a basket of mums, and two gold vases of blue mums, Fr. Marentette congratulated the happy couple and asked their God-child, Rev. Fr. 'Chris' Quinlan to give the Homily. Father said "when Tom and Alice had celebrated their Silver Wedding his parents, the former Annie McCann and the late Edward Quinlan asked them to be his Godparents." The servers of the Mass were Jerome St. Louis, grandson and James McGuire, great-nephew and the Reader was their grandson Gary Deehan. Senator Paul Martin of Ottawa and Mr. Don Emerson of Windsor were also present. After the Mass, driving in a 1917 gold Touring car to an open house that was held at their grandsons, Garnet and Tim Shanahan's Pine Grove Farm on Malden Rd. Maidstone Township where 500 guests signed the Guest Book in the Reception Room that was enhanced with numerous bouquets & baskets of flowers, gifts to the Jubilarians. A buffet lunch was served to the many neighbours, friends, relatives and family who came to congratulate them on this Auspicious occasion. Mr. Don Emerson was a "jolly gracious M. C. and read a few of the messages of congratulations, coming from Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II's secretary, Honourable Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Honourable Mark McGuigan, M.P., Honourable Gene Whelan M.P., the latter being present to give his wishes in person, also Honourable Paul Martin, senior senator gave a glowing address. Mr. Richard Ruston M.P.P., presented Alice with a Plaque from Hon Wm. Davies, Premier of Ontario. Many others spoke sincerely to the fine couple who have accomplished so very much to the Welfare of Canada. Alice responded with both their thanks to all, looking extremely happy and be comingly attired in a green lace gown, enhanced with a shoulder corsage of orchids of mauve and gold, and Tom always with those smiling-Irish eyes, had a boutonniere of white, tinted gold carnation. There were other presentations, too numerous to mention here. All joined in singing for "Their A Jolly Good Couple, That No One Can Deny". May they and their family be blessed with good health for years to come, to carry on the Shanahan name.

Nov. 5, 1971



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, of Maidstone, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Sunday, October 31st, with a mass, at 11 o'clock at St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, with Rev. Father Marentette officiating. From 2 - 5 p.m. their family have arranged to hold open house at the Pine Grove Farms, on Malden Road in Maidstone Township. This is your invitation to the reception for relatives, friends and neighbours. They request no gifts. Just come.

Oct. 29. 1971

Alice Garrod, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Garrod was one of the forty grade 2 children receiving their First Holy Communion at St. Mary's Church on Sunday. Alice's parents entertained at their home, with Open House in the afternoon. Alice was pleased having her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Garrod and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan and her godparents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shanahan with her for this happy auspicious occasion.

MAY. 31. 1968

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan had a Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Mary's Church to celebrate their 59th Wedding Anniversary. Many of their children grandchildren and great-grandchildren, as well as long-time friends were in attendance. Just another year for Tom and Alice (McGuire) until that long-looked for Diamond Jubilee. Good health is wished to this wonderful "ever-young" couple and Congratulations! !

Nov. 13. 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shanahan welcomed the arrival of their son, Patrick, Thomas Joseph on March 18th. A brother for Paul and Alan. Mother and babe well.

March 28. 1972

Mrs. Alice Shanahan passes

A prominent and beloved member of the Maidstone community, Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, passed away on Wednesday, April 17.

Mrs. Alice Shanahan, who was born and raised in Maidstone Township, was president of the Liberal Association for 35 years and she also was a life long member of St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. She was actively involved in the Altar Society and the League of the Sacred Heart.

Born October 15, 1889, youngest daughter of the late Timothy McGuire and Sarah McHugh, Alice McGuire married Thomas Shanahan, November 7th, 1911 in St. Mary's Church. The couple had 15 children of whom 12 are still living. Mrs. Shanahan also leaves behind her husband Thomas and her brother Sylvestre McGuire of Maidstone.

The funeral took place on April 20 with her godson, Rev. Chris-

topher Quinlan of Windsor officiating at the funeral mass and her pastor Rev. A. P. Marentette offering the prayers at the graveside at St. Mary's cemetery.

Her chosen pallbearers were Mr. Frank Renaud, Mr. Milburne Phillips, Mr. John Zack, Mr. Maynard Cline, Mr. James Quinlan, and

Mr. Morris Mullins. Among those attending the large funeral were Sen. Paul Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Emerson, and Mr. Richard Ruston, M.P.

April. 25. 1974

Donald Shanahan Passes

Donald (Don) B. Shanahan, 49 years, of 4250 Longfellow passed away on Wednesday, December 2nd.

He was predeceased by his mother Alice Shanahan (1974); brothers, Thomas Jr. (1981), Leo (1929); sisters Rita Deehan (1972), and Helen (1921).

He is survived by his wife Helen (nee Nantais); children, Kenneth and Michael, of Alberta, Mrs. Mark (Connie) Della Valle, of Windsor, Patrick, Christopher and Jeffrey at home; brothers, Gerald, Ray and Jim of Maidstone, Vince and John of Tecumseh, Norman of Windsor; sisters, Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant (Rosemary) Garrod of Maidstone; Mrs. Gerald (Sadie) O'Connor, of Essex, Mrs. John (Mildred) Roberts, of Windsor; grandchildren Monica and Vincent.

Funeral services were held from the James H. Sutton Funeral Home, Windsor, on Saturday, to Mount Carmel Church. Interment at Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

Dec. 11. 1981

Thomas Shanahan Jr. Passes

Thomas W. Shanahan, Jr., 60 years, of R.R. 2 Maidstone, passed away on Thursday, November 26th at Metropolitan Hospital.

He was predeceased by his mother, Alice Shanahan (1974), sisters, Rita Deehan (1972), Helen (1921); and a brother, Leo (1929).

He is survived by his father, Thomas Shanahan Sr.; brothers, Gerald, Ray, Jim, of Maidstone, John and Vince, of Tecumseh, Norman and Donald of Windsor; sisters Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary) of Maidstone, Mrs. Gerald O'Connor (Sadie), of Essex, Mrs. John Roberts (Mildred), of Windsor.

Funeral services were held from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, on Saturday, to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. Interment at St. Mary's Cemetery.

Dec. 4. 1981

Shanahan Re-union Held

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Shanahan and his partners, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Shanahan, officially opened the Pine Grove Farm Hay Ride Recreation by having a family re-union of over 100. Tim and Garne have converted their barn, on Malden Road, one concession east of the Naylor Side-road, into a very lovely recreation and dining room and will be able to accomodate 80 persons of which they have bookings as of now and any one club or association interested call 723-4421 or Belle River 708 r 2. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan were delighted to be able to have their immediate family of 106 together. Everyone had a very good time with horse shoes, races, hay rides, etc. as entertainment.



MAIDSTONE CROSS

On Sunday, October 31st, at 11 a.m. Mass celebrated by their Pastor, the Rev. Major A. P. Marentette, a Mass of Thanksgiving will be sung for Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) for the many blessings, down through the years. Life-long residents of Maidstone Township this will be their diamond jubilee, 60 years of happily married life. They were married in St. Mary's Church, by the late Rev. Peter McCabe and were blessed with 15 children. Mr. Shanahan, the youngest son of pioneers John Shanahan and Rose Smith, and Mrs. Shanahan, youngest daughter of Timothy McGuire and Sarah McHugh. The John Shanahans were blessed with 10 children, 4 sons, late Edward and late Jim, John, of Detroit and Thomas, the jubilaroon and six daughters, Mary Quinlan and Susan Bourbeau, both of Detroit; Catherine Lavin, of Sandwich South; Margaret Deehan and Rose LaLonde, of Belle River, all deceased, and Josephine Murphy of Woodslee. Mrs. Shanahan's family were Frank and Timothy McGuire, both deceased; Sylvester McGuire Sr., of Maidstone; Mary Mahon and Anne Markham, both deceased and Alice. Bishop Breitenback, of Grand Rapids, Mich., Tom's grand-nephew, was here to celebrate their 55-year Mass of Thanksgiving, but at this time is in Rome. Many more years of happiness is extended through this column as Mrs. Shanahan has the Pleasant Park column. Their family will honour this exemplary couple at an "open house" on Sunday, October 31st, from 2 to 5 o'clock at Pine Grove Farm, the home of grandsons Tim and Garnet Shanahan, on Malden Road, Maidstone Twp. Please accept this as your invitation and they request no gifts. This couple have 13 living children, 64 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Like these two families and their forefathers who hewed their homes out of the woodland and cleared land to plant their crops, like many many other pioneers they did not need laws to cover abortion, health and hospital care, unemployment, old age pensions and unions to make their home happy, they got out and worked out their living and walked to church on Sundays to Thank God for their many blessings, that they accepted joyfully, whether good or mediocre.

Oct. 29. 1971

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shanahan will celebrate their 60th Anniversary on Sunday, Oct. 31st at the Pine Grove Farm on Malden Rd in Maidstone Twp. The family have made arrangements for the reception and this is your invitation to open house from 2 to 5, for relatives, neighbors and friends. We request no gifts, but come.

Oct. 22. 1971

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Shanahan (Violet Eyraud) on the occasion of their Silver Wedding Anniversary. A mass of Thanksgiving will be sung on Nov. 16 at 11 a.m. by their Pastor Rev. Fr. A. P. Marentette. Many more years of happiness to a fine couple.

Nov. 14. 1969

many relatives, neighbours and friends for their masses; donations to St. Mary's Church organ fund, flowers, many kind words and prayers. To Metropolitan Cancer Clinic, doctors and nurses, Father L. Bastien, Fr. Chris Quinlan, Fr. Ashton, Essex Clinic, Dr. Child and nurses, Jack and Kay McAuliffe, Emmette and Rita McGuire, Sylvestre and Marg McGuire, Everette and Madeline McGuire for serving a beautiful dinner, Mary Lauzon and Mrs. E. Mathew for staying at the house with Thomas Sr., the altar boys, pall bearers, also St. Mary's lovely choir, Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home. Your kindness will always be remembered.

The Shanahan Family

Dec. 4. 1981

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Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan were blessed with 15 children, five daughters, Mrs. Gerald O'Connor (Sadie), Mrs. Ted Deehan, (Rita); Mrs. John Roberts (Mildred); Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy); Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary) and eight sons: Gerald, Raymond, John, Tom Jr., Vincent, Jim and Donald. A son Leo and a daughter Helen are deceased.

At a well attended dance at Tilbury, on Friday night, by the Essex-Kent Liberal Association to honour their M.P.P. Member Richard Ruston, Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) was also honoured for her conscientious work for 35 years for the Liberal Cause, on her 82nd Birthday. Mrs. Shanahan graciously accepted a dozen beautiful red roses from the Ladies Auxiliary and Mr. Whelan, Federal Member also honoured her with a beautiful vase of white mums and red carnations. Honourable Paul Martin, Senior Senator, also made a presentation of a beautiful plaque honouring her for many years of unlimited work for the Liberal Cause. Many, more years of happiness, good health and recognition, dear friend Alice.

Oct. 22. 1971

SHANAHAN-Thomas W., Jr., 60 years, November 26, 1981 at Metropolitan Hospital, late of RR 2, Maidstone. Dear son of Thomas, Sr. and the late Alice Shanahan (1974). Dear brother of Gerald, Ray, Jim, Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary), Maidstone; John and Vince, Tecumseh; Mrs. Gerald O'Connor (Sadie), Essex; Mrs. John Roberts (Mildred), Norman and Donald, Windsor; late Rita Deehan (1972), Leo (1929), Helen (1921). Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral service Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 10 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Prayers Friday at 8 p.m. Memorial donations to the St. Mary's Church Organ Fund would be appreciated. VISITING AFTER 2 P.M. FRIDAY.

SHANAHAN-Donald B. (Don), 49 years, suddenly Dec. 2, 1981. Late residence 4250 Longfellow. Co-owner of S. & K. Trucking, former employee of Marentette Brothers Construction, member of the Mount Carmel Church, K of C South Windsor Council #4386. Beloved husband of Helen (nee Nantais). Dear son of Thomas Shanahan, Maidstone and the late Alice Shanahan (1974). Dear father of Kenneth and Michael, Alberta; Mrs. Mark (Connie) Della Valle, Windsor; Patrick, Christopher, Jeffrey at home. Dear brother of Gerald, Ray, Jim, Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant (Rosemary) Garrod, Maidstone; John and Vince, Tecumseh; Mrs. Gerald (Sadie) O'Connor, Essex; Mrs. John Roberts (Mildred), Norman, Windsor; the late Thomas Jr. (1981), Rita Deehan (1972), Leo (1929), Helen (1921). Dear grandfather of Monica and Vincent. Friends may call at the James H. Sutton Funeral Home, 1567 Ouellette Ave. Funeral Saturday Dec. 5 at 9:30 a.m. to Mount Carmel Church at 10. K of C prayers at 7:30, prayers 8 p.m. Interment Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

Miss Genevieve McNeil of Detroit visited last week with her cousin, Miss Nellie Halford. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan attended a mass of Thanksgiving on Wednesday evening at St. Mary's church, the gift of their son Jim on the occasion of their 62nd Wedding Anniversary. Many more happy days from your host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary Shanahan) celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary on Thursday with a mass of Thanksgiving at St. Mary's Church. The Pastor Rev. A.P. Marentette sang the mass.

SHANAHAN

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Last Saturday Fr. Bastien celebrated mass at the home of Thomas Shanahan to honour him on his 96th birthday. About 60 family members and friends attended with great grandsons, Allan and Paul Shanahan serving as altar boys and grandson, Gary Deehan as reader. Everyone joined in the hymns and Happy Birthday to Tom who is dad, grandpa, great grandpa and uncle to so many descendants. After mass all enjoyed 2 beautifully decorated cakes, doughnuts and coffee or tea. Mr. Shanahan would like to thank Fr. Bastien, his family and many friends for their birthday greetings especially the scrolls received from

Rev. Fr J. A. Mackesy, pastor of St. Mary's Church, officiated at the baptisms on Sunday of Juliann Garrod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary Shanahan). The godparents were aunt and uncle of the baby, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril J. Beaudette. The Garrods entertained at dinner, following the ceremony.

March. 20. 1964

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John William Wright (nee Donna Jean Shanahan) whose wedding took place at Windsor University Chapel on Saturday afternoon at 4 p.m. Sept. 15th. They will reside at 755 Avenue Road, Toronto.

Sept. 28. 1979

Ryan O'Connor Passes

Ryan Robert O'Connor, 13 days old, passed away August 12th, 1981 at the Royal Alexandra Hospital, Edmonton Alberta.

Darling infant son of Robert and Susan O'Connor (nee Marshall) of Stony Plain Alberta, formerly of Essex, Ontario. Grandson of Mrs. Sarah O'Connor, Essex and Mr. and Mrs. Al Battle of Grande Cashe, Alberta. Great grandson of Mr. Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone. Private services and burial in Spruce Grove, Alberta, were held Friday, August 14th.

Aug. 21. 1981

Governor-General Ed Schreyer and Hon. Gene Whelan, MP, minister of agriculture. Thanks also to Richard Ruston MPP for his visit. Everyone agreed it was a perfect birthday party. Earlier, Mr. Shanahan was surprised by a musical visit from some of the members of the men's choir who helped him celebrate St. Patrick's Day. Their Irish songs were very much appreciated.

April. 2. 1982

Tom Shanahan has added to his many descendants with the arrival of a great granddaughter on December 10th. Her parents are Elaine (O'Connor) and Larry McCarthy. Tom's third great grandchildren, Tara Ellen Edna Sauve, was born December 4th. Tara is the daughter of Wayne and Chris (O'Connor) Sauve of Woodslee. Congratulations to the proud new parents. Remember these packages have to be wrapped and unwrapped at regular intervals.

Dec. 17. 1982

Congratulations to Mrs. Thos. Shanahan on the occasion of her 79th birthday. On Sunday all her big family gathered at Alexander Beach Hotel to show the love and affection for their beloved mother and grandmother, with a dinner. Many more years of happiness, dear Alice.

Oct. 18. 1968

Very happy 93rd birthday to Mr. Thomas Shanahan Sr. Born March 28th, 1886 in Maidstone Township where he has lived all his life. His friends in this community wish him continued good health and happiness.

March. 23. 1979

The many friends of Thomas Shanahan were pleased to visit with him after the centenary mass on Sunday and see him looking so well. His brother, John, of Detroit who is older than he, was unable to come over, as well as his grandnephews Bishop Breitenbeck and Father J. Breitenbeck, both of Detroit.

Aug. 23. 1974

Shanahan Horses Always Show Horses

It's long legs a bit unsure, a pretty bay filly frolics around the Ray Shanahan farm in Maidstone township. Her name is April.

Those long legs are strong, not the usual spindly legs of most colts. April is a registered purebred Clydesdale and already the strong shoulder muscles are evident.

Her birth the last week of April was an uncommon event in Essex County for the draft horse is no longer the power source of the farm. April is a show horse.

That's what all of Ray Shanahan's horses have been, even 40 years ago when they earned their keep by hauling his implements to till the land and harvest the crops. Now Ray keeps them as a hobby.

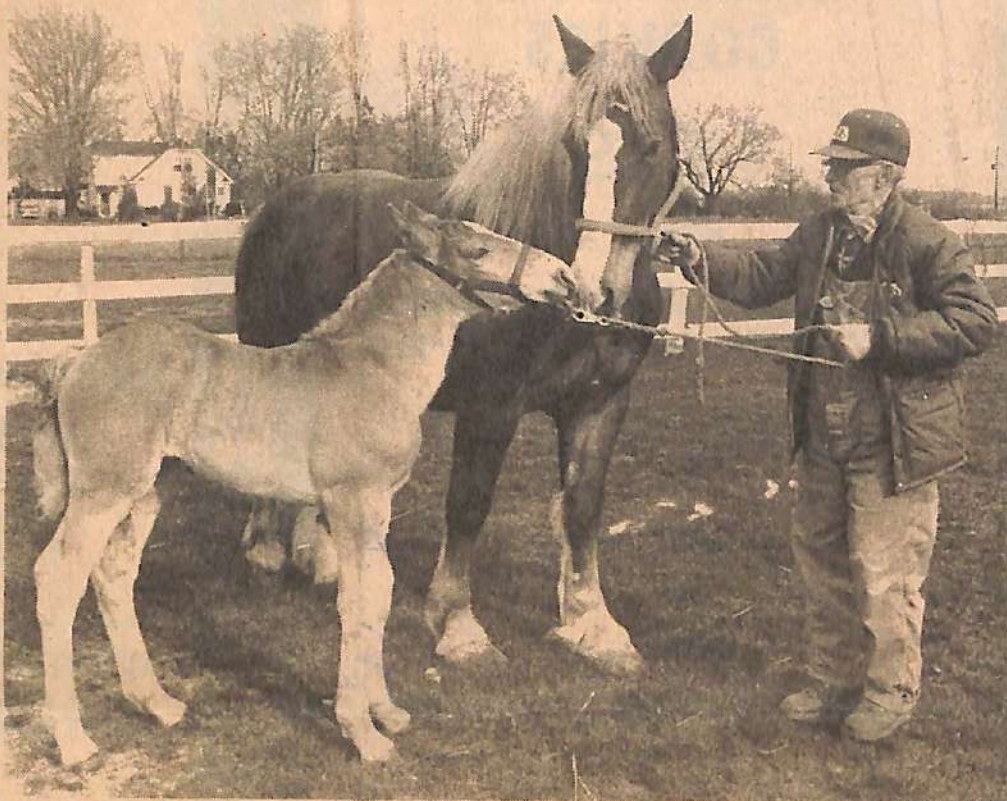
After the tractor took over the duties of the draft, or work horse, Ray, like all farmers changed his source of power. For awhile it appeared the predictions that soon there would be no more draft horses was going to be right. But there were still too many farmers like Ray who loved these beautiful, big animals. Creatures so large they could destroy a man. Instead they allow themselves to be completely dominated and work as man's slave if necessary.

The horses Ray worked and showed cost him about \$150 each in 1940.

"You paid around \$130 to \$159 for a horse in 1940. Now sometimes a fine registered draft horse will sell for \$10,000."

The attraction between man and horse, and the beauty of their strong, muscular bodies as they proudly bend to their task, has something to do with it.

And the famous Carlsberg and the Anheuserbusch teams came on the scene. That increased their worth and interest in show quality draft horses.



Everything's all right, that big man won't hurt you, Ray Shanahan's Clydesdale mare appears to be saying to her filly, April, as it resists following with a halter on its head. The big draft horses, once the source of farm power, are now a rarity with their numbers reduced to a few show specimens. Ray, who has been taking prizes with some of the finest Clydes in North America, plans that career for April.

One of Ray Shanahan's horses was bought for the Anheuserbusch team.

He has shown horses as far away in Canada as British Columbia as well as in Oregon and North Dakota. An array of ribbons and trophies fill the shelves of one room he calls his "horse room". A cupboard is filled with harness, the brass top stitched "dress" of show horses.

Locally he makes the round in the fall fairs, and captures more ribbons each year.

The big Clydesdales won the favour of the Shanahan family and Mrs. Shanahan shares the pride of ownership. So much so that the

lines of the two sons and their families become entwined with horses. Tim runs Pine Grove Farms where people can go for an old-fashioned hay ride or winter sleigh rides, behind a trotting team of Clydes.

Garnet makes the harness as one of very few harness-makers in Canada. His show harnesses are in demand throughout North America.

Of the draft horses, the Clydes have best chance of taking a beauty prize. With their white 'socks' and face blaze accenting the massive body, they make a 'pretty

sight'. Their main contemporaries are the Percherons and Belgians.

April's mother, Irish, is a new resident of the Shanahan stable. Irish's two-week old filly is her first. She'll go to the shows with April in the fall, after enjoying a leisurely summer. There may be a job for her now and then, pinch-hitting on the Tim Shanahan team at Pine Grove Farm.

For the time being the two of them are enjoying the lush green grass, unaware that they are an unusual pair in Essex County.

Farmer dies at 102

Tom Shanahan, at 102, died of old age Wednesday after what his family and friends describe as a very full life.

He spent the first century of his life at his Maidstone farm, where he was born March 28, 1886, before moving to Windsor Western's chronic-care unit.

Mr. Shanahan and his late wife Alice had 15 children and his grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren numbered 144 at last count — five years ago.

Daughter Dorothy St. Louis said she was glad her father was still able to help her celebrate her 40th wedding anniversary Sunday and said he was still very lucid for the occasion.

"He led as full a life as anybody," she said.

Mr. Shanahan was the youngest of 10 children born to John Shanahan, who emigrated from Limerick, Ireland, in

the 1850s, and Rose Smith.

During his lifetime, the farmer saw Halley's Comet on both its 1910 and 1986 visits, witnessed the arrival of the automobile era, the age of flight and the invention of the telephone.

Paul Martin, a friend of the Shanahan family, described Tom as a remarkable man.

"There is hardly a finer couple than Tom and Alice Shanahan in Essex County. They meant so much to me in my public life since the first time I ran for office," said the former MP, senator and High Commissioner to Britain.

A funeral will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Church in Maidstone. Rev. Bill Kornacker will officiate.

June 23, 1988

RIDDER — John and Susan (nee O'Connor) thank God for the safe and healthy arrival of their first born, a lovely daughter, Jessica Lynn Mabel, September 26th at Metropolitan Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 2 ozs. Proud grandparents are Gerald and Ellen O'Connor, William and Mina Ridder of Essex. Great grandmothers are Stina Lubbers of Sarnia, Sarah O'Connor, Essex, Mabel Brinacombe, Kingsville and great great grandfather Tom Shanahan of Maidstone.

SAUVE — Wayne and Chris Sauve of Woodslee thank God for the safe and healthy arrival of their first born, Tara Ellen Edna, born December 4th at Grace Hospital weighing in at 7 lbs. 3 ozs. Proud first time grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sauve Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Gerald O'Connor of Essex. Great grandmothers are Mrs. Floyd Brinacombe of Kingsville, Mrs. Gerald O'Connor of Essex, Mrs. Bernadette Taylor of Woodslee, Mrs. Stella Sauve of Leamington. Third great great grandchild of Mr. Tom Shanahan of Maidstone.

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Congratulations to a wonderful couple, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) on the occasion of their 58th Wedding Anniversary on Friday Nov. 7th. A Mass of Thanksgiving at St. Mary's Church will be sung at 7:30 p.m. for Tom and Alice.

Dec. 10, 1982

Many local fathers were honoured on Sunday, including Tom Shanahan Sr., whose large family gathered to wish him well at his home. Tom still enjoys a good game of cards on any occasion.

June 25, 1982

Nov. 7, 1969

MAY. 14, 1982

Maidstone youth a born artist

MAIDSTONE — Some people were born to draw.

Paul Shanahan is one of them and is winning competitions to prove it.

His mother, Delores, said he was drawing since before he could walk.

"He's had a pencil in his hand since he was six months old. We were amazed how he could hold a pencil the right way without being shown," she said.

Paul, 15, recently won a 4-H competition to find a design for the Christmas cards for Ontario Minister of Agriculture and Food Dennis Timbrell.

"There were 41 entries," said Paul. "I sent in two." His de-

sign was Ontario fruits and vegetables in a wreath with wheat sprays and a big red ribbon on it. "The fruits were raised because it was very detailed, I did a lot of shading."

The Grade 10 St. Anne's student has had a lucky year. This is the third contest he's won. The first was at the Maidstone Bicentennial, with his picture of pioneer life in Ontario. The second win was also in a 4-H competition, this time Harrow Fair poster contest. When the phone call came that he won the Christmas card contest, he was "jumping around. We went up to the Royal Winter Fair for the presentation." Paul's prize was a set of engraved 4-H bookends were presented to him by Robert Eaton for Dennis Timbrell.

Congratulations to recently baptised infants at St. Mary's Church, Shannon Marie, daughter of Robert and Lina (Shanahan) Dalgleish, Jennifer Lynn, daughter of James and Carol (Kuhn) Hayes and Kyle Michael, son of Randy and Claire (Poisson) Hayes.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shanahan (nee Dolly Strong) on the safe arrival on Sept. 11th at Grace Hospital, of their daughter, Elizabeth Anne Marie. A sister for Paul, Allan, Patrick and Brian. Great grandfather Thomas Shanahan Sr. and grandparents Gerald and Violet Shanahan and William and Annette Strong.

Nov. 12, 1982

Sept. 28, 1979

Dec. 22, 1984

BIA Christmas Draw Winners - Fourth Week



Some of the winners of the \$50 shopping dollars in the fourth week of the Essex merchants draw are, (front row) Gerald Shanahan, R.3, Essex, Bonnie Rundle, Essex, Jackie Mills, Woodslee, Theresa Lemaire, Maidstone and Daisy Gardner of Essex. (Back row) Sandra Kulik, of Belle

River, Bev Lougheed of Amherstburg, Marjorie Ellis of Maidstone, Jan Weglarz of Essex, Jackie McLean of Maidstone, Gordon Arkinstall, of Essex, and Bruce Cunningham, Windsor.

Maidstone Cross
Mar 26/76
The many friends of
Thomas Shanahan Sr.
will want to shower
him with birthday
greetings on the occasion
of his 90th birthday, Sun.
Mar 28th, 1976. Mr.
Shanahan has lived
on his present farm
all his life, that his father
John Shanahan cleared
the family is one of the
pioneers of Maidstone Cross

Dec. 18. 1987

Sheep farming making comebaaaack

Story and photo by Dave Pink

Star Agriculture Reporter

THE Shanahans have always had sheep. Like his father and his Irish-immigrant grandfather before him, 97-year-old Thomas Shanahan still keeps sheep on his Maidstone area farm.

"But he doesn't do much working with them these days," says Leo, his 38-year-old grandson. "Mostly, he just looks at them."

Leo Shanahan is the latest of his family to raise sheep. He's a full-time accountant at Rayco Stamping Products in Windsor — but wanted to do some farming on the side. He bought a small flock for his Maidstone Township farm about a year ago.

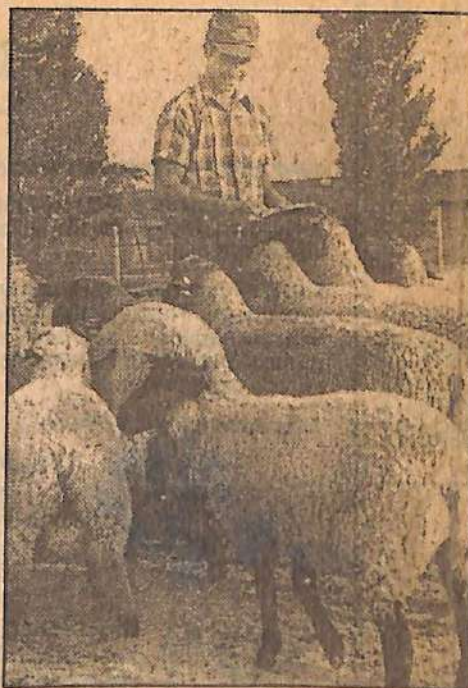
It's more than a serious hobby, he admits, and the spring lambing season cost him more than one good night's sleep. But for part-time farmers, he says sheep are just about ideal.

"I finally decided on sheep because they're something you can put on a small farm, and they're not that big an investment," says Shanahan. "They don't need that much care, maybe seven hours a week spread over the whole year — but you've got to be prepared to give up some sleep during the spring, during lambing season."

SHANAHAN IS part of a growing trend of farmers going back to sheep. Since 1977 the Ontario sheep population has jumped almost 65 per cent. But on the farm and at the dinner table, the popularity of sheep still lags far behind.

Prior to the Second World War, sheep were as common in Ontario as pigs and cattle. But about 35 years ago sheep production, and the Canadian taste for lamb, fell sharply.

Some sheep farmers say the government encouraged farmers to produce beef and milk during the war and discouraged lamb production, while others say the post-war profits available in beef, pork and milk were a natural en-



LEO SHANAHAN tends to his sheep

ticement away from sheep.

Still others say Canadian soldiers stationed in Britain during the war were fed low-quality lamb and mutton. They swore they would never eat lamb again and came home to raise their families, the post-war baby boom, on beef, pork and chicken.

WITH LAMB OUT of style, farmers deserted the sheep industry — leaving what little Canadian market remained to producers in New Zealand, Australia and the United States.

New Zealand is still Canada's major supplier of lamb, and is sometimes a major obstacle as a new breed of Canadian farmers seek to rebuild the nation's flocks. Buyers for restaurants and major food store chains now regard New Zea-

land as a year-round supplier of high quality lamb, and often shun the Canadian product.

Canada's sheep farmers say New Zealanders have a natural advantage. The small country provides near perfect conditions for sheep — with an ideal climate, plentiful food and almost no predators. And the New Zealanders have overcome the sheep's natural tendency to provide lambs only in the spring.

Canadian sheep farmers still have a lot to learn.

"SHEEP ARE probably one of the oldest aspects of agriculture," says Rick Fuerth, Essex County's largest sheep producer. "But it's stayed at one certain level. It hasn't progressed. Compared with what's been done in milk and beef, there's a lot of work that still has to be done."

Sheep farmers are guided by a very simple economic principle — more lambs means more profit. To be competitive, sheep farmers need more lambs more often.

Buoyed by increasing farmer and consumer interest, agricultural scientists are taking a more serious interest in lamb production. New technology, aimed at changing the breeding cycles of sheep, is becoming widely accepted among sheep farmers.

"We're using hormones, to get the ewes to lamb out of season," says Fuerth. "This way we can have lambs year round, and we can supply the market year round."

FARMERS ARE also experimenting with cross-breeding. The black-faced Suffolk variety of sheep is the farmers' favorite in Ontario because it produces a big, meaty carcass — popular with the buyers.

But Suffolks will breed just once a year and often only produce single lambs instead of twins. Farmers obviously want that changed. More and more they're introducing the traits of the white-faced Dorset variety, a smaller sheep favored because it produces three lamb crops

every two years, into their Suffolks.

And they're mixing the traits of other, more obscure, European breeds to improve their flocks.

"All of the breeds have different good traits and bad traits," says Fuerth, who keeps about 400 cross-bred sheep at his farm near Woodslee. "If we can get a good cross-breeding system going then we can get these good traits working for us, and we can weed out the bad ones."

Fuerth, Shanahan and Wheatley-area farmer Rick Taves all rely on a stream of regular customers from the Windsor area — the so-called freezer trade — to keep them in the sheep business. These local buyers, many of them from southern Europe and the Middle East where they were raised on mutton, want fresh lamb for a variety of Christian, Jewish and Islamic holidays.

And the farmers are happy to supply this custom market. It's steady, secure and reasonably profitable. And it saves them from having to trade their lambs at the volatile Toronto stockyards, where prices can often fall well below the cost of production.

The demand for lamb, among most Canadians, still lags badly behind other meats, and market prices will fall at the smallest hint of oversupply. But that's a trend Taves, and some other farmers, don't see changing in the near future.

"THE MARKET FOR lamb is expanding, but it's still pretty much an upper middle class thing for most Canadians," says Taves. "Lamb is still going to be that delicacy that people have two or three times a year. I can't see it becoming a staple, the way beef and pork is."

"It ranks with steak, and maybe sometimes people will choose lamb instead of steak."

"I don't think anybody can make a living off just sheep," says Taves, also a grain and vegetable farmer. "But it does mean a small return."

Aug. 13. 1983



WEDDING ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone Township celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary Wednesday, Nov. 7, with a family gathering at their home. The couple has resided in Maidstone Township since 1911 following their marriage at St. Mary's Church. They had 15 children.

Nov. 8. 1972

Five Generations



There's a span of 96 years between the five generations of the Thomas Shanahan descendants. All of the five live in Essex or Maidstone Township. With attention centred around four-month old Jeremy Markham is his mother Cheryl Markham, grandfather Gerald O'Connor, great-grandmother Sarah O'Connor and great-great-grandfather Thomas Shanahan who will celebrate his 96th birthday on March 28th.

March 26. 1982

Sympathy is extended to Thomas Shanahan Sr. in the death of his sister Mrs. Johanna Murphy, age 95 years, widow of the late Ernest Murphy in 1955. Deceased was the youngest daughter of the late John Shanahan and Mary Smith. Pioneers of Maidstone Twp. Beloved mother of Mary, Mrs. Walter H. Anderson of Madison Heights. Besides her daughter and brother Tom Shanahan she leaves 7 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Funeral was held on Aug. 23rd to St. Simon & Jude Church and interment in Church Cemetery. Pallbearers were six nephews of the deceased.

Sept. 1. 1978

SHANAHAN—Alice (McGuire), 84 years, April 17, 1974, of RR 2, Maidstone. Beloved wife of Thomas Shanahan. Dear mother of Gerald, Ray, Thomas Jr., Jim Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary), Maidstone; John and Vince, Tecumseh; Norman, Donald and Mrs. John Robert (Mildred), Windsor; Mrs. Gerald O'Connor (Sady), Essex; Mrs. Ted Deehan (Rita) (deceased 1972), Leo (1929), Helen (1921), 64 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren. Sister of Sylvester McGuire, Maidstone. Mrs. Shanahan was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society, C.W.L., president of the Liberal Association, Maidstone, 35 years. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex, after 7 p.m., Thursday. Funeral Saturday, April 20 at 9:30 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone for mass at 10 a.m., Rev. Father Marentette officiating. Interment Church Cemetery. Prayers Thursday and Friday, 8 p.m.

Windsor on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan takes this opportunity to thank their family for the nice party they put on and their relatives friends and neighbours for the lovely congratulations cards, they received on their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis entertained at dinner on Satur-

Nov. 9. 1973

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan

Diamond wedding anniversary celebrations honoured Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan on Sunday. They attended mass at St. Mary's church in Maidstone, where they were married on Nov. 7, 1911. The pastor, Rev. Father Marentette, said the mass and Father Christopher Quinlan preached the sermon. Mr. & Mrs. Shanahan were his godparents when he was christened.

The honoured couple led the procession from the church to Pinegrove farm in a 1917 Overland, painted especially for the occasion. Once at the farm, on the Malden Road, east of the Naylor Sideroad, Mr. & Mrs. Shanahan were taken for a ride in a surrey, drawn by a team of white horses.

"Open House", at Pinegrove, Farm brought 537 well-wishers from the area, Windsor, Chicago, Gladwin, Ottawa, Detroit, Grosse Point Woods, and Utica Michigan. Donald Emerson acted as Master of Ceremonies, and Adrian Tellier proposed the toast to the couple celebrating. Gene Whelen, M.P., Richard Ruston M.P., and Senator Paul

Martin spoke their congratulations. Friends met for the first time in many years and a very happy afternoon was spent. Mr. Shanahan has been in poor health recently—his main goal had been to achieve his 60th anniversary.

The Thomas Shanahans have always lived in Maidstone Township, where Mr. Shanahan farmed. He carried the mail for R. R. 1 Maidstone for 38 years. Mrs. Shanahan was a representative of and worked directly with the Liberal Association for 35 years.

There were 15 children, two of whom, are deceased—Leo and Helen. They have 64 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren. The 13 surviving children are Gerald, Raymond, John, Sadie (Mrs. Gerald O'Connor) Thomas, Vincent, Rita (Mrs. Ted Deehan), James, Dorothy (Mrs. Francis St. Louis) Mildred, (Mrs. John Roberts) Norman, Rosemary (Mrs. Oscar Garrod), Donald. Our hearty congratulations and best wishes on behalf of the town of Essex and the district to Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan.

SHANAHAN

SHANAHAN—Thomas J., 102 years on June 22nd, 1988 at Windsor Western Hospital, I.O.D.E. Unit. Late of Maidstone Township. Husband of the late Alice, (1974). Father of Gerald, Raymond, Jim, Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy), Mrs. Grant Garrod (Rosemary), all of Maidstone; Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Windsor, Mrs. Sadie O'Connor, Essex and John and Vincent of Tecumseh, the late Leo, Helen, Thomas Jr., Rita, Norman and Donald. Sixty-one grandchildren, ninety great-grandchildren, 10 great-great-grandchildren also survive. Mr. Shanahan was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society and a Mail Carrier for R.R. #1, Maidstone for 26 years. Resting at Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Visitation after 3 p.m. Thursday. Funeral service Saturday June 25th, at 10 a.m. to St. Mary's Church for funeral mass at 10:30 a.m., Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Maidstone. Prayers Friday, June 24th, at 7:30 p.m. Donations to The New Chronic Care Hospital or St. Mary's Building Fund would be appreciated by the family.

Leo and Dolly Shanahan would like to announce the safe arrival of several lambs to their sheep farm. In leaps and bounds these little bleaters have been arriving since mid-March and there are many more to arrive in April. A few have been orphaned and that means Dolly has been busy sterilizing bottles and preparing formulas for the little darlings. A temporary nursery has been set up in the basement. With a feeding every three hours, to say the least, Leo and Dolly get little sleep. They are also busy checking the expectant mothers for delivery. On the joyous side, there is nothing sweeter than a new born lamb and to rear an orphaned one means "ewe" have a friend for life. St. Mary's kindergarten class will visit on May 1st to see the lambs, feed them and hold them and of course ask all kinds of questions.

Here's a special mystery message to all the Pauls out there from someone who wishes to remain anonymous. Attention Paul, You Sexy Thing, this is number one, a poem for you has just begun. Look for more next week.

April 13. 1984

Industrial accountants elect

L.G. Shanahan of Toga Manufacturing, has been elected chairman of the Windsor chapter, Society of Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

He succeeds E. J. Nadeau of the department of revenue and taxation.

J. B. McDowell of General Motors of Canada is vice-chairman; M. F. Parkes of the Ontario retail sales tax office, is secretary, and W. J. Bowey of North American Rockwell, is treasurer.

Directors are: G. R. James, Kelsey Hay, education; G. T. Wood, ITL Industries, meetings; J. Bezaire, Fabricated Steel, membership; A. R. LeBlanc, GM of Canada program; M. D. Dwyer, J. Kevinsky, publications; J. E. White, Bendix, publicity.

June. 25. 1974

Thomas Shanahan Celebrates 99th Birthday



On Saturday, March 30th, one hundred family, friends and relatives gathered at a Mass, followed by an open house to celebrate Thomas Shanahan's 99th birthday. Pictured above is a daughter, Sadie O'Connor, with Mr. Shanahan and some of his great-grandchildren.

What is a Grandfather?

Let me introduce my grandfather to you; he is a man well known and well liked by many, a man who has been through more than some of us will ever see. He loves company, and a good card game with anyone.

At 99 he is still the best looking grandfather in the world. He has a warm, liking smile, and is one of the best story tellers of today. Grandpa could tell you more stories than you could

imagine.

People worry about turning 30 years old, well Grandpa is proud of his age, as the rest of his family and friends are.

On March 30th the family of the One and Only Thomas Shanahan helped celebrate, yes, his 99th birthday, which was actually on March 28th. Many friends, neighbours, grandchildren, great grandchildren, let alone his great

with his own nine children, celebrated a mass in Grandpa's honour at his home in Maidstone Township.

There were about 100 in attendance, which included Hon. Paul Martin, Mr. Dick Ruston, Thomas Lavin (nephew), Kathleen Rose (neice), Marjorie Lavin (neice), Sister Anne Catherine Lavin (neice), Joe and Margaret Bogan (neice) and Lawrence Boubeau

SHANAHAN--The family of the late Thomas J. Shanahan wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all our friends, relatives and neighbours for the support given them during the loss of their father, grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather. We thank you for the many Masses, floral tributes, donations to the Chronic Care W.W.H.U. and donations to the St. Mary's Building Fund, Maidstone. Grateful thanks to the many Nurses who cared for him on 3rd Floor East & 3rd Floor Chronic Care W.W.H.U. We thank Dr. Childs of Essex for his care and comfort to us all and Father Hathaway, Hospital Chaplin. We especially thank Father Bill Kornacker and Father Chris Quinlan for their many visits to Dad and Grandpa and their beautiful celebration of the Mass. Special thanks to the pallbearers, the honorary pallbearers, the altar boys, the organist and Tim Hebert and the Choir and Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex. Heartfelt thanks to the ladies who prepared and served the luncheon and the people of RR #1, Maidstone for all their support & visits and special thanks to Frank Renaud for his many visits to Dad at home. You will forever be remembered. God Bless You All. The Shanahan Family.

July. 5. 1988

(nephew). Most neices and nephews arrived in from out-of-town, Grand Rapids and Detroit, Michigan.

The mass was celebrated by Bishop Joe Breitenbeck (grandpa's grand nephew), along with his assistant secretary Monsignor John J. Giammona, Fr. Chris Quinlan (Godson) and parish priest Fr. Linus Bastien. Joe and Don Deehan were altar boys. It was a beautiful mass and very inspiring, for all that were present.

The respect that was shown for him showed only how wonderful of a man he is. It was not uncommon to hear many people refer to him as Mr. Shanahan.

For all of us who were present it was an honour for all of us. Just sit back for a moment and imagine the many memorable moments this man must have. I know myself there is a lot of good memories of this wonderful grandpa, which will never be forgotten. I know I can speak for all of his grandchildren. We love you Grandpa, and hope to see you hitting a perfect 100, we also hope to see that your dream of seeing Haley's Comet comes true and we are sure it will.

Love Alice

SHANAHAN

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank Fr. Bill Kornacker for the beautiful mass on our anniversary in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. For all the beautiful gifts and cards from our family, relatives, friends and neighbours. Thanks to our children who did an outstanding job in making our 40th Wedding Anniversary a memorable day.

Thanks also for the many cards we received from the lovely people on R.R.1 Maidstone.

Thank God for the forty wonderful years.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan received a beautiful plaque on their 62nd wedding anniversary from the Prime Minister of Canada, Mr. Trudeau. We received it with great pleasure but wonder how he has time to even sign his name.

Nov. 9. 1973

Wolf Shot In Maidstone Twp. . . .



HOW'S THAT FOR A WOLF After tracking it for 25 miles across fields near highway #2 near Barnes bush, Tom Shanahan and Albert Hicks of Maidstone bagged this wolf. The men first sighted it with two others near the bush, and after they were able to run it out into open area both men fired, hitting it in the head.

April. 12. 1985

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan (Alice McGuire) were honoured on the occasion of their 58th Wedding Anniversary, on Sat. evening, when their God-Child, the Rev. Fr. "Chris" Quinlan of St. Claire's, Windsor, celebrated a mass of Thanksgiving at their home. The Highlight of the evening was that Mr. Shanahan was able to be up, in a lounge chair to attend the Mass, and reception that followed for the couples children, wives and husbands and about 20 neighbours and relatives, making 60 in all. Their groomsmen, Sylvester McGuire Sr. was present but their bridesmaid.

Miss Margaret Quinlan had passed away a year ago. Their 8 sons, Gerald, Raymond, John, Tom Jr., Norman, Jim, Vincent and Donald and 5 daughters, Sadie O'Connor, Rita Deehan, Dorothy St. Louis, Mildred Roberts and Rosemary Garrod with their husbands and wives were all present for the happy occasion. The Shanahans buried their oldest son, Leo when he was only 18 years old and their oldest daughter, Helen, then 6 years old. They are blessed with 60 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren and three grandchildren deceased. The servers of the mass were grandsons, Jerome St. Louis and Brian Deehan. Many more years of good health and happiness is wished by your host of friends.

Nov. 14. 1969



SHANAHANS CELEBRATE—Bishop Joseph M. Breitenbeck of Detroit congratulates his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan, of RR 2, Maidstone, on their 55th wedding anniversary Friday. Bishop Breiten-

beck sang mass at a service held in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church for the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan were christened and married in the church and their 15 children were all christened in the church.

Mr., Mrs. for 55 years

Bishop-nephew chants mass

By PAUL VASEY

MAIDSTONE — Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan had come to St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church many times before. They were both christened there, they were married there and all their children were christened there.

But now they were returning to the church after more than half a century of marriage to

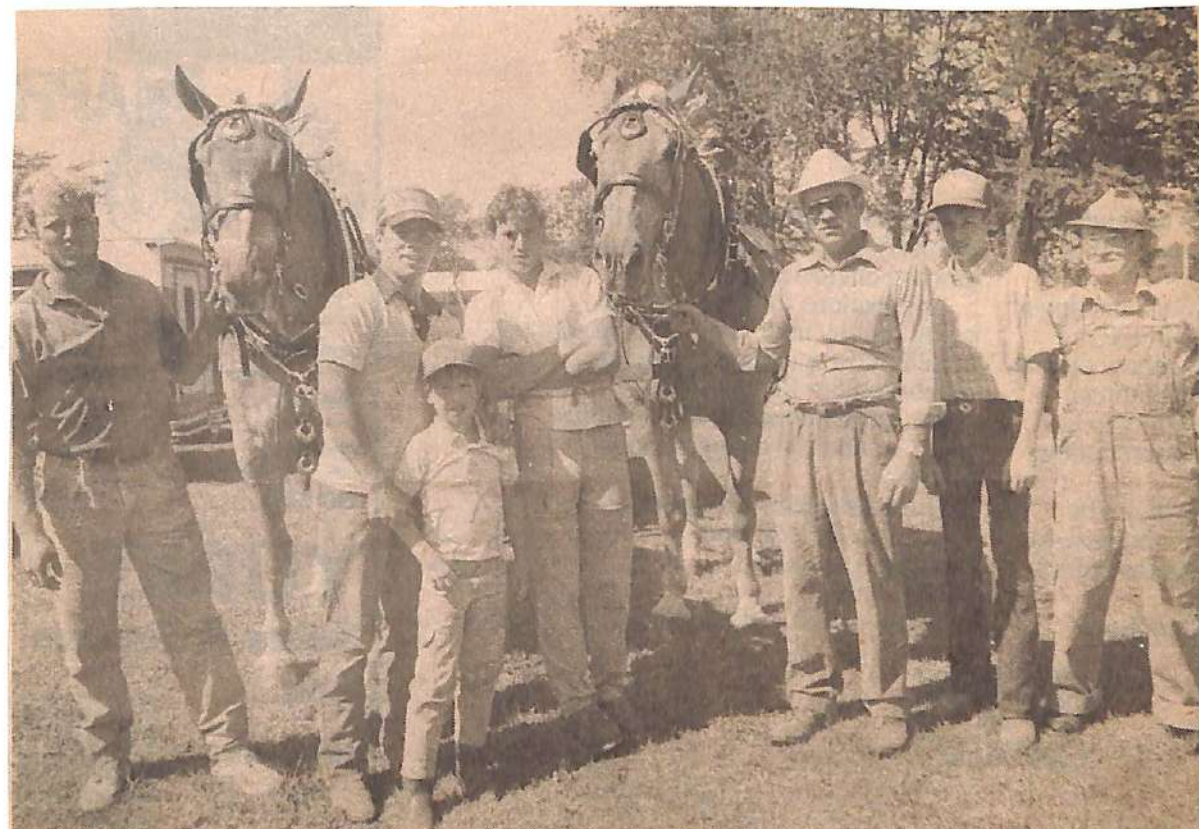
celebrate their wedding anniversary.

The bridesmaid, 79-year-old Miss Margaret Quinlan, drove to the church from her home in Detroit. Mrs. Shanahan's brother, Sylvester McGuire, 74, of Maidstone, the groomsmen, accompanied the family party to the church.

"I wouldn't say I was any more excited on my wedding

day than I was at the anniversary," said Mrs. Shanahan afterwards. "It was a great day for both of us."

A grand-nephew, Bishop Joseph M. Breitenbeck of Detroit, was chanting mass for them, as another priest had done at their wedding in 1911. Even their bridesmaid and groomsmen were there, along with many of their children, grandchildren and friends.



SHANAHAN CLAN -- For grandfather Ray Shanahan (right) and other family members, the raising and training of work horses has become a family and prize-winning tradition. Ray's team

was named the best draft team at the Harrow Fair. Also pictured are Mike Shanahan, Kevin Shanahan, Tim Shanahan, Nicholas Dalgleish, Bobby Shanahan and Danny Shanahan.

Sept. 22. 1987

After the ceremony, the couple were guests of honor at a reception in the Shawnee Steak House in Tecumseh. Mr. and Mrs. Shanahan then drove home, to the same farm where they lived since they were married.

The couple had made a living and raised 15 children on the farm at RR 2 Maidstone before retiring in 1964 and turning it over to two of their eight sons.

A week ago, the birth of another great grandchild brought the immediate family to an even 100 people, including their children, 59 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

"It's such a long time ago, when you look back at some things . . . but not too long ago when you look back at others," said Mrs. Shanahan.

She recollects the years when her 80 year old husband maintained a mail route in the township, and the many friends they made during their lifetime in the district.

Mrs. Shanahan, now 77 years old, is a personal friend of External Affairs Minister Paul Martin. She has done a considerable amount of secretarial work for Mr. Martin.

The couple has eight sons and five daughters: Gerald of Essex, Raymond, John, James and Thomas of Maidstone, Vincent of Tecumseh and Norman and Donald of Windsor; Mrs. Jerry O'Connor of Essex, Mrs. Ted Deehan, Mrs. Francis St. Louis and Mrs. Grant Garrod of Maidstone and Mrs. John Roberts of Windsor.

A son Leo, and a daughter Helen, died some years ago.

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Couple Observe 62 Years . .



COUPLE OBSERVE 62 YEARS. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone Township observed their 62nd wedding anniversary on Wednesday with a family gathering at their home where they have lived since their marriage.

They were married in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, on November 7, 1911. Mrs. Shanahan's brother, Sylvester McGuire, who was the groom's attendant lives in Maidstone. The couple had 15 children: Leo (deceased); Gerald; Raymond, Helen (deceased), Mrs. Sadie O'Connor, John, Mrs. Rita Deehan (deceased), Thomas, Vincent, James, Mrs. Dorothy St. Louis, Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Norman, Donald, Mrs. Rosemary Garrod. They have 63 grandchildren and 37 great grandchildren.

The family history of Sarah Shanahan and Gerald O'Connor is recorded on an eight-point star quilt.

It was the Mother's Day gift to top all the others for Sarah from her daughter, Elaine McCarthy of Essex.

A central panel replacing two of the blocks, carries the names and birth record of Sarah and Gerald. Along the top row of blocks are the names of each of their parents. Down the side the names of his brothers and sisters are on the left and hers on the right, followed by the couple's six sons' and eight daughters' names, each on a point of a star. Below the panel are the 29 grandchildren's names with the sons' and daughters' spouses along the next row of blocks. Two lone names, those of their two grandsons-in-law decorate the bottom row.

Done in beige and yellow stars on a white background with a flowered border around each block and brown accents, the names in liquid embroidery, the quilt is a most attractive family keepsake.

Elaine had never seen a name-quilt so she adopted the layout and design to the star pattern, putting each name on a star point. The central panel, as the focal point with her parents' name has a decorative touch top and bottom.

This is the second quilt Elaine has made. She did it all from the carefully inscribed names, the pieced blocks, to the final quilting and binding.

She got the idea for this as her mother's gift last January and had it ready by April.

"I thought I'd make something the others couldn't give her, and keep her up to date on the family."

The idea was a huge success. Mother was delighted and the family is proud of their sister's ingenuity as well as the family tree.

"Oh it's beautiful," her mother, Sarah, said. "I



A thing of beauty is a joy forever and this particularly beautiful quilt is a family record forever as it carries on its blocks the family tree of the Gerald O'Connor & Sarah Shanahan family. It was made by Elaine McCarthy for her mother Sarah O'Connor, who proudly holds it on display.

couldn't believe she went to so many pains to make it for me."

Will Elaine make another. Yes. She has an order already but it won't be the same.

"I won't make it like this, I

won't let anybody else have one like this one."

It will be a feature attraction at a Shanahan family reunion in July that is to include all the branches since their ancestors came to Canada as pioneers.

To make the gift completely individualistic, Elaine made a card decorated with a quilt block pattern so she could express a personal message.

Maidstone Youth's Haflinger a Winner



Don Shanahan, 13, of Maidstone Township, won in Open Youth Showmanship among 16 competitors showing Haflinger horses.

Three of the competitors

in 15 classes at the Registered Haflinger Show of Zurich Fair were from Essex County as were the ring stewards, Sharon Anne Deslippe and Mary Ellen McPherson.

The Shanahan family, Garnet and Bea, Lynn, Bob and Don, worked together to win team, unicorn, four-horse hitch and best matched team. Bea was the organizer while the others took turns on the line.

Dr. R. Wright, equine coordination for the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, conducted a pre-show instruction clinic for all the young exhibitors.

Urban youth were eligible to enter the show as a means to create a friendly bond be-

tween urban and rural youth and encourage better understanding of the agricultural scene. Education of young people in handling and showing animals was another goal, with promotion of the Haflinger breed as a versatile, attractive horse with a calm temperament, as well.

The Haflinger is a small horse, first imported to Ontario in 1973 and first seen publicly as a six-horse hitch driven by Alvin Laramie of Harrow.

The above information was provided by Beth Dewhurst Deslippe of Thamesford, of public relations for the Canadian Haflinger Association. She is a former Essex resident.

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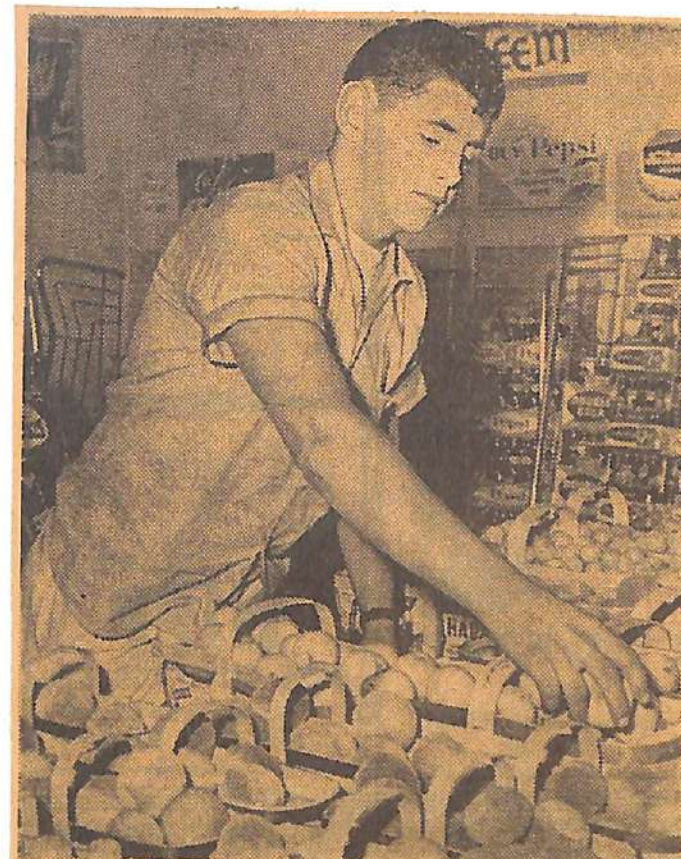


A LITTLE HELP FROM MY FRIENDS — Thomas Shanahan, a Maidstone area farmer for his entire life, celebrated his 90th birthday in his home with a little help from his

grandchildren, Jeff, 6, and Chris, 8. The three needed all the wind they could muster to blow out the 90 birthday candles on a cake offered to him by the 169 relatives who came to the

farm to help celebrate. A former mailman and well-known figure in the area, Mr. Shanahan has 69 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren.

Photo by CEC SOUTHWARD



ATTRACTS VISITORS—Oldcastle's newest business in the produce field is attracting a number of tourists and city residents and may soon prove to be a boon to Essex County farmers. Shepley's Fruit Stand, at Highway 3 and Walker Rd., was opened early last June. Above, Richard, son of Glen Shepley, owner, sorts some apples, peaches and plums that were purchased from county farmers.

AUG. 17. 1963

PAQUETTE

Congratulations are in order for Miss Linda Shepley, Miss Windsor Warlock, who won the Miss National Lacrosse League beauty contest in Toronto in competition with seven other girls from cities where the N. L.L. has teams. Linda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Shepley, plans to go into training to be a psychiatric nurse. The fact that she is a national beauty contest winner should be an asset where a patient's recovery is concerned.

AUG. 18. 1972

SHEPLEY'S FRUIT MARKET

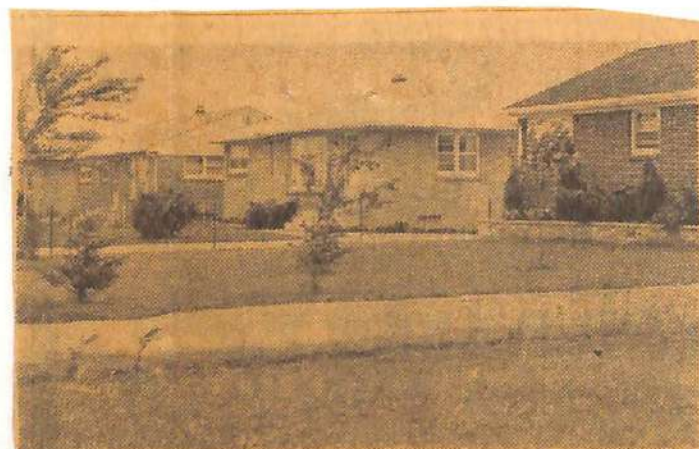
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AUG. 17. 1963



NEW HOMES—An area of new homes has developed in recent years at Paquette Corners, three miles north of McGregor. Constructed by Lawrence Shepley, the homes have a central water system and water is obtained from a deep well. Mr. Shepley has said the low-tax area is ideal for future building development.

AUG. 17. 1963

PAQUETTE

Sincere sympathy to James Shepley and family in the sudden passing of a beloved wife, mother and grandmother, Margaret, 50 years, on April 4th at Hotel Dieu Hospital.

April. 16. 1982

Shepleys fruit and vegetable market opened in grand style here Saturday at the intersection of Walker road and No. 3 Highway.

From reports strawberries sold fast. Eight cases were sold in one morning.

Some of the local spongers got in on free coffee and doughnuts Saturday morning.

June 14. 1963

PAQUETTE

We regret to report that Deborah Ann Shepley, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Shepley is in Intensive Care in Grace Hospital with head injuries after being hit by a hit and run driver near her home on Walker Road at Paquette Corners about 8 p.m. last Thursday. Deborah was walking facing traffic on the east side of the road when she was struck. We all send best wishes and prayers for her speedy recovery.

Feb. 25. 1972

SHEPLEY—Margaret, 50 years, suddenly April 4, 1982 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Late of RR#1, McGregor. Beloved wife of James. Loving daughter of Frederick Demars, Comber. Predeceased by her son Wayne (1970). Dear mother of Mrs. Clarence Beneteau (Gloria), McGregor; Mrs. Paul King (Elaine), Essex; Mrs. Richard Prieur (Cheryl), McGregor. 7 grandchildren. Sister of George Demars, Comber; Donald Demars, Tilbury; Mrs. Jean Wright, Chatham; Mrs. Alice Parent (Deceased 1978). Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave. Funeral Wednesday April 7 11 a.m. Rev. D.S. Mannell officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

SHEPLEY—Grace, 79 years, June 16, 1980 at I.O.D.E. Hospital, late of RR 2, Essex. Beloved wife of the late Bert (1974). Dear mother of Lawrence, Patrick, Mrs. Joseph Charles (Phyllis), Mrs. Dennis Holmes (Evelyn), Windsor; Harold, Mrs. Allan Curley (Carole), McGregor; Mrs. William Hartley (Shirley), Essex; Mary, at home, the late Murray (1976). 21 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren. Dear sister of Thomas Cunningham, Woodslee. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral service Thursday, at 1 p.m. Rev. Glenn Brown officiating. Interment Greenhill Cemetery. As an expression of sympathy donations to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated.

SHEPKEY

Murray E. Shepley Dies

Murray Edwin Shepley, aged 46 yrs., of Paquette, passed away, in Grace Hospital, on Monday.

Surviving are his widow, nee Beatrice Preney; two sons, Robert, Windsor; Bert at home; two daughters, Linda (Mrs. David Galipeau), McGregor; Debbie, at home; two grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Grace (Bert) Shepley; two grandchildren; also three brothers, Lawrence, Patrick and Harold; six sisters, Phyllis (Mrs. Joseph Charles), Evelyn (Mrs. Dennis Holmes) of Windsor; Carole (Mrs. Allan Curley), McGregor; Shirley (Mrs. Wm. Hartley), Collingwood, Mrs. Fern Kimball and Mary, of Essex.

Funeral Services in charge of the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, were held, in St. Clement's Church, McGregor, on Wednesday morning.

Interment was in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

MAY. 19. 1976

It is with heartfelt sympathy that we record the sudden death of Wayne James Shepley, 21, of 1908 Ford Blvd., Windsor, at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, when the car he was driving left the road, skidded about 150 feet along the north shoulder and went into a ditch striking a concrete driveway culvert sideways. This accident occurred on Essex County Road 8, near Cottam. Wayne and his companions, Robert John Charette, 22, of R. R. 1, McGregor and Donald Baillargeon, 21, of R. R. 3, Harrow, were instantly killed. Wayne was a bright intelligent young man, who lived in this community until his marriage. He received his elementary schooling at S.S. No. 4, going on to Essex District High School. He is survived by his beloved wife, the former Nancy Fields; a baby daughter, April Mae Marie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Shepley, of Paquette Corners; and sisters, Mrs. Clarence (Gloria Jean) Beneteau, of Colchester North Twp.; Mrs. Paul (Elaine Margaret) King, of Essex, and Cheryl Ann, at home. To all of whom goes the deepest sympathy of this community. Funeral services were held Tuesday, at 1:00 p.m., from Anderson Funeral Home, Windsor, with Rev. N. A. Tilford officiating. Interment was in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

JAN. 1. 1971

Nov. 15, 1969
Commencement Exercises for Essex Dist High School, Sat. evening
had Katherine Shepley as a graduate

Feb. 25, 1966
Edward Cory sought permission to purchase Shepley property to establish a produce market on property

Stand Lights 'Dangerous'

OLDCASTLE—Proprietors of the newest and largest fruit stand in the area at the corner of Walker Road and Highway 3, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shepley, complain that the Department of Highways does not want to see the night—at least not the light that illuminates their stand after nightfall.

According to the Shepley's, department officials demanded that the sign of the big red apple that identifies the stand to motorists, constitutes a road hazard and must not be illuminated at night. They were told that both the sign and the stand are too close to the lights at the intersection for safety's sake.

They said the department made its decision after the stand had been erected and all the lights installed. More than \$100 worth of yellow lighting on the stand may fall under the same category.

AUG. 17. 1963

Mrs. James Shepley Passes

Margaret Shepley, 50 years, of R.R. 1 McGregor, passed away Sunday, April 4th at Hotel Dieu Hospital.

She was predeceased by one son, Wayne (1970) and sister Mrs. Alice Parent (1978).

She is survived by her husband, James; father, Frederick Demars; Comber; children, Mrs. Clarence Beneteau (Gloria), of McGregor, Mrs. Paul King (Elaine) of Essex, Mrs. Richard Prieur (Cheryl) of McGregor; 7 grandchildren; brothers George Demars, Comber, Donald Demars, Tilbury; and a sister, Mrs. Jean Wright of Chatham.

Funeral services were held from the Anderson Funeral Home, Windsor, on Wednesday with Rev. D.S. Mannell officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

April. 9. 1982

Congratulations to Katharine Shepley, on winning one of the hundred prizes, given by Sentry Discount Store, in their Easter colouring contest.

MAY. 14. 1962

Mary Ann Florence Shuel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel of Oldcastle, married Douglas Reginald Werner, son of the Reginald Werners of Willowdale, in Redeemer Church Oldcastle. The bride's brother, Rev. James Shuel of Henton, Alberta, officiated, assisted by Rev. Edward Gray. The bride wore a gown of organza over taffeta with Alencon lace. A lace cap held her illusion veil and she carried white daisies and red roses. Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew of Toronto was matron of honor for her sister. Mrs. Jane Connyngnam of Woodslee, and Jean Fry of Windsor were bridesmaids. Joanne Shuel was her aunt's flower girl. Peter Jaffray was best man and Robert Shuel of London and Chester Glna of Windsor were ushers. A reception for 90 guests was held at Mario's Tavern. Leaving from there for Miami, Florida, Haiti and the Island of St. Mark, the bride wore an apricot wool jersey sheath with matching mohair jacket and bone accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Werner will reside on Cabana Rd.

AUG. 11. 1962

Mrs. Hank Shuel Passes

Elsie Shuel, 76 years, Nov. 25, 1977 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Late of 450 Victoria Ave. Beloved wife of Banford (Hank). Dear mother of Edward C., Windsor; Mrs. Miles Thurston (Kathleen), Kingsville. 5 grandchildren. Funeral was held Monday. Rev. A. Koning Rev. Canon Jack Peck officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Church Yard.

Dec. 2. 1977

Our community is mourning the passing of Murray Edwin Shepley, 46 yrs., on Monday at Grace Hospital. Late of Paquette Corners. Son of the late Bert (1974) and Grace Shepley. Beloved husband of Beatrice (nee Preney); dear father of Robert, Windsor; Mrs. David Galipeau (Linda) McGregor; Debbie and Bert at home. Two grandchildren. Dear brother of Lawrence, Patrick, Mrs. Joseph Charles (Phyllis), Mrs. Dennis Holmes (Evelyn) all of Windsor; Harold and Mrs. Allan Curley (Carole) both of McGregor; Mrs. William Hartley (Shirley) Collingwood; Mrs. Lloyd Kimball (Fern) and Mary both of Essex. To all of whom goes the deepest sympathy of the community.

Nov. 15, 1969
Katherine Shepley graduated from Essex High School

Mr. and Mrs. Banford Shuel and son Edward, of Windsor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel, at the supper hour, on Tuesday evening. Edward leaves on Friday to spend the next two years in the American Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew arrived Monday to visit the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs John Shuel. They have spent the past two years in London, England.

Nov. 9. 1956

Win I. O. D. E. Bursaries

James Shuell and Walter Karpenko are announced as the winners of the 1951 bursaries of Windsor and Essex County Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E. James receives \$150, and Walter \$100. Eleven students applied for the bursaries.

These bursaries are offered annually by Municipal Chapter, all 30 of the primary chapters in the city and county under its jurisdiction contributing to them. They are awarded to worthy students in university to help them complete their courses.

James Shuell, of Oldcastle, is in his third year in engineering physics at the University of Toronto, and was the only student this year to receive honors in engineering physics (electrical). He was graduated from Essex High School.

Walter Karpenko, 1133 Windermere Road, has completed three years in actuarial science at the University of Western Ontario, London, receiving first class honors this last year. He is a graduate of Patterson Collegiate, and a member of the R.C.A.F. Student Reserve Corps.

The judges who awarded the bursaries were J. L. Foster, S. R. Ross and, from Essex, Alex Hall, and representing the I.O.D.E., Mrs. Louis F. Johnson, Municipal Chapter regent;

July. 13. 1951

July 27-54



MISS DOROTHY BEATRICE SHEL

Weddings are planned by the girls pictured here for early in August. Miss Dorothy Beatrice Shuel, whose engagement is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shuel of Oldcastle, will marry Mr. Hubert Calvin Pettigrew of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pettigrew of Otterville, August 14 at 4 p.m., at Redeemer Church, Oldcastle.

Sandwich South Families

SHUEL

Tragic of all the deaths was the death of well known Hubert Shuel, retired Sandwich South farmer, residing at Harrow. Mr. Shuel passed away while his sister, the late Lena Shuel was resting at the Kennedy Funeral Home in Essex. Double funeral services were held the past week for Mr. Shuel and his sister Lena Shuel.

Local friends learned with sincere regret of the death of Elsie Shuel, 78 years, Nov. 25 at Hotel Dieu Hospital after a short illness and extend their deepest sympathy to her beloved husband, Banford, her daughter Mrs. Myles Thurston (Kathleen), Kingsville; her son, Edward C. of Windsor and her 5 grandchildren. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Neill. She was born in Sandwich South and attended S.S. No. 4 and the Church of the Redeemer. She married Banford David Shuel on March 7, 1923 and resided on Con. 8 Sandwich South where they farmed for a number of years before moving to Windsor where her husband was a Canadian Customs Officer. At the time of her death they lived at 450 Victoria Ave. Windsor. A devoted wife, mother and grandmother, she will be greatly missed in the family circle and by a host of friends who sincerely mourn her passing and will always remember her thoughtfulness, kindness and compassion. She was buried on Monday from St. Stephen's Anglican Church. Officiating was Rev. Tony Koning and her Rector Rev. Canon Jack Peck of All Saints Anglican Church. Interment was in St. Stephen's Church yard.

Dec. 2. 1977

Fifty Years Ago

Items Culled From Essex Free Press Files Of May-9/24

Shuel Lodge, LOL, 552, Paquette, celebrated its 70th Anniversary.

The deepest sympathy of the community goes to Mrs. Julia Shuel, of Harrow, on the death of her beloved husband, Hubert, aged 88, who passed away Tuesday evening, September 19th, at his late residence.

Congratulations to Jim Shuel, director, and the members of the cast of "Pilgrims of the Way," on winning the cup at the annual drama festival, last Wednesday. There were four entries this year.

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (nee Dorothy Shuel) whose wedding took place at the Church of the Redeemer on Saturday August 14th, at 4 p.m., with Rev. J. E. Gordon Houghton officiating.

Miss Marianne Shuel, R.N., and Miss Jane Simon, R.N., of Ruscomb, left Quebec City on Wednesday, May 4th, for London, England, where they have positions awaiting them in a London City Hospital.

SHUEL—Hubert E., 88 years, Sept. 19, 1967, at the late residence, Harrow, Ont. Beloved husband of Julia. Dear brother of the late Ellen (Lena) Shuel, deceased Sept. 18, 1967. Several nieces and nephews survive. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex, until Friday, Sept. 22, at 10 a.m., thence to St. Stephen's Anglican Church for service at 2 p.m., Rev. David Miln officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Church Cemetery. Special services auspices Great Western Lodge No. 47, AF and AM, Thursday at 8 p.m.

MARCH 5. 1954

Aug. 20. 1954

July 16/73 Star Dr. R. W. Shuel

Now the bee is buzzing on a year 'round basis!

By DON KOLFAGE

GUELPH—Those busy little bees are being kept busier than ever in experiments being carried out at the University of Guelph.

A series of experiments conducted over the past ten years, and slated to continue indefinitely in future years, are designed to promote activity among the bee colonies on a year 'round basis with no time out for rest and relaxation during the winter months.

Dr. N. V. Smith, associate professor of apiculture in the department of environmental biology at the university, said that special experimentation "for our own research work" was being carried out.

"We are, during the winter months particularly, maintaining honey bee colonies in flight rooms. The purpose is to enable the bees to continue their activities and brood-rearing on a year-round basis."

Dr. Smith stressed, though, that the experiments in no way affect honey production. "There is no increase in the production of honey, in fact, the bees have to be fed as there is no forage from which they could obtain nectar."

He said that normally the queen bee stops laying eggs in the fall with the onset of cold weather, from late October to the end of January.

"By bringing the colonies inside in October and placing them in the special flight rooms where temperatures are maintained at 75 degrees, the queen is encouraged to continue laying."

"This enables us to obtain eggs, larvae and pupae for use in research work."

One line of experimentation outlined by Dr. Smith was work on special nutritional diet for the bees.

"It would be impossible to carry out such experiments outside as there would be too many sources of natural feed available to the bees."

"In the flight rooms, sealed, we are able to feed them protein and observe the results."

He noted, however, that although the queen continues to lay eggs in the flight room, "brood-rearing is not as heavy as during the summer months when the colonies are outside."

Dr. R. W. Shuel of the university is carrying out the nutritional experiments.

"He is working to develop an artificial diet for honey bee larvae," Dr. Smith explained.

"I am concerned with the behavioral aspects of the bees in the flight rooms in response to light."

He is doing research on the queen and worker bees' behavior, and working on methods of holding quantities of queens over the winter so they will be available for colonizing in the spring.

Experiments by Dr. Shuel have shown that the queen and workers both develop from the same larvae. "The diet

they receive is the factor that results in development of either the queen or the worker. The queen is, of course, fed royal jelly."

Dr. Smith said Dr. Shuel was attempting to find the actual difference in the diets. "By creating artificially the proper diet, he could create either queens or workers as desired."

Honey bees are not native to North America. The original colonies were brought to Virginia by European settlers, probably in the 1700s or earlier.

It is from these original imports that this continent's present honey bee population has developed.

"Since 1923, however, there has been a ban on the importation of adult honey bees. This was a measure taken to prevent the introduction of bee diseases from Europe," Dr. Smith said.

He said there had been some importation of larvae "on special permit."

Dr. Smith said the bee program at the university began about ten or 12 years ago.

"We started with an improvised flight room and later constructed two more. Just recently we have moved the program to a field laboratory where we have a battery of ten flight rooms."

As high as three colonies can be maintained in each flight room, although the bees under such circumstances sometimes enter the wrong hive and fights result.

"We are now experimenting with special identification markings for the various hives to see if the bees can distinguish their own."

He said that bees in nature orient themselves to the sun. "We will be trying ultraviolet lamps as a means of orientation," he said.

Contrary to popular belief, bees in nature do not hibernate during the winter months.

"In the cold weather, though, they congregate in the hive in a mass where their own bodies maintain temperatures of about 55 degrees."

"They are active within the hive but do not venture outside into the freezing weather."

They have a means of communication as well. Dr. Smith said bees communicate visually, by smell, and by dance.

For example, when they swarm, scouts are sent out to find a new home. When they return to the swarm they promote the value of their find by means of dances.

Each scout performs his dance and the colony then decides if the new home is adequate and which one is best. If there is not a complete agreement by the colony, no move is made.

Dr. Smith noted that there were more than 5,000 breeds of bees native to this continent, "but none are honey-producers in useable quantities."

The familiar bumble bee is one of the wild varieties.

MAY. 13. 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (nee Dorothy Shuel), who have spent the past two years in London, England, where Hugh took a post-graduate course at the university there, sailed for Canada, last Friday.

Nov. 2. 1956

Rev. James A. Shuel has begun his parish duties in Hinton, Alberta.

May. 6. 1960

Miss Marianne Shuel R. N., is taking a post-graduate course in Psychiatric training in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Oct. 4. 1957

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel left for Quebec, on Tuesday, where they embarked for England, to visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew, and their daughters Margaret and Marianne Shuel. They will tour England and Ireland before returning home, in September.

Aug. 5. 1955



Mary A. Shuel
Oldecastle

G.W. Doyle, local reeve, was selected by County Council as chairman of the Good Roads committee. The following were appointed members on the Essex Board of Education, John Shuel, of Paquette, 3 year term, Perry Vanstone, Essex, 2 year, Glen McCreery, Gosfield North, 1 year.

Jan. 19. 1945

Mrs. Ollie Shuel was the guest of Carl and Dorothy Mumby, last week, in Sterling, Ont.

July 3. 1986

Bantford Shuel informs us he will retire from his immigration job this February. According to "Banty" he would like a light part-time job to put in the time. Probably some of you might have something in line for "Banty"

Dec. 2. 1966

McKeegan, 78; Walter T. Shuel, 77; and Benjamin Sweet. June 16/50

June 16. 1950

Bishop Cody to Honor Graduates of Hospital

Three years of hard work and study will culminate for 42 young women Wednesday in graduation ceremonies at Assumption College.

COMPLETE TRAINING

They will spend a full day marking the fact they have completed the nurses' training course at Hotel Dieu, under the auspices of the Religious Hospitalers of St. Joseph.

Of the graduates one is already a member of the order. She is Sister Vigneux, who will take her place in the ceremonies along with the other nurses.

Most Rev. John C. Cody, Bishop of London, will conduct mass at Assumption Church at 10:30 a.m.

to begin the day for the graduating class.

Graduation exercises are to be held at 7:30 p.m. at St. Denis Hall. Bishop Cody will distribute diplomas at the exercises, while Rt. Rev. F. J. Brennan, pastor of St. Anne's Church, Walkerville, is to speak.

PLAN LUNCHEON

During the day, a luncheon is to be held for the graduating nurses at the hospital at noon.

After having a day off on Thursday, the graduates will return to duties at the hospital for a short time. They are to write their examinations to earn title Registered Nurse in September.

June 15. 1954

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shuel announce the engagement of their daughter Dorothy Beatrice to Hubert Calvin Pettigrew, of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Pettigrew, of Otterville. The wedding will take place at the Church of the Redeemer on Saturday, August 14th, at 4 p.m., with the Rev. J. E. Gordon Houghton officiating.

AUG. 6. 1954

Couple Will Spend Two Years In England After Honeymoon

COLCHESTER—Before an altar decorated with white gladioli and of burning white tapers, at the Church of the Redeemer, Colchester North, the Rev. J. E. Gordon Houghton united in marriage Miss Dorothy Beatrice Shuel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shuel of Oldcastle, and Mr. Hubert Calvin Pettigrew of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pettigrew of Otterville.

Before the ceremony, Mrs. Harry Pettypiece, accompanied at the organ by Miss Alice O'Neil, aunt of the bride, sang "O Perfect Love," and during the ceremony she sang "Hear Us, O Father."

Given in marriage by her father the bride was lovely in a floor-length gown of white organdy over taffeta fashioned with a Queen Anne collar and long sleeves forming points over her hands. The full skirt featured a scalloped hemline trimmed with white velvet bows. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a Juliet cap of white pleated organdy with a bow in the back. She carried a cascade bouquet of white chrysanthemums and red roses.

WHITE ORGANDY

Miss Marianne Shuel, as her sister's maid of honor, wore a gown of white organdy over hyacinth taffeta featuring a cowl neckline with a hyacinth velvet bow in the back and matching velvet belt. She

wore a flowered headpiece of white chrysanthemums and ivy and carried a matching bouquet.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Joy Ziehm, and Miss Grace O'Neil wore identical gowns of green and pink organdy over taffeta. They wore flowered headpieces similar to that of the maid of honor and carried matching bouquets.

Mr. James Shuel, brother of the bride, was best man and the ushers were Mr. Bob Shuel and Mr. Don Pettigrew.

Mrs. Shuel chose for her daughter's wedding a Dior blue shantung dress with navy accessories and a corsage of pink gladioli. Mrs. Pettigrew wore navy sheer with pink accessories and a corsage of pink gladioli.

RECEPTION

A reception followed in Tully Hall. The bride's table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake embedded in white tulle circled with ivy and snapdragons and flanked by burning white tapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettigrew left later on a motor trip to Northern Ontario, the bride traveling in a navy linen suit with navy accessories and a corsage of white chrysanthemums. They will sail for England from Quebec, September 8, to spend the next two years in London where the bridegroom will study at the University of London.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Shuel announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Daisy Olive, to David Duggan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Duggan, of Reaume Road, LaSalle. The marriage will take place Saturday, August 20th, at 2:30 p.m. at St. Stephen's Church with Rev. E. C. Grey officiating.

AUG. 5. 1960

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Swan (nee Jean Rush), of Inwood, motored down on Sunday expressly to attend the morning service in the Church of the Redeemer, where Rev. J. A. Shuel, of Edmonton, Alberta, was guest preacher and celebrant at the Holy Communion Service. Rev. J. A. Shuel was one of Mrs. Swan's pupils when she taught at S.S. No. 10 several years ago.

Miss Margaret Shuel returned to Edmonton by plane Wednesday after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel.

JULY. 25. 1958

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Sandwich South Tax date line is Tuesday, July 31st, this being the last day to receive your discount for 1956 Taxes. You can't earn money any easier by paying your taxes before July 31st.

The many friends of Bob Sheul, Department of Highways foreman, were sorry to learn of his accident on Saturday evening when he was hit by a car on Talbot Street, Essex, and he suffered a compound fractured of the right leg. Bob is in Hotel Dieu Hospital, Windsor where he will be layed up for many months.

JULY. 27. 1956

In honour of Miss Dorothy Shuel, an August bride-elect, Mrs. Walter O'Neil and Mrs. Russell Pettypiece entertained at a delightful miscellaneous shower, on Thursday evening, July 15th, at the home of the former, about 75 guests being present. On Friday evening Mrs. Carl Ziehm was hostess at a lovely personal shower in honour of Miss Shuel, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wave Tully, of Cotnam.

JULY. 23. 1954

Congratulations to Miss Marianne Shuel on her graduation from Hotel Dieu School of Nursing.

JULY. 2. 1954

THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 1953

Oldcastle Man Weds in Guelph

OLDCASTLE—In a setting of carnations, sweetpeas, roses, snapdragons and chrysanthemums in St. James' Church, Guelph, Miss Helena Diephuis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Diephuis of Zeist, Holland, was united in marriage to Mr. Reginald W. Shuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel of Oldcastle. The Rev. W. J. B. Meloche officiated at the ceremony, and the junior choir sang "Hear My Prayer" and

"O Perfect Love," accompanied at the organ by Mr. James Bard.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white satin and lace which featured a wide train. A lace cap held her fingertip veil and she carried a shower of white carnations, lilies of the valley and stephanotis.

IN BLUE TAFFETA

Miss Margaret Shuel, as bridesmaid, wore a blue taffeta gown with a matching blue headdress, and carried a nosegay of carnations and stephanotis. Susan Pinch was the little flower girl, dressed in pink taffeta, with a matching headdress, and carrying a basket of chrysanthemums, roses and carnations, and Charles Pinch acted as train bearer.

Mr. Robert Shuel of Windsor was his brother's best man, and Mr. Peter Diephuis of Guelph and Mr. James Shuel of Oldcastle were the ushers.

A reception for 50 guests followed at the Community House, Ontario Agricultural College, where floral arrangements of sweetpeas, lily of the valley and chrysanthemums in pastel shades, flanked by candles, formed the decorations. Mrs. Diephuis wore a black dress and a corsage of camellias. The bridegroom's mother chose a navy dress and a corsage of white chrysanthemums and pink carnations.

TRIP TO QUEBEC

For a wedding trip to Quebec City, the bride wore a tailored blue-gray suit with red accessories and a corsage of Amazon lilies. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Shuel will reside in Guelph, where Mr. Shuel is an associate professor at O.A.C.

Out-of-town guests, besides the bride's parents from Holland, included Mr. and Mrs. Jay McMichael and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McMichael of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Banford Shuel and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel, Miss Dorothy Shuel, Miss Marianne Shuel and Mr. Jim Shuel, Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Neil, Miss Alice O'Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Libby, Mr. and Mrs. William Millar, Mrs. Russell Pettypiece and Mr. Robert E. Shuel, all of Oldcastle.



WEDS AUG. 20—Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Shuel of McGregor announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Daisy Olive, to David Duggan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Duggan of Reaume Rd., LaSalle. The marriage will take place Saturday, Aug. 20, at 2:30 p.m. at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Oldcastle.

JULY. 28. 1960



GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Shuel of 1084 Church St. will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary March 4 with a family dinner at the Teutonia Club. The couple was married March 7, 1923 in the Church of the Redeemer, Oldcastle. They have two children and five grandchildren.

FEB. 28. 1973



FIFTY YEAR PINS — Remembrance Day services, opening in the 50th anniversary of the Royal Canadian Legion made a very special Fifty-year Pins were presented to William Wass, Reg Cowley, Peter Lee by President Brian Carr. Three other fifty-year members were George Weller, Archie Stanton and Bob Shuel.

SHUEL

SHUEL — Lorne Ernest, 80 years, May 13, 1978 at the Sunparlor Home, Leamington, late of RR 1, McGregor. Beloved husband of Olive (nee Girard). Dear father of Mrs. Albert Wallis (Margaret), Winnipeg; Mrs. Karl Light (Daisy), Sterling Heights, Mich.; Carl, John and Edwin, McGregor; 8 grandchildren. Dear brother of Mrs. Berneatha Shuel, Essex. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex until Tues., 1:30 p.m. thence to St. Stephen's Anglican Church for funeral service at 3 p.m., Rev. T. Koning. Interment St. Stephen's Church Cemetery.

Sixty Years Ago.

Items Culled From Essex Free Press
Files of October 8th, 1897.

Gosfield North tax roll totalled \$9,636.82.

William Moffat moved from Essex to Chatham.

A. H. Shuel's home at Paquette was destroyed by fire.

Gordon Loop lost his hand in a machine, in the woollen mill, at Kingsville.

James F. McQueen enrolled at De-

Gone to London, England.

Miss Mary Jane Simon, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Simon, of Ruscomb, and Miss Mary Ann Shuel, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shuel, of Paquette, both recent graduates of the Grace Hospital School of Nursing, left Quebec City, on Wednesday, for London, England, where they have positions awaiting them in a London city hospital.

Mrs. Ollie Shuel has returned from Kentucky where she visited her sister, Mrs. Joe Fish. Mrs. Fish accompanied Mrs. Pearl Farough and Mrs. Ollie Shuel back to Ontario to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Irene Strachan had as her breakfast guests on Tuesday Mrs. D. Pettypiece, Mrs. O. Shuel and Mrs. Fish.

MAY. 6. 1955

AUG. 29. 1956

THE WINDSOR DAILY STAR, SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1951—5—

Win Annual Bursaries of Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E.



MARY MORRIS



JAMES SHUELL



WALTER KARPENKO

Three College Students Get Total of \$450

Mary Morris, James Shuel and Walter Karpenko are announced today as the winners of the 1951 bursaries of Windsor and Essex County Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mary receives \$200, James \$150, and Walter \$100. Eleven students applied for the bursaries.

These bursaries are offered annually by Municipal Chapter, all 30 of the primary chapters in the city and county under its jurisdiction contributing to them. They are awarded to worthy students in university to help them complete their courses.

Mary Morris, who lives at 831 Dawson road, has completed two years of her medical course at Queen's University, Kingston, standing sixth in the class of 60 this past year, with five A's and a B, for an average of 83.3 percent. She is a graduate of Walkerville Collegiate.

James Shuel, of Oldcastle, is in his third year in engineering physics at the University of Toronto, and was the only student this year to receive honors in engineering physics (electrical). He was graduated from Essex High School.

Walter Karpenko, 1133 Windermere road, has completed three years in actuarial science at the

University of Western Ontario. bursaries were Mr. J. L. Forster, London, receiving first class honors this last year. He is a graduate of Patterson Collegiate, and a member of the R.C.A.F. Student Reserve Corps.

The judges who awarded the

bursaries were Mr. J. L. Forster, Mr. S. R. Ross and, from Essex, Mr. Alex Hall, and, representing the I.O.D.E., Mrs. Louis F. Johnson, Municipal Chapter regent; Miss Hazel Carley, educational secretary, and Mrs. C. C. White.

Friday, July 13th, 1951.

THE ESSEX FREE PRESS.

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The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Ollie Shuel and family on the sudden death of her brother-in-law Joe Fish.

June. 14. 1985

Officers elect of Court Clover No. 1701. IOF were—C.R. Geo O'Neill; V.C.R. - A.W. Cartis; Chap. - A. J. Shuel; Rec. Secy - E. Elliott; Fin. Secy - J. Pettypiece; Treas. - W.B. Hol-

DEC. 31, 1927 E.F.P.



BRIDE-ELECT — Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel of Oldcastle announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann Florence, to Douglas Reginald Werner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Werner of Willowdale. The wedding will take place August 4 at 2 p.m. in Redeemer Church, Oldcastle.

July. 13. 1962

PAQUETTE

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Shuel have arrived home after spending the past six weeks in Glendale, Arizona.

Feb. 17. 1956

Anthony Shuel Dies.

Anthony Shuel, aged 70 years, a veteran of World War I, passed away in Westminster Hospital, London, on Monday.

He had resided at 314 Arthur Ave, Essex, for some years but was a native of the Paquette District.

Surviving are his widow, nee Bernetha Shuel; a son Walter, of Windsor; two daughters, Glayds (Mrs. Arch Hartley), of Sandwich South; Jemima (Mrs. Wm. Harrison), Essex; also a sister, Mrs. P. O. Johansen, Wilder, Idaho; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services are being held this (Thursday) afternoon from the Dodson & Hakkirk Funeral Home, Essex, at 2 p.m., with Canon J. H. Whealen officiating. Burial is to be in St. Stephen's Cemetery.

Dec. 12. 1958



RECEPTION—Windsor and district nurses are among those on the reception committee of a formal tea and open house Thursday at Alexander Blain Hospital in Detroit, marking the 50th anniversary of the institution's founding. From left, Jean Fry, Windsor; Mary

Anne Shuel, Oldcastle; Hallie Jackson, Detroit, and Marilyn Piper, Riverside. Other Windsorites on the Blain staff are Mrs. Leila Lauzon, night supervising nurse and Nyall Daniels, nurses' aide.

(Star Staff Photo)

MAY. 19. 1961

Pettigrew-Shuel Nuptials.

Before an altar decorated with white gladioli and burning white tapers, a lovely ceremony was solemnized in the Church of the Redeemer, Colchester North, at 4 p.m. on Saturday, August 14th, uniting in marriage Dorothy Beatrice Shuel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shuel, of Oldcastle, and Hubert Calvin Pettigrew, of Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pettigrew, of Ottaville. The Rev. J. E. Gordon Houghton officiated.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Harry Pettipiece, accompanied at the organ by Miss Alice O'Neil, aunt of the bride, sang "O Perfect Love" and "Hear Us O Father," during the ceremony.

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The bridesmaids, Mrs. Joy Ziehm and Miss Grace O'Neil wore identical gowns of green and pink organdy over taffeta. They wore flowered headpieces similar to the maid-of-honour's and carried matching bouquets.

James Shuel, brother of the bride, was best man, and the ushers were Bob Shuel and Don Pettigrew.

Mrs. Shuel chose for her daughter's wedding a Dior blue Shantung dress with black accessories, and a corsage of pink gladioli. The groom's mother, Mrs. E. Pettigrew, wore a navy sheer with pink accessories, and a corsage of pink gladioli.

A reception followed in Tully Hall, the bride's table being centred with a three-tiered wedding cake, embedded in white tulle, circled with ivy and snapdragons, and flanked by burning white tapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Pettigrew left later on a motor trip to Northern Ontario, the bride travelling in a navy linen suit with navy accessories, and a corsage of white mums. They will sail for England, from Quebec, September 8th, to spend the next two years in London, where the groom will study at the University of London.

Out-of-town guests were from Toronto, Guelph, Ottaville, Detroit, Windsor, Essex and Cottam.

Aug. 27. 1954

Paquette friends learned with sincere regret of the death of Miss Lena Shuel, aged 90, at the Sun Parlour Home for Senior Citizens, Leamington, Monday evening and of her brother, Hubert, 88, of Harrow, who died Tuesday evening.

Sept. 22. 1967

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel (nee Erma Wilson) on the birth of a son at Hotel Dieu Hospital on Sunday, August 19th.

AUG. 1951

1873 Essex Record Recalled OCTOBER 5TH, 1961 - STAR

Does Anyone 'Remember When?'

In 1873, the Essex Record was the "official paper of the County". So states the bannerhead of a yellowed and tattered newspaper discovered by Miss Ellen Shuel, 84, of 744 Chilver Rd.

Meetings of the Windsor Town Council were dealt with in great detail. The meeting of Monday, April 25, 1873 was headed "Another fight over the Licence Question . . . recommending a licence be given . . . the steamer General Grant . . . when accommodations for carrying teams have been provided".

In Police Court, three men were convicted of driving along the sidewalk. They paid fines of 50 cents and court costs of \$2.35 for the first offence.

The entire back page of the four-page declares the conviction of 136 lawbreakers for crimes ranging from "stealing turkeys, shooting pigs," and "larceny of boots" to "cursing and swearing" and "stealing timber".

The record was primarily the voice of Essex County, but down in the lower left corner of the front page, barely

readable is news of trouble in Germany, which stems from an advance in the price of beer. This reduction resulted in 12 casualties, and 120 people arrested.

The reason Miss Shuel wanted

to part with this colorful picture of the past was simply that she "saw it lying there and thought it should be preserved." The paper has been filed in The Windsor Star library.



GLIMPSE INTO PAST—An 88-year-old Essex County newspaper came to light in the attic of Miss Ellen Shuel, 744 Chilver Rd. Here, Miss Shuel studies the tattered paper which, she recalls, dates back to her grandfather's time.



164 YEARS AS TORIES — Representing 164 years of Tory support, Progressive Conservative Party oldtimers, from left, Ed Seili, 77, of Wheatley; John Shuel, 72, of Sandwich South, and Albert Brunner, 78, of Gosfield North, attended the nomination meeting in

Leamington that named Richard Thrasher as the candidate in Essex South riding for the federal election. Mr. Seili expressed confidence that the Tories will win the election but the other gentlemen have reserved their judgment.

March, 1963

PAQUETTE

Miss Marianne Shuel arrived home on Saturday after spending the past seven months in London, England.

Dec. 9. 1955

Many Happy Returns of the Day to Banford Shuel who celebrated his 80th birthday Feb. 6th.

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SHUEL

Sept 29, 1967 - Hubert Shuel, well known Sand's south farmer retired and residing in Harrow. His sister Lena Shuel age 90 was resting at the Kennedy Funeral Home in Essex having passed away the day before. Double funeral services were held at St. Stephens Ang. Church. Mrs. Shuel was 88 yrs. old.

Sept. 13, 1968 - Mr. & Mrs. John Shuel celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Aug. 25th. Six children and 12 grandchildren were present at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Werner of Windsor for celebrations.

Bernetha Shuel Passes

Bernetha P. Shuel, 86 years, passed away October 2, 1987, at Essex Nursing Home. Late of Essex.

Wife of the late Anthony Shuel. Dear mother of Walter of Windsor, Mrs. Bill Harrison (Jemima) of Essex and the late Gladys Hartley (1982). Eight grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were held from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex. Rev. J.E. Swain officiated. Interment St. Stephen's Church Cemetery.

Donations to The New Chronic Care Hospital, Windsor would be appreciated by the family.

Oct. 9. 1987

Tomato growers organized and a fee of 50 cents per member was set. Provincial directors were John R. Shuel of Paquette; John W. Smith, Cottam; R.J. Grant, Leamington; John Lickman, Essex; Nick Ruggaber, Tecum-

Deep sincere sympathy is extended to the family of John R. Shuel who passed away June 16 at Metropolitan Hospital. To his wife Florence, the former an O'Neil to their sons, and three daughters, to his brother Robert and Banford and his sister Erin Petty-piece.

June 24. 1977

sch; Herbert Holden, Essex; Stanley Bailey, Arthur Martin, Harry Pigeon, Harrow; Alfred Parent, Stoney Point; Jephthe St. Pierre, Belle River; Richard Benoit, Comber; Ray Ure, Roseland.

Greyhound Lines — Fares from Essex to Detroit 55 cents; to Leamington 55 cents; to Blenheim \$1.40; to Chatham \$1.90; to St. Thomas \$2.55; to Toronto \$5.10; to Montreal \$12.40; to Tillsonburg \$3.10; to Delhi \$3.40; to Simcoe \$3.65; to Welland \$5.05; to Niagara Falls \$5.40; to Chicago \$4.55; New York City \$9.95; to Los Angeles \$32.40; to Winnipeg \$15.85; to Miami \$19; to St. Petersburg \$17.70.

JAN. 23. 1987

Paquette friends learned with sincere regret of the death of Mrs. Julia Shuel, 82 years, July 26th, late of 1084 Church St., Windsor and formerly of this area. She was predeceased by her husband, Hubert in 1967. Dear sister of Mrs. Rose Heaton of Harrow. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. She was an Anglican and a member of Windsor Chapter No. 4, Order Eastern Star. When living in this area, the late Mrs Shuel took an active part in the Redeemer Ladies Guild and W.A. Funeral services were held in St. Stephen's Church, Wednesday with Rev. E. C. Grey officiating. Interment was in St. Stephen's Churchyard. We extend our deepest sympathy to her bereaved relatives.

July 31. 1970

Rev. James A. Shuel of Edson, Alberta, and his sister, Miss Margaret Shuel, of the Scarborough Public School Staff returned recently by jet from an enjoyable tour of England and Ireland.

Many Happy Returns of the Day to Russell O'Neill who celebrated his birthday, August 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fish of Milltown, Kentucky are guests of the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shuel.

The home of Mrs. Russell Pettypiece was the scene of a happy family re-union, Saturday and Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pettypiece and family, Miss Nancy Pettypiece, R.N. of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Pettypiece and family of Niagara Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pettypiece of Agincourt, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Lucio of Thamesville, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pettypiece of Essex.

Aug. 31. 1973

SHUEL, Ollie M.

91 years, Tuesday, October 23, 2001 at Country Village Nursing Home. Late of Maidstone. Wife of the late Perc Lounsbrough (1955) and Robert E. Shuel (1981). Dear sister-in-law of Imogene Buckley of Missouri. Predeceased by 5 brothers and 1 sister. Survived by many nieces and nephews. Visiting at the Reid Funeral Home, 87 Maidstone Avenue East (County Rd. 8), Essex, (776-4233) Wednesday afternoon from 2-5 p.m. Funeral Service to celebrate Ollie's life from the Funeral Home Thursday at 11 a.m. Rev. Stephen Demitroff officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Oldcastle. Memorial donations would be appreciated to the Church of the Redeemer Building Fund. Friends may send condolences at

www.funeral-cast.com

Celebrates 50th
Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, August 25th, at a family dinner party, in their honour, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Werner, of Windsor. Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Shuel, Guelph; Miss Margaret Shuel, Scarboro; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel, Strathroy; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew, Ottawa; Rev. J. Shuel, Edson, Alta. and Miss Alice O'Neill as well as 12 grandchildren were present for the occasion.

Sept. 13. 1968

PAQUETTE

Rev. James A. Shuel, of Hinton, Alberta, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann Florence, to Douglas Reginald Werner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Werner, of Willowdale. The wedding will take place August 4th at 2 p.m. in the Church of the Redeemer.

July 20. 1962

There will be a Community Shower for Mr. and Mrs. Dave Duggan (nee Daisy Shuel) on Saturday, September 24th at 8 p.m. in Tully Hall. Please accept this as your invitation.

Sept. 16. 1960

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Shuel (nee Irma Wilson) on the birth of a son, Douglas Wilson, May 22nd at Hotel Dieu Hospital, a brother for Robbie and Jo-Ann.

MAY 30. 1958

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (nee Dorothy Shuel) left Sunday for Quebec where they will sail for England September 8th, to spend the next two years in London, where the bridegroom will study at the University of London.

Sept. 10. 1954

At the morning service in the Church of the Redeemer, on Sunday, Stephen Tofflemire presented James Shuel with a copy of a "Commentary on the Bible" on behalf of the Sunday school, and Harry Pettypiece, on behalf of the church, presented both James and Neil Libby with a copy of a Bible Concordance. They left Monday for Toronto to begin their studies at Trinity College.

Sept. 24. 1954

James Shuel and Neil Libby were guests of honor at a delightful farewell party on Saturday evening, August 28th, in Tully Hall. James and Neil will leave for Toronto September 20th where they will enroll as students at Trinity College to train for the Anglican ministry. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

Sept. 10. 1959

PAQUETTE

John Chwyl returned by air to his home in Edson, Alberta recently after an enjoyable visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel. John who is a Server in St. Catherine's Anglican Church there, accompanied

his Rector and friend, Rev. James A. Shuel, East, when he came to visit his parents. The Rector will return to Edson to resume his parish duties, August 20th.

Miss Margaret Shuel, of the Scarborough Public School Staff is spending the summer

vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel. Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel and family held a happy Re-Union, July 28th at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Werner of Windsor. All their six children and

thirteen grandchildren were present. Dr. and Mrs. Reginald Shuel and family of Guelph, Miss Margaret Shuel of Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel and family of Strathroy, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew and family of Oakville, Rev. James A. Shuel of Edson, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Werner and family of Windsor, and Mrs. Shuel's sister, Miss Alice O'Neill, of Huron Lodge, Windsor. All present enjoyed themselves on this joyous occasion.

AUG. 16. 1974

SHUEL—Julia, 82 years, July 26, 1970, late of 1084 Church St., Windsor. Predeceased by her husband, Hubert, 1967. Dear sister of Mrs. Rose Heaton of Harrow. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave. Transfer will be made to St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Wednesday, July 29, a.m., to rest in state until 1:30 p.m., time of service, Rev. E. C. Grey officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Churchyard. Service will be held Tuesday at 7 p.m. under the auspices of Windsor Chapter No. 4, O.E.S.

Sandwich South lost another of its lifelong, older and highly respected residents when Robert Shuel, 88 years, passed away August 20th at Windsor Western Hospital.

He had served his country with honour and distinction in World War II and was a retired farmer and highway road worker. Our deepest sympathy to his bereaved loved ones.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Banford Shuel of 1084 Church St., Windsor who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a family dinner at the Teutonia Club on Sunday, March 4th. They were married in the Church of the Redeemer on March 7, 1923. They have two children and five grandchildren.

March 2. 1973

Funeral services were held in St. Stephen's Church Monday for Banford David Shuel with Rev. Tony Koning officiating assisted by Canon Jack Peck. Mr. Shuel was the last member of the Robert Shuel family. Our deepest sympathy goes to his beloved son, Edward, his 5 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild, for he was a kind and friendly man whose life was filled with good deeds.

JAN. 29. 1982

Sixty Years Ago

Items culled from Essex Free Press Files of Sept. 12th, 1902

Alex Shuel sold his farm in Sandwich South, on the Colchester North townline, to a Mr. Paquette, and moved to Alpena, Mich.

THURSTON--Kathleen, at Metropolitan Hospital, Windsor, on Sunday, July 19, 1981, 55 years. Beloved wife of Miles. Dear mother of John, Kingsville; Dave, Toronto; Susan Sebele, Kitchener and Richard, at home. Beloved daughter of Banford Shuel, Windsor. Dear sister of Ed Shuel, Windsor. Also survived by 1 grandchild Crystal. Resting at the C. Stuart Sykes Funeral Home, 91 Division St. S., Kingsville after 7 p.m. Monday. Funeral service Wednesday 1 p.m. Rev. James Stevenson officiating. Interment in St. Stephen's Churchyard, Oldcastle. Donations to the Ontario Heart Fund would be appreciated.

Robert Shuel Passes

Robert Earl Shuel, 88 years, of R.R. 1 Maidstone, passed away Thursday, August 20th.

He is survived by his wife Ollie Madelaine and brother Banford Shuel of Windsor. He was predeceased by his brother John Shuel and sister Mrs. Erin Pettypiece.

Funeral services were held from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, on Monday, to Redeemer Church, with Rev. Edward Healy officiating. Interment in Windsor Grove Cemetery.

Aug. 28. 1981

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Anne Hackson, Mrs. Leslie O'Brien, Mrs. Eric Banwell and Richard Reynier in the death of their beloved uncle, Fredrick S. Rhoads, 76 years on Feb. 17 at IODE Hospital, Windsor.

Many Happy Returns of the Day to Mrs. John Shuel who celebrated her 89th birthday on Feb. 18 and to her daughter Miss Margaret Shuel of the Scarborough Public School Staff who also celebrated her birthday, the same day.

Feb. 24. 1978

SHUEL — John Roland, 85 yrs., June 16, 1977 at Metropolitan General Hospital. Beloved husband of Florence, R.R. 1, Oldcastle. Dear father of Reginald Shuel, Guelph; Miss Margaret, of Toronto; Robert, Strathroy; Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (Dorothy), Oakville; Ven. Archdeacon James Shuel, Edson, Alta.; Mrs. Douglas Werner (Mary Ann), Windsor; Warren, deceased. 13 grandchildren. Dear brother of Robert Shuel and Mrs. Russell Pettypiece (Erin), Oldcastle; Banford, Windsor. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave., until Monday a.m. thence to rest at St. Stephen's Anglican Church from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. (time of service). Rev. Tony Koning officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Churchyard. Memorial tributes may be made to Holy Redeemer Anglican Church memorial fund or the Canadian Diabetic Association.

SHUEL—Robert Earl, 88 years, August 20, 1981, late of RR 1, Maidstone, beloved husband of Ollie Madelaine. Dear brother of Banford Shuel, Windsor and late John Shuel and Mrs. Erin Pettypiece. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral service Monday at 11 a.m. at Redeemer Church, Rev. Edward Healy officiating. Interment Windsor Grove Cemetery. Capt. Brian Branch Royal Canadian Legion Service, Sunday 7:30 p.m.; Great Western Lodge #47, A.F. & A.M. Service, Sunday 8 p.m. Visiting after 2 p.m. Saturday.

We are glad to report that John Shuel is now at home and is making daily progress towards recovery from his recent illness.

May. 30. 1975

Jim Shuel and the cast of Pilgrims of the Way won the cup at the annual drama festival.

March. 26. 1954

Thirty Years Ago

CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4

Calgary Sept. 2nd and 3rd.

Married - Robert John Shuel and Erma Marilyn Wilson; Maxwell E. Roberts and Marjorie Ellen Mountney.

AUG. 25. 1978

This community mourns the passing of a prominent and highly respected citizen, John Roland Shuel, 85 years who passed away June 16 in Metropolitan Hospital following a long illness. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel Sr. he was a lifelong resident of Con. 8 Sandwich South and a faithful member of the Church of the Redeemer where he retired as treasurer in January 1971 after sixty years of dedicated service.

He always took an active part in community affairs, served as a director of the Oldcastle co-op for 12 years on the Essex High School Board on Essex County Vegetable Growers Board and was a former school trustee of S.S. No. 10.

A devoted husband, father grandfather and brother he will be greatly missed in the family circle and by a host of friends who sincerely mourn his passing. He had a pleasing personality, was kind and thoughtful and never too busy to lend a helping hand where needed.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Florence, three sons, Dr. Reginald Shuel of O.A.C. Guelph, Robert of Strathroy, Ven. Archdeacon James A. Shuel of Edson, Alberta and three daughters Miss Margaret Shuel of the Scarborough Public School Staff, Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (Dorothy) of Oakville, Mrs.

Douglas Werner (Marianne) of Windsor and 13 grandchildren. Also survived by brother Banford Shuel of Windsor; Sister Erin Pettapiece and brother Robert of Oldcastle. To all of whom we extend our deepest sympathy. Funeral services were held Monday June 20 at St. Stephen's with Rev. Tony Koning officiating. Interment was in St. Stephens Cemetery.

JUNE 24. 1977

Mrs. John Shuel died at the age of 47 years.

SEPT. 1904

Jim Shuel, an EHS pupil was awarded a Dominion Provincial Scholarship of \$400 on his high standing when completing Grade 13.

Sept. 24. 1978

SHUEL—Robert Earl, 88 years, August 20, 1981, late of RR 1, Maidstone, beloved husband of Ollie Madelaine. Dear brother of Banford Shuel, Windsor and late John Shuel and Mrs. Erin Pettypiece. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral service Monday at 11 a.m. at Redeemer Church, Rev. Edward Healey officiating. Inerment Windsor Grove Cemetery. Capt. Brien Branch Royal Canadian Legion Service, Sunday 7:30 p.m.; Great Western Lodge #47, A.F. & A.M. Service, Sunday 8 p.m. Visiting after 2 p.m. Saturday.

PAQUETTE

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. John Shuel, Miss Alice O'Neil and Walter O'Neil in the death of their dear sister Mrs. Louise MacMichael, who passed away suddenly on Saturday, Oct. 21st in hospital in Detroit at the age of 92.

Nov. 3. 1978

21st Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel a son;

April

April. 2. 1933

Deaths — Mrs. Stephen McKeon, Ashur Reeb, Viola McCay, Richard Sonley, C.H. Taylo, Walter Shuel, John O'Halloran.

March. 3. 1944

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press for the week of October 21st, 1910.

Deaths — Jas. Wilson, 58; Alex Shuell, 87; Mrs. John Wallace, 36.

Sixty Years Ago

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press Sept. 6, 1918.

Married - John Shuel and Florence Agnes O'Neil.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Shuel wish to thank their many friends and neighbours for the many expressions of kindness shown them during their lengthy stay in the hospital.

AUG. 20. 1976

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Banford Shuel who celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary on March 7th. We wish them many more years of wedded bliss.

March. 14. 1975

Mrs. Ollie Shuel has returned home after an enjoyable visit with her brother in San Francisco, California.

SEPT. 16. 1983

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press for the week of November 28th, 1952.

Deaths — Ernest Bowers; Sarah Goslin, 85; Mary Ann Shuel, 86; Elie Tourangeau 78.

Mrs. Ollie Shuel has returned home after an enjoyable visit with relatives in Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fish of Milltown, Kentucky are guests of Mrs. Ollie Shuel.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press, Jan. 24, 1908.

Wed - George J. Thomas 60 years; James Shuel, 78 years.

JAN. 24. 1968

SHUEL

Deaths—John Shuell, of Sandwich South, aged 75 years; Thomas Kelly, of Sandwich South, aged 75 years. Married—Alice Koning to Edson B. O.

Nov. 14. 1902

Robert Shuel of Paquette who had received a military medal earlier, was awarded a bar to the medal.

Oct. 11. 1918

Deaths

SHUEL—Elsie, 76 yrs., Nov. 25, 1977 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Late of 450 Victoria Ave. Beloved wife of Banford (Hank). Dear mother of Edward C., Windsor; Mrs Miles Thurston (Kathleen), Kingsville. 5 grandchildren. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette, will rest at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Monday, Nov. 28 from 9 a.m. till 11 a.m. time of service. Rev. A. Koning, Rev. Canon Jack Peck officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Church Yard.

Fifty Years Ago

Items Culled from Essex Free Press Files of July 17th, 1914

John R. Shuel, of Paquette, enrolled at Essex High School, Sept. 1904

Deaths — Shepley C. Ice; Mrs. Fannie Radcliffe, 80; Ellen O'Rourke, 78; Mrs. Jason Woodiwiss, 88; John Shuel, 65; Adam Myles, 86; Ephriam Lounsbury, 85; Ed Dusty, 31.

Sept. 1982

Brother and Sister



LEUTENANT REGINALD W. SHUEL, now overseas with his regiment, and Airwoman Margaret Shuel, stationed in Ottawa, decided to have this last brother-and-sister picture for the duration taken before he left for England. They are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shuel, of Sandwich South.

1941



John Shuel, 81, turns a furrow with a walking plow, an annual event for him.

SEPT. 14. 1973

SHUEL — John Roland, 85 yrs., June 16, 1977 at Metropolitan General Hospital. Beloved husband of Florence, R.R. 1, Oldcastle. Dear father of Reginald Shuel, Guelph; Miss Margaret, of Toronto; Robert, Strathroy; Mrs. Hugh Pettigrew (Dorothy), Oakville; Ven. Archdeacon James Shuel, Edson, Alta.; Mrs. Douglas Werner (Mary Ann), Windsor; Warren, deceased. 13 grandchildren. Dear brother of Robert Shuel and Mrs. Russell Pettypiece (Erin), Oldcastle; Banford, Windsor. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave., until Monday a.m. thence to rest at St. Stephen's Anglican Church from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. (time of service). Rev. Tony Koning officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Churchyard. Memorial tributes may be made to Holy Redeemer Anglican Church memorial fund or the Canadian Diabetic Association.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel who celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Sept. 3rd.

Sept. 7. 1973

We are glad to report that John Shuel is home from Metropolitan Hospital and is making daily progress towards recovery from his recent stroke.

We regret to report that Erin Pettypiece suffered a heart attack last Wednesday evening and was taken to the Cardiac Unit in Grace Hospital. At time of writing she is improving and is now in Room 422. We all send our best wishes and prayers for her speedy recovery.

Nov. 12. 1976

SHUEL—Banford D. (Hank), late of Victoria Ave., 85 years, January 22, 1982 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Mr. Shuel was a member of All Saints Anglican Church. Predeceased by his wife Elsie. Dearest father of Edward C., Windsor and Mrs. Miles Thurston (Kathleen) (deceased). Also survived by 5 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Dear brother of John R.; Robert E.; and Mrs. Erin Pettypiece, all deceased. Will rest at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave. from 6 p.m. Saturday, until 9 p.m. Sunday, thence will rest at St. Stephen's Anglican Church from 9:30 a.m. January 25 until 11 a.m. time of service. Rev. Tony Koning officiating and assisted by Canon Jack Peck. Interment St. Stephen's Churchyard.

Mrs. John Shuel Passes

Florence Shuel, of Oldcastle, passed away suddenly on Saturday, October 3rd.

She was predeceased by her husband, John (1977); and one son, Warren (1936).

She is survived by her sons Reginald, of Guelph, Robert of Strathroy, Rev. James Shuel of Edson, Alta.; daughters, Miss Margaret Shuel, of Toronto; Mrs. Douglas Werner (Mary Ann) of Windsor, and Mrs. Hubert Pettigrew (Dorothy) of Ottawa; 12 grandchildren; brother Walter O'Neil, of Oldcastle; sisters Miss Alice O'Neil of Windsor and Mrs. Bert Peck (Edna) of Port Huron, Mich.

Funeral services were held from the Anderson Funeral Home, Windsor, on Tuesday, thence to St. Stephen's Anglican Church on Wednesday. Rev. T. Koning officiated. Interment in St. Stephen's Churchyard.

Alex Jones, aged 91, passed away in Westminster Hospital, London, on Sunday, December 27th. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones, he was born in February 1879 in a log house on the farm in Sandwich South where John Shuel now resides, and lived in this area most of his life. He was a World War I Veteran and took part in active service overseas with the 99th Battalion. He is survived by several nephews and nieces in this area, John Shuel, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shuel, Mrs. Russell Pettypiece, Thomas Huggard and Banford Shuel of Windsor. To them we extend our deepest sympathy. The funeral was held Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. from the Logan Funeral Home, London, to Westminster Chapel for the service. Interment was in the Veterans' Plot, London.

JAN. 1. 1971

Thirty Years Ago

August 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuel, a

the week of August 25th, 1951.

March 14 - April 11 weeks 1952.

Marianne Shuel and Jane Simon, S.D.A.S. graduates, received official acceptance as student nurses at Hotel Dieu.

Died - week of July 18, 1952 - Elly Albert Shuel, age, 93.

Many Happy Returns of the day to Mrs. John Shuel who celebrated her birthday, Feb. 18th.

March 1. 1974

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuel, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shuel, Mrs. Russell Pettypiece and daughter Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pettypiece attended the wedding of John Thurston and Dianna Davey in the Church of the Epiphany, in Kingsville, on Saturday afternoon, June 5th and the reception follow in the Ballroom of the Legion Hall, Kingsville.

June 11. 1971

Seventy Years Ago

Items Culled From Essex Free Press Files of Nov. 14th, 1902

Died— John Shuel, aged 75 yrs.; Thomas Kelly, aged 75 yrs.

Married — Alvin Kay and Lida Osborne; Wm. Hutchinson and Mary Fick; Joseph Renaud and Maggie Labadie.

PAQUETTE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Banford Shuel who celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary, March 7th.

March. 15. 1974

Forty Years Ago

Taken from Oct. 22, 1937 issue.

Married - William James Campbell and Helen M. Hicks Lorne Ernest Shuel and Olive Lenore Gerard,

SHUEL

PAQUETTE

Many happy returns of the day to Mrs. Ollie Shuel who celebrated her birthday on January 11th.

JAN. 20. 1984

SHUEL—Bernetak P. 86 Years. Oct. 2, 1987 at Essex Nursing Home. Late of Essex. Wife of the late Antony Shuel. Dear mother of Walter of Windsor, Mrs. Bill Harrison (Jemima), Essex, the late Gladys Hartley (1982). Eight grandchildren. Resting at The Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home 128 Talbot St. North, Essex. Funeral Service, Oct. 6, at 1:00 p.m. Rev. J.E. Swain officiating. Interment St. Steven Church Cemetery. Donations to The New Chronic Care Hospital, Windsor would be appreciated by the family.

SHUEL—Richard E. (CA), on Sun. April 17, 1983, at his home in Mississauga. Richard Shuel, lovingly missed by Patricia. Loving father of Wendy. Dear son of Kenneth and Olive Shuel. Dear brother of Ann. Uncle of Kerri. Friends may call at the Turner & Porter "Peel" Chapel, 2180 Hurontario St., Mississauga (Hwy 10 N of Q.E.W.) from 7 p.m. Mon. Funeral service 11 a.m. Wed morning. Interment Glendale Memorial Gardens. For those who wish Memorial contributions to the Salvation Army or the Ontario Heart Fund would be appreciated.

Paquette - July 11/70 5.30 P.M. Miss Margaret Shuel of the Scarborough Public School staff is spending summer vacation with her parents Mr. & Mrs. John Shuel. Her brother Dr. & Mrs. Reg. Shuel & family returned to their home in Guelph after a week at the Shuels.

Lorne Shuel Passes May 19/78 2.30 P.M.

Lorne Ernest Shuel, 80 yrs, May 13, 1978 at the

Sunparlour Home Learning

late of R.R. 1 McEggor.

Beloved husband of Olive (nee Girard) Dear father of Mrs. Albert Wallis (Margaret) Winnipeg;

Mrs. Karl Light (Daisy) Sterling Heights Mich.

Carl, John & Edwin McEggor. 8 grandchildren

Dear brother of Mrs. Bernetak Shuel, Essex. Funeral

service was held Tues. from St. Stephens Ang. Church, Rev. Tony Koning, officiating, Interment in

St. Stephens Church Cemetery

S.P.P. July 29/83.

We are grateful to Grace Reddam for the following write up of Laura Pettigrew's wedding in Toronto, July 1st. Laura is the granddaughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. John Shuel, who were prominent citizens of this community.

Addario-Pettigrew Nuptials - At a lovely evening ceremony at St. Anselm's Church, Toronto, July 1st, 1983, Laura Ann Pettigrew, daughter of Hubert & Dorothy Pettigrew (nee Shuel) of Ottawa, became the bride of Anthony Domenech D'Addario, son of Mr. & Mrs. Joseph D'Addario of Toronto.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was exquisite in an original gown of ivory pearly silk designed by Alina, mother of the groom, with full fitted sleeves and bouffant skirt ending in a cathedral train. Her illusion veil was held to her head with a Juliet cap and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and ivy. Anne Welch, of Ottawa, maid of honour, was lovely in a gown of pale blue taffeta with a square neck, puffed sleeves and full skirt and carried a garden bouquet of delphiniums and yellow orchids. The bridesmaids, Barbara Ruhl, sister of the groom, Anne Rita, cousin of the groom, Katherine Werner, cousin of the bride and Sara Pettigrew, sister of the bride wore identical gowns and carried similar bouquets.

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SHUEL

Larry Selke was best man and the ushers were Greg ~~Ruhl~~ Doug. Lawrie, Mark Orlando, Matt. Stone. Father O'Neil and Father Hill of Ottawa officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The mother of the bride, wore a taupe organza floor length gown with a corsage of talisman roses and the mother of the groom chose a midnight blue floor length silk gown by Alina with a corsage of regent roses.

A reception followed at St. Lawrence Hall, Toronto, with David Shilton, master of ceremonies.

Following the reception the happy couple left on a honeymoon to Acapulco, Mexico, the bride travelling in an original Italian prun costume with blouson top and an off the face natural straw hat trimmed with a matching band.

They will reside in Toronto where the bride is a second year law student at the Univ. of Toronto.

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Out of town guests at the wedding included Laura Pettigrew of Otterville, grand mother of the bride, the grand father of the groom, who came from Italy especially for the occasion, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Shuel of Strathroy, Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Werner & family of Windsor, Mr. Jim Shuel of Oldcastle, Dr. & Mrs. Reginald Shuel and family of Guelph, Mr. & Mrs. Milton Pettigrew of Windsor, Mr. & Mrs. Don Pettigrew of Otterville and Mr. & Mrs. John Reddam of Windsor.

SHUEL

'The hardest work I know is doing nothing'



82-year-old John Shuel . . . That's semi-retired?

SHUEL

PHOTO AND STORY

By IAN WILLIAMS

PAQUETTE CORNERS — The slow, easy movement of the arms in the backswing turns into a violent jerk as the axe cuts through the air and smashes into the protesting wood belying the fact that John Shuel is 82 years old.

Like a young man, the farmer leaned on the axe handle and said, "See this one", indicating a log with two knots in it, "You have to chop that at a certain angle or you can't split it".

Since moving into his homestead fifty-six years ago, Mr. Shuel has been farming the land without interruption.

"I've been in this area all my life! I moved across the road from my father's place", he said.

When he took over the farm in 1918, about 50 of the 150 acres was under cultivation.

Gradually, over the years he cleared the land until only 25 acres of bush is left.

Now, Mr. Shuel looks after the lawns around the house plus the orchard at the back of the barn.

"I look after about five acres which I plant in wheat or corn and the odd time oats", he said.

The rest of the 150 acres is sharecropped by a neighbor each year.

Walking through the woodlot, bracing himself against the brisk northeast wind which dropped the temperature below zero with the chill factor, he turned and said, "The hardest work I know is doing nothing."

Crunching through the snow, he points to a tree, "That's a white oak, stands at least 100 feet and not a branch until 70 feet".

"There's a beech; you hardly find them anymore, I've only counted about half a dozen in this lot. They prefer the high ground, you know", Mr. Shuel explained.

To keep active in the winter months, Mr. Shuel, has to get someone in to fell the trees but he hauls them out of the bush to the barn then hand chops them into cordwood.

He does enough to keep active and make a little money out of the operation by supplying regular customers.

He talks about the days when the farmers in the area

used to load up and haul cords of wood into the Windsor market.

"They could only take two cords on the wagons", he said because a cord was measured at four feet wide, four high and eight feet long.

A cord went for \$1.25 at the time and the householder would hire another man to cut it up.

Farming has had its good times for Mr. Shuel and its bad times, too.

In remembering back, he explained, "It's just the same as playing golf; when you get a good shot you never forget it, but you forget the bad ones."

Probably the worst time, he said, was during the Depression but this area wasn't hit as hard as other parts of the country.

"We had a diversity here. Sugar beets helped the farmers keep going".

It still was tough, he said, "Milk got as low as \$1.12 a hundred and wheat was 35 cents a bushel."

Mr. Shuel indicated that the best times seemed to come after the wars.

After the Second World War the boom really hit the countryside, he said, but the First World War also had a boom for about three years after the fighting stopped.

In comparing farming over the years, Mr. Shuel said, "I'll tell you lotsa fellas started up on 50 acres with only a team of horses and a plow. They didn't make a fortune but they made a living".

"You can't do that today", he said.

"I keep busy all the time, I never stay in the house unless it's stormy", he explained.

During the summer months, Mr. Shuel spends about five or six days at a local golf course.

"I only play 18 holes on Sundays and nine the rest of the week".

When asked if he was semi-retired, he answered, "I suppose you could say that", then with a twinkle in his eyes and a short laugh, he said, "Or you could say tired".

Passing of Robert Shuel

Robert Shuel, one of the best known residents of Sandwich South and for 75 years a resident of the Shuel Settlement, in the Paquette district, passed away on Monday afternoon in his 88th year. Deceased lived on the 6th Concession of Sandwich South for several years and from 1887 until a short time ago lived on the 8th Concession. For some time past he and Mrs. Shuel have made their home with their son Robert on the north Town Line of Colchester North. He was the oldest member of the Orange Lodge in his section, having joined Paquette L.O.L. No. 552 in 1869. He was one of a family of nine, all of whom predeceased him - Mrs. Anthony Shuel, Edward, Walter, Alex., John, James, Richard and William, the latter dying in Ireland and the others in the Shuel Settlement. He was a life-long member of the Anglican Church and for years attended St. Stephen's Church in Sandwich South. He died in 1928.

In 1902 he donated the land on the Colchester North townline upon which the Church of the Redeemer was built and since then had attended the latter church. He was the son of Walter Shuel and was born on March 29th, 1860, at Castlemaine, County Kerry, Ireland. The family came to New Brunswick in 1846, and in 1853 moved to Essex County, settling in the Paquette section. For several years he operated a sawmill but for most of his life he was engaged in farming. He married Sarah Jones who survives him, with three sons and a daughter - John R., Robert E., Sanford D., and Erin, (Mrs. Russell Pettypiece) all of the Paquette section. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, with a service in the home and in St. Stephen's Church being conducted by Rev. E. W. McKegney, who also officiated at the graveside in the family lot in Windsor Grove Cemetery. Death was due to Cancer of the throat, from which he had suffered for some time. One of his sons, Robert E. Shuel was a veteran in the First World War and won the M.M. and Bar. He told the King (King George V.) when he was greeted by him that he had been wounded three times during the war, as a soldier of the First Battalion. These were incurred at Festubert, Vimy Ridge and Canal du Nord.

OCTOBER 10, 1969

2nd Class Mail



Shuttleworth-Ferguson Nuptials



MR. AND MRS. GORDON SHUTTLEWORTH

Lois Joan Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray D. Ferguson of Essex, was united in marriage to Robert Gordon Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Shuttleworth of Maidstone. The wedding took place in Cottam Baptist Church with Ann Ferguson as maid of honor and Paul Dallimore as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Shuttleworth will reside at RR 3, Kingsville.

Sept. 25, 1969

SHUTTLEWORTH—Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Shuttleworth announce the birth of a son, 7 lbs. 14 ozs., brother for David and Nancy, February 25, 1955, at Grace Hospital.

Sincere sympathy to the Shuttleworth family in the sudden loss of their dear sister, Miss Mary L. Shuttleworth, who passed away at Metropolitan Hospital with polio neuritis. Deceased was born and lived all her life on the ninth concession of Sandwich South and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shuttleworth. Surviving is a sister Margaret (Mrs. Wm. Farough); and four brothers, Edward, Joseph and Harry, of Windsor, and Sydney, of Sandwich South. She was a sister of the late Miss Elsie Shuttleworth. Funeral was from the E. J. Hicks Funeral Home on Monday, with interment in Victoria Memorial Park, Rev. N. Anderson officiating.

Nov. 25, 1955

Arrays of azalea pink dahlias and white gladioli adorned the sanctuary of Cottam Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 20th, for the exchanging of marriage vows by Lois Joan Ferguson and Robert Gordon Shuttleworth. The impressive double ring ceremony was performed by Pastor Arnold Dallimore. During the service of holy matrimony, Jack Lewis, uncle of the bride, accompanied by Robert Iler of Chicago, Illinois, cousin of the bride, sang "O Promise Me", "The Lord's Prayer" and "I Never Knew How Much God Gave to Me".

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray D. Ferguson of R. R. 1 Essex and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Shuttleworth, of Maidstone.

Entering the church escorted by her father, who gave her in marriage, the bride was gowned in peau de charme. The floor length A-line Empire style gown was fashioned with an oval neckline and lily point sleeves. A self-chapel train extended from a large Chanel bow at the back bodice. Appliqued Alencon lace highlighted the bodice and bordered the chapel train. A flower of crystals and seed pearls secured her three-tiered fingertip scalloped veil of silk illusion and she wore tiny cameo earrings, gift of the bridegroom, and carried a cascade bouquet of white rosebuds, stephanotis and English ivy.

Miss Ann Ferguson, sister of the bride was maid of honor; Miss Sharon Shuttleworth of Maidstone, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Susan Baxter of Windsor were the bridesmaids, and Donna Jean Ferguson, sister of the bride was the Junior bridesmaid. Becky Bailey, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl.

They were gowned identically in azalea pink peau de charme floor-length A-line gowns featuring ruffled detail at the neckline and hemlines. They wore matching rose clusters headpieces enhanced with small scalloped veils and carried nosegay bouquets of white Fuji mums and azalea pink carnations highlighted with long white knotted streamers. The flower girl was gowned similarly in white peau de charme and carried a basket of azalea pink carnations and white Fuji mums highlighted with long pink knotted streamers.

Paul Dallimore of Cottam was the groomsman; Larry Ferguson,

brother of the bride, David Shuttleworth of Maidstone, cousin of the bridegroom, were the ushers and Daniel Shuttleworth brother of the bridegroom, was the Junior usher. Gordon Ferguson, brother of the bride, was the ring bearer.

A reception for approximately 150 guests was held at the Hilltop Restaurant in Ruthven. Mrs. Ferguson received for her daughter's wedding wearing a deep pink crimplene A-line dress topped with a full-length coat of embroidered brocade in shades of pink, eggshell and moss green; a brocade hat and eggshell accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Shuttleworth, mother of the bridegroom, chose a lime green crimplene A-line dress fashioned with three-quarter length sleeves and a high collar, black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Mrs. Donald Ferguson, R. R. 1 Kingsville, paternal grandmother of the bride, was attired in a peacock sheath topped with a matching lace coat, black accessories and a corsage of white carnations. Mrs. Elmer Sherman of Kingsville, paternal grandmother of the bridegroom, chose a navy knitted jersey dress, navy and white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The bridegroom's maternal grandfather, Lee Heath, from Regina, Sask. attended.

The wedding of Mr. and Mrs. R. Gordon Shuttleworth was similarly planned to that of the bride's parents' wedding. The organist, Robert Iler, assistant music director of Moody Bible Institute in Chicago, Illinois; the vocalist, Jack Lewis, the vocal selection "I Never Knew How Much God Gave To Me", and the master of ceremony, Dean Ferguson, cousin of the bride, were part of her parents' wedding day in October 1945.

The newlyweds left on a motor trip to the Thousand Islands and Ottawa Valley. The bride chose for travelling, a navy two-piece sleeveless dress with a matching full-length coat, red, white and blue accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. R. Gordon Shuttleworth will reside at R. R. 3 Kingsville.

Guests were present from Regina Sask., Cottam, Essex Kingsville, Leamington, Windsor Harrow, Amherstburg, Ottawa Orangeville, Guelph, Corunna and Chicago, Illinois, Orange California, and Troy and Dryden, Michigan.

James R. Shuttleworth Passes

James Robert Shuttleworth Dies

Another of this area's most well-loved residents passed away over the weekend. Fun loving, friendly "Jim" Shuttleworth died at Grace Hospital, Windsor, following a long illness. Mr. Shuttleworth resided on Howard Ave. Roseland for many years and leaves to mourn him, his wife, Violet; one daughter, (Elizabeth) Mrs. John Milbourne, Roseland; two sons, George Ford, of Fulerton, California; David Ford, at home and six grandchildren. Brother of Nelson Shuttleworth, Sandwich South; Mrs. Ray Ure, of Sandwich South; Mrs. Jonathan Graham and Mrs. Wilfred Greaves also of Sandwich South.

Mr. Shuttleworth was a millwright at the Ford Motor Co. for many years and retired in 1957. He also served in World War I with the 29th Field Artillery, enlisting at Guelph in 1915 and returning in 1918. He was a member of the Roseland United Church.

Services were to be held Wednesday at the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, with burial in Green Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

AUG. 28, 1959

Deepest sympathy to the Shuttleworth family in the passing of James Robert Shuttleworth, age 66 years, of 3963 Howard Ave., Windsor. Hospitalized for the past eleven weeks in Grace, the end came suddenly Sunday morning around seven o'clock. Deceased's wife, former Violet Saunders Ford, is in Grace Hospital suffering a heart ailment. "Jim" was born here on the North Talbot Road. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Shuttleworth (nee Hurst). He served his county in World War I in the 29th Field Artillery and when he married moved to Roseland where he has since resided, being a member of the United Church. He was a retired millwright at Ford's. His jovial personality won him a host of friends. Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Elizabeth, Mrs. John Milbourne of Roseland; three step-sons, George Ford, of Fulerton, Calif., who flew here; David Ford, of Burlington and Robert Ford at home; his brother Nelson (last of eight brothers), three sisters, Lillian, Mrs. Ray D. Ure; Edith, Mrs. Jonathan Graham and Grace, Mrs. Wilfred Greaves, all of Sandwich South and six grandchildren. Funeral was held from Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, on Wednesday at 2 p.m. The Rev. J. H. Martin officiating. Burial in Green Lawn Memorial Cemetery.

AUG. 28, 1959

Thirty Years Ago

Taken from the Oct. 17, 1947 issue.

Married - Arthur Shuttleworth and Marian McKenzie.

SHUTTLEWORTH—Miss Agnes, 56 years, July 18, 1954, at Grace Hospital, Windsor. Late residence 11th Concession South, Sandwich South Township. Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Shuttleworth. Dear sister of Mary Shuttleworth, Maidstone, R.R. 3; Mrs. Margaret Farough, Maidstone, R.R. 2; Edward, Joseph and Harry, Windsor; Sidney, Maidstone, R.R. 3. Resting at the E. J. Hicks Funeral Home, Essex, where services will be held Wednesday, July 21, at 2 p.m. (D.S.T.). Rev. N. Anderson officiating. Interment Greenhill Cemetery, Kingsville.

SHUTTLEWORTH—Sidney G., 60 years, April 29, 1965, 9th Concession, Sandwich South. Beloved husband of Rita Greaves. Dear father of Bernard, Joseph, Tom and John, Sandwich South; Mrs. Franklin Spry (Betty), Windsor; 4 grandchildren. Brother of Joseph and Harry, Windsor. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N. Essex. Services Sat. May 1 at 1 p.m., Rev. H. W. Hyland officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery.



On Saturday, June 22, Susan Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Maidstone, graduated from the R.N.A. programme at St. Clair College. Susan was one of three graduates to be awarded the Vice Presidents Medal for proficiency. She has accepted a position at Metropolitan Hospital in Windsor.



MR. AND MRS. MARK POLK

Sharon Lea Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Maidstone, and Mark Scott Polk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Polk of Dryden, Mich., were wed in Cottam Baptist Church. Jean Marie Shuttleworth was her sister's maid of honour and Richard Farrand of Pontiac, Mich., was the best man. The couple will reside in Portsmouth, Va., on return from a trip to Northern Michigan.

Congratulations to the former Jean Marie Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth, of North Talbot Road, on her marriage last Saturday at the Cottam Baptist to John Oltrop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerd Oltrop. Catherine Shuttleworth, was maid of honour and Gordon Shuttleworth best man. The happy young couple will live in Essex after a Northern Ontario honeymoon trip.

Oct. 23. 1970

SHUTTLEWORTH — Nelson F., 72 yrs., Jan. 13, 1979, at his late residence 145 Victoria Ave., Essex. Beloved husband of Marjorie (Oliver). Dear father of James Ronald (Ron), Chatham; (Gloria) Mrs. Roger Congdon, Gosfield North Twp. 5 grandchildren. Brother of (Elizabeth) Mrs. Ray Ure, Sandwich S. Twp.; (Edythe) Mrs. John Graham, Essex. 7 brothers and 2 sisters predeceased him. Resting at the Donald S. Habbkirk Funeral Home, 122 Talbot St. S., Essex until 1:30 p.m. Tues. Jan. 16, thence to St. Stephen's Church for service at 2 p.m. Rev. T. Koning and Rev. W.W. McIlveen officiating. Central Lodge #402 A.F. and A.M. service Mon. evening at 7 p.m. The family would appreciate donations to the Canadian Cancer Society. Interment St. Stephen's Cemetery.



Mr. and Mrs. Murray D. Ferguson of Essex announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois Joan, to Robert Gordon Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Maidstone. The wedding will take place Sept. 20 at 2:30 p.m. in Cottam Baptist Church.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Lea, to Mark Scott Polk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Polk of Dryden, Mich. The wedding will take place Aug. 1 at 2 p.m.

Sept. 9. 1969

July. 17. 1970

AUG. 7. 1970

June. 28. 1974

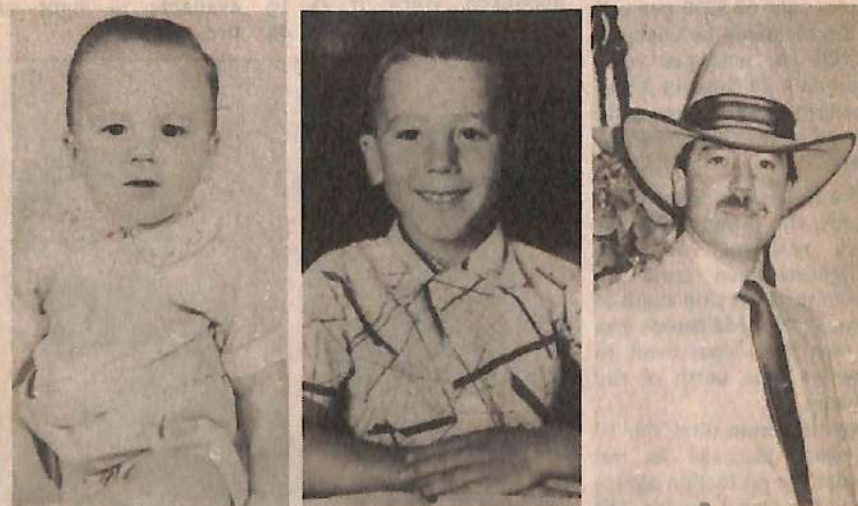


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JUNE 27. 1974

Look who's 40!! Gord Shuttleworth



Happy Birthday from Essex County to Calgary
You've come a long way Baby!!
Love from all your family

JUNE 12. 1987

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May 21-'54



Dresser - Shuttleworth

At Cottam Baptist Church the marriage of Catherine Ann Shuttleworth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of R.R. #3 Maidstone and Paul Brian Dresser son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Dresser of R.R. #1 Cottam was solemnized by Pastor A. Dallimore.

Susan Shuttleworth was her sister's maid of honour and

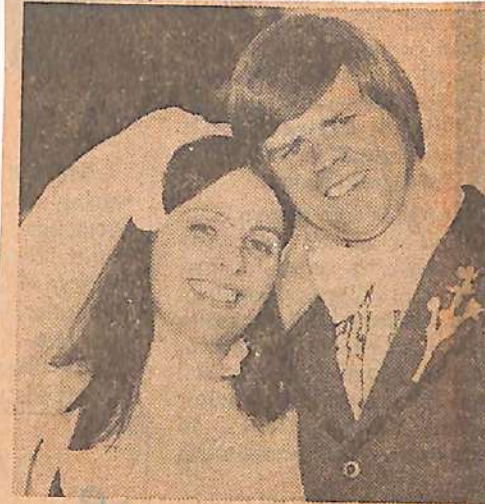
Tom Dresser cousin of the groom was best man. Acting as ushers were Bill Dresser, brother of the groom, and Gordon Shuttleworth brother of the bride.

Mrs. Mark Polk of Rochester, Michigan, sister of the bride sang "Love Divine", "O Perfect Love", and "A Wedding Prayer", accompanied on the organ by Miss Donna Smith of Kingsville.

AUG. 17. 1972

Sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Congdon (nee Gloria Shuttleworth) on the death of their darling infant son, James Glenn, aged two days.

July. 29. 190



MR. AND MRS. DAVID SHUTTLEWORTH

St. Paul's United Church was the setting for the wedding of Kathleen Frances Hedrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hedrick of Westminster Avenue, to David Arthur Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Shuttleworth of Maidstone. Deborah Lynn Hedrick was maid of honor and Donald Nelson Shuttleworth was best man. Following a trip to Niagara Falls, the couple will reside in Windsor.

June. 5. 1974

DEATHS

SHUTTLEWORTH - Violet, 92 years, Jan 29, 1984 at the Essex Nursing Home. Beloved wife of the late Ira Ford (1932) and Jim Shuttleworth (1959). Dear mother of David Ford, Robert Ford, Mrs. John Milbourne (Betty), Windsor; and the late George Ford (1977). 10 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren. Dear sister of George Gardner, Windsor. Visiting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. Funeral service in the Chapel on Wed. Feb. 1, 1984 at 11 a.m. Rev. Walter A. Logan officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

SHUTTLEWORTH - Martha Aretta (Rita), 74 years, Jan. 19th, 1984 at Grace Hospital. Late of The Golden Gate Lodge, Windsor. Beloved wife of the late Sidney (1965). Dear mother of Bernard, Joseph and Thomas, Maidstone; Mrs. Franklin Spry (Betty), Windsor; John, Emeryville. 7 grandchildren. Dear sister of Mrs. Henry Reaume (Freda), and Miss Ferne Greaves, Puce. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Funeral Service Sat Jan 21, at 1 p.m. Interment Victoria Memorial Park.



The United Way campaign in Essex will get underway in earnest during the next week and to highlight it and the halfway mark of the campaign the flag was raised in front of the Essex municipal offices Monday. The goal for Essex is just over \$11,000 and for the county it is \$64,627. Mayor of Essex, Gerry Schinkel, raises the flag as workers gather for the event. They are Pat Brunelle of the Victorian Order of Nurses, Essex Chamber of Commerce President Judy

Mayhew, Claudette Gauthier of Essex District Social Planning Council, Earl Heil, chairman of the planning council, Mayor Schinkel, Ilene Stanton, Beaver leader, Don Maurice, United Way representative, Pat Griffin, Essex County Ym-YWCA, Tim Harrison, area representative for United Way, Bernard Shuttleworth, Scout leader, Anne Miskovsky, project worker research assistant. Ilene and Bernard represent the Essex District Scouts.

Nov. 4. 1983

Retirees Get Christmas Help



Twenty-seven Essex high school students served a Christmas dinner for the Essex Retirees on Tuesday. They were members of the school's Muscular Dystrophy club and other volunteers who answered the request for assistance when Donna Bowers, club president, overheard the Retirees

wish for help. To entertain the 200 in attendance, the Essex high school 8-piece brass ensemble and a double quartette from the school's choir provided music. Cathy Swackhammer, Essex, Beth Shuttleworth, Essex and Debbie Gibbs, Cottam, expertly handle the loaded turkey platters and gravy pitchers.

Dec. 12. 1980

Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth, of Maidstone, are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their youngest daughter, Judith Irene to Kevin Michael Hamm of Calgary, son of Herman Hamm of Kingsville. The wedding will take place Saturday, September 26th at 3 p.m. in Cottam Baptist Church.

Sept. 25. 1981

Essex Baptist Church was the scene of a beautiful wedding May 15th, when Lori Patricia Balkwill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Balkwill of Gesto was united in marriage to Mr. Daniel George Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Shuttleworth of Maidstone. Rev. Roy Sidebottom officiated at the double ring ceremony in a setting of lilacs and tulips.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was exquisite in a gown of polyester eyelette, high neckline and the front of the bodice was outlined in lace and seed pearls, full skirt with a ruffle at the bottom of the gown. Her detachable cathedral train was outlined in lace and seed pearls. The puffed sleeve tapered into a fitted sleeve fastened with tiny pearl buttons. A Juliet cap headpiece secured her double tiered, three quarter length veil, appliqued with lace leaves and seed pearls. She carried a colonial nosegay of straw flowers, petite white roses, baby's breath and lily of the valley.

The matron of honour, Bonny Colenutt, sister of the bride, wore a floor length gown of pale yellow, white printed, polyester jaquer, with an empire waistline, with ties in the back. The round neckline was accentuated by a wide collar caught by a matching flower at the neckline. She wore a picture white hat with matching yellow flowers and streamers, white shoes and carried a basket of petite yellow and green straw flowers with baby's breath.

The bridesmaids, Ann Heaton, cousin of the bride, Nancy George and Susan Shuttleworth, sister of the groom wore floor length gowns identical to the matron of honour but in pale green and carried baskets of green and yellow straw flowers with baby's breath.

The bride's mother chose for her daughter's wedding a red floral gown, a short jacket, long sleeves and she wore a corsage of petite matching straw flowers which completed her outfit.

The groom's mother wore a pale blue floral gown with a plain blue matching coat. Her corsage was of matching straw flowers.

The bride's paternal grandmother chose a multi-coloured mauve two piece dress and wore a corsage of matching straw flowers.

Mrs. Harold Snider, grand-



Shuttleworth-Balkwill

mother of the bride wore a pink floral chiffon gown and a matching corsage of straw flowers.

Mrs. Sherman, grandmother of the groom chose a black floral gown and a matching straw flower corsage.

Mrs. Roy Sidebottom was the soloist. She sang 'Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Me' before the ceremony, 'The Wedding Prayer' combined with the ceremony and 'Sunrise, Sunset' during the signing of the register, accompanied by Mrs. Roger Vid Amour at the organ.

A reception followed at the Rose Garden Hall in Kings-

ville. The Bride's table was centred with a three tiered wedding cake topped with yellow and white straw flowers and baby's breath.

The master of ceremonies was Dean Ferguson. After a delicious meal a well planned programme was presented.

For their wedding trip to Kentucky and Tennessee, Lori chose a peach jersey dress, brown accessories and a matching corsage. She wore a diamond heart shaped pendant, gift of the groom.

Upon returning, they will reside at R.R. 2 Essex.

Sincere sympathy to the family and to the brothers Harry and Joseph, of Windsor, and Sidney and his sister Margaret (Mrs. William Farough, of Sandwich South, of Captain Edward J. Shuttleworth, age 64 years, who passed away suddenly at his summer home, Cedar Beach, on September 28th, of a heart attack. Two sisters, Miss Mary and Miss Elsie Shuttleworth, both predeceased him. Deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shuttleworth (nee Plant) and was born in Sandwich South. After returning from the First World War he joined the Windsor Fire Department and would have been pensioned in November. The late Captain Ed was highly respected and held many important positions in the fire department. Funeral was largely attended on Monday at 1 p.m. from Anderson Funeral Home to Victoria Memorial Cemetery. Rev. W. B. Cunningham officiating.

OCT. 5. 1956

Ronnie Shuttleworth has secured employment with L. A. Young Co., in Windsor.

MARCH 25. 1955



Photo by STAR STAFF

TOP HONORS — The cream of the crop of graduates from Western Secondary School this year are, from left, outstanding Grade 11 student Doug Shuttleworth of Maidstone, valedictorian Rose Deloge of Tecumseh, and Mike Whitson of Sandwich South Township who had the highest marks in Grade 11. Graduating ceremo-

nies Friday night honored 149 students who finished the school's academic and vocational course which ends at Grade 11. About 40 of the students have already found jobs, many of them with Essex County businesses that provided on-the-job training to Western students during the school year.

June 4. 1979

Mrs. Martha Shuttleworth Passes

Martha Aretta (Rita) Shuttleworth, 74 years, of Golden Gate Lodge, passed away Thursday, January 19th.

She was predeceased by her husband Sidney (1965).

She is survived by her children, Bernard, Joseph and Thomas of Maidstone,

Mrs. Franklin Spry (Betty) of Windsor, John of Emeryville; 7 grandchildren; sisters Mrs. Henry Reaume (Freda) and Miss Ferne Greaves, Puce.

Funeral services were held from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, on Saturday. Interment at Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

JAN. 27. 1984



Mr. and Mrs. William James Hedrick of Westminster Avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen Frances, to David Arthur Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arthur Shuttleworth of Maidstone. The wedding will take place June 1 at 2 p.m. in St. Paul's United Church.

APRIL 26. 1974

Married - Violet Bulmer and J. Shuttleworth.

SEPT. 1969

Tech Student Wins Award

Tom Shuttleworth, 17, of R.R. 3, Maidstone, took a second prize cash award of \$80 in the Ford Motor Co.'s 14th annual Industrial Arts Awards.

A student of Lowe Technical School, the youth entered the open division with a chain with links cast in different metals. His instructor was Oswald Lawson.

Winners were selected from 4,000 entries from 41 states, Canada and Puerto Rico. Cash prizes totalled \$50,000.

AUG. 10. 1968

SHUTTLEWORTH - Violet, 92 years, Jan 29, 1984 at the Essex Nursing Home. Beloved wife of the late Ira Ford (1932) and Jim Shuttleworth (1959). Dear mother of David Ford, Robert Ford, Mrs. John Milbourne (Betty), Windsor; and the late George Ford (1977). 10 grandchildren. 4 great-grandchildren. Dear sister of George Gardner, Windsor. Visiting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. Funeral service in the Chapel on Wed. Feb. 1, 1984 at 11 a.m. Rev. Walter A. Logan officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

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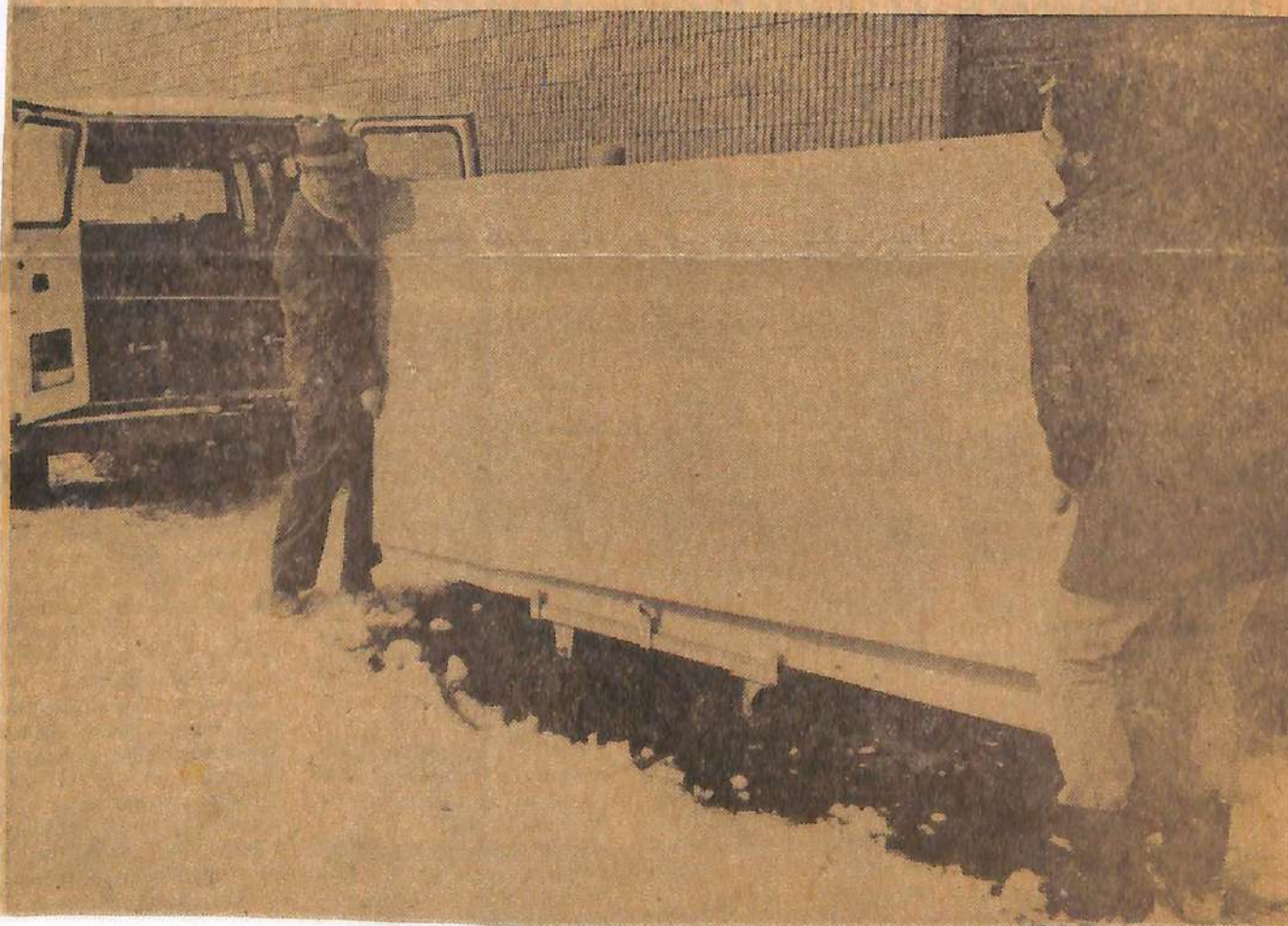
Sept. 14. 1978

Shuttleworth - Hedrick --
Dave, Kathy, Tommy & Jerry
praise the Lord for the birth of
Robert Nelson (7lb. 12 oz.)
Met Hospital, April 10, 1986.
Proud grandparents Art &
Marion Shuttleworth and Bill
& Mary Hedrick. Proud great-
grandparents Edna Sherman,
Bessie Hedrick and Albert
Slavik. Thanks to Dr. and ob-
stetrical staff.

SHUTTLEWORTH—In lov-
ing memory of Joseph, Octob-
er 6th, 1968 and Violet, No-
vember 10th, 1972.
Treasures thoughts of ones so
dear.
Often bring a silent tear,
—Sadly missed by daughter
Marie and Family

stone, have already made their selection and are loading,
a sheet of plywood for their building project into a van.
Most building materials will cost more this year — and
some may be hard to obtain — but most in the building
field are looking forward to another busy season. For
those that find the high labor costs discouraging, there is
always the do-it-yourself project. A lot of simple
construction can be attempted by a novice — projects like
installing a pool or building a fence. But even an
impressive project like building a garage can be sur-
prisingly easy.

Below, Bob Shuttleworth and son Gord, of RR 3, Maid-

**Sidney S. Shuttleworth
Dies**

Sidney S. Shuttleworth, aged
60 years, well known Sandwich
South resident, passed away at
his home, early today (Thurs-
day).

He was a farmer and had lived
in the township all his life. He
was a member of Bethel United
Church.

Surviving are his widow, nee
Rita Greaves, four sons, Bernard,
Joseph, Thomas and John, all of
Sandwich South; and a daughter,
Betty (Mrs. Frank Spry), of
Windsor; also two brothers, Jo-
seph and Harry, of Windsor, and
four grandchildren.

Resting at the Stewart L. Ken-
nedy Funeral Home, where serv-
ices will be held Saturday at 1
p.m., Rev. H. W. Hyland offici-
ating.

Burial will be in Victoria Me-
morial Cemetery.

APRIL 30. 1965

SHUTTLEWORTH—John
James, 81 years, died June 3,
1987 at Windsor Western
Hospital I.O.D.E. Unit. Late
of Windsor. Beloved husband
of Mary (nee Nestor). Dear
father of George E. Shuttle-
worth, Tacoma Wash. Dear
brother of Forest Shuttleworth
and wife Jean, Wheatly Ont.
Dear grandfather of Beverley,
David and Darren. Also sur-
vived by nieces and nephews.
Special friend of Tom and
Sara Larocque, Windsor. Vis-
iting in the Walter D. Kelly
Funeral Home, 1969 Wyand-
otte St. E. after 2 p.m. on
Thursday. Funeral service in
the Chapel on Saturday June
6, 1987 (time later). Interment
Greenlawn Memorial Ceme-
tery. Mr. Shuttleworth was
retired from Plant Protection
Dept. Ford Motor Co. In kind-
ness, memorial tributes to the
Ontario Heart and Stroke
Foundation, would be appreci-
ated by the family.

Dresser - Shuttleworth Wed

At Cottam Baptist Church the
marriage of Catherine Ann Shut-
tleworth, daughter of Mr. & Mrs.
Robert Shuttleworth of R.R.# 3,
Maidstone & Paul Brian Dres-
ser son of Mr. & Mrs. Mervin
Dresser of R.R.# 1, Cottam was
solemized by Pastor A. Dall-
more.

Susan Shuttleworth was her
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groom and Gordon Shuttleworth
brother of the bride.

Mrs. Mark Polk of Rochester,
Mich., sister of the bride, sang
"Love Divine", "A Wedding
Prayer" and "O Perfect Love"
accompanied on the organ by
Miss Donna Smith of Kingsville.

AUG. 18. 1972

Former teacher honored

A former Windsor teacher, Dr. Dale E. Shuttleworth, now of Toronto, will be recognized at an international conference in Sri Lanka next month for his contributions to education.

Shuttleworth, 48, is assistant superintendent of program for community services with the York Board of Education. He will be presented the Dag Hammarskjöld medal by Académie Diplomatique de la Paix (Diplomatic Academy of Peace) on Sept. 20.

Shuttleworth was an elementary school teacher in the former Riverside area for five years before he completed a degree at the University of Windsor and moved to Toronto in 1965. During his 21 years there he developed numerous programs for adult education, continuing education, and community programs which draw on various civic resources.

Shuttleworth attended Hugh Beaton and Walkerville Collegiate. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Shuttleworth, live on Loraine Avenue.

The peace academy draws together philosophers, intellectuals and scientists to discuss methods of improving the quality of life and make recommendations to the United Nations for inclusion in policy planning for the future.

Aug. 23. 1986

Master Brian Shuttleworth announces the arrival of another niece. She is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Mark Polk (nee Sharon Shuttleworth) arriving on October 11th weighing 7 lbs, 5 1/2 ozs. at Alexandria, Virginia, U.S.A. where Mr. Polk is stationed with the navy. Sharon is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Route 3 Maidstone, sister of Brian who was born a month ago, within 24 hours of the birth of another niece.

Oct. 20. 1971

Seventy Years Ago

Items Cited From Essex Free Press Files of February 1st, 1901

The County Home of Refuge opened with Robert F. Hurst and wife, of Sandwich South, in charge, at a salary of \$400.

PAQUETTE

Paquette friends learned with sincere regret of the death of Nelson F. Shuttleworth, 72 years on Jan. 13th at his late residence, 145 Victoria Ave., Essex after a long illness and extend their deepest sympathy to his beloved wife, Marjorie (nee Oliver) his son James Ronald of Chatham, his daughter Gloria, Mrs. Roger Congdon, Gosfield North Twp., his 5 grandchildren, his sisters, Elizabeth, Mrs. Ray Ure, of Sandwich South Twp., and Edythe, Mrs. John Graham, Essex. 7 brothers and 2 sisters predeceased him. Deceased was a lifelong resident of Sandwich South prior to moving to Essex, a faithful member of St. Stephen's Church, where he was a valued member of the choir. His beautiful tenor voice brought comfort in bereavement and joy and happiness at weddings. A devoted husband, father, grandfather, and brother, he will be greatly missed in the family circle and by a host of friends who sincerely mourn his passing for he was beloved by all who knew him. He had a pleasing personality was always kind and thoughtful and never too busy to lend a helping hand. He rested at the Donald S. Habkirk Funeral Home, Essex then to St. Stephen's Church on Tuesday. Rev. Tony Koning and Rev. W.W. McIlveen officiating. Interment St. Stephen's Cemetery.

Jan. 19. 1979

WITZEL — Larry and Laurie are happy to announce the birth of their son Travis Alexander Carl on January 27th in Norfolk General Hospital, Simcoe. His happy grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecile Wolfe of Fergus and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Congdon of Cottam. Great grandparents are Mrs. Katherine Schreiber of Saskatchewan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jackson of Cottam and Mrs. Marjorie Shuttleworth of Essex.

Feb. 12. 1982

Nelson Shuttleworth, Sandwich South Assessor, while in Nace Halford's Store, at Maidstone Cross, asked for and purchased a Moustache Cup, which Mr. Halford stated he had had, in stock, for at least 35 yrs.

April. 15. 1938

Shuttleworth-Dallimore Wed . . .



Mr. and Mrs. Don Shuttleworth (nee Cheryl Dallimore) June 4, by Pastor Robert Lively and the bride's father Dr. Arnold Dallimore. who were married at Cottam Baptist Church, on Saturday

June. 17. 1977

HEATH—John (Lee). 80 Years. Thurs., Sept. 17, 1987 at his residence in Essex. Husband of the late Florence. Dear father of Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth (Caroline) Sandwich South, William, Saskatchewan, George and Murray, Alberta and the late Gerry. Dear sister of Mrs. William Cole (Carrie). Many grandchildren and great grandchildren also survive. Resting at The Bisnett Funeral Home Talbot and Manning Road (Cozy Corners) Sandwich South after 2:00 p.m. Sunday. Funeral Services at The Funeral Home, Mon. Sept. 21, at 1:30 p.m. Rev. G.R. Goodhand officiating. Interment Greenhill Cemetery, Kingsville.

5 — Friday, July 21, 1978 — 5

BORN

Mr. and Mrs. Gary McNaughton (nee Nancy Shuttleworth) of Oshawa (formerly of Essex) are proud to announce the birth of their son, Alan Lee, 8 lbs. 4 ozs. on July 4th, 1978 at Oshawa General Hospital. First grandchild for Mrs. Fran McNaughton and Mr. and Mrs. Art Shuttleworth.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Nov. 2 with open house being held at the Cottam Baptist Church from 7:30 to 9:30 for any friends or relatives wishing to visit. That's been quite a busy family in the last couple months and rumour has it that it's not over yet.

Oct. 27. 1971

Births

Shuttleworth, Brian Keith, 7 lbs. 8 oz., born August 17th at Grace Hospital is proud to announce the birth of his niece, Georgina Lynn Oltrop, 8lbs. 3 oz., born August 16th at Grace Hospital. Proud parents Robert and Caroline Shuttleworth, and their daughter and son-in-law, Gene and John Oltrop. Thank-God for the safe arrival of their new born.

Sept. 8. 1971

Mary Shuttleworth Dies.

Miss Mary Shuttleworth, a resident of Sandwich South all her life, passed away, in Metropolitan Hospital, on Friday of last week.

Deceased was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shuttleworth, and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Margaret Farough; four brothers, Sydney, of Sandwich South; Edward, Joseph and Harry, all of Windsor.

Funeral services were held from the E. J. Hicks' Funeral Home, on Monday, with Rev. N. Anderson officiating, and burial was in Victoria Memorial Park. The pallbearers were Dale, Joseph, Bernard, James, Ed and William Shuttleworth.

Nov. 25. 1955

Ronald Shuttleworth, aged 20 years, suffered two broken legs at Walker road and No. 2 Highway when he was hit by a car while crossing the highway on his way to work at Chryslers on Monday afternoon. Ronald underwent an operation on his leg and another inward operation in the night, and is in Metropolitan Hospital. He will be there for some weeks. Ronald is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth. Dec. 9, 1955 BFP

to the Fleming family in the loss of their 98-year-old father Robert Fleming, of Windsor. His son Howard, now of Oakville, formerly lived here; and to the Shuttleworth family in the passing of their cousin, the former Irene Hurst (Mrs. (Dr.) Webb Prince) who died of a heart attack in California on Monday and who will be buried in Kingsville later this week when funeral arrangements will be announced.

Nov. 16. 1956

Apologies to Mr. Nelson Shuttleworth for not getting his in last week's column. A couple weeks ago "Uncle Nels" saw this balloon bouncing around in his field. He dashed out, retrieved the balloon, to find a message on it. A young boy from Skoka, Illinois (near Chicago) had just launched it the day before Mr. Shuttleworth picked it up. The balloon had travelled over 300 miles in less than 24 hours. Mr. Shuttleworth contacted the boy, letting him know that his balloon was safe and sound after the long journey.

April. 24. 1970

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth are on a vacation in the British Isles and the continent of Europe.

Mr. Shuttleworth hopes to look into his family tree of Welsh background. Some of our fair citizens look into the family tree that is supposed to be pure blood and find a little mongrel mixed up in the corpuscles.

Aug. 18. 1961

SHUTTLEWORTH

Free Press Files
Feb. 19/1918

John Shuttleworth was
assessor for Sandwich South.

Kathleen Frances, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Hendrick, of
Windsor, was united in marriage
in St. Paul's United Church to

David, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.
Shuttleworth, of Maidstone. De-
borah Lynn Hendrick was maid
of honor and Donald Shuttle-
worth was best man. Following
a trip to Niagara Falls, the cou-
ple will reside in Windsor.

JUNE.14.1974

MAIDSTONE CROSS

The many friends of James
(Jim) Shuttleworth, of Roseland,
will be sorry to learn he has
been hospitalized at Grace in
Windsor for two months for a
heart condition. Jim always an
amiable fellow and a happy per-
sonality made many friends. He
is a World War I veteran and
served with the 29th Battery.
He is pensioned from his work
at Ford's. So we can only pray
God will restore him his health
for many more years to expend
his pleasing happiness personal-
ity.

JULY.31.1959

Items Culled from Essex Free
Press Files of Nov. 28th, 1924

John T. Shuttleworth was ap-
pointed tax collector for Sand-
wich South.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cole, of
Sandwich South, celebrated their
golden wedding anniversary.

Sincere sympathy to the Shut-
tleworth family in their sad be-
reavement in the death of their
beloved brother, the late James
Robert Shuttleworth, Sunday,
August 23rd, at Grace Hospital,
Windsor.

AUG.28.1959

We are pleased to report that Ronald
Shuttleworth came home from Met-
ropolitan Hospital, Saturday after being
hospitalized there for the past two
months, following an automobile acci-
dent.

Feb. 3. 1956

Nelson Shuttleworth has re-
ceived the presentation of a nice
big brass corn cob from Pioneer
Hybrid Seed Corn Co. Nels has
represented the Pioneer Co. for
some twenty-years here in this
area.

Dec. 15. 1961

"Nels" Shuttleworth has seen a
dream come true. "Nels" always
wanted a ten gallon hat and now he
has got one adorning his dome. "Call
me Two-Gun for short," he says.

MAY.30.1958

Sixty Years Ago

Taken from the Dec. 14th,
1917 issue.

Sam Shuttleworth of Old-
castle, took a car load of
show stock to Cuelph Winter
Fair.

We are indeed sorry to
report that Nelson Shuttle-
worth, late of Sandwich

South, now of Essex, was
taken to Metropolitan Hos-
pital last week for obser-
vation and treatments. His
host of friends are praying
for a return to better health.

Nov. 3. 1978

Marriages — Viola Buhler
and Raymond Mole; and
Martha Greaves and Sidney
Shuttleworth.

June. 20. 1937

Fifty Years Ago

Items Culled From Essex
Free Press Files Of August
1, 1924.

Ed Shuttleworth and Jessie
McKenzie were married.

Items Culled From Free
Press Files Of Nov. 28/24.

John T. Shuttleworth was
appointed Tax Collector for
Sandwich South.

Sympathy is extended to the
family of Joseph Wm. Shuttle-
worth, of Windsor, formerly of
Sandwich South. Deceased was
74 years old and he died sudden-
ly in his home in Windsor.

Oct. 11. 1968

SHUTTLEWORTH — Gerd and Joan
(Ferguson) are happy to announce the
safe arrival of their baby girl, Jessica
Leigh, 7 lbs., 15 oz., on December 23,
1976 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Baby sister
for Julia. Proud grandparents are Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth, Mr. and
Mrs. Murray Ferguson, and great-
grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer
Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Donald
Ferguson and Mr. Lee Heath.

Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttle-
worth of R. 3, Maidstone are cel-
ebrating their 25th wedding anni-
versary on Tuesday, Nov. 2nd,
with an Open House at Cottam
Baptist Church, Cottam, from
7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. This is
an invitation to all their friends
and relatives. No gifts please.

Oct. 29. 1971

DEATHS

HEATH—John (Lee). 80
Years. Thurs., Sept. 17, 1987
at his residence in Essex.
Husband of the late Florence.
Dear father of Mrs. Robert
Shuttleworth (Caroline) Sand-
wich South, William, Saskato-
hewan, George and Murray,
Alberta and the late Gerry.
Dear sister of Mrs. William
Cole (Carrie). Many grand-
children and great grandchild-
ren also survive. Resting at
The Bisnett Funeral Home
Talbot and Manning Road
(Cozy Corners) Sandwich
South after 2:00 p.m. Sunday.
Funeral Services at The Funer-
al Home, Mon. Sept. 21, at
1:30 p.m. Rev. G.R. Good-
hand officiating. Interment
Greenhill Cemetery, King-
sville.

In honour of their 40th
wedding anniversary. Nov.
13, 1986, the family of Forest
and Jean Shuttleworth are
holding an Open House at
Wheatley United Church on
Sunday November 16, 1986
from 2 to 4 p.m. Everyone is
welcome. Best Wishes only.

Paintings by Scott O'Neil
will be displayed at the Essex
Library during the month of
November.

Nov. 14. 1986

SHUTTLEWORTH-
HEDRICK--Dave & Kathy
praise the Lord for the gift of
our first son, Thomas James, 6
lbs. 13 oz. on Nov. 25, 1981 at
Metropolitan Hospital. Proud
grandparents Art & Marion
Shuttleworth and Bill & Mary
Hedrick. Proud great-grandpar-
ents Edna Sherman, Albert &
Betty Slavik and Bessie Hed-
rick.

PAQUETTE

Mrs. Gertrude Plato has
returned to her home in
Hagersville after an enjoy-
able visit with relatives and
friends in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shut-
tleworth have taken up re-
sidence at 145 Victoria Ave.
Essex in the house formerly
occupied by their son and
family. The best wishes
of their many local friends
for good health and happi-
ness go with them in their
new home. They will be
greatly missed in St. Ste-
phen's Church where they
always took an active part
in the work of the parish.

AUG.12.1977

Deepest sympathy to Mrs. Nelson
Shuttleworth and Mrs. Marshall Jessop
in the death of their beloved mother,
the late Mrs. Clara Herdman.

Feb. 17. 1956

HAMM—Kevin and Judi (nee
Shuttleworth) are proud to
announce the birth of their
first child, Megan Irene, 6 lbs.,
1 oz. on January 31, 1987.
Proud grandparents are
Robert and Caroline Shuttle-
worth, Herman Hamm and
Verna Hallett.

SHUTTLEWORTH — Sidney
G., 60, of Con. 9, Sandwich
South, died today at home sud-
denly. Born in Sandwich South
Township, he lived there all his
life. He was a member of
Bethel United Church. Surviv-
ing are his wife, Reta; sons,
Bernard, Joseph, Tom and
John of Sandwich South;
daughters, Mrs. Franklin
(Betty) Spry of Windsor; broth-
ers, Joseph and Harry of Wind-
sor; four grandchildren. Fu-
neral Saturday at 1 p.m. from
the Stuart L. Kennedy Funeral
Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex.
Rev. H. W. Hyland will offi-
ciate. Burial will be in Victoria
Cemetery.

April. 29. 1965

Congratulations to Mr.
and Mrs. Don Shuttleworth
(Cheryl Dallimore) on the
birth of their daughter, Re-
becca Anne, 8 lbs. 3 ozs. on
Mon., December 24th at
Metropolitan Hospital. Re-
becca is the second grand-
child for Mr. and Mrs. Art
Shuttleworth of Kingsville
and the sixth for Mr. and
Mrs. Arnold Dallimore of
Cottam.

JAN. 25. 1980

SHUTTLEWORTH—Gord and Joan (nee
Ferguson R.N.) are very happy to an-
nounce the birth of their first child a
daughter Julia Lynette, 7 lbs. 11½ ozs.,
at Grace Hospital, April 26, 1972.
Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Shuttleworth and Mr. and Mrs.
Murray Ferguson. Great-grandparents
are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ferguson
and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sherman.

MAY. 5. 1972

Nelson Shuttleworth under-
went major surgery at IOOE
Hospital last week and was
being cared for in Intensive
Care. His host of friends
are praying for complete re-
covery after convalescence.

Dec. 9. 1977

Born

OLTROP — Georgina is happy
to announce the birth of her new
baby brother, Kirk Elmer John,
born May 1st at Grace Hospital,
Windsor. Weighing 7 lb. 8 oz.
Proud parents are John and Jean
(nee Shuttleworth).

MAY. 3. 1974

SHUTTLEWORTH

OLTROP, John and Jean
(nee Shuttleworth) are
proud to announce the
birth of their son, Kirk
Elmer John, weighing in
at 7 lbs., 8 oz. He was
born at Grace Hospital
on May 1st, a brother
for Gina; proud grand-
parents are Mr. and
Mrs. Robert Shuttle-
worth and Mr. and Mrs.
Gerd Oltrop.

1974

Scott Shuttleworth, music
student of Mrs. Maureen
Ducharme of Essex, recent-
ly achieved First Class
Honours on the Western Ont-
ario Conservatory of Music
examination for Grade One
Piano.

July. 29. 1977

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttle-
worth have returned to their
home on N. Talbot Rd. from a
delightful and interesting South
Pacific tour. Nelson and Mar-
porie toured Australia, Hawaii,
Fiji, and New Zealand and
found the vacation very en-
chanting. Welcome home friends

March. 17. 1972

The news is out - There will
be another wedding in the Rob-
ert Shuttleworth family. Their
second daughter Jean has set
the date, October 10th. She is
marrying John Oltrop, the son
of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oltrop, of
Manitoba. Following their hon-
eymoon, they will reside on Tal-
bot St., Essex.

Oct. 2. 1976

Invitations are out announcing
the forthcoming marriage of Sha-
ron Shuttleworth, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttle-
worth of Maidstone, to Mark
Folk of Dryden, Mich. The cere-
mony will take place at Cottam
Baptist Church. Best wishes to
both.

JULY. 31. 1970

Sincere sympathy is extended
to Mrs. Edythe (Shuttleworth)
Graham and family in the death
of her beloved husband, Jonathan
Graham, age 72 years on Sept.
6th at Windsor. A memorial
service was held Sunday after-
noon at Anderson Funeral Home,
Windsor, with Rev. R.M. Dob-
son officiating.

Sept. 14. 1973

St. Clair College

June 27/71

David Arthur Star
Shuttleworth
graduated in
Electronics Technology

SHUTTLEWORTH--John James, 81 years, died June 3, 1987 at Windsor Western Hospital I.O.D.E. Unit. Late of Windsor. Beloved husband of Mary (nee Nestor). Dear father of George E. Shuttleworth, Tacoma Wash. Dear brother of Forest Shuttleworth and wife Jean, Wheatly Ont. Dear grandfather of Beverley, David and Darren. Also survived by nieces and nephews. Special friend of Tom and Sara Larocque, Windsor. Visiting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. after 2 p.m. on Thursday. Funeral service in the Chapel on Saturday June 6, 1987 at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Frank Cant officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery. Mr. Shuttleworth was retired from Plant Protection Dept. Ford Motor Co. In kindness, memorial tributes to the Ontario Heart and Stroke Foundation, would be appreciated by the family. Oddfellows Service, Fri. at 7:30 p.m. under The Auspices of Walkerville Lodge #348, I.O.O.F.

JUNE.5.1987

Died - Everett Thompson aged 64 years; Joseph Shuttleworth, aged 78 years.

Feb. 24. 1939

Items culled from the files of the Essex Free Press for the week of November 19th, 1920.
Popp; Percy Watson and Mrs. Jessie Shuttleworth.

Mar 28, 1924
Raymond D. Ure and Elizabeth M. Shuttleworth were married.

LUYTEN-Shuttleworth
Surprise! Surprise! It's a girl, Danialle Leigh, born Aug. 11th, 1987, 7 lbs. 2 oz. Proud parents Shari and Tim. Grandparents are Mrs. Rose Luyten and Ted and Joyce Shuttleworth. Insured.

Forty Years Ago

Items Culled From Free Press Files Of Oct. 30/36.

Nelson Shuttleworth was running an advt. as a Taxidermist.

Ron Shuttleworth has purchased her family farm, near Chatham and has moved his family there. His parents Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth of Oldcastle, moved into Ron's property in town.

AUG. 5. 1977

Items Culled from Essex Free Press Files of March 28th, 1924

Married--Henry G. Smith and Miss Nora Sherk; Raymond D. Ure to Miss Elizabeth Margaret Shuttleworth; Clement Curtis to Miss Ethel Holmsworth.

SHUTTLEWORTH--Don and Cheryl (nee Dallimore) thank the Lord for the safe arrival of their first child, a girl, Rebecca Anne, 8 lbs. 3 ozs., born at Metropolitan Hospital, December 24, 1979. Proud grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Art Shuttleworth and Mr. & Mrs. Arnold Dallimore.

Nelson Shuttleworth remains about the same in Metropolitan Hospital where he is being cared for and receiving treatments. His many friends say Hi! and hopes he will soon show improvement.

Nov. 10. 1978

Items Culled From the Free Press Files Of Sept. 23/04

Sep. Shuttleworth and Edna Jane Greaves were married.

Forty Years Ago

Items Culled From Essex Free Press Files September 22, 1933

Sep. Shuttleworth died at the age of 35 years.

Sept. 22. 2003

OLTOP--Georgina Lynn, 8 lbs. 3 ozs. born August 16, 1971 at Grace Hospital is proud to announce the birth of her uncle Brian Keith Shuttleworth 7 lbs. 8 ozs. born August 17, 1971 at Grace Hospital, proud parents Robert and Caroline Shuttleworth and their daughter and son-in-law John and Jean Oltop thank God for the safe arrival of their newborn.

AUG. 20. 1971

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth left from Windsor Airport Sunday by B.O.A.C. for Preswick, Scotland. They will visit relatives in England and tour several European countries before returning home.

AUG. 11. 1961

We regret to report that Ronald Shuttleworth is in serious condition in Grace Hospital, following an accident at the corner of No. 2 Highway and Walker Road, Monday afternoon. Ronald was crossing the road, when he was hit by a car resulting in two broken legs and internal injuries.

Dec. 9. 1955

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth and Mrs. Marshall Jessop, in the sudden loss of a devoted mother, Mrs. William Herdman, from a heart attack, suffered on Saturday. Mrs. Herdman passed away at Metropolitan Hospital Monday afternoon.

Spry-Shuttleworth Wedding

At a lovely candlelight double-ring ceremony at Wesley United Church, Amherstburg, Rev. C. G. Brown united in marriage Elizabeth Mary Anne Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Shuttleworth, of Sandwich South, and Franklin Gordon Spry, son of Mrs. Frank Spry and the late Mr. Spry, of Amherstburg. Gold candleabra held burning tapers flanked by baskets of white gladioli.

Mrs. Bernard Shuttleworth played the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a floor-length gown of white silk organza over satin, featuring a round neckline and lily point sleeves. Inserts of chantilly lace trimmed the bodice and skirt. Her tiered veil of silk illusion was held in place with a silk organza rose. She carried a cascade bouquet of Hibberd roses, stephanotis and ivy.

Mrs. Harry Shuttleworth, as matron of honor, was attractively gowned in cream and gold brocade. Her short veil was held in place with gold satin roses.

Mrs. Gordon Jobin and Mrs. Richard Prince were bridesmaids and wore identically styled gowns as the matron of honor. They carried cascade bouquets of yellow Shasta Chrysanthemums.

Fred Wilson, of Amherstburg, was best man and the ushers were Jack Braendle and Roger Pearce.

A reception and dinner for 120 guests followed in the lower church auditorium. The bride's table was centered with a four tiered wedding cake flanked by burning tapers in crystal candleabra.

Mrs. Shuttleworth chose for her daughter's wedding a light beige lace over satin gown with a pink flowered hat, beige accessories, and a corsage of pink roses.

Mrs. Spry chose a gown of navy crepe and navy accessories and a corsage of red roses.

For a motor trip north the bride chose a cream and white linen suit, a flowered hat, white accessories and a corsage of cymbidium orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Spry will reside in Amherstburg.



Pastor and Mrs. Dallimore of Cottam are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Cheryl Ann, to Donald Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shuttleworth of R. R. 3, Maldstone. The wedding will take place, June 4th, at the Cottam Baptist Church.

MAY. 27. 1977

9th Annual Cuboree

The 9th Annual Essex District Cuboree will be held May 29, 30 and 31, 1987 at the Gesstwood United Church Camp.

Camp Chief is Bernie Shuttleworth and the theme for this year's Cuboree is 'Outer Space'. Packs should check into camp any time after 6 p.m. on Friday, May 29. Official camp closing will be held at 11:30 a.m. Sunday, May 31.

This camp is open to all registered Cubs and their leaders in the Essex District. Approximately 400 participants will take part in a fun filled weekend of crafts and organized games.

Come and have fun in 'Outer Space'.

For further information of the event please contact the Essex District Office at 776-6233.

MAY. 29. 1987

*Jan 19, 1945 E. Z. P.
Born a son to Mr & Mrs
Sid Shuttleworth on
Jan. 14th.*

To Celebrate 40th Anniversary

In honour of their 40th wedding anniversary, Nov. 13, 1986, the family of Forest and Jean Shuttleworth are holding an Open House at Wheatley United Church on Sunday November 16, 1986

Nov. 7. 1936

SHUTTLEWORTH

Sept. 2, 1942
to Mr & Mrs. Sidney Shuttleworth, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Shuttleworth have returned to the quiet life after an enjoyable month long trip to the British Isles and the continent of Europe.

Nels claims this idea of having to make an appointment to have his hair cut, "bugs him".

Sept. 15. 1961

Sidney Shuttleworth, a life long farmer in this district, also passed away. Many will miss the jovial down to earth Sidney Shuttleworth.

MAY. 7. 1965

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Nelson Shuttleworth wishes to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for all acts of kindness, prayers, floral tributes, cards and memorial donations, received during the loss of a dear husband, father and grandfather. Special thanks to the V.O.N., Rev. W. McIlveen, Rev. Tony Koning, Rev. Glenn Brown, Rev. Barry Robinson, Rev. Punter, the ladies who provided lunch at the church, the organist and choir of St. Stephen's Anglican Church, pallbearers and Habbirk Funeral Home. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered. God bless all of you.

Feb. 2. 1979

*Oct. 11/85 E. Z. P.
note of St. Paul's Ang. Church
Shelma Piper and
Marjorie Shuttleworth
and helpers did a
wonderful job of looking
after plants, shrubs etc
around the church this
summer. It was a joy to have.*

April 29, 1965 - Sidney H. Shuttleworth - 60 yrs. died. Lived on 9th line Sand S. Zwp. Survived by wife Rita (Greaves) father of Bernard, Joseph Tom and John of Sand South, and daughter Betty (Mrs. Franklin Spry) Windsor. 4 grand children. Funeral from Kennedy's Essex with Rev. W. W. McIlveen officiating.

April 30th, 1965 - Sidney S. Shuttleworth died, age 60yrs. Well known Sand. S. farmer. Lived here all his life. Was a member of Bethel United Church. Survived by widow (Rita Greaves) four sons, Bernard, Joseph, Thomas & John all of Sand. S. and one daughter Betty (Mrs. Frank Spry) of Windsor, four grandchildren. Funeral from Kennedys, Essex with Rev. H. W. Hyland officiating. Burial in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

Shuttleworth - Hedrick -- Dave, Kathy, Tommy & Jerry praise the Lord for the birth of Robert Nelson (7lb. 12 oz.) Met Hospital, April 10, 1986. Proud grandparents Art & Marion Shuttleworth and Bill & Mary Hedrick. Proud great-grandparents Edna Sherman, Bessie Hedrick and Albert Slavik. Thanks to Dr. and obstetrical staff.

SHUTTLEWORTH

Deaths — Libbie Ackerman; Benjamin Williams, 67; Bernice Mullins, 17; Mrs. J. Webster, 85; Septimus Shuttleworth, 35. 2/27/35

SHUTTLEWORTH-HEDRICK—Dave, Kathy and Tommy praise the Lord for the safe arrival of Jeremiah David on Sunday, Aug. 21, 1983 at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud grandparents Art & Marion Shuttleworth and Bill & Mary Hedrick. Proud great-grandparents Edna Sherman, Bessie Hedrick and Albert & Betty Slavik.

GRAHAM—Jonathan, 72 years, September 6, 1973 at Windsor. Late of RR 3, Maidstone. Beloved husband of Edythe (Shuttleworth). Dear father of Paul of Royal Oak. Loving grandfather of Jill Graham. Dear brother of Mrs. Fred Wilson (Ellen) of Sandwich S. and Stephen (deceased 1960). Family will receive visitors from 2 p.m. Sunday at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Avenue, where a memorial service will be held Sunday, September 9 at 3 p.m., with Rev. R. M. Dobson officiating. Cremation will follow. Donations to the Ontario Heart Fund would be sincerely appreciated.



FOUR GENERATIONS—The happy faces of mother, grandmother and great-grandmother are certainly beaming down upon the fourth generation in the picture, two-month-old Douglas Peter Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Shuttleworth of Sandwich South. Mr. and Mrs. Shuttleworth entertained at a dinner in their home Sunday

following the christening of their son by Rev. Nathaniel Anderson at Maidstone United Church. The proud members completing this four-generations picture, from the left, are Mrs. Shuttleworth, mother; Mrs. Percival Collins of Turner Rd., grandmother, and Mrs. Camiel Verschaave of Leamington, great-grandmother.

JUNE 10. 1959

June 27/71
St. Clair College
David Arthur
Shuttleworth
Electrical Electronics
Technology



Mr. and Mrs. Bernard George Shuttleworth, who were married Saturday afternoon in Walker Road United Church, will reside in Sandwich South after a motor trip to Ottawa, Montreal and Niagara Falls. The bride was Miss Dorothy Emilie Collins, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percival H. Collins of Turner Rd., and Mr. Shuttleworth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Shuttleworth of Sandwich South.

AUG. 6. 1957

Sincere sympathy to the brothers of the late Mrs. William Farough, who passed away suddenly at Grace Hospital on Saturday after a few days illness. Deceased was Margaret, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shuttleworth (nee Plant) and was born in 1889, in Sandwich South and has always resided here. Mr. Farough died in 1944. Her sisters, Miss Mary and Miss Elsie Shuttleworth and a brother Edward, pre-deceased her. Three brothers survive, Joseph and Harry of Windsor, and Sidney of Sandwich South. Funeral services were held on Tuesday from the Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, with Rev. N. A. Anderson officiating from the Maidstone United Church. Burial in Greenhill Cemetery, Kingsville.

JAN. 9. 1959

Miss Elsie Agnes Shuttleworth, aged 56, passed away, in Grace Hospital, Windsor, on Sunday last. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shuttleworth, of the 11th Concession of Sandwich South, where she resided. A graduate of Essex High School and London Normal School, she was a very successful and proficient teacher, until her retirement. Beloved by her pupils, although she was a strict disciplinarian, she had much success in passing her many pupils with high honours. She was very kind and generous to her pupils and devoted her life in seeing they had much enjoyment with picnics, concerts and games. Deceased is survived by her two sisters, Mary, at home, and Margaret (Mrs. William Farough) with whom she made her home four brothers, Edward, Joseph and Harry, of Windsor, and Sidney, at home. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, from the Hicks' Funeral Home in Essex, with Rev. N. Anderson officiating, and burial was in Greenhill Cemetery, Kingsville.

She was born in Sandwich South, April 20, 1898. She taught school for 32 years, one year at Harrow and 31 years at No. 5 School in Sand. South Twp.

JULY. 23. 1954

The condition of the sick of the community in these (now) 11 days of continued heat, we are pleased to report that Nelson Shuttleworth's, of North Talbot Rd., health is improving in being able to be home with loved ones.

Sept. 7. 1973

July 6, 1920
In 50 yrs. Col. 1970
S.F.P.
Harry Shuttleworth and
Anne Croft were
married. He a son
of Sidney & she a daughter
of Bethel Croft.

Winners of Essex Home Hardware Draw...



Ron Shuttleworth won the top prize in the Essex Home Hardware draw held during opening days last week. He is receiving his Duro sump pump from owner, Ib Flymbo. Ralph Adams drew the winning tickets. Other winners were: Brad Bertram, Tenna car stereo; Edward Clickner, Green Cross sprayer; Kay Edward, Skill drill; B. Levasseur, Westclox alarm clock; E.F. Bolton, Daiwa Reel and Rod; Gordon Dean, True temper shovel; Mrs. Hickmott, fillet knife; J. Douglas, Knap & Voigt shelf set; R.S. Vicary, Torcan fan; Mrs. Savey McLaren and Nina Scratch, paint tray and roller; Mr. Terry Cutking, Rubbermaid.

Nov. 3. 1978

MAIDSTONE

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Shuttleworth, of Sandwich South, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Mary Anne Shuttleworth, to Franklin Gordon Spry, son of Mrs. Frank Spry and the late Mr. Spry, of Amherstburg. The wedding to take place on August 9th, at 7 p.m., in Wesley United Church, Amherstburg, the Rev. C. G. Brown officiating.

JULY 19. 1963



MR. AND MRS. JOHN OLTROP

In a ceremony at Cottam Baptist Church, Jean Marie Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of Maidstone, and John Oltrop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerd Oltrop of Manitoba were married. Catherine Shuttleworth was maid of honor and Gordon Shuttleworth was best man. The couple will live in Essex when they return from a trip to Northern Ontario.

OCT. 15. 1970



MR. AND MRS. BRIAN DRESSER

Catherine Ann Shuttleworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth of RR 3 Maidstone was united in marriage to P. Brian Dresser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Dresser of RR 1 Cottam. The ceremony took place in Cottam Baptist Church, with Susan Shuttleworth as maid of honor and Tom Dresser as best man.

AUG. 16. 1972
~~1972~~ 1973

CARD OF THANKS

Nelson Shuttleworth wishes to extend his sincerest thanks to relatives and friends for prayers, cards, gifts sent him during his stay in hospital and since coming home and for kindness shown my wife. Thanks to Rev. Allan Tilford, D. Wong, Dr. John Anderson, nurses in coronary care and 4th floor Grace Hospital. God bless you one and all.

Sept. 21. 1973

Most fellas have a pet or two but the young set a Sid Shuttleworth's have two or three. Last year their menagerie included a pet rabbit, raccoon and a stinker. You can guess what a stinker is. Just plain skunk.

Most stories of the skunk family are not pleasant but the young Shuttleworth's association with the skunks is a happy one. Mr. Skunk plays around with his farm friends as any cat would without so much as one little squirt of backwoods perfume. Sorry to say Sid doesn't trust "Skunky" like the youngsters which adds to the old saying "there is no color line among the very young."

SHUTTLEWORTH

Nelson Shuttleworth passed away Saturday morning at his home, 145 Victoria Ave. Essex after an extended illness. Born Nov. 1906 in Sandwich South township, youngest son of the late John Shuttleworth and Margaret Hurst, pioneer farmers of Ontario. He farmed all his life until retiring a few years ago. He also had a fine tenor voice and besides singing in his church choir, was soloist at many weddings and funerals. He leaves to mourn his passing his beloved wife, the former Marjorie Oliver, a

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son James Ronald (Ron) of the Essex Farmers Ltd. Ford Sales staff, and a daughter, Gloria, Mrs. Roger Congdon of Gosfield North and 5 grandchildren; also two sisters, Elizabeth, Mrs. Ray Ure, Sandwich South; Edythe, Mrs. John Graham, Essex. Seven brothers and two sisters predeceased him. Funeral was held on Tuesday from St. Stephen's Anglican Church. Rev. T. Koning and Rev. W.W. McIlveen officiating. Interment was in the Church cemetery.

JAN. 19. 1979

Wed 40 Years



On the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary their nine children are holding an open house for Robert and Caroline Shuttleworth, at Cottam Baptist Church on November 1, 1986 from 2 - 4 p.m. Best wishes only please.

Oct. 24. 1986

Family gathering was held on Friday, June 16 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shuttleworth of Palmer Dr., Kingsville. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Shuttleworth and son Dale of Mishawaka, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Shuttleworth, Doug Shuttleworth, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Verbridge and daughter Kimberley from Maidstone, Mr. and Mrs. Don Shuttleworth, of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. David Shuttleworth, Gordon Shuttleworth and daughter Julia and Jessica of Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Brian Dresser and sons Stewart and Michael of Cottam and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sherman of Kingsville.

JUNE 23. 1978

Shuttleworth Funeral Set

Rites Wednesday
For Oldcastle Native

MAIDSTONE—Funeral services will be held Saturday at Brown City, Mich., at 2 p.m. (E.S.T.) for George Shuttleworth, 64, who died suddenly in Brown City Wednesday evening. The body will rest at the Carmon funeral home, Brown City, until noon Saturday when it will be transferred to the United Brethren Church for services at 2 p.m.

Mr. Shuttleworth was born in Oldcastle, the son of the late John and Margaret Shuttleworth.

He is survived by his wife, the former Laura Thomas; one son, Orville, of Algonac, Mich.; one daughter, Gladys, at home; two brothers, James of Roseland and Nelson of Maidstone and three sisters, Mrs. Ray Ure (Lillie), Mrs. Jon Graham (Edith) and Mrs. Wilfred Greades (Grace), all of Maidstone.

Burial in Lynn Cemetery, Brown City, Mich.

Maidstone Native Dies in Michigan

MAIDSTONE — Relatives here have received word of the sudden death of George Shuttleworth, 64, of Brown City, Michigan. Son of the late John Shuttleworth and former Margaret Hurst, he was born and raised here.

Surviving are his wife, the former Laura Thomas; a son, Orville, Algonac, Michigan; a daughter, Gladys, at home; two brothers, James, Roseland, and Nelson, Maidstone, and three sisters, Mrs. Ray Ure (Lillie), Mrs. Jon Graham (Edith) and Mrs. Wilfred Greades (Grace), all of Maidstone.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

COTTAM

On Saturday, October 3, Art and Marion Shuttleworth celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary with an open house at Cottam Baptist Church. Over 100 guests were in attendance from as far away as Oshawa, Ontario and Emerald Lake, Michigan. Mary Hedrick, Catherine Ross, Fran McNaughton, Mae Dallimore, Marjorie Shuttleworth, Fleda Frith, Helen Matier and Caroline Shuttleworth poured tea and coffee. The kitchen duties were performed by Donna Smith, Catherine Ross, Donna Wanda Hall, Lennith Ross, Dave King and Dawn Brown. A short program was presented by master of ceremonies Murray Ross who commented on their past, present and future lives, emphasizing their devotion to the Lord Jesus Christ. Pastor Goodhand opened the program with a welcome to all and Pastor Dallimore closed the program with some comments on Christian fellowship and a prayer. Art and Marion wish to thank everyone for the many cards, prayers and best wishes they received on this special day.

Oct. 9. 1987

No Generation Gap Here!

No Generation Gap Here

An uncle and his niece made their arrival at Grace Hospital within 11 hours of one another on August 16 and 17. Georgina Lynn Oltrop arrived first, in time to greet her uncle Brian Keith Shuttleworth. Georgina's mother, Mrs. John Oltrop, was in the same room at the hospital as her mother, Mrs. Robert Shuttleworth.

They were carrying on a family tradition. Twenty-four years ago Mrs. Shuttleworth and her mother Mrs. Lee (Florence) Heath were in the same room of the maternity wing in Grace Hospital. At that time Mrs. Shuttleworth had his first child, a baby boy. Her mother's baby was a girl and unfortunately she lived only 13 hours.

SHUTTLEWORTH—In loving memory of Joseph, October 6, 1968 and Violet, November 10, 1972. Beautiful memories are treasured ever Of happy days when we were together -- Sadly missed by daughter Marie & family.

Wed — Carlyle Milne and Alma Eaton; Wm. Haney and Annie Gaughan; Francis Sweet and May Bill; and George Shuttleworth and Laura Thomas.

JUNE 5. 1911

THE WINDSOR DAILY STAR, THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1951.

Maidstone Teacher For 31 Years Is Honored



Students, former students and friends gathered in Maidstone United Church Tuesday evening to honor Miss Elsie Shuttleworth, R.R. 1, Maidstone, teacher at School Section Number 5 Maidstone, for the past 31 years. The above photo shows Miss Eleanor Campbell, secretary of the public

school area, presenting a gift to Miss Shuttleworth on behalf of those present. Left to right are seen Miss Campbell, Mr. Arnold Axcell, school board trustee; Miss Shuttleworth and Mrs. Edward Croft, party convener.

(Star Staff Photo.)

Will Honor Teacher

More than 100 students, ex-students and friends of Elsie Shuttleworth, teacher at S. S. 5, Maidstone, for the past 31 years, will gather for a party to be held in her honor next Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. in the Maidstone United Church Hall, one mile southeast of Maidstone on Highway 3.

APRIL 30. 1954 Sept. 8. 1971

Apr. 29, 1965 - Sidney G. Shuttleworth 60 yrs.
died. He lived on 9th Conc. Sand. S. 2wp.
Survived by Rita (Greaves), father of
Bernard Joseph, 20m + John of Sand. South
and daughter Betty Mrs. Franklin Spry.
Widow - 4 grandchildren. Funeral
from Kennedy's with Rev. H.W. Hyland
officiating. Interment Victoria Cem.

Red and White Setting For Afternoon Wedding

In a picturesque setting of red and white gladioli in Walker Road United Church this afternoon, Miss Dorothy Emilie Collins, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percival H. Collins of Turner Rd., became the bride of Mr. Bernard George Shuttleworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Shuttleworth of Sandwich South.

Rev. Nathanael Anderson of Bethel United Church and Rev. Maxwell Carson officiated at the ceremony, during which Mr. Marshall Skinner sang "O Perfect Love," "The Lord's Prayer" and "I'll Walk Beside You," accompanied by Mrs. John Panchik.

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The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of ivory brocaded satin. The bodice featured an open neckline with lace inserts, and short sleeves, and the skirt extended into a train. Her two-tiered veil was caught to a cap and her bouquet was a cascade of red roses.

Miss Betty Shuttleworth, sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor, wore a princess-styled dress of yellow crystal charm, with a matching picture hat, and carried pink roses. Miss Emilie Reaume, cousin of the bridegroom, as bridesmaid, wore a dress styled similarly to the maid of honor's, in aqua, with a matching hat, and carried yellow roses. Heather Craig, as junior bridesmaid, also wore yellow crystal charm, featuring a round neck and gathered skirt. She carried a mixed bouquet and wore matching.

The bridegroom's brother, Mr. Joseph Shuttleworth, assisted as best man, and the ushers were Mr. Harry Shuttleworth and Mr. James Reaume, cousins of the bridegroom; Mr. Charles Collins, brother of the

bride; and Mr. Thomas Shuttleworth, brother of the bridegroom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Collins chose a beige brocaded satin dress and a beige hat with multicolored chiffon trim, and pink roses. Mrs. Shuttleworth wore a light mauve nylon mash dress, a white hat, and yellow roses. Also present was the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Camiel Verschaeve of Leamington.

Following receptions at the home of the bride's parents and at the Glenwood United Church Hall, the couple left on a trip to Ottawa, Montreal and Niagara Falls. For travelling the bride donned a creamy flowered cotton dress with a brown jacket, brown accessories, and a corsage of yellow roses.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Camiel Verschaeve, Mr. and Mrs. George Foulon and Roger, Maurice and Yvonne Foulon and Mr. and Mrs. Engel DeBergh and Yvonne and Diane, all of Leamington; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. L. Weijerman and Freddy of London, Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Nys, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoskin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shuttleworth, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Helaire Hooft of Tilbury, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter and Mrs. Robert Miller of Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Ewitt Hunter of Woodslee, Mr. and Mrs. Edison Greaves, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reaume and George and Bill, Miss Ferne Greaves and Mrs. Lila Heatherington, all of Puce; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Shuttleworth of Harrow and Mrs. Margaret Farough, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Jobin, Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Vivier and Mr. and Mrs. Geogrey Kierly of Sandwich South.

The couple will reside on the 9th concession, Sandwich South.

THE OLD TIME CORNER



Pictured above is the Essex High School as it looked in the early 1900's. Notice the streetcar tracks in front. Also pictured in the corner is an Honor Card that was presented in January of 1913 from the Essex Public School. No scholar is entitled to this certificate who has received a Mark for Lateness, Absence, Misconduct or Imperfect Recitation. Parents were particularly requested to enquire for a card like this at the close of each week.

THE ESSEX PUBLIC SCHOOL

HONOR CARD

ESSEX, ONT. Jan 24 1913

Grace Shuttleworth

Is this day entitled to receive a Public Expression of Appropriation for Industry and Good Conduct During the past week.

No Scholar is entitled to this Certificate who has received a Mark for Lateness, Absence, Misconduct or Imperfect Recitation.

Parents are Particularly Requested to ENQUIRE FOR A CARD LIKE THIS at the close of EACH WEEK.

J. H. Ure Teacher

JUNE 10, 1959



Frith & McNaughton

Essex Baptist Church provided the setting when Betty Lou McNaughten, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Harold McNaughten of Essex, was united in marriage to Robert James Frith, son of Mr. Mrs. Percy Frith Jr. of Oldcastle. Rev. R. Thistle assisted by Rev. Dallimore of Cottam, performed the ceremony on Sat., Oct. 16.

The bride, entering the church on the arm of her father was gowned in a lovely gown of lace over taffeta; the bodice bib, cuffs and hem edge were accented by picot edged lace over dainty pink ribbon. The high neckline was trimmed with lace and the long full sleeves were caught with a wide cuff. The skirt was gathered at a low beaded headpiece, styled as a crown. She carried a bouquet of red roses, white carnations, with baby breath and ivy.

Her sister, Adele McNaughten, as maid of honour and the groom's sister,

Bonnie Frith, as bridesmaid, were gowned alike in soft green, polyester crepe. Their dresses were styled similarly to the brides gown with long full sleeves, nero collars and empire waist. They carried shasta daisies and pink sweetheart roses. The groom was assisted by Jack Weston and Dave Ferguson. The ushers were Dave Shuttleworth and Dale McMurren and all wore black tuxedos.

Mrs. McNaughten wore for her daughter's wedding, a purple polyester. Mrs. Frith chose her dress in pink.

A reception was held at the Hill Top restaurant in Ruthven for 115 guests. Mary Frith, the groom's sister and Jo-Ann McNaughten, the bride's sister, took turns in charge of the guest book. For travelling the bride chose a burgundy pant suit, trimmed with blue. The young couple left on a trip to Northern Ontario. They will reside in Stratford.

OCT. 20. 1971

40th Anniversary Celebrated



Murray and Norma (Rogers) Ferguson were married October 8, 1945 in Kingsville at the United Church. They celebrated their anniversary earlier this year when all of their family were able to be with them. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon (Joan) Shuttleworth and family from Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Carl (Ann) Fama and family from Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ferguson and family of Kingsville, Mrs. Karl (Donna) Staddon from Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fergus and family, Kingsville, and Gordon Ferguson from Greenville, South Carolina.

The anniversary dinner at Harrow Baptist Church was attended by 64 relatives and friends. They have 9 grandchildren. Murray and Norma have resided at R.R. #1, Essex since their marriage.

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Mr., as Ron Shuttleworth, manager, watches the record moment.

SEPT. 29. 1978

ESSEX FARMERS
FRED KEANE + BOB BLAIR

A Quilt For Essex



The prize winning centennial quilt will hang in the town office. The Salvation Army women's league donated the show piece last week. Lieut. Sandra Reid presented it to Mayor Gerry Schinkel on behalf of those who designed and made the quilt. Nellie Tucker, Fran Ronald, Mildred Baldwin, the mayor, Lieut. Reid, Marjorie Shuttleworth, Winnie Teare, Annabelle Quick and Rhoda Myers were present for the event. Winnie Teare drew the town centennial crest to be the focal point, applied it and designed the quilting pattern. Lieut. Reid and helpers created the design which depicts the railway station, the car manufactured here, the first high school, IOOF lodge building (town hall), a street railway car among other symbols related to the town's 100th anniversary. Other quilters and sewers were Alice Taylor, Evelyn Stratford, Lena Balkwill, Nelda Boyle.

Nov. 25. 1983

No Time Off for 88th Birthday



Even though it was her 88th birthday on Monday, Haze Plant (Mrs. Arthur) didn't take time off from the weekly quilting bee she attends regularly with the Essex Retirees. Her fellow-quilters decided to surprise her with a birthday cake and a corsage. Gathered around her at the quilt are (standing): Lois Tapping, Ruth Balkwill, Ida Maddams. Seated: Marjorie Shuttleworth, Hazel Plant, Lena Balkwill, Carman McLeod and Alta Myles.

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Staddon-Ferguson Wed



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Beavers Swim Up to Cubbing



About 63 7-year-old white-tail Beavers got a feel of being Cubs in the Boy Scout movement Sunday. They are most of the Beavers from 20 colonies in Essex County that will be Cubs next fall. Leaders of 13 colonies spent a day

with games and Akela Bernard Shuttleworth of the Maidstone Cubs conducted some introductory routines, after explaining the Cub program and its aims. Here we see the fun part of the day when all those Beavers dug in their claws and pulled their 20 leaders across the line to win the tug-of-war. In all there are 400 Beavers in the county colonies.

Yellow mums and white daisies formed the setting for a lovely double ring ceremony at Harrow Baptist Church. Rev. M. Pastorius and Rev. R. Lively united in marriage, Donna Jean Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ferguson of Essex to Karl Bruce Staddon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Staddon of Harrow.

Each guest was given a program by Gordon Ferguson, brother of the bride.

Escorted by her father who gave her in marriage, the beautiful bride was gowned in a floor length gown of Summer silk sheer organza featuring a high neckline with lace, a sheer chantilly lace yoke front and back with seed pearls and long tapered lace cuffed sleeves. The circular skirt with a deep flounced hemline fell from an empire waist line. She wore a floral trim tiara headpiece high-lighted with seed pearls and sequins which carried her long veil of illusion bordered with the same scallop lace as her gown. She carried a cascade of yellow rosebuds, stephanotis, white fugi mums and baby's breath.

Miss Gail McNaughton, friend of the bride, as maid of honour, wore a mint green gown topped by a sheer floral green cape. She carried a round bouquet of white daisies and baby's breath, accented with white knotted streamers.

The bridesmaids, Nancy Harris, friend of the bride, Janet and Carolyn Staddon, sisters of the groom and Julia Shuttleworth, niece of the bride, as Junior bridesmaid, were all dressed identical to the maid of honour and carried matching nosegays. All the girls wore baby's breath in their hair.

The groom was handsome in a forest green tuxedo with a stephanotis boutineer.

Larry Ferguson, brother of the bride, was best man. The ushers were David Kenney, Richard Sabo, friends of the groom and Donald Ferguson, brother of the bride. The Junior usher was Shane Fama, nephew of the bride.

During the ceremony, Jack Lewis, uncle of the bride, sang "I Never Knew How Much God Gave to Me," "The Wedding Prayer" and "O Perfect Love", accompanied by Robert L. Iler, cousin of the bride from Blue Island, Illinois. Larry and Linda Ferguson, brother and sister-in-law of the bride sang "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Them".

The bride's mother was lovely in a pink knit floor length gown with a waist length sheer floral cape. Her corsage was white rosebuds and baby's breath tinted pink.

The groom's mother was lovely in a yellow knit floor length gown accented with a sheer yellow floral cape. Her corsage was white rosebuds and baby's breath tinted yellow.

The bride's paternal grandmother wore an off-white knit floor length gown and a corsage of tangerine carnations.

The groom's paternal step grandmother wore a blue satin floor length gown and a corsage of white carnations tipped pale blue.

The reception for 160 guests was held at the Hilltop Restaurant in Ruthven.

The three tiered wedding cake decorated with yellow roses and accented with green leaves and lilies of the valley was made by the bride's cousin Mrs. Arthur Kinnaird, Harrow.

The bride's uncle, Garnet Stevenson, proposed the Toast to the bride. A short program, followed with Gordon Shuttleworth, brother-in-law of the bride as master of ceremonies and several songs were sung by Diann and John Ferguson, cousins of the bride, and Larry and Linda Ferguson.

For travelling the bride changed to a blue-grey suit with a corsage of red matador roses.

After a honeymoon in Edmonton, Banff and Jasper Alberta, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Staddon will reside in Toronto.

Share Joy in Faith with Youth

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United Church Women of the Essex Presbytery (County and Windsor) held their annual meeting at Essex United Church with the theme - Joy in Faith. Officers for the coming year meet with the guest speaker (centre) Marjorie Smith, diachonal minister of the United Church of Canada, Toronto.

From left is Dorothy Shuttleworth, treasurer, Grace United Church, Windsor; President of Essex Presbytery UCW, Donna Goulin, Amherstburg, the speaker, Janet Lord of Woodslee, first vice-president, and Judy Ward, president of Essex UCW.

Include the children and youth of your community and the church will grow, was the advice offered by Marjorie Smith, a diachonal consultant for the United Church of Canada.

Recalling the influence on her life of childhood experiences in the church, she was speaking to 200 members of the Essex County and

Windsor United Church Women at their annual meeting in Essex United Church.

"Women of the WMS and WA (the women's organizations prior to 1962) influenced my life with great joy. Mother, aunts, friends, with their interest in the children," she cited of the recall of racing from school to the women's meetings.

Relating such joy in relationships to the story of Ruth and her daughters-in-law, as told in the Bible, she emphasized the importance of fellowship among women.

"How important we are to each other. Be alert to the divorced and single women who may be in our midst. Be alert to children. Don't think of them as unruly and noisy, which they are," she joked. "Search for those in need of friendship."

Referring again to youth she stated, "Sometimes they challenge the ways in which we do things and the way we think but that makes us grow. It may be painful but that is good."

Of the influence church women can exert she stated, "The beginning of faith are caught as God touches our

lives through the loving actions of those around us."

Of her early experiences, "I have forgotten what I learned in Sunday School, or what I heard in church as a child, but I can remember my teacher's excitement about the Bible stories. I can hear her praying for each one of us. I remember everyone together, babies to grandparents, sharing in worship together."

"I want to challenge you who have misplaced the children and youth in our communities, who have given them over to other spaces, out of sound and sight," she continued. "I want to challenge you to include the children in the church. Youth takes some faith steps because of the faith shown by those who work beside them."

In recognition of the 25th anniversary year of the amalgamation of the Women's Missionary Society and the Women's Association of the church to United Church Women (UCW), Marjorie Smith said, she is proud of United Church Women who cannot and do not keep silent in situations of persecution and injustice.

"You are here for just such a time as this."

"As urgent issues face us, you are involved - - - on this small planet we are God's family."

Relating it to the situation for Queen Esther when she realized she had to speak for the Jewish people although her action could bring her death, the speaker said, "Esther recognized what she had to do and that she could not do it without God's help. United Church Women are in prayer for each other as we take steps with people caught in injustice."

For the 25th anniversary there are two joys to celebrate, she stated, "Joy in the faith and joy in relationship with each other."

Shirley Smith, London Conference president, said she knew the women are ready to pick up the challenge. As she asked for a special donation, particularly for the mission section, she reported the amount of money received last year, across Canada, had increased.

"If we will let God transfer us into something bigger than ourselves - - - whose

vision calls us to deeper living - - - for a community bounded by hope - - - this is excitement. We are called to be the church for such a time as this."

When Marjorie Smith spoke at the afternoon session she cited the "long list of accomplishments" and she claimed their responsibility of the United Church Women members was to call forth the gifts of others. "What a challenge."

"See the people in need. Stand among them, with them."

In summary she stated of children, youth, singles and seniors, "think of all we and they are missing as we isolate them."

Donna Goulin of Amherstburg continues as president for another year. Her vice presidents are Janet Lord and Shirley Taylor.



WHEN IS A NIECE OLDER THAN HER UNCLE?—Apparently it is no big deal for Georgina Lynn Oltrop as she displays a big yawn while posing with her new uncle, Brian Keith Shuttleworth. Brian is asleep in the arms of his mother, Mrs. Caroline Shuttleworth, who is also Georgina's grandmother.

Georgina is held by her mother, Mrs. Jean Oltrop who is Mrs. Shuttleworth's daughter. If that isn't confusing enough both babies were born 11 hours apart at Grace Hospital. Georgina was the first to arrive, which makes the niece older than the uncle. Proud papas are Robert Shuttleworth and John Oltrop.

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MR. AND MRS. BERNARD SHUTTLEWORTH WITH TWO OF THEIR BOYS

New kind of hope for would-be adopters

For every baby available for adoption there are now four couples waiting. For the first time in ten years adoptions did not go up in Ontario, rather there has been a decrease. Out of the seven or eight thousand applicants, more than half went away empty-handed last year. It is the result of the pill and relaxed abortion laws, as well as a new attitude toward the unmarried mother who decides to keep her child.

To help people better understand the functions and purposes of the Children's Aid Society we are presenting some of the families who have found an added dimension to their lives by opening their homes to foster children. One such story follows in this issue, with others in later issues.

The Bernard Shuttleworth family of the Maidstone area are finding their two foster children bring a lot of fun for the family and say, "It seems we are more like a family with them included."

Bernard and Dorothy talked about fostering children when their one boy was small because they felt they had a big house that wasn't being used.

Sickness and then the arrival of a new baby set the plans back for a few years. By the time the baby was 18 months old, they really took action. In August of '67, the first child came into their home. Since they have boys they first asked for a girl, but later changed their minds. "This house is geared for boys," they laughed.

They applied for a second boy in April of '69 and by July they were the happy parents of four boys, two of them under the foster plan. "You do get attached to them and we think of them as if they were our own. We had a baby for four weeks, a baby with long blond hair, but we knew he was just a visitor," Dorothy Shuttleworth recalled.

"We had three other boys for three weeks. Two of them came at 5 a.m. after a 4:30 phone call." The Shuttleworths are always on the emergency list at the Society except when they have extra wards in their home. This information is always available to the emergency workers in case they are ever in need of a foster home in a hurry.

Often foster parents feel very insecure about the discipline of the children, especially in the beginning. They are aware it is tremendous emotional experience for the child and are in fear of losing their chance to relate to the child. They do need time to adjust and understand their new environment, especially in living a different way than they have known. A child may never have used a knife or fork, or even a spoon, or perhaps never sat down to eat a real meal. But children adapt quickly and want to be treated like the rest of the family, so with patience and understanding they can be disciplined just as the other children in the family are taught respect.

Should a family have a problem with a child that they find too great for them to handle, they are supported by the Society. The child is then tested to see if he or she is in the proper grade at school for they may be unhappy there. Psychiatric help may be needed or it may just be some simple problem. If after everything has been done to help, it should still be necessary to remove the child from the home, then they try to help the child understand why he is moving so that he won't feel rejected.

The Shuttleworths have had some problems, particularly one at school, but it had straightened out so well, they had all but forgotten about it. The C.A.S. helped them and the kindergarten teacher at the local school was able to help greatly. Dorothy said, "She talked it right out of him." An understanding teacher can be of great help, when a child is making the adjustment to new surroundings.

Children are not shuffled from one home as much as they have been in the past. Mrs. Barbara Rowland, who is one of the case workers for the rural area of Essex County explained, "If we find a child is not acceptable in a foster home, we don't just plunk him in another home. In the first place we are very, very careful in our attempts to make certain that the home is the right one for the child, before we ever place him in it. No one worker makes this decision. Only after we have visited

the foster parents and really know them, is a decision made, and then after several conferences among the Children's Aid workers. Because of this intensive study of each child we don't have to move them very often any more."

Bernard Shuttleworth explained, "When one of the boys came he was classed as Grade 3. He advanced rapidly the first year but he was worried and said to me, 'I suppose in my next home I'll have to go back to grade 3,' and I told him, 'If everything goes all right you'll stay right here.' He seemed to settle down after that."

There are three workers in the agency who work only with foster parents so they can really know each family and be reasonably certain that the children chosen for it are really suited for that home. This way they can be more permanent. Mrs. Rowland commented, "We are really trying to improve. Our social worker works with the child and stays with that family, instead of a different worker from time to time. It makes a big difference."

All the Shuttleworths' families take part in the fostering and act as grandparents, aunts and uncles. Bernard reported, "We have lots of fun as a family, we go camping together and they have lots of space to run here. One boy enjoys control line planes and they have chickens and guinea pigs."

They both felt that their life has been enriched by the children. "They actually help us too, and our children learn from them in the family association. And now when we go to church we can fill the whole seat!," Bernard laughed.

He continued, "You see the problems they come with and gradually see the change. The one boy has really opened up in this last year. The child finds out you are interested in helping him and he's not been used to anyone bothering with him. They see you do it for your own and that you do it for them too, and they know you care about them. It takes awhile but you can see the change. It comes from everything, helping with homework, doing things with them, and taking them places with you.

One of the boys really couldn't understand going places with the whole family."

Dorothy Shuttleworth felt she was at home anyway and this way she could do some community work while she was home.

Both Dorothy and Bernard Shuttleworth are very active in their church at Maidstone. He gave up leading the Cubs when he began his job as custodian for the Windsor Board of Education at Herman Collegiate. Now he is taking the leadership of a Boy Scouts Troop on Saturday afternoons. He rents his 67 acre farm to another farmer.

The Children's Aid worker, Barbara Rowland made the comment, "Community minded people want to give of themselves to help someone else. It's not just helping these children right now but it is helping them to become useful, contributing citizens of to-morrow." So if there are not enough babies for adoption the prospective parents need not be rejected. Miss Lorraine Tuite and Mr. Jack Bevan, directors of the two local Children's Aid Societies said, "We still need homes for children who are without parents, some permanently. If we do not have an infant for an adopting couple we ask these people if they will be willing to care for a child as foster parents. Our best applicants are also excellent foster parents and they are finding tremendous satisfaction from fostering a homeless child. Last year we took into a our care a number of children who were above the age of one year. Some of these were available for adoption and needed homes until adopted. Many have been adopted by the parents who were fostering them." If you want to be part of the solution, call the Roman Catholic C.A.S. at 256-3176, or the Protestant C.A.S. at 252-1171 and ask for the home finder.

The foster parents of the area have formed the Foster Parent's Association of Essex County and hold meetings monthly in the Maidstone United Church Hall where they have a chance to share their experiences and learn from one another.

May 23, 1974, Star
Stephanie Signorile
graduated from Univ. of Windsor
General Program

Stephanie Mary Signorile
Maidstone, graduate of
Univ. of Windsor, May,
1977 - Faculty of Educ.
Bachelor of Education

Creative drama comes to Essex

ESSEX - Would it be more fun to act in a play or to build and paint the scenery for it? Perhaps designing or sewing the costumes would be more interesting. Maybe learning to create different moods with lighting and sound would be challenging.

These are some of the questions that Essex County youngsters will consider as they join the Essex Youth Theatre Pilot Project this summer.

It was announced today that registration for the theatre group will be held June 25 at the Essex United Church, which will be theatre headquarters.

The program, which will offer creative dramatics to boys and girls from five through high school, (The term creative dramatics includes all sorts of games, music, songs, stories, and fun with the "dress-up box", Mrs. Signorile explained.) It will operate Monday through Friday from ten through five, with time out for lunch and "community breaks", when everyone will have a chance to become acquainted and perhaps have a sing-song. There will be seven student Group Leaders who will take the young people in groups of ten and help them with different chosen specialties. From nine to ten each morning there will be a "Leader session" during which Mrs. Signorile, one of the coordinators, and the students will plan and prepare each day's work for the project.

A typical day's schedule will go something like this: 10 to 11:30 -- creative dramatics; 11:30 - 12:30 -- groups (sewing and costume design, scenery building

photography, make-up, cooking, lighting and sound techniques) 12:30-1:30- lunch break; 1:30-3:30 rehearsals and groups going on simultaneously, 3:30 - 4:00, community break, 4:00-5:00 sing-song, with a leave-taking somewhat informally during this time.

Children aged 5-7 may attend morning sessions from 10:00-12:30 p.m. each day. Children age 8 and up, and youths to 18 may stay for the whole day. This is considered necessary because there will be more concentration on the actual productions during the afternoons, and it is felt that the special needs of the younger group, who will not take part

in the actual plays, can be emphasized during the mornings.

There will be two plays presented, "The Hurdy Gurdy Man" on Wednesday, July 31 at 7 p.m. and the "Selfish Giant" on Thursday, August 29 at 7 p.m. Friday, August 30 will be for the final clean-up of the United Church premises.

It is hoped that during the two months of its operation, the whole community will become involved with the Essex Youth Theatre. There will be an opportunity for interested parents to volunteer to help with the project and there will also be a community collection of needed properties and cos-

tumes to save on expense costs, since the group is still \$1500 short of the \$6,000 needed to run comfortably for the season. Whatever the community can contribute in the way of such items as: Old bed sheets, drapes, leotards, tights and socks for costumes; scrap lumber, old newspapers and cardboard boxes and such tools as hammers, saws and nails for scenery; Kleenex, cold cream, rouge, mascara, eye shadow, eye liner, cotton wool, etc. for make up, and all sorts of mixing bowls, wooden spoons, measuring cups, muffin and cake pans and such staples as flour, sugar (white, brown and icing) canned shortening

baking powder and soda and raisins, chocolate chips etc. for cooking snacks for the company breaks and to sell at the play performances, will be very much appreciated.

Collection day will be June 15, a Friday, when students and other volunteers will make a door to door canvass of Essex and the surrounding townships for all sorts of useful items which may have been lying unused in garages, attics and basements not to mention kitchens. Upon the generous response of the community at large to this appeal will rest in large measure the success of the whole project.

Council Likes Idea For Youth Theatre

Stephanie Signorile, of Sandwich South headed a delegation of four to ask Essex council for approval of and a grant for the establishment of a youth drama club in Essex for children of the town and community.

Mrs. Signorile, who has a degree in dramatic arts from the University of Windsor reported that Jane Van Doorn had already applied for a grant of \$3,500 to the provincial government under Youth - Action, sponsored by the Windsor YM-YW. She said that they can get support from the 'Y' for the project if they have the support of the community. They would like to make it a permanent part of recreation in Essex. Council agreed with her on the need for alternative to sports and a better balance in the recreation program.

The project calls for 10 high school senior students to be fully responsible for the various needs of a drama club, such as a group working on carpentry for the setting, or painting scenery, designing and making costumes. "We aim to do everything ourselves and to use scrap material to encourage children's imaginations and ingenuity."

They would work with 100 children from the age of 5 years and up. The students and the director would be paid. They have contacted both the Essex United Church and the Essex High School through the board of education to arrange a location for rehearsal.

Mrs. Signorile said she hoped they would become self-supporting once they were established and that the group was for boys as well as girls. Of the 90 names of children they already have who are interested in the project, one third are boys.

An estimated \$6,000 is needed to get the program going when she indicated that children of surrounding communities would be involved Essex Council asked if they were soliciting support from the neighbouring municipalities. Their reply was that Essex was the first municipality to be visited.

The present plans would cover the summer months of July and August.

After council expressed interest they recommended that the members of the delegation contact both the Recreation Committee and the Administrative Committee of the town with a written proposal.

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Creative Drama has come to Essex and these are the women primarily responsible for its introduction into the area. Left to right, Mrs. Jane Van Doorn,

Maidstone; Mrs. Stephanie Signorile, Sandwich South; and Mrs. Anne St. Pierre, Maidstone.

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May 23, 1974
Univ. of Windsor
General Program
Stephanie M. Signorile

Essex Rec. group funds Drama club

ESSEX -- The Essex Recreation Committee of the Town Council has granted to the Essex Youth Drama Club the sum of \$1,000 to finance a two-month program of dramatic productions for children ranging in age from 5 to 16 years or over during July and August. The Windsor YM-YWCA has also funded the group, and applications to other bodies have been made to secure the necessary

\$6,000 to complete the program as originally planned.

Head of the program is Stephanie Signorile, who has a degree in theatre arts from the University of Windsor and extensive experience both in acting and in directing dramatic productions.

High school and university students will be recruited to help in all aspects of the work. Singing will also be a part of the program.

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NOW THIS IS ART — Director of the Youth Theatre that is being organized for children of the Essex area, Stephanie Signorile, displays a piece of art to her assistants Ann St. Pierre and Jane Van Doorn. The three women are the originators of the theatre.

Essex County boys and girls will have an exciting choice of activities this summer when they join the Essex Youth Theatre Pilot Project with headquarters in the basement of the Essex United Church.

Sponsored by the Windsor YM-YWCA, the Essex Youth Theatre has already received grants of \$3500 from Youth in Action, funded by the Ontario government and a grant of \$1,000 from the Recreation Committee of the Essex Town Council.

Ninety children in Essex County schools have already indicated an interest in the program. Registration will be on June 25. An aid will be open to any boy or girl between the ages of five and 18. Children aged 5-7 may attend morning sessions from 10 - 12:30 p.m. each day. Children aged 8 and up, and youth to eighteen may stay for the whole day. This is considered necessary because there will be more concentration on the actual productions during the afternoons and it is felt that the special needs of the younger group who will not take part in the actual plays can be emphasized during the mornings.

The young people may choose to act in the two plays to be presented by the group or they may decide that it would be more fun to design or sew costumes, learn sound or lighting techniques, photography or discover the tricks of make-up. They may try a hand at scenery building or painting. Budding cooks will have a chance to make snacks from scratch, both for group refreshments and to sell.

There will be games, music, songs, and story-time and time for fun with the dress-up box.

All this will be offered from ten to five, Monday through Friday during the months of July and August.

Mrs. Ann St. Pierre, administrator, will be working with Director Stephanie Signorile and seven high school and university students, some with theatre arts experience. The children will be divided into groups of ten, with a student supervisor for each group and will work in areas of their special interest. A fee of \$3.00 will cover tuition for a whole month for each child, but if several children from one family enrol, the maximum charge for each family will be \$5.00 a month. Those who register for two months at once will pay only five dollars for July and August. Parents must accompany elementary school children to the registration which will be held on June 25th.

Because the program is still in need of \$1500 the group would like to ask the community to help defray some of the expenses by supplying some of the materials needed for costumes, scenery, make-up, photography and refreshments. Many of these articles may be lying around unused in homes and garages. If their owners will give them to the theatre group, a great expense will be saved. In the accompanying box is an itemized list of what is needed. There will be a collection for these items by the student supervisors and volunteers on Saturday, June 15. A door to

door collection will be organized in Essex and in the surrounding townships. It is hoped that by their generous response our local householders will do what they can to encourage the young people in this worthwhile activity.

Articles needed by Essex Youth Theatre, June 15, Collection Day are, for costumes - old sheets, bedspreads, leotards, tights, socks; for scenery and props - scrap lumber, old newspapers and magazines, cardboard boxes, sheet cardboard, leftover paint, glue (especially Elmer's), old paint brushes, saws, hammers, nails; for photography - enamel trays and basins; for snacks and for sale - mixing bowls, wooden spoons, measuring cups and spoons, cookie sheets, cake and muffin tins, staples such as flour, sugar (brown, white icing) baking powder and soda, canned shortening, chocolate chips, coconut, raisins.

June 7. 1974

Weather Balloon Found on Day of Launching

April 6 1973



Stephanie Signorile, the director of the theatre, is getting ready for "lights, camera, action!"

JULY 25. 1974



Ben and Stephanie Signorile

The cause of international friendship through scientific co-operation was advanced this week, thanks to an alert Sandwich South schoolboy and his sister.

Ben Signorile, 10, who lives on the tenth concession of Sandwich South noticed something was caught on a fence on his father's property as he was riding home on the school bus last week. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Vito Signorile.

Ben found four balloons, blue, yellow and green, just like those used at children's parties, tied with stout string wound in a cable and attached to a plastic bag.

Ben and his sister Stephenie, 8, found a card in the plastic bag which bore the following message: "This card was launched by balloon on March 29, 1973, by a student at (Raymer) School in Toledo, Ohio. It is part of a science experiment in which we are trying to trace the wind currents in our area. Please mail this card postage free and fill out the information below. If you would like a map of landing sites we will be happy to send you one at the conclusion of the experiment. Just add your name and address below. Thank you very much."

It is interesting that the balloons were found at 4:30 p.m. on the same day that they had been launched. Since the American reply prepaid card could not be mailed free in Canada, Ben's father supplied him with a Canadian stamp.

Ben and his sister hope it will be the beginning of an international friendship and an aid to Ben's interest in science.

A Labour of Love

by Jay Dewhirst



SIGNORILE HOME WITH NEW WING CONSTRUCTED AROUND ORIGINAL HOUSE

Signoriles realize their dreams

It's a long, long way from the mountains and glens of Country Antrim, Ulster, to the flat fertile fields of Essex County, Ontario, particularly if you go by way of Washington, D.C. and Antigonish, N.S., but Stephanie Signorile, snug in a home that she and her husband Vito have created, is glad she came.

For one thing, she is well on her way to realizing her dream of doing something in the theatre, and in the meantime she is using her flair for originality in decorating her house on the Tenth Concession, Sandwich South township, almost on the Colchester North town-line.

If you approach from the south you see first an old apple orchard and then an inviting brick home with three double french doors and big bay windows to let in the sun. This is the addition planned and brought into being by Vito and Stephanie together, with the help of a cooperative builder.

"I know what I wanted, and Vito knew what was possible," explains Stephanie. "But do you know, we looked for six months and had almost given up hope of finding anything we liked that

we could afford. We had lived for a year in Windsor and found it so confining that we thought we just couldn't stand it any longer. You know what I mean. Houses in Windsor practically look into each other's windows, and we had just come from Antigonish, where Vito taught at St. Francis Xavier University. The countryside there is just beautiful. One Saturday we had looked at so many places that we were completely tired and discouraged and wanted to give up, but the real estate agent insisted on showing us just one more place, and this was it."

When Stephanie first saw the farm that she and her husband bought, it was in late winter, with none of the beauty it would have had if the apple trees had been in leaf or in blossom. The house was dark and small, and not in very good repair. The people in it were not expecting anyone and weren't too happy at having strangers go through the rooms. It took a hopeful vivid imagination to see anything desirable in such a desolate scene.

Nevertheless, Stephanie and Vito looked at each other and in an instant each knew that they had have that farm, and wonder of wonders, it

was within their reach!

All the "ins and outs" of the details of purchase make too long a story to be told here, but mountains were moved, and that spring Stephanie, were settled in their own home on their own farm. You could almost say it was like a fairy story, and as in a fairy story there was a lot of hard work cleaning the house and grounds before they could settle down and really make plans. Literally

The plans were the fun part. First they listed all their wants--a big stone fireplace for cheery warmth and sitting in front of, and looking into, of a cold winter evening, a study for Vito, a sewing room for Stephanie, a terrace for sitting on warm summer evenings, more bedrooms--the house had only two--a modern kitchen with a lovely view--there were so many things their dream house would be and have.

The transportation from five-room dark cottage to eleven-room spacious airy residence took nearly eighteen months. Stephanie says there is so much yet to do, but at least they now have a staircase. For nine months they climbed up a ladder and through the original dining-

room windows to reach the bedrooms upstairs. Friends always let the telephone ring at least ten times to allow for this journey, but last August, just when they had four house guests, the builder put in a staircase, so that is a major milestone.

On the ground floor the house now has a long narrow kitchen with windows looking west over the stainless steel sink, and four windows facing south to make a sunny dining alcove. The children's bright paintings decorate the walls. Once the orchard is in leaf, the trees shade the room just enough to screen the heat and the glare.

To save money and at the same time give an air of substance to their home, Vito and Stephanie began to search wrecking yards for anything of beauty that they might fit into their designs. The lovely old Georgia pine

beams in the downstairs ceilings came from the old Hiram Walker Head Office. They bought doors from an old Windsor firehouse because they wanted the solid brass hardware with hexagonal doorknobs.

The bricks of the living-room fireplace and the wall behind the kitchen stove were used material from Kingsville. Who knows? Maybe

Jack Miner made those bricks from clay taken from holes which are now his sons' duck ponds.

Vito and Stephanie are hoping to find old oak--or other hardwood panelling from a wrecking company if only they are lucky enough to ask at the moment when a house is being torn down. At such a time, if you dismantle the panelling yourself, you can get wonderful bargains--and the almost-unobtainable--otherwise, patina of old age.

During warm weather screens protect those in the house from flies and other insects while the french doors are open to the gentle south breezes. Old earthenware bowls filled with gay flowers from Stephanie's garden--which will eventually make her remember those of her mother back in County Antrim adorn the sideboard, china cabinet and table. Really the art work of both children which covers the north wall of the dining-room makes any other decoration unnecessary. This is a constantly changing exhibit and gives friends a fascinating glimpse into two alert young minds. As the new bedrooms are not yet painted, the children have

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done their own murals there too.

Ben is nine, and Stephanie is seven. Both go to St. Mary's School, but their parents with an iron will many would envy, have decreed, "outdoors and literature are more important than TV" so there is NO TV! What perfect peace! Even though the children say that they are not really "with it" as far as conversation goes at school, the TV set goes unrepaired. Therefore both children read omnivorously, and their mother supplements their generous store of beautifully illustrated children's books with weekly borrowing from the library.

Ben has become a naturalist since moving to the country. With his friend Ty Mergl from the next farm, he explores the roadside ditches and collects tadpoles, frogs and snakes in season. One summer he captured two garter snakes and kept them in his room. He offered this reporter the golden chance of taking one on her arm, and rather than crawl "chicken," she accepted the eagerly proffered snake and found to her surprise that its skin was dry. Snakes are NOT slimy! After Ben had learned its habits and wore himself out supplying live food, he released his wild pets, who would now have to catch their own meals again.



FAMILY BY TREASURED FIREPLACE. Vito and Stephanie Signorile with Children Ben and Stephanie.

MARCH 8, 1972

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His sister likes dolls, but only for her own plays and puppet shows. She plays paper dolls too.

When their mother isn't occupied with the children, gardening, cooking, sewing her own and Stephanie's clothes or housework, in that order, she enjoys her drama course at the University of Windsor where Vito teaches anthropology and sociology and for the moment has taken on the administration of that department.

Her interest in the theatre is only natural because her grandmother and mother were actresses, and her father was a director of amateur theatricals in which his wife starred and also collected old Gaelic folk tales.

Stephanie has always known that her mother wanted one of her five children to follow the stage, so of course, as a dutiful daughter she became a secretary, met the man who became her husband on his English holiday, decided that a career was not nearly as important as love, married him and lived seven years with him in Washington D.C., where he worked for the United States government

and where their children were born. Here she made friends who still spend part of the summer with her. From there they moved to Nova Scotia where Vito taught at St. Frances Xavier University, and following two years there, moved to Windsor when Vito accepted his present teaching position.

Stephanie's family are scattered all over the globe. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Cosgrove, live in Spain. Desmond is in Japan, Paul-ette in the Bahamas, Jim in East Africa and Tony is in England. All this is what helps keep our mailmen busy. Stephanie has to start her Christmas shopping the summer before to be sure she is mailing everything in time.

The first fall after Stephanie and Vito arrived in Windsor and found an apartment near the university, Stephanie decided that since she was so close, she had a marvelous opportunity to go back to school and earn her B.A. An English course in which she had registered was full, so she took a drama course instead--and that was the beginning of what she hopes will be a long term involvement with the theatre.

Right now, as assistant director and general trouble shooter she is busy with rehearsals for "Rosencrantz and Gildenstern Are Dead" being produced by the University of Windsor Players. If anything goes wrong from actors with poor memories to electricians ditto, Stephanie hears about it from everyone--the director, players and stage hands. However, she takes this in her stride and says that all is going well, and if you want to see a really good comedy, well produced and acted, get your tickets now from the Essex Hall Theatre box office open from 9 to 5 p.m. on the University of Windsor campus.

Eventually Stephanie hopes to do something with youth theatre, but she is taking her time about that. Maybe years from now she and Vito will convert the big barn into a summer playhouse, but once again, that is just an idea in the back of Stephanie's mind. Before starting a career as a theatrical director she is hoping for continued generous family cooperation so that she can complete her studies for a degree. She spends every Thursday and practically every evening at the university these nights. Without an understanding and fully cooperative husband, willing to baby sit and pay for her courses, none of this wonderful experience would be possible.

Stephanie feels as many modern young men do that a mother with outside interests has more to give to her family.

Just for now she is picturing in her mind's eye--and in the beautiful lovely Irish Cottage Garden will bloom this summer with apple blossoms, tulips, a honeysuckle hedge, bridal wreath, iris--and so many more perennials. Her neighbours have offered all kinds of interesting roots. She has great burgeoning white and pink peonies, and a friend promised a red last fall, and promptly forgot. Oh, well, she meant well. Maybe she'll think of it this autumn. Dahlias would be pretty. Gaily variegated portulaca is a essential of any well cared for rock garden. You could just go on and on...and on, and in her mind, Stephanie does.

Then we mustn't forget the vegetables...the succulent sweet corn, the first rosy radishes, the crisp lettuce, both leaf and iceberg, and wax and green beans, and that tasty egg plant--but why go on. There is lots of room. Good-natured Steve Santo who works their fields

always plows and disks their vegetable garden. In fact, three city friends have asked if they could use some of Vito's land to grow vegetables.

"Help yourself," said Vito, "but you pull your own weeds and kill the cutworms. I don't want any of your cutworms on our giant eye-filling fabulous vegetables." So there it stands.

It is a full and busy life, and Vito and Stephanie and young Stephanie and Ben can

hardly wait to see their plans fulfilled.

Part of this good life is the welcome they have received from their neighbours and the community in general.

The children have their own pals. The mothers from across the road the "down a ways" drop in for a cup of tea and a chat. The family is invited for meals and picnics and reciprocates in kind.

Christmas, which with such a scattered family (Vito's

people live in Chicago and Arizona) could have been such a lonely time, but this year was a procession of joys following in such rapid succession that Stephanie said it was hard to fit everything into their busy calendar. All was more joyous because it was shared with neighbours who had become firm friends.

And the spring and summer ahead, with all the country and growing things to enjoy, should be even better!

Mr. and Mrs. George Simpkins of Hwy. 3 announce the engagement of their daughter Lori (R.N.) to Ted Bachynski son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bachynski. The wedding will be solemnized in St. John's Church, Woodslee at 4 p.m. on Aug. 28th.

AUG. 13. 1976

SIMPKINS--Floyd and Jan of Toronto announce the arrival of a son, Charles Gorman, 6 lbs., 13 ozs. 5th grandchild for Jack & Helen Gorman of Oakville and George & Lorna Simpkins of Maidstone.

JUNE. 17. 1985

Happy 40th Anniversary Mom & Dad Bernice and Charles Sim



Your love started on September 28, 1946 and may it continue for many more years.
Love always, Mary Anne, Linda, Carol and Jack.

Sept. 26. 1986

— THE ESSEX FREE PRESS — Friday, December 21, 1979

MAIDSTONE CROSS

I would like to announce

the retiring of my father Charles Sim, of R.R. #3, Maidstone who put in 38 years at Chryslers.

A trip to Niagara Falls will follow the wedding of Janet Groggins, Staples and John Sim, Maidstone. The ceremony to take place on Saturday, May 24th, in the Oakland United Church.

MAY. 23. 1975

MAIDSTONE

Charles Sim celebrated his 65th birthday on Christmas Day.

JAN. 3. 1986

Mr. and Mrs. John Sims, celebrated their 10th anniversary on Friday, May 24th.

JUN. 31. 1985

Sandwich South Families

SIEFKER

SIEFKER - Vincent and Patricia thank God for the safe arrival of their second child, a daughter, Corrine Rebecca, born at Metropolitan Hospital, April 17th weighing 9 lbs. 3 ozs.

APRIL. 19. 1979

Sandwich South Families

SIMARD

Dennis Anger and Lynne Annette Simard, Lynn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Verne A. Simard and Mr. Anger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anger of Woodslee. The marriage also took place August 4th, in St. Mary's Church.

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APRIL 20 1973

Aug. 11, 1972 E.F.P.

Chas. H. Simpkins passes aged 79 years on no. 3. Hwy. Maidstone in Grace Hospital, Sunday. Surviving are his widow nee Carol Jones, a son George, R.R. 2, Maidstone 4 grandchildren and a brother Wallace in England. Funeral at Kennedy's, Essex with Rev. H. W. W. of Maidstone United Ch. Office. Burial in Greenlawn Cemetery.

Sincere Sympathy to the family of the late Chas. H. Simpkins, age 79 years whose death was recorded in last week's paper. Surviving is his beloved wife, the former Carol Jones, a son George and 4 grandchildren of Hwy. 3, R. No. 2. Interment in Greenlawn Cemetery with the Rev. H. W. W. officiating.

AUG. 18. 1972

SIMPKINS,

Sandwich South Families

Jan. 30, 1987 E.F.P.
The Essex Co. Cattlemen's Assoc. newly elected president is Ray Simard with James Curtis as V-Pres. Bert Bedford Sec. - Treas. Kenby Strong is provincial director and Robert Simpleton is farm safety rep.

Simard lives at R.R. 3 in Maidstone, Ontario.

Windsor Star Wednesday, August 4, 1976

Brides elect



Mr. and Mrs. George Simpkins of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Lori, to Ted Bachynski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bachynski of Woodslee. The wedding will take place August 28 at 4 p.m. in St. John the Evangelist Church.



Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson of Oldcastle announce the engagement of their daughter, Lorraine, to Douglas Calhoun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calhoun, of Gesto. The wedding will take place May 5 at 7 p.m. in the Christian Missionary Alliance Church, Windsor.



MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS CALHOUN

Lorraine Constance Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Simpson of Oldcastle, was united in marriage to Douglas Ray Calhoun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calhoun of Essex. The wedding took place in Christian Alliance Missionary Church, with Mrs. Susan Demers as matron of honor and William Demers as best man. The couple will reside in Windsor.

SIPOS — Louis, 76 years, on July 2, 1977 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Late of R.R.1, Windsor (Walker Rd.). Beloved husband of Margaret. Dear brother of Mrs. John Istvandi (Ilonka) and Mrs. Agnes Nagy, both of Romania. Funeral services were held Tues. at 1:30 p.m. at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave. Thence to the Hungarian Presbyterian Church at 2 p.m., Rev. T. Nyarady officiating. Interment took place in Windsor Memorial Gardens. Donations to the Hungarian Presbyterian Church would be sincerely appreciated by the family. (Cards available at the Funeral Home.) Mr. Sipos was a member of the Oldcastle Co-op, and the Szekely Hungarian Society.

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APRIL 21, 1972

CALHOUN—Doug and Lorraine (nee Simpson) are pleased to announce the birth of a daughter Kelly Jayne, on November 15, 1979 at Metropolitan Hospital weighing 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calhoun, Essex and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson, Oldcastle. Sister for Candice.

To celebrate their silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sipos of Oldcastle entertained a crowd of relatives and friends at their home. They were also honored at a dinner dance at the Hungarian Presbyterian Church Hall, when they were presented with 25 red roses and other gifts. Mrs. Sipos' niece, Mrs. Mary Novotny, came on from Clay Center, Ohio, especially for the celebration.

Sept. 26, 1960

CALHOUN - Doug and Lorraine (nee Simpson) are pleased to announce the birth of their second daughter, Kelly Jayne, at Metropolitan Hospital on November 15th, 1979, weighing 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Calhoun, Essex, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson, Oldcastle. A sister for Candice.

Dec. 23, 1979

MAY 13, 1972

WALKER—Emma, 84 yrs., June 11, 1981. Late of Ouellette Ave. Beloved wife of the late Bill, (1968). Dear mother of Mrs. William Spearing (Muriel), London; Mrs. James Simpons (Beryl), Oldcastle; 6 grandchildren & 6 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Walker was a member of Christian Missionary Alliance & W.M.P.F. Friends may call at the Don Morris Funeral Home, 68 Giles Blvd., E., where services will be held in the Memorial Chapel on Saturday June 13 at 1:00 a.m. Rev. Al McNally officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

Demers-Simpson Wedding

In a lovely setting of white gladiolas with pink and yellow tinted daisy mums in the Christian and Missionary Alliance Church, Susan E. Simpson was united in marriage with William J. Demers on March 30th.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Simpson of Oldcastle and the bridegroom the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Demers of George Ave. Rev. Jay Mapstone officiated at the double ring ceremony. Miss June Pickering as soloist and Mr. A. Sawatsky organist.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore a floor length gown of pois de soi with a bodice of imported lace featuring a chapel train. Her silk illusion veil was held by a crown of hearts of seed pearls. She carried pink sweetheart roses and white carnations.

Lorraine Simpson as her sisters maid of honor in a gown of ice yellow brocade wore a jade necklace given her by the bride. Sharon Brownlie and Ronna Humphries as bridesmaids were gowned alike in ice pink brocade. The bride's cousin Lise Spearing as flower girl and Rory Simpson brother of the bride as ring bearer. John Ellis 3 years old, as Page carried the bride's train.

The groom asked his cousin Don Demers to be his best man and George Goyeau and Louis Dupuis were ushers.

Susan and William were entertained March 27 at the Elmwood at a staff party given by Sam and Al Vexler.

Susan was also given a personal shower by her attendants at the home of Ronna Humphries of Maidstone, and a cup and saucer shower given by her aunt Mrs. Wm. Spearing in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Eldon Walker of Edinborough Street.

The couple will reside on Prado Place.

APRIL 12, 1968

Sandwich South Families

SIPOS

Who says old news doesn't sell?

By Scott Burnside
Star Staff Reporter

Got a hankering for the good old days?

You can get at least a copy of them with \$20 worth of gas at the Oldcastle Shell station. Instead of glasses, towels or rubber supermen, owner Ray Simrak decided to give away old copies of the Windsor Daily Star and its predecessor the Border Cities Star.

He bought hundreds of the newspapers at an auction sale about 16 years ago and when he realized he wouldn't read through all of them, he decided it would make an interesting giveaway.

Customers of the Walker Road station seem to agree.

Both Simrak and station employee Marge Larocque said the response has been overwhelming. About 175 papers have been distributed since last Thursday.

Along with bulk requests, which are respectfully denied, Larocque said people are requesting specific dates, especially the older crowd who may have bought the same paper on a street corner 50 years ago.

Larocque sought out the Oct. 12, 1935, Border Cities Star, which was the date her parents were married. After they read it, Larocque said she'll have it framed, an idea that is not uncommon among recipients.

"I JUST FIGURED it would be something nice to do," Simrak said. "They're interesting once you get started looking at them."

For instance, who could forget Saturday, Sept. 27, 1930, when Bobby Jones won his fourth golf title? This despite the fact he used wooden clubs and didn't have the benefit of optic orange balls. The Leamington Fair was also expecting record entries and a brand-new Chrysler Imperial Eight could be

had for \$3,295. Or how about Friday, March 25, 1938, the day it was announced 20,000 secret divorces had been obtained in Reno. Local judges reacted by warning solicitors that the practice of "abetting cheap divorces" wouldn't be tolerated. On the lighter side, Mr. and Mrs. George Root celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary and Junior Haverhill dance plans were well under way.

For those with a taste for the military, there was Tuesday, July 9, 1940, when the French turned over their fleet to the British; United States pilots were grounding themselves so they could join Canada at war, and Ottawa denied the French had scuttled a ship in Nova Scotia.

For a night on the town, in Old Monterrey with Gene Autry and Smiley Burnette, and Black Friday with Boris Karloff and Bela Lugosi, provided some light, if scary, entertainment at the movies.

SIPOS — My thanks to all the nurses, students, and aides at Hotel Dieu Hospital, 3rd floor, north east wing, for the wonderful care received, and surprise birthday cake, during my recent second stay in the hospital. Many thanks also to Dr. W. Percival, for his great attention, and last but not least, to all those who so thoughtfully visited me both times, and remembered me with so many get well wishes and gifts. Again, many thanks. Mrs. Louis Sipos.

JULY 16, 1971

Sandwich South Families

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Dec. 19, 1986

THE WINDSOR STAR, DECEMBER 19, 1986



RAY SIMRAK, owner of the Oldcastle Shell gas station, holds a July 27, 1927 issue of the Border Cities Star, part of a promotional offer

Star photo/Mike Weaver

stone battled the fire for more than four hours. Two firemen were treated and released at hospital for smoke inhalation.

The 550-square-metre home, on farm land Slattery purchased a year ago, is on Con. 8, about five km south-east of Oldcastle.

Slattery, owner of Thermal Insulation Co., of Oldcastle, said the value of the home would probably have been \$500,000 when completed.

Valuable antique furniture was stored in the house but, most of it wasn't damaged, Slattery said.

However, the floor of the front foyer made of imported Italian marble valued at \$2,000 was destroyed, he

said. The last slab of marble was recently placed in the foyer.

He and workers removed some expensive kitchen cabinets before they were damaged.

He said insurance covered most of the loss.

Slattery said the large amount of cellulose insulation in the ceiling, which he installed himself, probably prevented further damage. Rafters in the roof were burnt but the insulation kept the fire from the ceiling joists and trapped the flames in the upper roof area.

However, pipes for a central vacuum system allowed smoke to race through some walls and spread to other

areas. The two injured firemen were overcome by thick smoke in the basement.

Slattery said the wiring was installed about nine months ago and the home was being heated electrically throughout the winter.

Paul Laforet, deputy fire chief of Sandwich South Township, said the Ontario Fire Marshal's office will investigate.

Slattery said he and his wife planned to build a retirement home in the county for at least 20 years. About a year ago, they sold their Borelli Drive home in south Windsor and bought two small farms south of Oldcastle. Construction began shortly after.

OLDCASTLE — Ben Slattery's dream home, the fruition of 20 years planning, was ravaged by fire Tuesday.

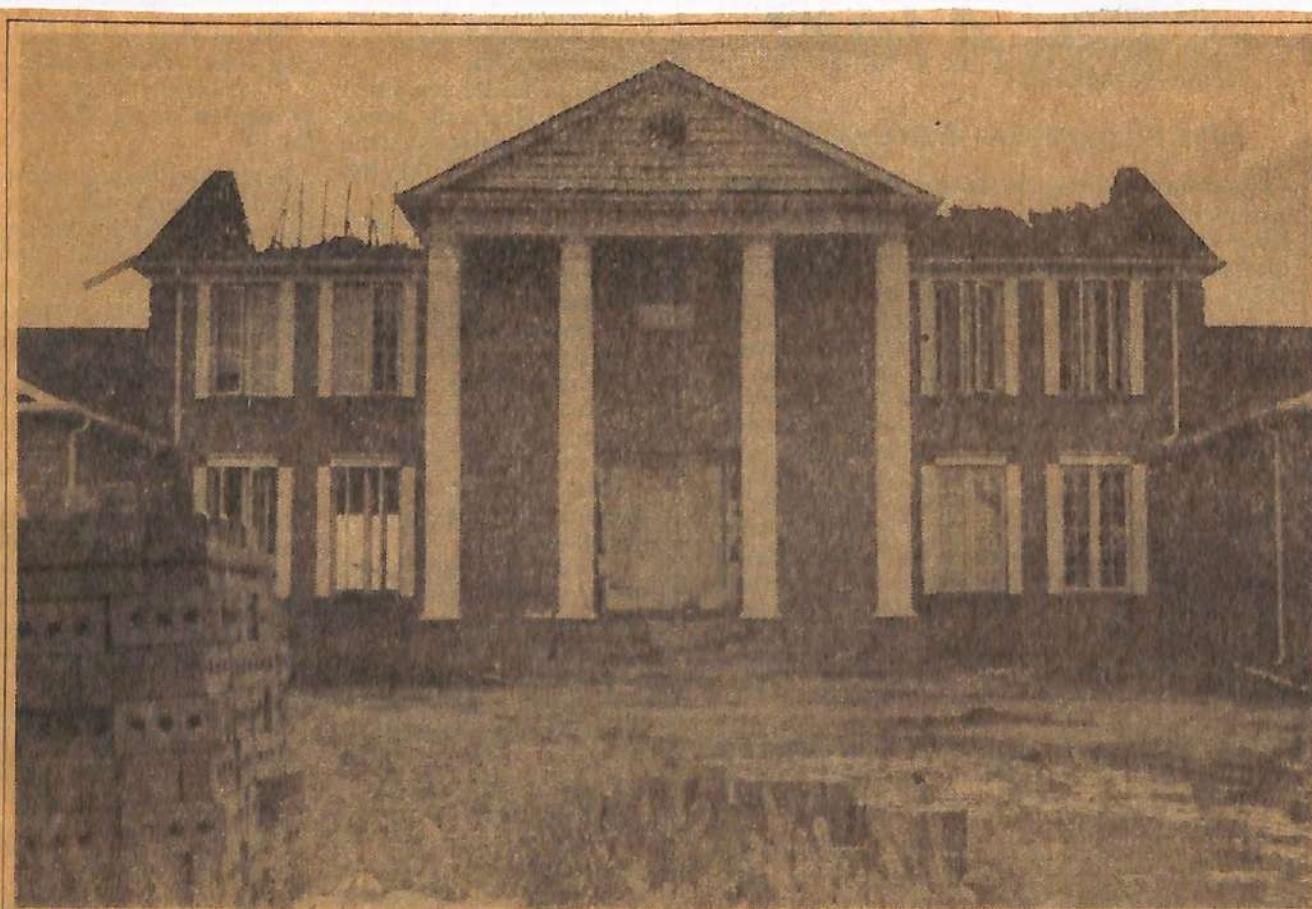
The Sandwich South Township mansion he was building as a retirement home would have been completed within six weeks.

"But I'll rebuild it, certainly," Slattery said Tuesday night. "Thank goodness this didn't happen two months from now — my family could have been in there when it started."

Faulty wiring is the suspected cause of the fire which destroyed the main roof section of the two-storey structure. There was also water and smoke damage throughout. Fire officials estimated damage could be as high as \$200,000.

Construction workers at the site alerted fire departments just before noon.

Volunteer fire crews from Sandwich South, Anderdon Township, and Essex-Maid-



Fire damage to mansion estimated at \$200,000

Apr. 22 - '68



SOUND OF MEMORIES — The sound of Andrew Adams' memories of the 241st Battalion for three veterans who night marking the 51st anniversary of the battalion's war. Listening to Mr. Adams, who lives at 1878 Dace Antrobus, of River Rouge, Roy Smith, of 750 McKay Ave Windsor

Adams is bagpipes brings back memories who attended a dinner Sat. night - shipping out for the First World War. with Salls R.R.



ORIGINALS REUNION—The size of the jug tells it all. When the 1914 Originals—all members of the first Canadian contingent to serve overseas—started their annual reunions they needed a gallon crock to hold the rum which each man sips. But the jug William Walkerdene, left, of 1243 Parent Ave., Herbert Price, centre, of 1167 Moy Ave., and Stanley J. Smith of Ingersoll used for their toast Saturday night is down to about a quarter that size. The group has been cut heavily—about 50 attended. But the rum flowed and so did the old songs, stories, and memories.

James Smith Passes

James Francis Smith, 94 years, of Sunparlour Home, Leamington, passed away Sunday, March 3rd.

He was predeceased by his parents John and Marcella Smith.

He is survived by his brother Thomas of Wallaceburg and a sister, Margaret; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, on Tuesday, to St. Mary's Church. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

March 6. 1985

Sympathy is extended to the Smith family in the death of Harry Arthur Smith, age 68 years, on December 11th at Hotel Dieu. Harry lived here in the Village for years, when his late father John Smith, was a foreman on the New York Central Railway. Left to mourn his passing besides his widow, Eunice, are two daughters, Dorothy, Mrs. Gregory Foirer, of Jacksonville, Fla., and Shirley, Mrs. Rodney Montrose, of Windsor; six grandchildren and dear brother of Viola, Mrs. Robert Halford, John, Asa, and Lillian (Mrs. Harold Buchanan), all of Windsor, and Stella, Mrs. Jack McBroyne, of Dutton. Funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from Kelly Funeral Home to Emanuel United Church. Rev. George A. Wishart officiating. Interment in Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

James C. Smith Dies

James C. Smith, 53 years, April 8, 1977 at Westminster Hospital, London. Late of Meaford, Ont. Formerly of Essex. Beloved husband of Mary. Dear father of (Christine), Mrs. Len Fuerth, Woodslee; (Judy), Mrs. Donald Roblnette, Oldcastle; Jamie and Sammie, Meaford. 1 granddaughter, Jennifer Roblnette. Brother of Chris, Gesto; Mrs. Mike Amelia, Chatham; Florence Sellick, Detroit. Burial from Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home. Funeral was held Tuesday. Rev. John Baptist officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

April 15. 1977

John Joseph Smith (Jack) age 78 years, son of the late John and Marcella Smith (1954) formerly of Talbot Road, Hwy. 3, passed away after a short illness at Metropolitan Hospital, Thursday, Dec. 2nd. His two sisters Mary, Mrs. Mallette and Grace Mrs. Alberts (1969) and brothers Leroy (1961) and Ambrose predeceased him. Surviving are 4 brothers, James of Sun Parlour, Leamington; Thomas, of Wallaceburg; William, of Farmington, Mich. and Charles, of Windsor. Funeral was held Saturday morning from Anderson Funeral Home to Immaculate Conception Church at 9:30 a.m. Rev. Fr. Charbonneau officiating. Interment in family plot of St. Mary's Cemetery. R. I. P.

Double-Ring Service Read

Sellich-Smith Nuptials at St. Paul's, Essex

A lovely wedding was solemnized in St. Paul's Church, Essex, recently, when Florence Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Smith, Essex, was united in marriage to LAC Jack Sellich, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Sellich, Leamington. The church was beautifully decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums and the Rev. J. H. Whealen officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a floor-length gown of traditional white satin, made on princess lines, and featuring a sweetheart neckline with a lace yoke and tiny tucks down the front of the bodice, and finished with panel insets of lace reaching to the hem, and a row of tiny buttons down the back. Her long veil was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls, and she wore a gold locket, the gift of the bridegroom, and carried a white prayer book embellished with white streamers and rosebuds.

Miss Louise Smith, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a floor-length dress of coral pink satin, featuring a sweetheart neckline with small tucks on the fitted bodice, and a row of tiny buttons down the back. Her full double net skirt was appliqued with satin lovers' knots, and her shoulder-length veil was held in place with a wreath of small roses and she carried yellow chrysanthemums.

LAC Robert Henderson, R. C. A. F., assisted the bridegroom as best man.

The choir sang "The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden" at the beginning of the service; and "Oh Perfect Love" during the signing of the register.

The bride's mother chose a dress of turquoise blue crepe, and wore a corsage of pink carnations, while the bridegroom's mother wore red printed crepe, and a corsage of red and yellow roses.

After the ceremony, dinner was served to the immediate relatives and friends, and the couple left for a short trip east, the bride traveling in brown wool crepe, embroidered with gold beads, and wearing accessories to match. On their return the bride will remain with her parents, the bridegroom to return to his post in Calgary.

Our community was saddened by the death of James C. Smith, 53 years on April 8 at Westminster Hospital London, late of Meaford and formerly of Snake Lane, Sandwich South. We extend our deepest sympathy to his beloved wife, Mary his daughters Christine and Judy and his sons Jamie and Sammy. To his granddaughter Jennifer, his brother Chris, his sister Mrs. Mike Amelia of Chatham and Florence Sellick of Detroit.

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THE WINDSOR STAR, MAY 26, 1961.



HORSE SHOW SUNDAY—Miss Christine Smith of R.R. 1, Oldcastle, is putting her horse through its paces in preparation for the Trail Riders' Saddle Club horse show at Malden Centre, Sunday. The horse, registered

as Garden City Ace of Spades, commonly called Prince, is one of the most promising ponies in Essex County. He will be among a large entry group expected at the Malden show. (Star South Essex Photo)

MAY. 26. 1961

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APRIL. 1977

Only six left to remember the 241st battalion

By Joe Sinasac

Star Staff Reporter

Seven hundred proud soldiers of the 241st battalion left Halifax on April 24, 1917,

bound for England and the trenches of the First World War.

Now there are only six left — William Sales, Roy Smith, William Welch, all of Win-

dsor, Charles Smith from Corunna, Ont., George Somerton of Amherstburg and George Carroll of Detroit — who remember fighting the Germans at Ypres and Passchendaele.

These men, now in their eighties, gathered Saturday night with a few relatives and friends at a dinner held at the Chicken Court tavern. They recalled old times on the 62nd anniversary of that memorable occasion.

One of the rememberers is George Grant, 76, the son of Alan Grant, a regimental sergeant major in the 241st. He still remembers the day his father left for the front.

"The battalion was sent to England where they were divided up and sent where they were needed most," Grant related. "Seven hundred men was a small battalion but things were so bad at that stage of the war that every available man was needed."

"My father was sent to Passchendaele, where, side by side with British and French troops, they were sent to take the town held by the Germans."

Grant went on to explain the environment the soldiers had to fight in.

"The town was at the top of a ridge and the Canadians had to drag artillery equipment, sometimes by hand, sometimes with horses, through the trenches to the top of the ridge along duct boards."

"The mud was so bad that if you fell off the duct boards, you were sunk. I bet almost as many men were lost in the mud as were killed by artillery."

The Allies won out though, and eventually, after the loss of many lives, retook Passchendaele. Alan Grant returned home badly wounded by shrapnel.

"He was in pretty bad shape from the shrapnel but he lived long enough to return home," Grant added.

Grant said when he was young he often visited the 241st's camp before the war on Tecumseh Road near Ouellette Avenue with his father. He met many of the members of the battalion and came to most of the reunions.

"At the first reunion in 1935, we had 32 people," he added. "Over the years, the number has dropped until now there's only five. This may be our last reunion."

The 241st reunion has been sponsored by Ford of Cana-

da Ltd. Bob Rideout, a guest speaker for the dinners in 1963 and each year since 1973, said Ford has been connected with the reunions because Gordon McGregor, the founder of Ford Canada Ltd., was the brother of Walter McGregor, the founder of the 241st and had always had a fondness for the battalion.

The 241st was the forerunner of the Essex-Kent Scottish, Rideout added.

At the dinner each former soldier was presented with a plaque to commemorate their service to Canada.

Rideout also read a telegram from Barney Danson, minister of defence, congratulating the men.

Grant had collected the clippings in a scrap book and is going to pass them on, along with the photographs, to the National Archives in Ottawa.

Will the annual reunions continue? Grant was doubtful but Rideout put it this way:

"I told the men, if there's only five, let's rent a room. If it gets down to four, we'll get a booth upstairs. If there's only two, we'll go to the counter, and if there's only one, come on over to my place."



Star Photo by JOHN COCHRAN

REMEMBERING — Bill Sales, left, and Roy Smith, veterans of the 241st battalion in the First World War, examine photos and news clippings about the history of their group.

APRIL 23, 1979

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Joseph Fuerth (nee Christine Smith) whose wedding was an event of Saturday, September 11th, in St. John the Evangelist Church, in Woodslee, with Rev. Fr. L. J. Mousseau, cousin of the groom, officiating.

OCT. 1, 1971

Thanks

To the people who so generously remembered me again this year with a fund I would like to express my appreciation and gratitude for such a grand gift. It is my earnest wish that all of you may enjoy a very happy and prosperous New Year. Charles Smith, San.

JANUARY 6, 1956

Mrs. Marcella Smith Dies.

Funeral services were held Monday in St. Mary's Church, Maldstone Cross for Mrs. Marcella Smith, who died at Hotel Dieu Hospital, Friday. She was 90 and was the widow of (Thresher) Jack Smith.

Born in New York City, Mrs. Smith had lived in the county most of her life. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and a member of the C. W. L. of that church.

She is survived by eight sons, James and Leroy, both of Maldstone; John and Charles, both of Windsor; Albert, Royal Oak, Mich.; Thomas, Wallaceburg; William, Farmington, Mich., and Ambrose, of Lincoln Park, Mich., and one daughter, Mrs. Ralph Grace, Royal Oak.

Burial was in the church cemetery, the pallbearers being Edison Maddams, Ray Scully, Vince McCann, Omar McLean, Cyril McAuliffe and Arthur Morrisette.

SMITH—Aaron M., 53 years, February 2, 1935, at Hotel Dieu. Beloved husband of Violet Smith, R.R. 3, Maldstone. Dear father of Mrs. Eugene St. Louis (Greta), Maldstone. Two grandchildren, Timothy and Sheila St. Louis. Dear son of Mrs. Annie Smith, Toronto. Dear brother of Mrs. Walter Stubbings, Toronto; Mrs. Aubrey Griswald, Calgary, Alberta; Earl Smith, Barrie, Ont. Service Morris Windsor Chapel, 68 Giles Boulevard East at Goyeau, Saturday, February 5, at 2 p.m. Rev. W. G. Burch officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial.

Mrs. Marcella Smith, who was born in New York State, March 18th, 1884, passed away at Hotel Dieu Hospital on Friday evening. Deceased had been bed-ridden for years and was very patient with her suffering having the loving care of her son Roy until two weeks ago when she was moved to hospital. Her husband, John Smith, a thresher, died November 5th, 1922, and a daughter, Mary, (Mrs. Monforton), pre-deceased her. Left to mourn her is a daughter, Grace (Mrs. Ralph Albert), of Royal Oak, Mich.; Ambrose, Lincoln Park, Mich.; William, of Farmington, Mich.; John and Charles, of Windsor, and James and LeRoy at home in the village. Funeral was held from the S. L. Kennedy Funeral Home, Essex, on Monday morning to St. Mary's Church. Rev. Fr. J. A. Jordan officiated. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery. The pallbearers were Edison Maddams, Vincent and Omer McCann, Cyril McAuliffe, Raymond Scully, and deceased's grandson, Mr. Monforton, of Detroit. R.I.P.

JUNE 25, 1954

This part of the county received its first storm blast near the end of the week. Heavy winds, accompanied by heavy rain and electricity, gave locals a scare. John Sullivan was lucky to be at home the past week, when the storm hit. Lightning struck the Sullivan home and John did some fine work in getting the fire out. John claims he pumped water on the home pump so fast that the pump has not worked right since.

AUG. 15, 1958

Fuerth-Smith Wed

On Saturday, Sept. 11th, St. John the Evangelist Church, in Woodslee, was the setting for the wedding of Louise Christine Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith of Meaford, Ont., formerly of Oldcastle, to Mr. Leonard Joseph Fuerth, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fuerth, Woodslee. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. L. J. Mousseau, cousin of the groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose to wear an empire gown of taffeta with a high neckline and long sleeves ending in buttoned cuffs. The A-line skirt gathered into a train at the back. She wore a shoulder length 3 tiered veil held by a sequin and flowered head piece and carried a cascade bouquet of pink sweetheart roses and gypsophylla.

Mrs. Judy Robinet, sister of the bride was her matron of honour; Miss Fran Fuerth and Miss Angela Fuerth, sisters of the groom, were bridesmaids. Their empire waist floor length gowns of chiffon over taffeta with a white bodice and aqua skirt were identical. They carried colonial bouquets of white daisy mums and aqua tinted carnations.

The grooms brother, James Jr. was the best man. Jim Smith brother of the bride and Edward Lemire, cousin of the groom were ushers. The men were attired in black Edwardian tuxedos.

Mr. Adrian Pinsonneault acted as the vocalist and organist.

The bride's mother wore a pink coat dress ensemble and white accessories with a white orchid corsage.

The groom's mother wore a mauve coat dress ensemble also with white accessories and a white orchid corsage.

Following a dinner reception and dance for 350 guests at the St. Joachim Hall the happy couple left on a motor trip through Kentucky and other southern States.

The bride chose for her wedding trip, a deep mauve hot pant suit, with black accessories. On their return the couple will reside in Windsor.

SEPT. 24, 1971

In the write-up in last weeks issue of the death of Ambrose Smith, the name of deceased brother Charles of Windsor was omitted and also there are 7 grandchildren. The pall bearers were 6 nephews, John J. James P., Gerald J. and Timothy McAuliffe, Barry Bellaire, all of this vicinity and Michael Sullivan of Detroit.

The collection for the Cancer Fund Drive in this vicinity, Mrs. Grant Garrod, reports that it went over the Top, despite some who did not or could not contribute.

MAY 6, 1969

Ambrose W. Smith, son of the late John and Marcella Smith, passed away in his sleep early Saturday morning, at his home at 18056 Wood, Melvindale, Mich. Deceased was born here on May 8th, 1902 and resided here until his marriage to Margaret McAuliffe, when they went to Detroit to reside. There are two children left to mourn his passing besides his wife, Ronald Smith and Connie (Mrs. J. Nemeth), both of Melvindale; also five grandchildren; a sister, Grace (Mrs. Alberts), of Detroit, and four brothers, William, of Detroit; Tom, of Wallaceburg; John, of Windsor, and James, of Sun Parlour, Leamington. A sister, Mary (Mrs. Malenfant) and a brother, Leroy, predeceased him. Funeral was held from Hackett Funeral Home, Vernor Hwy., Detroit, on Wednesday morning to St. Mary's Church at 11 o'clock for Requiem Mass, by the Pastor. Interment in the family plot at St. Mary's Cemetery. R.I.P.

MAY. 9. 1969

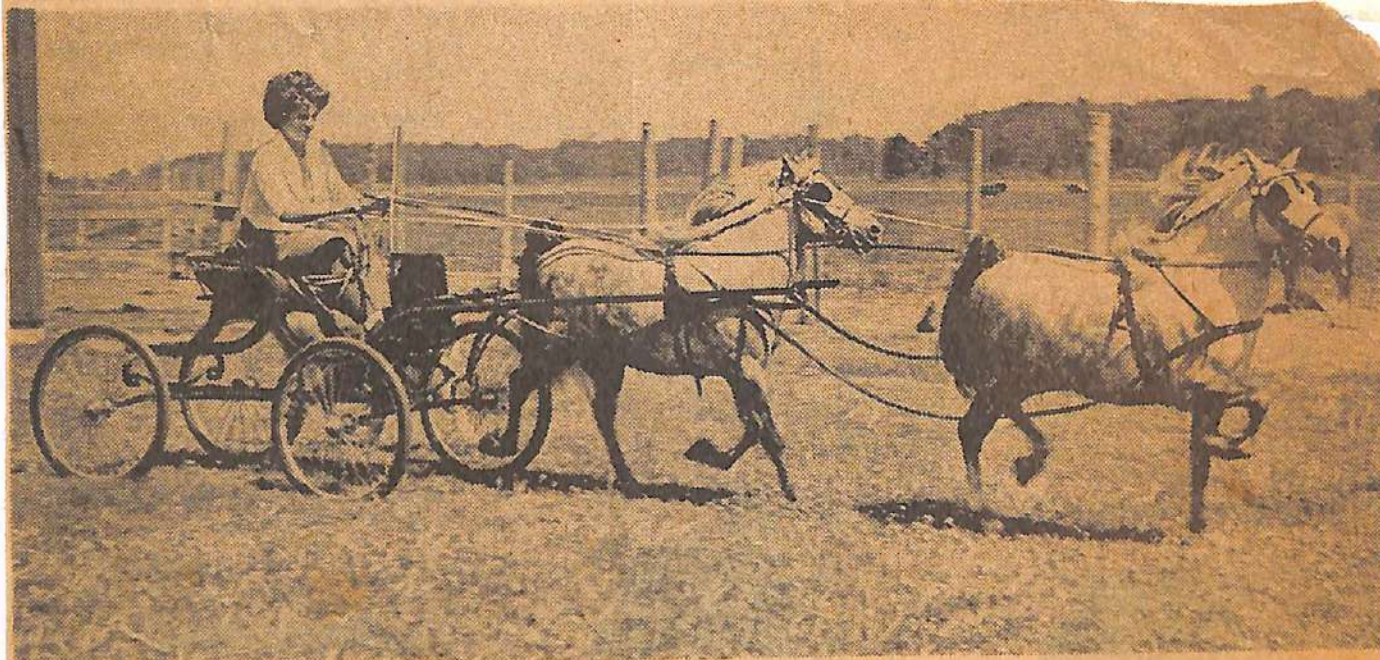
Nov. 15, 1969
Graduating class of Essex District High School Commencement Exercises were held Sat. evening. Judy Smith



The mid-morning coffee break was something new to Mrs. Smith when she first moved to the suburbs. Now she takes an active part in the neighborhood get-togethers. At left, Mrs. Smith admires the Christmas corsages purchased by her next door neighbor, Mrs. Steve Pohanka, for the Christmas party planned by the neighborhood card club. In Suburbia, a coffee break is just one of many opportunities to meet your new neighbors and have an informal chat which helps to brighten up a long day of housework.

Nov. 16 1964

Dec. 17-1965 - Harry Arthur Smith, age 68 yrs. died Dec. 11th at Hotel New. He lived in Maidstone Village for years, when his late father, John Smith was a foreman on the New York Central Rwy. Survived by wife Eunice 2 daughters, Dorothy + Shirley + six grandchildren. Funeral from Kelly Funeral Home To Emmanuel United Church with Rev. Geo. A. Wishart officiating. Interment in Greenlawn.



HIGH STEPPERS—Two of the fine ponies owned by the family of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, of Essex, Silver Crescent Grey Guy and Ace of Spades Prince are shown hitched in tandem and driven by Miss Christine Smith. The tandem

hitch will be one of the feature attractions at the Trail Riders' Horse Show at the Blue Bird Raceway, on Howard Ave. this evening. The raceway is three miles south of Highway 3.

JULY. 14. 1962

SMITH — James C., 53 yrs., Apr. 8, 1977 at Westminster Hospital, London. Late of Meaford, Ont. Formerly of Essex. Beloved husband of Mary. Dear father of (Christine) Mrs. Len Fuerth, Wood-slee; (Judy) Mrs. Donald Robinette, Oldcastle; Jamie and Sammie, Meaford. 1 granddaughter, Jennifer Robinette. Brother of Chris, Gesto; Mrs. Mike Amelia, Chatham; Florence Sellick, Detroit. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N. Essex. Funeral services Tues., at 1:00 p.m. from the Funeral Home. Rev. John Baptist officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial. Masonic services under auspices of (Central Lodge Number 402, A.F. and A.M., Mon. at 7:30 p.m. Capt. Brien Branch Canadian Legion Number 201, service Mon. 8 p.m.

Mrs. Ralph Alberts passed away suddenly at her home in Madison Heights, Mich., on Monday. Born on No. 3 Hwy. in June 1895, East of the Village in Maidstone Twp. Grace Smith, the younger daughter of the late John and Marcella Smith, she lived here until going to work in Detroit, as a young girl. A frequent visitor here, especially when her brothers lived in the village. Surviving besides her beloved husband are 5 brothers, James Smith of Sun Parlour, Leamington, John (Jack) and Charlie of Windsor, Tom of Wallaceburg and William of Detroit. Predeceasing Grace are her sister Mary, Mrs. Malenfant and brothers Roy and Ambrose, who died May 3rd of this year. Funeral services will be held (this) Thursday from Sullivan Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 mile Road, 4 blocks East of Woodward, at 2:30 p.m. R.I.P.

MAY. 30. 1969

70 yrs
ago

John Smith moved to Maidstone Cross to take over the MCR station there from J. J. Walsh.

Nov. 25. 1977

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith and family, of R. R. 4, Amherstburg, have moved to the farm on Snake Lane, formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schneider.

Dec. 23. 1960

Births

AMELIA—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Amelia (nee Louise Smith) are proud to announce the birth of a sister for Tony, Trudy Carmelle, 6 lbs., 8½ oz., on December 4, 1950 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, Ontario.

SMITH — Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Smith (nee Joyce Washbrook) are happy to announce the birth of a son, Christopher Donald, 6 lbs., 11 ozs., brother for Paula Joy at Grace Hospital, August 21, 1955.

Mrs. Mary Smith of Meaford, Ont., is visiting her family and friends in this area and attended the service at the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday.

MAY. 22. 1981

Don't Fence Me In

Just Give Me Suburbia!

(Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of articles on Suburbia . . . the advantages and the disadvantages of living in the suburbs of Windsor.)

By MARY BOTOSAN

"Gimme land, lots of land . . ."

It may not be Texas or the rolling prairies but the surrounding suburbs of Windsor have become the mecca of young families with growing children. Typical of these young families, who are looking for more room, are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith of 805 Scofield Ave., Roseland or Sandwich South. The Smiths moved from their former home on Tourangeau Rd. to their suburban residence two years ago.

When looking for a new home, the Smiths investigated the possibilities of all the surrounding suburbs. Mrs. Smith had a preference for Riverside but the final decision rested with Mr. Smith.

A handy man with the hammer and saw, Mr. Smith was attracted to their present home because of the great amount of re-finishing and repairing that had to be done to put the house in order.

One look convinced him that the house was "right up his alley" and the deal was closed. In the last two years the Smiths have worked hard to put the house in order and the current project is a basement recreation room.

Listed among the "necessary" repairs were a marble hearth for the fireplace and a marble floor for the front vestibule. Naked light fixtures were replaced by lovely dark green crystal light globes styled with an Italian influence.

Like most couples whose children have reached school age (they have three boys, Dougie, 11, Ronnie, 8, and Larry, 6), they feel that the boys have more or less passed the destructive age.

Now they can plan new furnishings with an eye to beauty rather than practicability. The new light globes were bought with this in mind. Mrs. Smith has decided to decorate and refurnish in the currently popular Italian motif.

The Smith family has discovered that life in the suburbs has its advantages and

disadvantages. The family has one car. If Mrs. Smith has need for the car she must drive her husband to work and pick him up at the end of the day. On occasion he is able to share a ride.

Suburban life poses a shopping problem for Mrs. Smith. She misses the accessibility of a corner store. One of the hardest things to adjust to was the necessity of buying and storing a week's supply of meat.

Another problem of life in suburbia deals with the younger Smiths. There are no convenient park areas in the district and the children and Mrs. Smith feel that this is a great loss. In their former home they were within a "stone's throw" of a city park, the AKO Recreation Centre, and the swimming facilities at Herman Collegiate.

Outweighing the disadvantages is the much more friendly atmosphere between neighbors. Home entertaining and neighborhood parties are an integral part of suburban living. In the Smiths' neighborhood, get-togethers include pot-luck dinners, barbecues, and swimming parties sometimes followed by a piazza party at one of the homes.

One item that Mrs. Smith never experienced in her old neighborhood, but is definitely THE THING in Roseland, is the morning coffee break. She has also found that if she is particularly busy, a neighbor with time on her hands is always ready and willing to pitch in and help.

In conclusion we go back to the beginning and the need and desire for more space. From the patio door in the dining area the Smiths can look out across a wide field that extends to Highway 401. The larger lot of their new home affords room for a small backyard vegetable garden, where Mr. Smith grew tomatoes and cucumbers for Mrs. Smith to preserve and pickle.

But even the suburbs are growing and behind the Smiths' home a new street is opening up. In the not too distant future they expect to lose the view and the feeling of spaciousness they first discovered in suburbia.

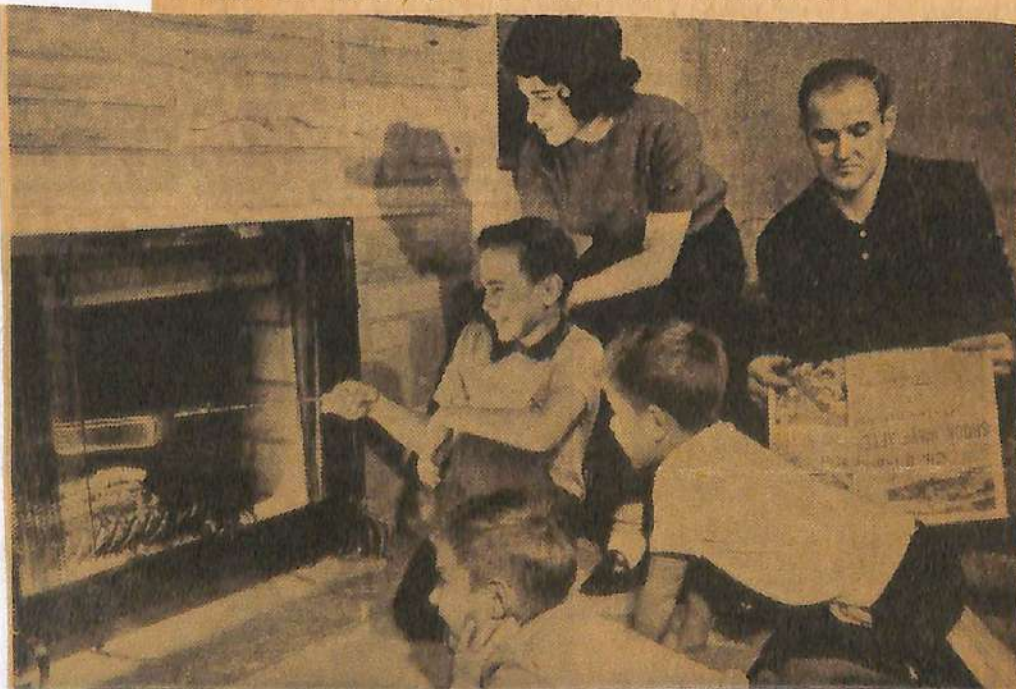
The fireplace in their suburban home is the family's favorite spot for a quiet evening at home. Mr. Smith relaxes with his evening paper while Mrs. Smith supervises the boys,

who are eagerly awaiting the sound of popping corn for a tasty snack to round out the evening.

(Star Staff Photos by Mike Bunt)



It is a family project when the Delbert Smiths of 805 Scofield, Sandwich South, begin work on the basement recreation room. The Smiths, who moved to the suburbs two years ago, have planned their new recreation room with neighborhood and family parties in mind. Above, Mr. Smith wields the electric saw while 11-year-old Dougie steadies the board and nine-year-old Ronnie examines Dad's level. From the basement stairs six-year-old Larry and Mrs. Smith look on.





MARKED ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smorong of RR 2, Windsor, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary recently. They were married Nov. 4, 1917, in Elma, Man. The couple moved to the Windsor area in 1933 and have resided here ever since. They have three children and six grandchildren. A reception for family and friends was held Saturday evening at a hall on Langlois Ave.

Nov. 13, 1967

Deaths

SMORONG — Rose (nee Woychekowska), December 30, 1981, 83 years. Beloved wife of the late Marion (1978). Dear mother of Albert, Edmond (Eddy), Windsor; Mrs. Alexander (Alex) Horen (Mildred), Cloverdale Beach, Harrow. 6 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren also survive. Dear sister of Clara Bunt, West Land, Mich. and Beatrice Stone, Toronto. Resting at the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home, 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E. Funeral services Sat. Jan. 2 at 8:30 a.m. Thence to The Holy Trinity (Polish) Church for 9 a.m. Interment Windsor Memorial Gardens Cemetery. PLEASE NOTE: VISITING NEW YEARS DAY FROM 2-5 P.M. ONLY, with prayers at 3 p.m.

SMORONG — Marion, Oct. 18, 1978, 80 years, at his late residence 1834 Kildare Rd. Beloved husband of Rose (nee Woychekowska). Dear father of Albert, Edmond (Eddy), Windsor; Mrs. Alexander (Alex) Horen (Mildred), Cloverdale Beach, RR 1, Harrow. Dear brother of Robert, Manitoba; Peter, Reddit, Ont.; Mrs. Clara Denys, California. Dear grandfather of 6 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Resting at the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home, 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E., funeral service Sat., 8:30 a.m. thence to the Holy Trinity (Polish) Church at 9 a.m. Prayers Fri. at 8 p.m. Interment Windsor Memorial Gardens. Mr. Smorong was a retired Metal Finisher for Chryslers and a former owner of Marion Hotel; also a member of Local 444 U.A.W.

3 Births

BAS — Jerry and Valerie (nee Horen) are happy to announce the safe arrival of their first new born, a son, Kevin Christopher, born July 15, 1978, at Metropolitan Hospital, weighing 7 lbs., 13 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alex Horen, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bas. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smorong.



Leslie Snider
Maidstone

MAY 27, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nemeth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gates and baby son attended the Heaton family annual reunion at the home of Neil Jessop on Sunday afternoon.

AUG. 2, 1974

SNYDER—Deborah (nee Smith) and Richard are overjoyed to announce the birth of their baby daughter Lindsay Debora, 8 lbs. 2 3/4 ozs. on Aug. 20th, 1987, 5:55 a.m. at Foothills Hospital, Calgary. Grandparents Donna and Gordon Wilson; Lillian and Wilbert Snyder, Windsor; Colin & Erika Crone of Edmonton. Great-grandparents Bernice & Gordon Smith. Special thanks to Doctors and staff at Foothills Hospital.

Sept. 1, 1987

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Snider (nee Jackie Spence) on the birth of a daughter, Melissa May, 7 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs. at Grace Hospital, Wednesday, March 26. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spence.

April 11, 1975

NEMETH—Mr. and Mrs. Don Nemeth (nee Carol Snider), of Oldcastle, announce the birth of their daughter, Janet Ruth, 8 lbs. 13 ozs., Tuesday, March 21, 1967, at Hotel Dieu Hospital.

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Snider (nee Jacqueline Spence) whose wedding was solemnized in St. Paul's Anglican Church on Saturday November 23rd with Rev. John Swan officiating.

Nov. 29, 1974

Also to Don and Kathy Snider (nee Schultz) on the birth of a son, Edgar Howard, 8 lbs. 11 ozs. Nov. 25th at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Oliver.

Dec. 3, 1976

Howard Snider Killed

Howard Francis Snider, R. R. 1, Oldcastle, was instantly killed about 6 p.m., Monday, when the plow being drawn behind a tractor, on which he was riding, was clipped by an auto, on the Walker Road, near the G. Webster farm. He was pinned beneath the upturned tractor, in the ditch.

Deceased was 39 years of age and had farmed in Oldcastle district, the past 18 years.

Surviving are his widow, nee Luella Heaton; seven children, Kathryn (Mrs. W. R. Mountain), of Ottawa; Donald, Roger, Carol, Lind, Donna and Patricia, at home; also his father, Harold Snider, of Harrow; a brother, Edward and three sisters, Marion (Mrs. Hubert Heaton); Helen (Mrs. Howard Jenner), of Harrow; Erna (Mrs. Chas. Balkwill), of Essex.

Funeral services, in charge of the Gerald Smith Funeral Home will be held at St. Stephen's Church today (Thursday), at 2 p.m., Rev. E. C. Grey officiating. Burial will be in Green Lawn Cemetery.

Nov. 24, 1961

PAQUETTE

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gates (nee Patricia Snider) whose wedding took place, Saturday, September 30th at St. Stephen's Church. A reception followed at the Aberdeen Hotel in Essex. Following a trip East, the couple will reside in Windsor.

Oct. 13, 1972

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Snider (nee Kathryn F. Schultz) whose wedding was solemnized in Roseland United Church, November 4th. Karen D. Hodgson was maid of honor, and Frank Isaac, was the best man. Following a trip to Northern Ontario, the couple will reside in Windsor.

Nov. 17, 1972

Sept 6, 1965
Hotel Dieu Grad.
nursed
Linda Snider

Oldcastle Farmer Crushed

A Windsor-area man was crushed to death Monday evening when a car struck his farm tractor and toppled it into a ditch, pinning him beneath.

Police said Howard Francis Snider, 39, of R. R. 1, Oldcastle, was driving his tractor north on Walker Rd. about seven miles south of Windsor around 6 p.m.

He was just a few hundred yards from his farm home on Walker Rd. when, police said, his tractor was struck by the car. The car driven by Wesley Caldwell, 66, of 347 Tecumseh Ave., London, Ont.

While traffic was diverted by several truck drivers who stopped to help, a wrecking truck hoisted the tractor so the body could be removed. A.B.C. Ambulance took the body to the morgue.

The car driver was unhurt and only minor damage was done to his car.

Mr. Snider was born in Malden Twp., but has resided in Oldcastle for the last 18 years. He was formerly a resident of Colchester South.

He was a member of St. Stephen's Anglican Church at Oldcastle. Surviving are his widow, Louella (Heaton), his father Harold Snider; two sons, Donald and Roger at home; five daughters, Mrs. W. R. Mountain (Kathryn) of Ottawa; Carol, Linda, Donna, Patricia, all at home; a brother Edward of Harrow; three sisters, Mrs. Hubert Heaton, Harrow; Mrs. Charles Balkwill, Essex; Mrs. Howard Jenner, Harrow.

The body is at the Gerald Smith Funeral Home in Harrow until Thursday at 10 a.m. when it will be taken to St. Stephen's Church to lie in state until 2 p.m. Rev. E. C. Grey will conduct services.

Nov. 21, 1961

Nov. 13, 1967 — Mr. & Mrs. Marion Smorong celebrated 50th wedding anniversary. Married Nov. 4, 1917 in Elma, Man. - moved to area in 1933. Have 3 children and six grandchildren. They own and operate Marions Motel on No. 2 Highway near Walker Rd.

Strathdee - Snider Nuptials . . .



The wedding of Donna Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex and Ross Strathdee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Strathdee of Stratford, was solemnized on Saturday, September 29, 1973 at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father in an elegant gown of Peau De Soie. The gown was fashioned by her mother with high neckline, Bishop sleeves with a deep cuff and covered buttons. The bodice had an over lace scalloped top with seed pearls centered in each rose. The skirt was flared with a flounce hem with over lace appliques and seed pearls. She wore a head piece and long veil edged with matching lace trim and carried a bouquet of yellow pom pom mums, Baby's breath and Stephanotis with white streamers.

Her matron of honour was Mrs. Bonny Colenutt, of Essex, cousin of the bride. She wore an A-line floor length skirt of an orange-gold with a patterned top fashioned with gold buttons and back ties. She carried a basket of straw flowers made up of orange and mint green flowers and baby's breath.

Oct. 5. 1973

The bridesmaids were Patricia Gates, sister of the bride, Ann Heaton, cousin of the bride, Judy O'Neill and Donna Smith friends of the bride were identically dressed to the matron of honour except they carried pale yellow and orange flowers with baby's breath in their baskets.

The flower girl was Janet Nemeth, niece of the bride. She walked with her cousin Cliff Mountain who carried a small white pillow bearing the gold wedding bands.

The best man was Al Paul of Stratford. The ushers were Rae Strathdee of Vancouver, B.C. brother of the groom, Don Spider of Windsor, brother of the bride, Ken Wietzel and Donny Brooks of Stratford both friends of the groom. Their Boutonnieres were made of straw flowers and baby's breath.

The bride's mother wore a floor length deep pink gown of chiffon with long sleeves. Her corsage was of pink and white mums with a white ribbon. The groom's mother wore a floor length gown of pink floral design made of chiffon. Her corsage was made up on white mums with a pink ribbon.

The reception was held at Ellenberger Hall in Harrow with a dinner served country style after which everyone enjoyed themselves dancing to the band. The happy couple left for a honeymoon to the east coast. On return they will reside near Essex.



BRIDE-ELECT—The engagement of Carol Snider, daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the late Mr. Snider, to Donald C. Nemeth of River Canard, is announced by her mother. The marriage will take place May 9 at 10 a.m. in St. Joseph's Church, River Canard.

march. 31. 1964

There will be a Community Shower for Kathryn Snider and Ronald Mountain in Tully Hall on Thursday, February 2nd at 8 p.m. Please accept this as your invitation.

JAN. 27. 1961

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mountain (nee Kathryn Snider) whose wedding was an event of Saturday, February 11th, at 7:30 p.m. in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Harrow.

Feb. 17. 1961

We wish many Happy Returns of the Day, to Howard Snider who celebrated his birthday, January 18th, Linda Snider on the 19th; Clifford O'Neil, January 20th; Mrs. Clyde O'Neil, January 22nd and James Cahill, January 24th, all residents on the Walker Road.

JAN. 23. 1959

PAQUETTE

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider entertained fifty relatives in their home on Sunday night at a barbeque. The occasion being in honour of their daughter and son-in-law, Kathryn and Ronald Mountain, of Ottawa. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Mountain, of Kingsville, showed picture slides of their most recent trip to England also Howard Jenner, of Harrow, showed several family films. Mrs. Snider then served cake and coffee. A very enjoyable evening was had by all.

L.A.C. and Mrs. Ronald Mountain, of Ottawa, are enjoying a week's vacation in this vicinity visiting friends and relatives.

JULY. 28. 1961

PAQUETTE

The engagement is announced of Linda Rose Snider, daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the late Mr. Snider, to Neal Jessop of Leamington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jessop of Streetsville. The wedding will take place October 12th at 3:30 p.m. in St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Oldcastle. The bride-elect is a graduate of Hotel Dieu School of Nursing and the groom-elect is a graduate of McMaster University, Hamilton.

march. 15. 1968

Rev. Gordon Houghton preached his first sermon to his parishioners at the Church of the Redeemer and St. Stephen's on Sunday. Large congregations were present at both churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider and family attended the wedding of the former's sister, Miss Helen Snider and Howard D. Jenner in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Harrow, on Thursday, May 6th, at 2 p.m.

MAY. 7. 1954

Sept. 6, 1968 - Linda Snider graduated from Hotel Dieu Hospital

July 21, 1967 - Donna Snider was one of Top 10 students in Grade 11, E.B.H.S.

MARRIAGE

GATES-SNIDER — Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex announce the marriage of their daughter Patricia Eileen Snider to Mr. Gerald Raymond Gates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gates, of Maidstone, on Saturday, September 30th at St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Howard Ave. A reception followed at the Aberdeen Hotel in Essex.

Oct. 6. 1972

July 21, 1967
Donna Snyder was a top student in grade 11 at Essex High School. She graduated from Public School No. 4, Sandwich South. Daughter of Russell & Howard Snyder of Oldcastle.



Sept.
17
1968

The engagement is announced of Linda Rose Snider, daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the late Mr. Snider, to Neal Jessop of Leamington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jessop of Streetsville. The wedding will take place Oct. 12 at 3:30 p.m. in St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Oldcastle. The bride-elect is a graduate of Hotel Dieu School of Nursing and the groom-elect is a graduate of McMaster University, Hamilton.

SNIDER



MR. AND MRS. DONALD C. NEMETH

Nemeth-Snider Rites In River Canard Church

St. Joseph's Church, River Canard, was the setting for the wedding Saturday of Carol Snider and Donald C. Nemeth. Rev. Leo Lariviere officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the late Mr. Snider and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Nemeth of River Canard.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Hubert Heaton of Harrow, the bride wore a floor-length gown of peau de soie which featured a round neckline, three-quarter-length sleeves and a cathedral train, all appliqued with lace. A small crown of pearls held her three-tiered French illusion veil and she carried a cascade of red roses and white carnations.

The bridegroom's aunt, Mrs.

Stan Dupuis, was matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Linda Snider, sister of the bride, and Sandra Heaton of Harrow, her cousin. The flower girl was Mary Jenner.

Mark Nemeth, brother of the bridegroom, was best man and the ushers were Edward Snider, the bride's uncle, and Bernard Nemeth, uncle of the bridegroom.

Mr. and Mrs. Nemeth will reside on Walker Rd. in Oldcastle.

MAY. 12. 1964



MR. AND MRS. DONALD SNIDER

Kathryn F. Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Schultz of RR 1 Oldcastle, was united in marriage to Donald H. Snider, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Oliver of Essex. The ceremony took place in Roseland United Church, with Karen D. Hodgson as maid of honor and Frank Isaac as best man. Following a trip to Northern Ontario, the couple will reside in Windsor.

Nov. 9. 1972

Engagement Announced . .



Donna Mae Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex and Ross John Strathdee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Strathdee of Stratford, would like to announce their forthcoming marriage on September 29, 1973 at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex.

Sept. 21. 1973



MR. AND MRS. ROSS STRATHDEE

St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex was the setting for the wedding of Donna Mae Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex, to Ross John Strathdee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Strathdee of Stratford. Mrs. Bonny Colenutt was matron of honor and Alan Paul was best man. Following a trip to the East Coast, the couple will reside in Woodslee.

OCT. 4. 1973

In Memoriam

In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Howard Francis Snider who passed away November 20th, 1961.

We do not need a special day,
To bring you to our minds.
The day we do not think of you,
Is very hard to find.
They say time heals all sorrows,
And helps us to forget,
But time so far has only proved,
How much we miss you yet.
God gave us strength to bear it,
And courage to take the blow,
But what it meant to lose you,
No one will ever know.

—Always remembered by his wife Luella and family.

Family Wins Case

Court Awards \$26,529 Settlement

A settlement totalling \$26,529 plus costs of \$2,500 in favor of the family of the late Howard F. Snider, R. R. 1, Oldcastle was approved by Mr. Justice Wishart Spence. The settlement was made during the Spring Assizes of the Ontario Supreme Court.

The claim arose from an accident Nov. 20, 1956. According to the statement of claim, Mr. Snider was driving a farm tractor north on Walker Rd., two miles south of Highway 3 when the tractor was struck in the rear by a car driven by Leslie Caldwell of London, Ont.

Mr. Snider died as a result of the accident. His widow, Mrs. Louella Mae Snider was awarded \$1,229 as administrator of her husband's estate and \$16,300 general damages.

The remainder of the money will be paid into the court for the children as follows: Carol, 16, \$125; Linda, 14, \$625; Donna, 11, \$1,250; Donald, 8, \$2,000; Patricia, 7, \$2,250; and Roger, 5, \$2,750.

Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spence, of Essex, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Jacqueline Louise, to Roger Harold Snider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver, of Essex. The wedding to take place on November 23rd at the St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex.

Nov. 1. 1974

PAQUETTE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Snider (Jackie Spence) on the birth of a daughter, Hillary Lynn, 9 lbs. 5 1/2 ozs. on October 25th at Grace Hospital. A sister for Missy. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spence and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex.

Nov. 18. 1977

The engagement is announced of Linda Rose Snider, daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider, and the late Mr. Snider to Neal Jessop of Leamington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jessop of Streetsville. The wedding will take place Oct. 12 at 3:30 p.m. in St. Stephen's Church. The bride elect is a graduate of Hotel Dieu School of Nursing and the groom elect is a graduate of McMaster University, Hamilton.

SEPT. 29. 1968

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Strathdee (nee Donna Mae Snider) whose wedding was solemnized in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex, Saturday afternoon with Rev. R.M. Dobson officiating. A reception followed at the Ellenberger Hall in Harrow. Following a wedding trip to Prince Edward Island, they will reside in Maldstone Township.

OCT. 5. 1973

April 25. 1962

FEBRUARY 17, 1961

Mountain-Snider Nuptials

On Saturday evening, February 11th at 7:30 p.m., Miss Kathryn Snider, daughter of Mr. and Miss Howard Snider, of Oldcastle, was given in marriage by her father, to Ronald Mountain, of R.C.A.F. Uplands, Ottawa, at St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Harrow. Rev. A. Donald Munro officiating.

The bride was lovely in a white slipper satin gown with cathedral train scoop neckline and three-quarter sleeve, her shoulder-length veil was caught up by a Swedish pearl crown. She wore white gloves to match and carried red roses and stephanotis. Her only jewellery was a hand-carved ivory rose with a silver chain.

Mrs. Adam Keller, of Kingsville, was matron of honour; Miss Carol Snider, sister of the bride was bridesmaid. They wore identical dresses of copper brown and beige accessories. Mrs. Keller carried turquoise mums and Carol carried yellow mums. They wore a string of pearls, a gift of the bride.

Little Patricia Snider was flower girl. She was dressed in pink with flowered head-piece she wore a silver locket, a gift of the bride and carried a basket of yellow and aqua baby chrysanthemums.

Adam Keller, of Kingsville, was best man. The ushers were Howard Jenner, of Harrow and Melvin Mills, of Leamington.

During the service Mrs. Walter Hammond sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Oh Perfect Love".

Mrs. Snider wore for her daughter's wedding a nylon brocade of rose beige dress with dark brown accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Mrs. Walter Mountain, groom's mother, wore a green lace dress with matching accessories and a corsage of yellow mums.

The grandmothers wore matching corsage and grandfathers white carnations boutonniers.

A reception for one hundred guests followed at the Poplar Inn.

The bride left wearing a blue wool dress, with short fur jacket, white fur beret, white scarf and gloves, with matching black shoes and purse.

They will motor to Ottawa for a honeymoon.

Mrs. Mountain will resume her duties with the Imperial Bank of Canada at Manor Park, in Ottawa, on Monday morning.

Before her marriage Kathryn was honoured at three miscellaneous showers and a personal shower.



MR. AND MRS. NEAL JESSOP

St. Stephen's Anglican Church, Oldcastle, was the setting for the wedding of Linda Rose Snider, daughter of Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the late Mr. Snider, to Neal Walter Jessop of Leamington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jessop of Streetsville. Catherine Deslippe was maid of honor and Wayne Jessop was his brother's best man. After a wedding trip to Northern Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Jessop will reside at RR 1, Cottam.

Dec. 16, 1968

SNYDER - Wilbert Sylvestre, 71 years, died July 12, 1988 at Metropolitan Hospital. Beloved husband of Lillian. Dear father of Richard and Debora Snyder, Calgary, Alta., Leslie and Clive Bowser, Sandwich S. Twp., Joy and Paul Bradley, Lucan. Ten grandchildren, one great-grandchild. Dear brother of Mrs. Madeline Hawkins, Irwin Snyder, Mrs. Dorothea Carr and Mrs. Isobel Best, Windsor. Mr. Snyder served with the R.C.A.F. during WWII and received the Oak Leaf Cluster for Action Beyond The Call Of Duty. He was employed with the Immigration Department for 30 years and retired in 1978. He was a member of St. David's Anglican Church, Metropolitan Branch No. 594 Royal Canadian Legion and the Windsor Banjo's. Visiting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. after 7 p.m. Thursday. Funeral service in the chapel on Friday, July 15, 1988 at 11 a.m. Canon Victor K. Blake officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery. Memorial Tributes to St. David's Anglican Church Memorial Fund, Metropolitan Hospital C.A.T. Scan Fund, Hospice of Windsor or the charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family. A Legion service will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m. Auspices of Metropolitan Branch No. 594 R.C.L.

One of the busiest girls in town these days is Leslie Lorna Snyder. Leslie received her bachelor of arts degree at the convocation at the University of Windsor and on June 24 she will marry Clive Henry Bowser at an afternoon ceremony in St. David's Anglican Church.

Leslie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Snyder of Maidstone and the bridegroom-elect is the son of Mrs. Robert Holden of Eastlawn Blvd.

Clive's sister, Linda Bowser, will be Leslie's maid of honor and Joy Snyder will be junior bridesmaid. Robert Taylor will be the best man and the ushers will be Allen Snyder and Tony Stephens.

Leslie was entertained at a shower at All Saints' Church given by Linda Bowser and aunts of the couple. Janet Vickers and Nancy Fazackerly were co-hostesses at a mixed party and shower held at Miss Vicker's home on Roseland Dr. W.

Mrs. Holden will entertain the bridal party following the rehearsal June 22. A reception will be held at the Shawnee Tavern following the wedding ceremony.

The couple is planning a wedding trip to Northern Ontario and will reside on Byng Rd.

Snider-Spence Wedding



Jacqueline Louise Spence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spence, of Essex, was united in marriage to Roger Harold Snider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver, of Essex. The ceremony took place in St. Paul's Anglican Church, with Rev. Swan officiating.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, dressed in a lovely floor length gown of silk organza, featuring a high neckline, long full sleeves with a deep cuff of dotted swiss, fitted bodice and yoke of the same swiss, trimmed with seed pearls. Detachable train bordered with a double ruffle of swiss. Her veil was 3 tier scallop, made of sheer silk illusion, caught to her head by tiara headpiece of lace, seed pearls and sequins.

The maid of honor was Doorle Johnson. Bridesmaids were Marj McMurren, Roxanne Teskey and the flower girl was Michelle

Grona. They were all dressed in identical blue dresses.

The best man was Donald Snider, brother of the groom. The ushers were Brad O'Neill and Rick Schuchard, friends of the groom. Leslie Spence, brother of the bride, acted as ring bearer.

The dinner and reception followed at the Canadian Legion, Essex, after which the happy couple left for points East.

Dec. 26, 1974

Congratulations to Linda Snider on her graduation from Hotel Dieu School of Nursing, September 8th.



Linda Snider
Oldcastle

SNIDER

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Kathryn Frances, to Walter Ronald Mountain, of the R.C.A.F., Ottawa, formerly of Harrow. The marriage to be an event of Saturday, February 11th at 7:30 p.m. at St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Harrow.

JAN. 20, 1961

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, when about 40 relatives and friends came to spend the evening with them in their lovely new home. Euchre was enjoyed and a delicious lunch served after cards. On behalf of those present, Mr. and Mrs. Snider were presented with a beautiful living room chair.

Feb. 25, 1955

Donald Snider wishes to thank all who remembered him with cards, books, candy etc. while he was recuperating from his accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider attended the funeral of the former's grandfather, the late Robert J. Snider, of Malden Township, Tuesday afternoon. We extend sincere sympathy to the Snider family in their bereavement.

MAY, 30, 1958

Roger Harold, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider was baptized Sunday morning at the Church of the Redeemer, with Rev. Gordon Houghton officiating. The godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Snider. Mr. and Mrs. Snider entertained at a family dinner following the christening.

Nov. 9, 1956



MR. AND MRS. CLIVE BOWSER

Leslie Lorna Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Snyder of RR 3, Maidstone, was married to Clive H. Bowser, son of Mrs. Robert Holden of Eastlawn Blvd., at St. David's Anglican Church. Linda Bowser was maid of honor and Robert Taylor was best man. After a wedding trip to Northern Ontario, the couple will live in Windsor.

June 30, 1967

STRATHDEE—Hi there! I'm Travis John, first child for Ross and Donna (nee Snider). I weighed 7 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs. on June 7, 1976, at Grace Hospital. My proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver of Essex and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Strathdee of Stratford.

JULY 13, 1978

JUNE 10, 1967

Harrow Couple to Live in Ottawa

HARROW — Residing in Ottawa following their wedding at St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Harrow, are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ronald Mountain. The bride, the former Kathryn Frances Snider, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider of Oldcastle and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Mountain of Kingsville.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length white satin gown with a round neckline and three-quarter-length sleeves. Her shoulder-length veil was held by a Swedish pearl crown and she carried a cascade of red roses and stephanotis.

Barbara Keller was maid of honor and Carol Snider was bridesmaid.

Adam Keller was best man and Howard Jenner and Melvin Mills were ushers.

A reception for 120 guests followed at the Poplar Inn, Cottam.

For the trip to Ottawa, the bride donned a blue wool sheath dress with white accessories.



MR. AND MRS. WALTER RONALD MOUNTAIN

Miss Kathryn Snider was hostess to twenty members of the younger set at a delightful party, Friday evening, the occasion being her 16th birthday. Games, contests and dancing were enjoyed. The serving of a delicious buffet lunch brought a most enjoyable evening to a close.

June. 13. 1958



BURN MORTGAGE — A ten-year project of the Ladies' Guild of St. David's Anglican Church came to a successful conclusion Thursday night when the church mortgage was burned at the annual St. David's Day

services. From left, Mrs. Gladys Lambden, guild president, W. S. Snyder and J. R. Healey, church wardens, Mrs. Ethel Ainseworth, guild member and Rev. J. Philip Gandon, rector, officially burn the mortgage.

MARCH. 3. 1962

Patricia Eileen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider, was baptized at the morning service at the Church of the Redeemer, Sunday, with Rev. Gordon Houghton officiating.

March. 4. 1955

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider on the birth of a son, 8 lbs., at Grace Hospital, Windsor, on Friday, September 7th.

Sept. 14. 1957

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider and family took up residence in their lovely new home on Monday

JAN. 21. 1955

In honor of her daughter Linda's eighth birthday, Mrs. Howard Snider entertained a group of little girls at a delightful party, Saturday afternoon. Games were enjoyed and at the close, a delicious lunch was served.

JAN. 28. 1955

Jan. 25/27 - Birthdays
Linda Snider, Jan. 18th 1957
Howard Snider Jan. 19th 1957

June 5th, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider, a daughter.

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SNIDER — Don and Kathy are pleased to announce the birth of their second child, Edgar Howard, (Little Eddie), weighing 8 lbs. 11 ozs. Nov. 25, 1976, at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Edgar and Joyce Schultz and Bert and Luella Oliver.

Congratulations to Miss Kathryn Snider for being the Junior Award winner in Commercial for Typing.

JULY. 18. 1958

Sincere sympathy to Howard Snider and family in the sudden death of a beloved mother and grandmother, the late Mrs. Harold Snider of Colchester South on Monday.

Sept. 4. 1959

SNIDER

GATES — Gerry and Patty (nee Snider) are proud to announce the birth of their second son, Phillip Howard, 7 lbs. 2 ozs. at Metropolitan Hospital, Nov. 26, 1975. Little brother for Jeffrey. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gates, Maldstone and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Oliver, Essex.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider on the birth of a daughter at Grace Hospital, Windsor, on Friday, December 10th.

Dec. 17. 1954

Mrs. Howard Snider, daughters Kathryn, Carol and Donna Mae, and son Donald, attended the Heaton reunion at Lakeside Park, Kingsville, Sunday afternoon.

July 22. 1955

PAQUETTE

Patty Snider, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Snider, had the misfortune of a fall on Sunday morning and breaking her left arm.

1951

BOWSER — Olive and Leslie (nee Snyder) happily welcome Lorna Lynn, 6 lbs., 10 ozs., on December 12, 1974, at Metropolitan Hospital. Sister for Michael and Stephen.

Visual concepts in Wedding Photography



don snider

freelance photographer

ph. 776-5570

Dec. 9. 1971

SNIDER

Sandwich South Families

SORRELL



Dec. 22, 1967

Luck rode with Donald Snider, 31, of Con. 3, Sandwich South Township, when his car ricocheted part way across the Peabody bridge early this morning, hitting



MR. AND MRS. RICK SORRELL

Sharon Neuman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Neuman of LaSalle, was united in marriage to Rick Sorrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sorrell of Maidstone. The ceremony took place in St. Paul's Church, with Michelle Morrison as maid of honor and Paul Fountaine as best man. Following a trip to Niagara Falls, the couple will reside in Windsor.

JULY 27, 1976

Building Inspector Resigns

Norman Sorrell, Essex building inspector and bylaw enforcement officer tendered his resignation effective April 6.

Mayor Wilber Brett appointed Reeve Gerald Schinkel, Councillors Henry Mulder and Nick Spidaleri to determine what duties should be assigned to the future building inspector.

March 23, 1979



first the south railing and then the north. The eastbound 1956 Meteor was wrecked. Snider was treated at Hotel Dieu for minor cuts and bruises and released. In this



Walter Jackson

dramatic series, two views of the victim are shown in the wreckage of his car and in the third, ABC Ambulance attendants help him, still dazed, to the ambulance.

SORRELL—Ricky and Sharon (Neuman) are happy to announce the safe arrival of their first born, a boy Kevin Richard, at Grace Hospital, March 21, 1982, weighing 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sorrell and Mr. and Mrs. David Neuman; great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Drouillard and Mr. Ray Sorrell and great great-grandmother Rose Drouillard.

DEATHS

SORRELL—David, on April 25, 1985 at St. Joseph's Hospital, London. Dear son of Ricky and Sharon Sorrell (nee Neuman), Lasalle. Dear grandson of Norman and Beverly Sorrell, Oldcastle, Dave and Jean Neuman, Lasalle. Great-grandson of Ray Sorrell, Windsor and Bill Drouillard, Essex. Great-great-grandson of Rose Drouillard, Amherstburg. Dear brother of Kevin at home. Also survived by several aunts and uncles. Funeral Services were conducted on Thursday, May 2, at Heavenly Rest Cemetery. Janisse Brothers Funeral Home, 1139 Ouellette Ave. in charge of arrangements.

May 2, 1985

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Sorrell kennels offer variety of breeds

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From chihuahuas to Irish Setters - -

Strangers entering the drive of Norm and Bev Sorrell's home on the Tenth Concession of Sandwich S. will be met by the concerted barking of their many dogs. A vociferous white Japanese husky and three or four dogs of assorted breeds rush up to greet any car that braves the onslaught.

"Oh, they wouldn't hurt you," says Bev engagingly, but most visitors keep a discreet distance just the Most of the dogs Bev owns are poodles or cock-a-poos, a cross between a poodle and cocker spaniel, but she also has Pekingese, Chihuahuas, Irish Setter and some "Heinz" dogs given her by friends who hope Bev can find a good home for them. Often she does too.

The females used for breeding are kept in the kennel and the wire fenced run. Bev keeps a variety of dogs and the puppies she raises from her pedigreed females can be bought with or without registration papers, as you desire.

With a heart as big as the proverbial all all outdoors, Bev has had a large variety of animals on the farm at one time or another. Naturally there are cows and calves. She did have goats and even a white mule who followed her children on their ponies just like a puppy. The children still have one pony, though at one time the Sorrells had thirteen horses of assorted sizes. They also had five sheep and a flock of

two hundred chickens. Somehow the chickens have found their way into the freezer. As Bev says, the home grown variety taste more like chicken than those you buy already frozen.

There is one new member of the family who is very special indeed. Mr. and Mrs. Sorrell's son Danny and his wife, have a new son, now thriving in a beautifully appointed bassinet but threatening to outgrow it at any minute. The other Sorrell children are Rick, Sherry, Carla, Jody and James. Sherry and Carla attend Western Secondary School, and Jody and James are at Maplewood.

Mrs. Sorrell's poodle business started with just one poodle which she bought five years ago when they were living in LaSalle. Then she bought No-No, a male, and Mimi, a silver grey female. These two had five pups. Later Bev bought Candy and Gigl who are still with her. At one time they rented a farm on Matchette road for their animals, but later they moved to their present Tenth Concession home.

At the moment Bev has besides her dogs, two cows and three steers.

Recently Bev and her animals played host to a little blind girl who had lost her sight because of an incurable disease. The little ten-year-old had always wanted to see a farm, and so Bev took her and her friend, a neighbour's daughter,

ter and her parents to see all the poodles, even some day-old puppies and a little blind black poodle, just as cuddly as could be. Bev would have given the little girl a dog, but unfortunately asthma and allergies made this impossible.

The Sorrells grow their own hay and oats but buy their dog food. "It costs a lot to keep so many", says Bev, "but we love them all, and it's always hard to part with any of my pets. I always make sure that animals I sell go to a good home where they will receive

kind treatment. Also I have taken in many abandoned pets and have found good homes for them. Persons who abandon their cats and dogs should see them as I do, half-starved and unkempt. They should knock the poor beasts on the head rather than condemn them to such a miserable end."

Bev finds her work with the dogs, although time consuming, yet very relaxing. She admits she is fortunate to have found a work-hobby combination that provides her with satisfaction and interest and says, "When things pile up I go out and work with the dogs and soon all night again."



THEIR BEST FRIEND Bev Sorrell in the kennel run is quickly surrounded by her dogs as they recognize the one who gives them care and food. The beautiful Irish Setter is Jame's favourite of the kennel.



BLIND PUPPY. The blind and the deaf find refuge with Mrs. Sorrell. Maureen Sorrell holds this black poodle who was blind from birth. It was of no value to the owner but found a warm reception with Sorrells where it has become a favourite pet and trots freely around the house with little difficulty. Because of a malformation of the eye and opening, the family dubbed it "Funny Face."



THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT. Jody and James Sorrell show us the difference between a long and a short haired Chihuahua with Bambi the short haired type who is obviously feeling the cold. Penny boasts a longer coat - but is glad to sit warmly tucked beneath James' feet.



LIONS ELECT—The new executive of the Windsor Lions Club was elected at a meeting at the Norton Palmer Wednesday night. The Windsor club, which was organized in 1920, was the first Lions Club in

Canada. From right, Percy J. Beneteau, president; Ernie Souliere, past deputy district governor, and Lloyd Wicks, first vice-president.

(Star Staff Photo)

We wish to pass on our very best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Souliere on the celebrating of their fiftieth wedding anniversary that was celebrated on Monday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Souliere, now residing on Ouellette Ave. in Windsor, resided here in the Roseland area for many years.

It was a sad day that the Souliere family left abode of us veteran Roselanders, the family that was as much a part of this area, as much as night and day is to our lives and like other families grew up and spread around the hemisphere and the fun and good times are all that is left to remember but how we remember them and how dad and mom Souliere were just as big a toad in the friendly pond on Howard Ave., as was the rest of the youthful buddies that crowded their door steps at all hours.

JAN. 13. 1967

SOULIERE — Ernest A. 87 years, July 14, 1978 of 1580 Ouellette. Beloved husband of Cecil (nee Tourangeau). Dear father of Mrs. Virginia Renaud, Ernest R. (Spud), Lawrence (Larry), Mrs. Thomas Mailloux (Betty), all of Windsor; Bernard, Calif; Mrs. Hugh Bondy (Beatrice), Houston, Texas. 33 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren survive. Dear brother of Mrs. Arsene Lassaline (Marie), Windsor. Mr. Souliere was a retired (1959) sales manager of Canadian Motor Lamp and a member and Past Grand Knight, K. of C. Windsor, Council #1453. The Windsor Club, Lions Club, and former member of Essex Golf Club. Funeral was held Monday from Janisse Brothers Funeral Home to St. Clare Church. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery.



DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Souliere of 1580 Ouellette Ave. will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Sunday, Jan. 9. Their family invites their friends to attend a reception at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 1140 Goyeau St. from 2 to 5 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Souliere request no gifts.

JAN. 6. 1977

(Advertisement)
WINDSOR RESIDENT AWARDED A.K.O. CAR



Mr. E. A. SOULIERE, 1580 Ouellette Ave., is presented with the keys for the 1959 A.K.O. car awarded by the Alpha Kai Omega Fraternity. Left is Mr. William Leonty, chairman of the A.K.O. car committee and right is Mr. Lawrence Botsford, A.K.O. president.

AUG. 16. 1959

July 3/87 E & P.
Robt. Raymond Souliere
Grad. from St. 12 at E.D.H.



MR. AND MRS. ERNEST SOULIERE

Ernest Soulieres mark anniversary

Fifty years ago next Monday, at St. Alphonsus Church, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Souliere of Ouellette Ave. were married.

On Jan. 9, the couple will renew their vows in a mass in their honor at St. Clare's Church. Following the mass at 5:30 p.m., there will be a reception and dinner for family and friends at the Norton Palmer Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Souliere have six children and 33 grandchildren.

Here for the occasion will be their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bondy (nee Beatrice) and family of Downer's Grove, Ill.; and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Souliere of Sunnymead, Calif.; as well as daughters, Mrs. George Renaud (Virginia) and Mrs. Tom J. Mailloux (Betty) and sons, Ernest R. and Laurence, all of Windsor.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Souliere (she was Cecile Tourangeau) are descendants of old French-Canadian families who have lived in what is now Windsor all their lives.

JAN. 7. 1967

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Souliere (Cecile Tourangeau), of Ouellette Ave., Windsor, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Monday, January 9th, when they renewed their marriage vows, in a Mass in their honour at St. Clare's Church at 5:30 p.m. The Soulieres have six children and 33 grandchildren. A dinner and reception followed for relatives and friends at the Norton Palmer Hotel. The happy 'young' couple were married at St. Alphonsus Church and have lived in Windsor all their life.

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Vehicle Hits Tree, 2 Die

On Roadside

WINDSOR STAR, FEB. 6, 1956

6-Month-Old Baby,

Girl, 15, Victims

On City Outskirts

A 15-year-old Windsor girl and a six-month-old baby died of injuries they received Sunday when a pick-up truck crashed into a tree on Highway 2 near Howard Ave. Sunday afternoon.

Two other district residents were killed in a crash near Wallaceburg.

Dead are: Grace McFarland, 15, of 1552 Lillian St., Windsor; Patrick Soulliere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Soulliere, R. R. 2, Oldcastle.

In serious condition at Hotel Dieu is Patrick's mother, Mrs. Josephine Soulliere, 24, with a possible broken pelvis and internal injuries.

The baby was killed instantly. Miss McFarland died after being admitted to Hotel Dieu.

The driver, Bernard Soulliere, 24, of R. R. 2, Oldcastle, father of Patrick, was also admitted to Hotel Dieu. His condition is not serious.

Miss McFarland was a niece of the Soullieres.

Mr. Soulliere was driving east on Highway 2 when he apparently went on to the shoulder of the highway, which was covered with melting snow.

The truck travelled approximately 160 feet on the shoulder and hit a tree. The force of the crash threw the baby and Miss McFarland out of the cab. A partly filled bottle of milk with a nipple on it lay on the floor of the cab of the truck.

Miss McFarland and Mr. and Mrs. Soulliere were rushed to Hotel Dieu by Windsor Ambulance. Coroner Dr. C. V. Mills viewed the body of the baby at the scene.

Provincial Const. Bob Barron of Essex detachment investigated the accident.

Area sister dies Sunday in London

Sister M. Mildred, C.S.J., the former Cecile Agnes Soulliere died Sunday at the Mount St. Joseph Motherhouse in London.

Sister Mildred was in her 32nd year of religious life.

A member of the order of the Community Sisters of St. Joseph, Sister Mildred taught for years at the Holy Name School in Essex while she was stationed at the Maidstone Convent. During her religious service she was also stationed in Sarnia, Windsor and Maple Ridge, British Columbia.

Funeral mass will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Immaculate Conception Chapel at the Mount St. Joseph Motherhouse, 1486 Richmond Street North, London.

Burial will be at St. Peter's Cemetery on Wednesday at 8:45 a.m.

AUG. 18, 1972

SOULIERE--Cecile (nee Tourangeau) 86 years, July 2nd, 1984 at Grace Hospital, formerly of Ouellette Ave. Beloved wife of the late Ernest (1978). Dear Mother of Mrs. Virginia Renaud, Ernest (Spud), Larry all of Windsor; Bernard, California; Mrs. Hubert Bondy (Beatrice) of Houston, Texas; and Mrs. Tom Mailloux (Betty), Windsor; 33 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren also survive. Funeral Wed. 9 a.m. from Janisse Brothers Funeral Home 1139 Ouellette, to St. Clare Church at 9:30. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Prayers Tuesday 8 p.m. Mrs. Soulliere was a Life Member of the C.W.L. of St. Clare Church and the Roseland Womens Institute.

Happy birthday September 7th to Tony Spidalieri from wife, Irene, daughter Joanna, sons Nick and Frank and future daughter-in-law Lucy.

Sept. 7, 1980

Sincere sympathy to the family of Ernest A. Soulliere, beloved husband of Mrs. Cecile (Tourangeau) Soulliere. He was a well known and highly respected citizen of Windsor. Although 87 years of age he took part in many charitable organizations. Survived besides his wife are six children, 33 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and beloved brother of Marie, Mrs. Arsena Lassaline, also of Windsor.

On Sat. evening the children of Tony and Irene Spidalieri, Nick, his wife Lucy, Joanna and Frank invited family members and friends to a party celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary. The party was held at the Spidalieri home where Tony and Irene received many beautiful gifts which made their anniversary a very special occasion.

AUG. 15, 1986

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AUG. 17, 1986

SPRING--The family of the late James Edward (Ted) wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends, relatives and neighbours for their floral tributes, acts of kindness and donations of your choice. Thanks to the pallbearers and Rev. H.W. Wonfor. Special thanks to Doctors and Nurses on 2nd Floor North, and 4 East, Metropolitan Hospital, and the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home.

SPRING--James Edward (Ted), 77 years, December 14, 1979. Late of 4910 Ray Rd., Maidstone. Dear husband of the late Irene (nee Rouse, 1972). Dear father of Robert, of Sandwich West and Mrs. Steve Shust (Doreen), of Sandwich South. Also survived by 4 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Dear brother of Mrs. Fred Linder (Edith), Mrs. William Green (Lillian), Mrs. William Bate (Beatrice), all of Galt; John, of Dundas and the late Louise and William. Resting at the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home, 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E. Funeral service Monday at 2 p.m. in the Windsor Chapel, Rev. H. W. Wonfor officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Gardens. Donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Please Note: Visiting after 2 p.m. Saturday.

Able Seaman "Bob" Spring is home on a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Ted" Spring, of Ray road, 8th Concession.

Sept. 24, 1957



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond St. Antoine of Sandwich South announce the engagement of their only daughter, Shirley Anne, to Mr. Gordon Joseph Meloche, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Meloche of River Canard. The marriage will be solemnized May 7 at St. Christopher's Church at 9 a.m., with the bride's uncle, the Rev. Clement Janisse officiating.



TO MARK DIAMOND JUBILEE--Mr. and Mrs. Denis St. Antoine of 3925 Wyandotte St. W., who were married in Ste. Anne's Church, Tecumseh, May 18, 1903, will be honored Sunday at a family reception to commemorate their 60th wedding anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy St. Antoine, their nephew and niece, on No. 2 Highway, Sandwich South. Mr. St. Antoine, 82, retired from Ford's in 1950 after 41 years of service with the motor company. Mrs. St. Antoine is 83. THE W. STAR, MAY 17, 1963

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BIRTHDAY—Dennis St. Antoine, resident of Villa Marie Lodge celebrated his 95th birthday recently at the lodge. Born in 1880 in Sandwich South he retired from Ford of Canada in 1950 after 41 years with the company.

JULY.28.1975

Oct.21.1966

Bride's Uncle Officiates at Rites

At an impressive ceremony in a setting of pink and white carnations at St. Christopher's Church, the Rev. Clement Janisse, uncle of the bride, united in marriage, Miss Shirley Anne St. Antoine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond St. Antoine of Sandwich South, and Mr. Gordon J. Meloche, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meloche of River Canard.

Mrs. Norman Soulliere sang, "On This Day, Oh Beautiful Mother," "Ave Maria," "Panis Angelicus," and "Jesus, My Love, My All," accompanied by Mrs. Laurent Lachance at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white slipper satin featuring princess lines with panels of Chantilly hand clipped lace, extending into a full length cathedral train. The lace bodice featured a neckline of illusion embroidered in bugle beads and pearls and her long sleeves extended into points on her hands. The fingertip veil of French illusion was complimented by a crown of matching bugle beads and rhinestones. She wore a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom, and carried a large cascade bouquet of white carnations and red roses.

Miss Lea St. Antoine, cousin of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a coral gown of nylon net with peau de soie jacket and bodice. Her floor length skirt billowed over a crinoline. She wore a small half hat of velvet leaves with veiling and carried a large cascade bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaids, Miss Helen Meloche and Miss Yvonne St. Louis, were gowned alike in aqua nylon net, styled identically to the maid of honor's dress and carried cascades of pink and white carnations.

Mr. Vincent Meloche was the



MR. AND MRS. GORDON J. MELOCHE

best man and the ushers were Mr. Leonard Bondy, Mr. Leo Bacon and Mr. Marc Meloche.

A breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents. For a dinner and reception for 250 guests, held at the Shawnee Tavern, the bride's table was centred with a four tiered wedding cake, set in white tulle and pink and white flowers, flanked with burning white tapers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. St. Antoine chose a dusty rose lace dress with a lace jacket and three-quarter length sleeves. She wore a white lace hat with rhinestones with navy accessories and wore a corsage of pink and

white carnations. The bridegroom's mother chose a light blue crepe trimmed in lace and a natural straw hat with navy accessories. She wore a corsage of pink and white carnations on her furs.

Following a wedding trip to Quebec City for which the bride wore a light blue dress with bouffant skirt and a white box style coat, with navy accessories and a corsage of white roses, they will live in Sandwich South.

Out of town guests included FO. and Mrs. Thomas E. Meloche of Chatham, New Brunswick, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meloche of Dearborn, Michigan.

Mrs. Mary St. Julian Dies

Mrs. Mary St. Julian, 85, died Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert (Opal) Jessop, 2240 Huron Line, Windsor.

A native of Wabash, Ind., she had moved to her daughter's home five years ago from Essex. She was a member of the United Church. Her husband, George, died in 1948.

Surviving are a son, Arthur, of Maidstone; two daughters, Mrs. Jessop and Mrs. Adeleine Murphy, of Painesville, Ohio; 13 grandchildren and 40 great-grandchildren; and a brother, Jacob Hayes, of Vestaburg, Mich.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. from the S. L. Kennedy Funeral Home, with Rev. Gordon Geiger officiating. Burial was in Greenlawn Memorial Cemetery.

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Kramer - St. Julian Nuptials

Ice blue and sapphire blue were the colors of the gowns worn by attendants at the marriage recently, of Miss Mary Ann Kramer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Kramer, 1218 Oberlin Ave., and Donald A. St. Julian of Painesville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur St. Julian, of Maidstone.

Sister Mary Vivian and the girls' choir sang the nuptial mass for the 10 a.m. ceremony at St. Joseph's Church and Gary Gordon was soloist, accompanied at the organ by William Cundiff. Large bouquets of mixed white flowers marked the altar.

Rev. Fr. Jerome N. Rohner performed the double ring nuptial and servers at the mass were two brothers of the bride, Friar Noel of Our Lady of Carey Seminary and Paul Kramer, a student at Mount St. Francis Pro-Seminary in Indiana.

Miss Jean Kramer, her sister's maid of honor, and Kathy Lou Worden, flower girl, wore ice blue, a satin jacket over the strapless satin gown made with double net overskirt. Both wore half-hats of ice blue satin and carried cascade bouquets of deep pink carnations.

The three bridesmaids, wearing identical gowns in sapphire blue, were Miss Jeanne Ego, Miss LaVerne Klietz of Cleveland and Miss Mary Jean St. Julian of Maidstone, sister of the bridegroom. Their cascade bouquets were of light pink carnations.

The bride's gown was fashioned with a fitted long-sleeved bodice of white Chantilly lace, its sweetheart neckline banded with seed pearls below a marquise yoke. The full skirt of satin, sweeping into a train,

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Her lace-edged finger-tip veil was caught to a small tiara of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses, carnations and stephanotis and as "something old" her First Communion rosary.

George Murphy of Painesville was his cousin's best man. Ushers included Kenneth St. Julian, his brother, and Carl Niepert, both of Painesville and Ray Feuerstein of Lorain.

After a wedding dinner at the Airport Tavern and a reception at the Kramer home, the couple left for a two-week honeymoon to Niagara Falls Manitoulin Island and the northern states. For travelling the bride wore a black and red checked suit and red hat, with other accessories in white and black. The newlyweds will make their future home at 205 N. St. Clair St., Painesville.

The former Miss Kramer graduated from Lorain High School and St. John's Hospital School of Nursing, Cleveland, and was employed in the operating room at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. St. Julian, a U. S. Army veteran, is a graduate of Lowes Technical School, Windsor, and is employed at Merrick Motors, Inc., in Painesville.



GOLDEN WEDDING—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur St. Julian of Maidstone will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, June 29, with open house at their home from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. St. Julian have lived in Maidstone and farmed all their married life. They have five children and 18 grandchildren. They request no gifts.

June.26.1975

Oct.3.1951

JUNE.10.1955

June 3, 1921
Adelaide, St. Julian
of RR 2 East
Captured a 60m
Owl in her
chicken yard.

Donald St. Julian and better half, along with four youngsters were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Art St. Julian's the past week.

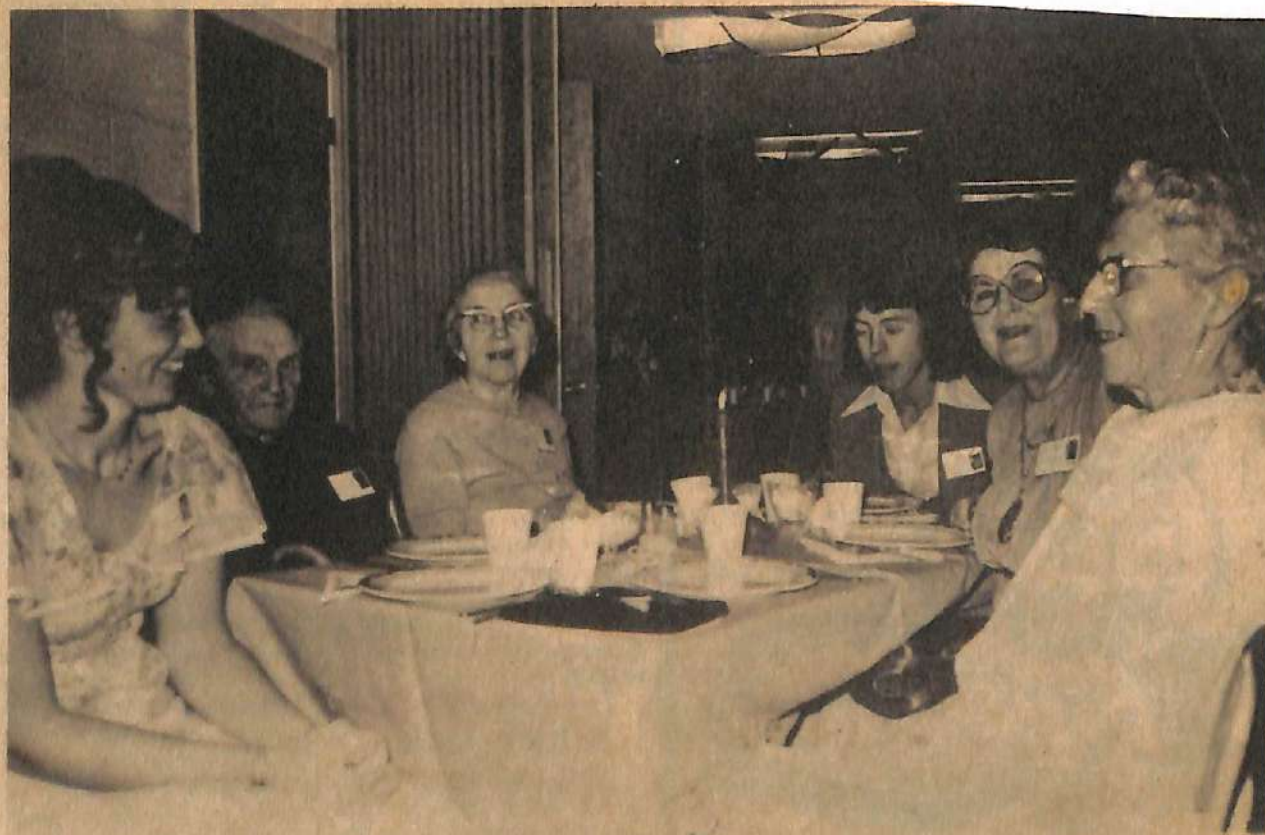
JULY 28. 1961



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur St. Julian, of Maidstone, will celebrate their 50th anniversary on Sunday, June 29th with Open House at their home, from 2 to 5 p.m. They were married June 27th, 1925. They have five children and 18 grandchildren. They request no gifts.

JUNE 20. 1975

Youth Play Host To Seniors . . .



More than 60 members and adherents of Essex Baptist Church were hosted to a Christmas Party by the youth who wanted to express appreciation to those who had dedicated their lives to building the church, both in a material sense and spiritually. There were 22 members of the senior young people who arranged decorations, transportation, entertain-

ment, and admitted their mothers did most of the preparation of food, 'so they could be with their guests.'

Shari Brush (left) and Randy Brush (centre), of New Canaan, visit with Stanley and Marion Parker, of Cottam; Lillian Gould, of North Ridge, Edna St. Julian, of Maidstone.

Dec. 29. 1978

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur St. Julian who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 29 with open house at their home, South Talbot Rd. from 2 p.m. until 5 p.m. They have five children and 18 grandchildren. We wish them many more years of wedded bliss.

JULY 4. 1975

—Mr. and Mrs. Quetin Peace, of Warren, Ohio, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ramona Lee, to Roger Keith St. Julian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur St. Julian, of Maidstone. An early December wedding is planned.

Sept. 22. 1961

Mrs. George St. Julian recently fell and broke her ankle, at Painesville, Ohio, and is hospitalized there at present. Mrs. St. Julian was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tom Murphy, and broke her ankle while coming down a flight of stairs. Mrs. St. Julian makes her home in Essex.

MAY 4. 1956

Mrs. George St. Julian and Mrs. Rachael Budd have both returned to their home in Essex. Both travelling ladies are sorta under the weather. Mrs. St. Julian is recovering following a broken ankle and Mrs. Budd has been ill with a very heavy cold. We hope our former Sandwich South friends soon recover.

JULY 27. 1956

ST. JULIEN—Edna N. (McLenon). Age 86. Aug. 7, 1988 at Leamington District Memorial Hospital. Late of Maidstone. Dear wife of Arthur George St. Julian. Loving mother of Donald and Mary Anne, Painesville, Ohio, Kenneth and Ann, Victoria, Texas, Mary-Jean and Kenneth Calder, Cottam, Roger and Sherri, Warren, Ohio, Gary and Ann, Windsor. Eighteen grandchildren, ten great grandchildren. Dear sister of Grace (Mrs. Ridge Jones), Leamington, John McLenon, Mt. Bridges, Frank McLenon, Harrow, George McClenon, Toronto, Marion and Howard deceased. Resting at The Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home 128 Talbot St., North, Essex after 7:00 p.m. on Mon. Funeral Service Wed. at 1:00 p.m. Pastor Gordon Bonney officiating. Interment Greenlawn Memorial Park Cemetery. Donations may be made to the charity of your choice as an expression of sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis, of 11th Concession were hosts to a group of Sandwich South Liberal Electors of the District of Essex South. The occasion having a two fold purpose - to welcome Robert Clark, of Harrow, Liberal Nominee of Essex South - and to elect a slate of officers for the coming Federal Election. After enjoying an interesting address by Mr. Clark, and Jim Golden, president of Essex South Association and by Mr. S. Murray Clark, M.P.P., retiring member, the nominations took place and the new executive were voted into office. President, Hemon St. Louis; vice-president, Mrs. Frank Kane; secretary, Mrs. Gordon O'Neil; treasurer, Mrs. Francis St. Louis. The business part of the meeting over, a sociable and get-better-acquainted evening was enjoyed by everyone and closed with hearty thanks to Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis for their gracious hospitality.

MARCH 8. 1957

St. Louis - Molnar Vows



Miss Patricia Anne Molnar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Molnar, of Lauzon Road Windsor, formerly of Oldcastle, was united in marriage to Mr. Richard David St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis St. Louis, of E. C. Row, Windsor. The bride was a graduate of Essex District High School.

A beautiful Folk Mass Ceremony took place in St. Vincent de Paul Church Windsor by Father R. Cartier, on Saturday, July 1st. This day also celebrated the bride's paternal grandfather's birthday and her parent's wedding anniversary.

Miss Beverley Molnar was her sister's maid-of-honor and Mr. Raymond St. Louis assisted his brother as best man. The bridesmaids were Shirley St. Louis and Victoria Prochazka, girlfriend of the bride since grade one. The groomsmen were Mr. George Molnar Jr. and Mr. John Gungle, cousin of the bride. Ushers were Mr. Joseph Molnar and Mr. Roger St. Louis.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a

white peau de soie gown covered with worked blossoms. The short sleeved, jewel neckline gown had attractive gathers on both sides of the waist. The four tiered cathedral length veil was held in place by a pill-box headpiece. She carried one long stemmed red rose.

The bridesmaids wore identical blue multi-colored floral gowns and carried baskets of wild flowers.

The bride's mother wore a pink formal gown and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The groom's mother chose a mint green formal gown trimmed in gold with a corsage of yellow rosebuds.

The reception was held at the hall of St. Michael's Church on Parkwood in Windsor for 350 people.

The bride changed to a navy and cream sailor smock dress with red accessories and carried a red rose.

The bride was entertained by five showers before her marriage given by various friends and relatives.

After a trip up North the couple will reside in Windsor.

JULY 14. 1972

Card of Thanks—Mr. and Mrs. Hemen (Sny- S. Louis wish to thank all of their family and many good friends, and neighbors for their many cards, gifts and good wishes to us on our 50th Wedding Anniversary. We also would like to thank Fr. Marentette, the choir, organist, altar boys and all of those who took part in making our mass so lovely. We truly experienced so much joy and happiness for all of your kindness toward us. Many thanks to all of our good friends and dear family.

SEPT. 10. 1971



MR. AND MRS. MORRIS VILLAIRE ST. LOUIS

Couple Married Here Will Reside in London

In St. Theresa's Church, Rev. F. R. Drouillard celebrated the nuptial Mass uniting in marriage Darlene Mary Zywna and Morris Villaire St. Louis. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Zywna of Olive Rd. and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis of Sandwich South.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of peau de soie. A cathedral train fell from a back Dior bow. Her two-tiered veil of French illusion was held by a crown of pearls and sequins and she carried white chrysanthemums and gardenias.

Gail Gallagher was matron of honor. Marilynne St. Louis, sister of the bridegroom, and

Joan McKee were bridesmaids. Karen St. Louis was flower girl and Glenn St. Louis was ring-bearer. They are the niece and nephew of the bridegroom.

Edward St. Louis was best man for his brother and Ray Wright and Wallace St. Louis, another brother, were ushers.

A wedding breakfast was served at Shawnee Tavern, followed by an afternoon reception at the Drop Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis left for a wedding trip in the States. For travelling the bride wore a mauve walking suit with accessories to match and an orchid corsage.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis will live in London.



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Tracey of Woodslee announce the engagement of their daughter, Marlene Ann, to Robert Francis St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Maidstone. The wedding will take place June 16 at 4 p.m. in St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Woodslee.

MAY. 16. 1973

St. Louis-Zywna Nuptials

In St. Theresa's Church, Windsor, Rev. F. R. Drouillard united in marriage Darlene Mary Zywna and Morris Villaire St. Louis. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Zywna, of Olive Road, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis, of Sandwich South.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of pue de soi with a portrait neckline. The skirt with a doir bow at the waist fell into a cathedral train. Her two-tiered veil of French illusion was held by a crown of pearls and sequins. She carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and gardenias.

Miss Gail Gallagher was matron of honour and Marilynne St. Louis, sister of the groom and Joan McKee were bridesmaids. The flower girl and ring-bearer were Karen St. Louis and Glenn St. Louis, niece and nephew of the groom.

Edward St. Louis was best man for his brother and Ray Wright and Wally St. Louis, brother of the groom, were ushers.

Breakfast was served at Shawnee Tavern. Following an afternoon reception for 200 guests at the Drop Inn Tavern, Mr. and Mrs. Morris St. Louis left for a wedding trip to the States. The bride wore a mauve winter walking suit with accessories to match and an orchid corsage.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis will reside in London. Out-of-town guests were from Dearborn, Garden City, Grosse Pointe, Michigan; Sarnia and London.

Feb. 13. 1961

THE ESSEX FARM Mystery Farm winner named

The winner of this week's Mystery Farm contest is Francis St. Louis of Maidstone, who correctly identified the farm occupied by Dr. Leslie Hulka of R.R.2 Maidstone.

For winning the contest, the winner will receive a \$20 merchandise voucher from Essex Sports in Essex.

The contest continues in this edition of the Voice of the Essex Farmer. NOW C.R.D. #46

JULY. 26. 1985

DEATHS

ROUBELL—Lloyd (Big Daddy), 74 years, August 6, 1988, late of Tecumseh. Loving husband of Lorraine Ruthig. Dearest father of Maelynn and father-in-law of Wally St. Louis and the late Buddy (1943). Grandfather of Mrs. Darren Yewchyn (Sue-lynn), Winnipeg. Brother-in-law of Dorothy Ruthig, Kitchener. Mr. Roubell was a professional hockey player for 18 years, coached the Galt Terrier Team Canada in 1962 World Hockey to attain the silver medal, Founder and President of the Tecumseh Minor Hockey Assoc., owner of Maelynn's Carry-Out Restaurant. Visiting after 4p.m. Monday at The Marcotte Funeral Home 12105 Tecumseh Rd., Tec. Funeral Service Monday 8p.m. Rev. Clifford Hicks officiating. Interment of cremated remains to take place in the family lot, Woodland Cemetery Kitchener.

Sincere sympathy to the family of the late Eugene St. Louis of the 10th Concession, who passed away suddenly Sunday morning of a heart attack. Mr. St. Louis, age 67 years, was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Adolph St. Louis and has resided in Sandwich South all his life. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, the former Marie La Porte, 5 sons, Eugene Jr., Harold of Kamlachie, Ont., Norbert, Larry and Clifford; 2 daughters, Catherine, Mrs. Henry Laframboise of River Canard, and Marjorie, Mrs. Frank Little of Windsor, 14 grandchildren, Brother of Ernest, Wilfred and Mrs. Gordon Battersby, of Sandwich South. Frank of McGregor, Mrs. Bernard Kemp, Mrs. Lloyd Camellius, Mrs. Carl Bowers and Mrs. Joseph Lansfield, all of Detroit. Funeral was held on Wednesday at 10 a.m. from Marcotte Funeral Home to St. Ann's Church, Tecumseh. Burial in Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

AUG. 29. 1958

St. Louis

Deepest sincere sympathy is extended to John and Iris (St. Louis) Shanahan in the sudden tragic loss of their beloved older daughter Carol at Metropolitan Hospital early Wednesday morning. Carol who was 13 years old was riding on a tractor driven by her cousin, John Lavin, when it hit a rut and Carol was thrown under the wheel of the wagon, attached to tractor. Carol lived with her parents on No. 2 Highway, just west of Lesperance Road, and would have entered Grade 8 in St. Peter's School in the Fall. Deceased is survived by her parents, her twin brother John and a sister Jean, also by her beloved grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shanahan and Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis. Funeral will be held Friday morning from the Marcotte Funeral Home, Tecumseh, to St. Anne's Church.

AUG. 30. 1957

Dorothy and Francis St. Louis said good-bye to their daughter, Karen who returned to her home in Florida. While at home Karen helped her father celebrate his birthday, April 3rd at a family dinner. On April 9th Karen acted as bridesmaid for her friend, Julie McLean of Detroit. Julie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLean of Maidstone. Karen also spent some time visiting her godfather, John Shanahan, who has been seriously ill in Hotel Dieu hospital.

The Shanahan family wish to thank everyone for their prayers for John and report that he is recuperating satisfactorily from a lung operation. He would appreciate hearing from his friends in Maidstone.

April. 15. 1983

Hemen (Sny) St. Louis Passes

Hemen (Sny) St. Louis, 79 years, July 15, of 11th Conc. Sandwich South Twp. Beloved husband of Beatrice (nee Carter). Father of Francis, Mrs. Jack Shanahan, (Iris) Morris, all of Sandwich South, Louis, Belle River, Mrs. Jack Smyth, (Phyllis), Long Beach, Calif., Eddie, Windsor, Wally, Tecumseh, Mrs. June O'Brien, Downey, Calif., Mrs. Ray Wright (Marilynne) Windsor. Brother of Mrs. Lillian Corry, Lapeer, Mich., and the late Dr. Francis, Harry, Mrs. Alma Parent. 24 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren survive. Funeral was held Tuesday from St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

JULY. 21. 1978

Feb. 13.



Photo by Jack Dalgleish

Wallace and Maelynn St. Louis and their underwater patio

JUNE 23, 1973

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis entertained delightfully for about 50 workers to compliment Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reaume, M.P.P. Mr. Reaume gave a very interesting speech to outline the work. Refreshments and lunch were enjoyed after the talk and Mrs. St. Louis was assisted in serving by her sister, Mrs. Ted Deehan.

Karen Alice, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis, was baptized at St. Mary's Church on Sunday, with Rev. Fr. J. A. Jordan officiating. Mr. and Mrs. John Shanahan acted as godparents.

THE ESSEX FREE PRESS CARD OF THANKS

Thanks to the kind people on Maidstone R.R. #1 who remembered me at Christmas with lovely cards and presents. Seasons Greetings.
Dorothy St. Louis

By SPIROS DE BONO
and MARY TRUEMAN

Lloyd Roubell has just about had enough.

The Tecumseh businessman is planning to sell his business and home and move out if he's forced to stand another flooding.

Mr. Roubell, his daughter Maelynn St. Louis and his son-in-law stayed up all night cleaning Maelynn's Restaurant at Riverside Drive and Lesperance Road.

About four inches of water had seeped into the restaurant from overflowing Chene Street

ditch about 30-feet to the west of the restaurant.

Mr. Roubell's backyard was under about six inches of water and a gasoline pump borrowed from a local contractor was just about keeping even with the inflow.

"We can't stand it anymore. We've got to get out if it happens once more," Mr. Roubell said. He pointed to four huge freezers overflowing with food purchased especially for the long holiday weekend.

"I've got \$5,000 worth of food in there and what is going to happen to it if the waters keep coming in?" he asked.

In the last flood in March, Mr. Roubell, who lives above the restaurant, said his property suffered \$3,000 damages.

The Tecumseh businessman was very critical of the municipal administration which, he said, "has done nothing to dam Chene ditch in spite of the fact that it drains a huge area of the town and it often overflows.

"We get the drainage of the whole town down here and no matter how much we complain, we get no action on the part of the town," he said.

Across Riverside Drive,

Suburban Ambulance personnel stood by their ambulances in hip-waders. The garage and office were also under four to six inches of water.

Traffic on Riverside Drive in Tecumseh and St. Clair Beach was moving at a crawl along narrow strips of pavement jutting out from the surrounding waters.

The water problem in St. Clair Beach was aggravated by a shutdown of the Kensington pump Thursday night due to a hydro failure.

Saturday was a special day for Jerome St. Louis, son of Frances and Dorothy, and Paula Bet daughter of Francesco and Elena, who were married at Sacred Heart Church in Windsor. Following the ceremony a lovely reception for their many friends and relatives was held at the Ciociaro Club. Best wishes for happiness in your new life together, Jerome and Paula.

AUG. 5, 1983

BUTLER --Tom and Mary Ann (nee St. Louis) are pleased to announce the safe arrival of a son, Jeremy Thomas, 7 lb. 11 oz. at Grace Hospital on February 5 1988. First time grand parents, Morris and Marilyn St. Louis, Gosfield North; Tom and Marilyn Butler, Amherstburg; first time great-grandparents are Raymond and Iona Lyons, Amherstburg; Dorothy Stewart, Michael George Butler, Windsor, and another for Beatrice St. Louis, Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis were guest of honour at a surprise party in the form of a family dinner at the Lakeview Hotel, Kingsville to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. "Guy" St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shanahan parents of Francis and Dorothy, Mrs. Hazel Marshall, Miss Marlene Tracey, Robert St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Romeoau Beaulieu, Karen St. Louis and John McNalley, Jerome and Renne St. Louis. After a very delicious dinner the party returned to the home of Dorothy's parents and the evening was spent in cards and refreshments. Everyone left wishing the happy couple many years of happiness.

Sandwich South lost one of its life time and very well known residents this week in the person of Eugene St. Louis Sr. who passed away following a long heart illness. Mr. St. Louis farmed on the tenth concession after recently being retired from the Ford Motor Company. Sincere wishes are extended to the St. Louis family and relatives.

June 3, 1955

Jan. 13, 1956

Jan. 2, 1981

Feb. 6, 1988

Aug. 29, 1958

Eugene St. Louis Sr. who suffered a heart attack was able to be brought to his home, on Sunday from Metropolitan Hospital where he will convalesce.

JULY. 27. 1956

Robert and Carmen (Cecile) St. Louis have moved into their new home on No. 3 Highway. They have purchased Duncan and Julia (Beahan) Campbell's home a few weeks ago. The Campbells have moved into a Windsor apartment and will be greatly missed by their host of friends. We wish them continued good health. What will be our loss will their new friends good will.

Nov. 3. 1978

ST. LOUIS—Jerome and Paula are pleased to announce the arrival of a beautiful baby girl Jacqueline Amanda, born April 16, 1987 weighing 6 lbs. 7 ozs. Proud grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bet. Great grandfather Mr. Tom Shanahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvio Sylvestre and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen attended a stainless steel cooking demonstration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis on the 11th conc. Sandwich South.

JULY. 9. 1982

Sister Mable Saint Louis, S.S.J. daughter of Mrs. Mary (Barry) St. Louis, of Windsor and the late Ferdine St. Louis, will leave via air from Montreal, P.Q., on Sept. 13th to serve in her Religious Duties in Peru, for the Diocese of London. Bon voyage and God Speed to you in your wonderful endeavours!!

Sept. 6. 1974

Francis and Dorothy St. Louis of Maidstone wish to announce the marriage of their daughter Karen St. Louis to Dr. Ed Capone of Philadelphia, Penn. on May 18th. The wedding took place in Florida where they are residing.

June. 1. 1984

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Jacqueline Amanda St. Louis was baptized at St. Anne's, Tecumseh on Father's Day, June 21, by Fr. Tery Runstedler. She is the lovely daughter of Jerome and Paula St. Louis. Granddaughter of Fran and Dorothy St. Louis of Maid-

stone and Frank and Helen Bet of Windsor. Her Godparents are Danny Nico-

demo and Susan Ouellette of Windsor. We give thanks for a beautiful baby.

July. 3. 1987

BIRTHS

ST. LOUIS --(nee Eyraud): Ray and Doreen proudly announce the arrival of their first bundle of joy, a daughter, Tammy Lynn, born at Grace Hospital on April 22, 1988 weighing 6 lbs., 14 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Evelyn Eyraud and the late Stan Eyraud and Mr. and Mrs. Denis St. Louis. Insured.

Fran and Dorothy St. Louis renewed their wedding vows on Sunday, June 19 to celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary. Family and friends were there to wish them well.

JUNE. 24. 1982

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Deehan, John and Tommy spent the weekend at Holiday Inn, Chatham.

Doris St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of the 11th con Sandwich South, was guest of honour at a shower in the St. Mary Hall, Maidstone on last Thursday evening. Doris will become the bride of Romeo Beaulieu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beaulieu of St. Joachim. Games were played and many nice prizes were given. After the gifts were opened by the bride, assisted by her bridesmaids, Miss Margaret McAuliffe, her sister Karen and the grooms sister, Mrs. Alyn O'Connor and Maureen Mullins, a lovely buffet supper was served. Doris received beautiful gifts from her 75 guests.

Sept. 11. 1970

And to the family of the late Harry St. Louis, age 71 years, of Riverside, a former farmer of Sandwich

South. His wife, Leona (Bondy) predeceased him in 1963. Among the survivors is his brother Hemen, and sympathy is extended.

MAY. 1964

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lannsfeld (Beulah St. Louis, Bellaire, McCloskey) were married quietly Wednesday evening, July 16th, in St. Mary's Church, with the Rev. Father I. M. O'Neil officiating. The witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McCarthy. Mr. and Mrs. Lannsfeld are on a trip to Montreal and Fenlon Falls and on their return will make their home in the groom's home, Detroit, Mich.

July. 25. 1958

St. Louis

CARD OF THANKS

ST. LOUIS - The family of the late Hemen St. Louis (Sny) wishes to express deepest appreciation to our relatives, friends and neighbours, all who helped in our time of stress. Special thanks for floral tributes, cards and Mass offerings, to nurses and doctors of 2nd wing of Metropolitan Hospital, Dr. Thomas and Dr. Medine, also my grandsons who were pallbearers. Special thanks to the choir, Father Bastien of St. Mary's Maidstone, and ladies who helped with luncheon, Altar Society and Janisse Bros. -Mrs. Beatrice St. Louis and family.

JULY. 28. 1978

Timothy St. Louis Passes

Timothy Robert St. Louis, infant 1 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert St. Louis, R.F. 3, Essex on Tuesday, Nov. 8th in Metropolitan Hospital. Grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tracey, Woodilee and Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Maidstone. Great grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes, Mr. Tom Shanahan Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Herman St. Louis. Funeral services from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home on Thursday at 10:30 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone for Mass at 11:00 a.m. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Maidstone.

Nov. 11. 1977

Congratulations to Robert and Marlene (Tracey) St.

Louis on the baptism of their darling son, Bradley Robert 'Brad'. The St. Louis' entertained their families at which Jack and Phyllis Smythe of Long Beach Calif. attended who are visiting Phyllis' mother, Mrs. Hemen St. Louis.

MAY. 18. 1979

2. Timothy Robert St. Louis, son of Robert and Marlene (Tracey) St. Louis, born Nov. 2, 1976, with the Godparents, Michael Tracey and Doris Beaulieu. Grandparents attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Haman St. Louis and others.

Jan. 14. 1977



MR. AND MRS. ROMEO BEAULIEU

Doris Mary St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Maidstone, and Romeo Joseph Beaulieu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andre Beaulieu of St. Joachim, were wed in a recent ceremony at St. Mary's Church in Maidstone. Karen St. Louis and Michel Belisle were the attendants. Upon return from a wedding trip to Ottawa, the couple will live in St. Joachim.

OCT. 16. 1970

July 7/33 S.F.P.
Births: June 29th,
to Mrs. Mrs. Hemen
St. Louis - a son
out of 5000 paper
bags, 1983

To Celebrate 40th Wedding Anniversary



Fran and Dorothy St. Louis will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on June 19th. They were married in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, on June 19th, 1948. Their family are planning a party in their honour.

June. 7. 1988

Henricks-St. Louis Wedding

Miss Josephine St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred St. Louis, of R. R. 3, Maidstone, and Bill Henricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Henricks, of R. R. 2, Maidstone, were wed at a double ring ceremony at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Essex, on Saturday, January 14th, at 2 p.m. with the Reverend Barnes officiating.

Attending her sister, as Maid of Honour, was Miss Pauline St. Louis, and her bridesmaids were Miss Frances St. Louis, another sister; Miss Bonnie Henricks, a cousin of the groom; Mrs. Mary Washbrook and Miss Shelley Queen, friends of the bride.

Herbert Henricks attended his brother as best man and the ushers were Ronald Henricks, another brother; friends, Robert Weston and Frank Lepain, and Irvin St. Louis, brother of the bride, who flew from Colorado to be in attendance.

Little Donnie Plant and Michelle St. Louis were ring bearer and flower girl.

A reception for 130 guests followed at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Essex. Following a honeymoon to Niagara Falls and points east, Mr. and Mrs. Henricks will reside at R. R. 2, Maidstone.

Feb. 8/74 2:21 P.
So yrs Colum Feb 1/34
Hemen St. Louis purchased
The John Robinson farm
of 100 acres for 15,000

Wilfred J. St. Louis Dies

Wilfred Joseph St. Louis, 65 years, of R. R. 3 Maidstone, died on Saturday.

Surviving are his widow, nee Veronica St. Pierre; six sons, Ervin, Colorado; James, Stoney Point; Lyonel, Robert, Leon, & Victor at home; nine daughters Jeannine (Mrs. Lloyd Fields), Windsor; Marcella (Mrs. Don Guilbeault); Pauline (Mrs. Frank Lepain), St. Joachim; Marie Rose (Mrs. Kenneth Burney), Emeryville; Josephine (Mrs. William Henrick), Essex; Francis, Agnes, Patricia and Michelle, at home; 16 grandchildren, also a brother, Frank, at Gesto; five sisters, Josephine (Mrs. Bernard Doyle), Evelyn (Mrs. Lloyd Cornelius), Cecile (Mrs. Al Kemp), Beulah (Mrs. Joseph Mansfield), all of Detroit; Mrs. Lorraine Bauer, of Windsor; Marie (Mrs. Ernest Antaya), of LaSalle; Lawrence (Mrs. Gordon Battersby).

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone Cross, with burial in St. Alphonsus Cemetery Windsor.

Eugene St. Louis Sr. Passes

A lifelong resident of Sandwich South Twp., Eugene St. Louis Sr., 67, of Con. 10, died suddenly Sunday at his residence.

Mr. St. Louis retired from Ford of Canada last year. He was also a farmer.

Surviving are his widow, Marie; five sons, Eugene Jr., of Sandwich South; Harold of Kam-lachie, Ont.; Nohert, Larry and Clifford, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Henry Laframboise (Catherine) of River Canard and Mrs. Frank Little (Marjorie) of Windsor; three brother, Ernest and Wilfred of Sandwich South and Frank of McGregor; seven sisters, Mrs. Bernard Doyle, Mrs. Al Kemp, Mrs. Lloyd Cornelius, Mrs. Carl Bowers, Mrs. Joseph Lansfield, all of Detroit, Mrs. Gordon Battersby of Sandwich South and Mrs. Ernest Antaya of River Canard; and 14 grandchildren.

Services were held Wednesday at St. Anne Church at 10 a.m. Burial was in Heavenly Rest cemetery.

ST. LOUIS — Hemen (Sny), 79 years, July 15, 1978 of 11th Cons. Sandwich South Twp. Beloved husband of Beatrice (nee Carter). Dear father Francis, Mrs. Jack Shanahan, (Iris), Morris, all of Sandwich South; Louis, Belle River; Mrs. Jack Smyth (Phyllis), Long Beach, Calif.; Eddie, Windsor; Wally, Tecumseh; Mrs. Ralph O'Brien (June), Downey, Calif.; Mrs. Ray Wright (Marylynne), Windsor. Dear brother of Mrs. C. C. Corry (Lillian), Lapeer, Mich. and the late Dr. Francis, Harry, Mrs. Alma Parent, 24 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren survive. Funeral Tues. 10 a.m. from Janisse Brothers Funeral Home, 1139 Ouellette Ave. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 11 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery. Prayers Monday 8:30 p.m. Mr. St. Louis was a member of the St. Mary's Altar Society.

Romeo and Doris Beaulieu entertained after the christening of their third son, Romeo Francis, on Saturday afternoon at 5 p.m. The grandparents Andre and Juliet Beaulieu acted as Godparents with Karen St. Louis, R.N. as Godmother by proxy.

Fr. Beneteau of St. Joachim Church officiated and also blessed Doris and Romeo's new home. Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis and family also attended and placed a telephone call to Miss Karen St. Louis R.N. in Florida and all had a chat with her at her apartment.

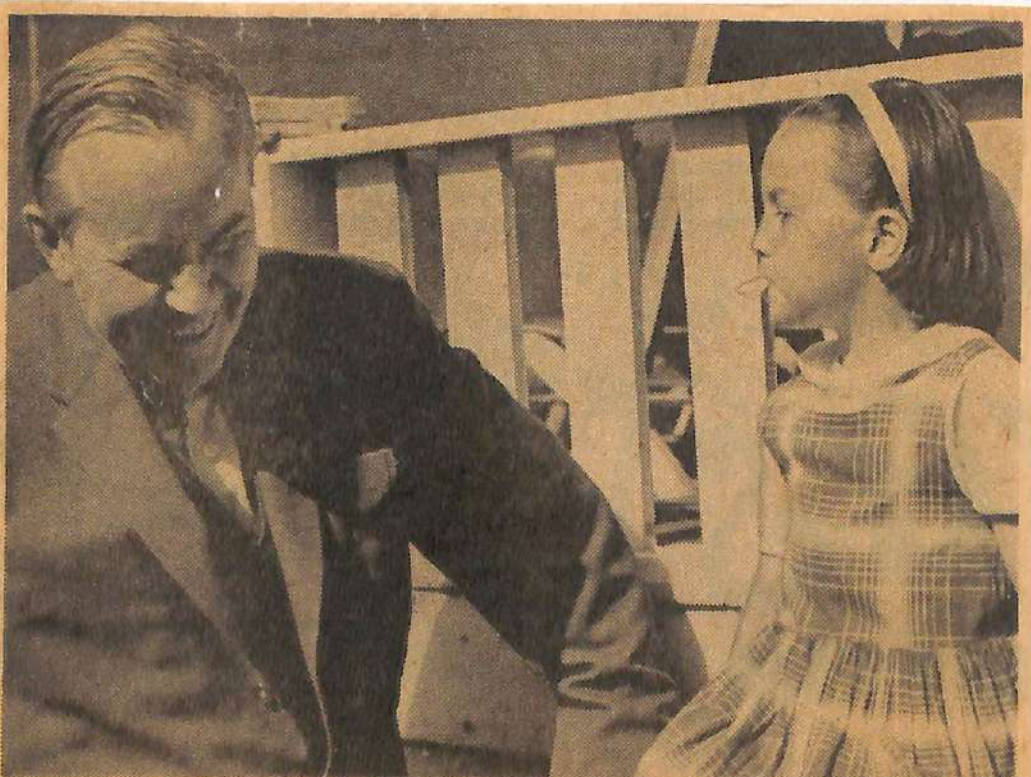
AUG. 26. 1977



Photo by JOHN COCHRAN

IT TAKES TWO— Sisters Mary Ann (left), and Denise St. Louis, aged 9 and 10, join forces to push this 105-pound pumpkin. The pumpkin grew to an incredible size at their parents' farm in Sandwich South Township.

OCT. 4. 1977



BUBBLEGUM FOR ALL — Hon. Lester B. Pearson, Canada's national Liberal leader, delivered a "bubblegum" speech in Leamington Thursday. The Liberals will bring the country prosperity, he told school children, and they all will have "all the bubblegum

you want." At Essex, he was greeted with a real "popper" when Karen St. Louis, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Sandwich South, demonstrated how this bubblegum stuff works.

(Star Staff Photo)

JUNE 8. 1962

MARCH 14. 1969

AUG 29. 1958



Jerome Paul St. Louis, son of Francis and Dorothy St. Louis of Maidstone, graduated from St. Clair College - Business Administration - Marketing.

JUNE.20.198-

Mr and Mrs. Herman St. Louis of the 11th Con. in Sandwich South will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sept. 4th. Their children, Francis, Louis, Morris, Edward and Wal-ly St. Louis and Mrs. John Shanahan, Mrs. John Smythe, Mrs. Ray Wright and Mrs Ralph O'Brien have planned a mass at 5 o'clock in St. Mary's and dinner and reception at the Canada Tavern at 6:30 pm. Their daughters June and Phyllis, who live in California will be here for the celebration. Mr. and Mrs. St Louis have lived in the same location all their lives and their many friends and relatives will join in wishing them good health and happiness for many more years.

AUG.20.1971

Four Generations of Eldest Sons . . .



ELDEST SONS — The eldest sons for four generations of the Hemen St. Louis family gathered for a picture when they celebrated the christening of seven week old Timothy St. Louis, on Sunday. They are, left to right, Francis St. Louis, grandfather; Hemen St. Louis, great-grandfather; and Robert St. Louis, the baby's father, all of the Maidstone area. Timothy's christening gown is the one his father wore and the ceremony was performed at St. Mary's Church, Maidstone by Father Marentette.

JAN.14.1977

Miss June St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Heman St. Louis, and Miss Sheila Jobin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jobin, are among a group of Grade 11 students of Essex District High School who will leave on Monday for Ottawa to tour our Parliament buildings. Miss Helen Murphy and Mr. Montieth, of Essex High School, will accompany the students. Murray Clark, M.P., will entertain the group while in Ottawa.

MAY.18.1956

Maryln St. Louis, of Sandwich Sotuh, who will marry Ray Wright, of Naylor sideroad, Maidstone Township, on September 8th, was honored at a miscellaneous shower at the Drop Inn Tavern. Hostesses to the 80 guests were Mrs John Shanahan, sister of the popular bride-elect who will be matron of honor for her sister, Miss Jean Shanahan, Mrs. Eddie St. Louis and Miss Slock who are bridesmaids.

AUG.10.1962

Wedding Reception at Lakewood

Marilyn Elaine St. Louis and Ray Wright were united in marriage Saturday at St. Mary's Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis of Maidstone, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright of Essex.

bride as maid of honor, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Eddie St. Louis, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, and Jean Shanahan, niece of the bride.

Eddie St. Louis, brother of the bride, acted as best man, and ushers were Morris and Wallace St. Louis and Lloyd Cowell.

A wedding breakfast was held at the Canada Tavern, followed by a reception for 400 guests at the Lakewood Golf and Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright left later for a motor trip to Florida, the bride wearing a brown and beige ensemble with a corsage of white orchids. On their return, they will reside on Morand St., Roseland.

Iris Shanahan attended the

Out-of-town guests included



MR. AND MRS. RAY WRIGHT

SEPT.13.1962

ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS —Robert and Marlene are happy to announce the birth of a son at Metropolitan Hospital, Windsor, on Nov. 20th. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tracey and Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis.

Nov.26.1976

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy Shanahan) on the arrival of their daughter, at Hotel Dieu, Good Friday at 3 o'clock p.m. Renee Marie was baptised at St. Mary's Church on Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Fr. John M. Fogarty. The godparents were Doris and Robert St. Louis, sister and brother of their sister. The parents entertained at dinner.

April.14.1967

Wright-St. Louis Wedding

In St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, on Saturday, September 8th, the Rev. Fr. O'Neil united in marriage Marilynne Elaine St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis, of Sandwich South and Ray Alfred Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright, of Essex.

Entering the church on the arm of her father, the bride wore a gown of white peau de soie, the bodice trimmed in chantilly lace, and the full skirt extending into a Cathedral train accented by a Dior Rose and applique lace. Her shoulder-length veil of French illusion fell from a pearl studded lace crown. She carried a crescent bouquet of orchids and stephanotis.

Mrs. John Shanahan, sister of the bride, as matron of honour, wore a mint green sheath dress with overskirt. The bridesmaids Mrs. Jerry Slack, sister of the groom, Mrs. Ed St. Louis and Jean Shanahan, niece of the bride, were dressed in similar gowns of wheat colour, all wore matching headpieces and carried bouquets of mums.

Ed St. Louis acted as best man, Lloyd Cowell as groomsman and the ushers were Morris and Wallace St. Louis.

A wedding breakfast for the immediate families was held at the Canada Tavern.

After an evening reception at the Lakewood Golf Club, Mr. and Mrs. Wright left on a motor trip to Florida.

SEPT.21.1963

St. Louis-Tracey Wed . . .



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT ST. LOUIS

On Saturday, June 16th in St. John's Church, Woodslee at 4 p.m., before an altar banked with summer floral arrangements, Marlene Anne Tracey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tracey of Woodslee and Robert Francis St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Maidstone, was married, Father Flynn officiating.

Ray J., Pat, and Mark Tracey assisted as altar boys.

The bride presented to the groom by her father wore a beautiful gown of white lace with long sleeves that gathered at the wrist. The matching train fell at her waist and her three tier veil of illusion was set on a delicate head piece of flowers. She carried red roses and white carnations.

Maid of honour was Maureen Tracey, sister of the bride. Her gown was a floral dotted swiss in baby blue with short sheer puffy sleeves, an apron that tied in a bow at the back and a wide brimmed hat to match. Maureen carried a bouquet of mums, nose gays, daisies tinted blue, and baby's breath sprinkled with ivy and fern.

The bridesmaids, gowned identically to the maid of honour were Mrs. Rosie Chevelier and Beverly Reeb, both in soft green, Mrs. Donna Piche and Karen St. Louis wearing yellow. In pink Susie Tracey and Renee St. Louis the flower girls, carried baskets of multi-coloured spring flowers.

The mother of the bride was very becoming in her fulllength gown of white flit and matching jacket with purple accessories. She wore a corsage of white roses. The mother of the groom was gowned in yellow seer-

sucker with sheer sleeves, white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Tim McAuliffe was best man while Mike Tracey, Jerome St. Louis, John Nikita, Hugh Hebert assisted as groomsmen. Ushers were Romeo Beaulieu and Ken Tracey.

The grandparents were there to wish the young couple a long life of happiness, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis, Mrs. Thomas Shanahan and "Grandma" Marshall. The grandmothers wore a corsage of carnations.



TO CELEBRATE — Mr. and Mrs. Hemen (Sny) St. Louis of Sandwich South will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 4th with a 5 p.m. mass at St. Mary's Church, Maidstone followed by a family dinner at the Canada House. The couple was married in Riverside at Our Lady of the Lake Church on Sept. 3rd, 1921. They have resided in the Windsor area ever since. Mr. and Mrs. St. Louis have nine children, 24 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. They request no gifts.

Graduate of St. Clair



Karen St. Louis, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis, of Maidstone, has accepted a position at SunCoast Hospital, Largo, Florida and will begin work in January. Karen is a 1976 graduate of St. Clair College, Windsor.

DEC. 17. 1976

Mrs. Catherine Nikita, presided at the organ and was also vocalist. She played "Theme from summer Place" and sang "Ave Maria" at communion and at offertory she sang the, "Prayer to St. Francis".

Reception for 300 at St. Joachim Church Hall followed.

Upon their return from a honeymoon in Florida, the happy couple will reside in their new home on 98 highway in Maidstone township.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis entertained recently at a double birthday party for Fran's parents, Hemen and Beatrice St. Louis, who celebrate their birthday on the same day. All the family (45 in all) enjoyed the festivities with a supper and huge decorated birthday cake, with

"Grandma and Pip!" on the frosting. Many more happy days are wished to the St. Louis' who are highly respected in this vicinity.

OCT. 4. 1974

ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS — Marlene and Robert are pleased to announce the birth of their little hockey player, Brad, weighing 6 lbs. 10 ozs., born Friday April 13, 1979 at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud grandparents are Ray and Ursula Tracey, and Dorothy and Francis St. Louis.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph O'Brien and son Bradford returned to their home in Downey, Calif., after visiting with Mrs. O'Brien's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hemen A. St. Louis of Sandwich South. The St. Louises joined the O'Briens in Montreal where Dr. O'Brien attended the Oral Surgeon's

convention. After visiting Expo they travelled to Niagara Falls and back to Windsor for a week before leaving for California.

AUG. 28. 1969

ST. LOUIS—Wilfred Joseph, 65 years, March 8, 1969, of R.R.3, Maidstone. Beloved husband of Veronica St. Pierre. Dear father of Ervin, Colorado; James, Stoney Point; Mrs. Lloyd (Jeannine) Fields, Windsor; Mrs. Don (Marcella) Gullbeault; Mrs. Frank (Pauline) Lepain, St. Joachim; Mrs. Kenneth Byrne (Marie Rose), Emeryville; Mrs. William (Josephine) Hendrick, Essex; Lionel, Robert, Leon, Victor, Francis, Agnes, Patricia and Michelle at home, 16 grandchildren. Brother of Frank, Gesto; Mrs. Bernard (Josephine) Doyle, Mrs. Lloyd (Evelyn) Corneliuss, Mrs. Al (Cecile) Kemp, Mrs. Joseph (Beulah), Mansfield, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Lorraine Bauer, Windsor, Mrs. Ernest Antaya (Marie), River Canard, Mrs. Gordon Battersby (Margaret), Maidstone. Resting at the Marcotte Funeral Home, 12105 Tecumseh Rd., Tecumseh. Funeral Tuesday, 9:15 a.m. to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 10. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Prayers Monday evening 8:00 o'clock.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF



Hemen St Louis

Born September 13, 1898

Died July 15, 1978

O Father, You are rich in mercy and desire the happiness of all; we beg of that mercy by the prayers of the holy Virgin Mary and of all the saints, to call our departed servant who has passed from this life on earth, to everlasting blessedness in Christ our Lord. Amen.

JANISSE BROTHERS
FUNERAL DIRECTORS

Beaulieu-St. Louis Wed

On Saturday, October 10th, in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone at 3:00 in the afternoon, before an altar banked with colourful autumn floral arrangements, Romeo Joseph Beaulieu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andre Beaulieu, of St. Joachim, took for his Juliette, Doris Marie St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Maidstone, Father A. J. Martette officiating with Leo Shanahan as commentator.

Jerome St. Louis and James Lavin, assisted as altar boys.

The bride presented to the groom by her father wore a beautiful white A-line gown of bridal brocade with long full bishop sleeves banded at the wrist. The matching train fell from the Empire waistline and her four tiered veil of illusion was set on a delicate Juliette headpiece of crystals and pearls. She carried white orchids.

Her sister Karen St. Louis as maid of honour wore a floor length victorian styled gown of lemon crepe. Margaret McAuliffe, Maureen Mullen and Mrs. Aline O'Connor as bridesmaids, wore identical gowns of avocado crepe with matching velvet bows as headpieces. They carried round bouquets of multi coloured fall flowers.

Mr Michael Belisle was best man while George Sylvestre, Robert St. Louis and Terry O'Connor assisted as groomsmen. Ushers were Adrian Sylvestre and Roy Deehan.

The bride's mother wore an aqua coloured dress with matching accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

The groom's mother wore a rose coloured coatdress and her corsage of pink rosebuds.

The grandparents were there to wish the young couple a long life of happiness. Mrs. Lucia Knapp of Leamington, groom's grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis, of Maidstone; Mrs. Thomas Shanahan of Maidstone and "Grandma" Marshall. The grandmothers all wore an orchid corsage.

Miss Katharine Bellaire, the bride's cousin, presided at the organ, and was also vocalist. Before mass she sang "Sound of Music", at the offertory "Ave Maria".

Reception for 300 at St Joachim Church Hall followed.

Upon their return from a motor trip to Niagara Falls, New York and Ottawa, the happy couple will reside on the East Ruscomb River Road, St. Joachim.

OCT. 23. 1970

AUG. 26. 1971

JUNE. 29. 1973

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy Shanahan) entertained at their home on 11th Con. Sand. S. on Sunday for their daughter, Karen, who graduated on Saturday from St. Clair College with a R.N. certificate. The family, friends and relatives had a delicious supper at 8 o'clock. There were 60 guests. Karen would like to thank everyone who made her day so wonderful and will be remembered always. Congratulations Karen.



JULY 2. 1976



IN KITCHENER — Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roubell of Waterloo announce the engagement of their daughter, Maelynn, to Wallace James Rodgers St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis of Maidstone. The wedding will take place June 29 at 11 a.m. in Sacred Heart Church, Kitchener.

JUNE 13. 1963



BRIDE-ELECT — Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis of Sandwich South announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn Elaine, to Ray Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright of Maiden Rd., Maidstone Twp. The wedding will take place Saturday, Sept. 8, at 11 a.m., at St. Mary's Church in Maidstone.

AUG. 17. 1962

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis of Sandwich South announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Doris, to Romeo Beaulieu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andre Beaulieu of St. Joachim. The wedding will take place on Oct. 10 at 3 p.m. in St. Mary's Church, Maidstone.

Sept. 29. 1970

Mystery Farm winner named

The winner of this week's Mystery Farm contest is Francis St. Louis of Maidstone, who correctly identified the farm occupied by Dr. Leslie Hulka of R.R.2 Maidstone.

For winning the contest, the winner will receive a \$20 merchandise voucher from Essex Sports in Essex.

JULY 26. 1983

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hemen (Sny) St. Louis, who will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sept. 4th with a mass of Thanksgiving at 5 p.m. with Rev. Fr. A. P. Marentette officiating. A dinner will follow at Canada House. The couple were married at Our Lady of Lake Church, Sept. 3rd 1921. (They were blessed with 9 children, 24 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren: five sons, Francis, Morris, Wally, all of Sandwich South; Edward, River side and Louis, Belle River; four daughters, Iris (Mrs. John Shanahan), Tecumseh; June (Mrs. Ralph O'Brien); Phyllis (Mrs. John Smythe), both of California; Mary-Lynne (Mrs. Ray Wright) of Roseland. A daughter Doris is deceased. They express a desire of no gifts from their family, relatives and friends. We wish to express from the Free Press and readers, many more years of continued happiness and good health.

SEPT. 3. 1971

After a trip to Cape Cod Mr. and Mrs. Wallis James Rogers St. Louis will live in Maidstone. They were married in Sacred Heart Church, Kitchener, with Rev. Francis Maslowski officiating. The bride is the former Maelynn Roubell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roubell of Waterloo, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Heman St. Louis of Maidstone. The couple received a papal blessing. The bride wore a gown styled along Victorian lines and embroidered with lilies of the valley. A double lace beaded crown held her fingertip hand-rolled silk illusion veil and she carried a colonial bouquet garlanded with pink sweetheart roses. Dorothy Ruthig of Kitchener was maid of honor and Dorothy Work of Waterloo, Mrs. Edward Rektor of Kitchener and Mrs. Raymond Wright of Windsor were bridesmaids. Mr. Wright was best man and ushers were Morris St. Louis, Edward St. Louis and Jack Shanabann of Windsor.

Funeral services were held this past week at St. Mary's R. C. church, Maidstone for the late Wilfred St. Louis, who passed away suddenly at his home on the 10th concession. Mr. St. Louis was a long time native of this area and leaves many relatives in this area to mourn his loss.

From here we send out our deepest feelings for the many friends and relatives of this well known local family.

MARCH 14. 1969

Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis (Dorothy Shanahan) entertained at their home on 11th Con. Sand. S. on Sunday for their daughter, Karen, who graduated on Saturday from St. Clair College with a R.N. A. certificate. The family, friends and relatives had a delicious supper at 8 o'clock. There were 60 guests. Karen would like to thank everyone who made her day so wonderful and will be remembered always. Congratulations Karen.

JULY 2. 1976

ST. LOUIS--Alex and Joyce thank God for the safe arrival of their first born, a son, Christopher Alexandre, November 20, 1982 at 9:46 p.m. 8 lbs. 7 ozs. Proud grandparents are Alex and Angie St. Louis and Wilfred and Evelyn O'Neil.

Miss Karen St. Louis, R.N. of Largo, Florida is vacationing with her parents Francis and Dorothy St. Louis and family. While here Karen acted as Maid of Honor, for the Dalke - Bosse wedding.

JULY 1. 1971

The banns of marriage were published in St. Mary's Church for the 1st call for Marilyn Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis (Beatrice Carter) to Ray Wright son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright (Lee), of Malden road, Maidstone Township. The wedding to take place at 11 a.m., September 8th at St. Mary's Church.

AUG. 24. 1967

ST. LOUIS--The family of the late Hemen St. Louis (Sny) wishes to express deepest appreciation to our relatives, friends, and neighbours, all who helped in our time of stress. Special thanks to the floral distributors, cards and masses, nurses and doctors of 2nd wing of Metropolitan Hospital, Heart unit, Dr. Thomas and Dr. McDin; also my grandsons who were pallbearers. Special thanks to the choir, Father Bastien, and ladies who helped with lunch. After Society and Janisse Bros. Mrs. Beatrice St. Louis, and family.

JULY 24. 1978

Banns of marriage were published in St. Mary's Church on Sunday for Thomas Maitre, son of Patricia (Hayes) Maitre and the late Paul Maitre, and Patricia St. Louis, daughter of Mrs. Veronica (St. Pierre) St. Louis and the late Mr. Wilfred St. Louis.

JUNE 10. 1977

A large number of friends and relatives attended the reception held in Lakewood Club on last Saturday evening honoring Marilyn St. Louis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hemen St. Louis, of Sandwich South, and Ray Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright, of Maidstone Township, who were married in St. Mary's Church by Rev. Fr. I. O'Neil. After a wedding trip they will reside in Riverside. The popular young couple have the best wishes of a host of friends.

SEPT. 14. 1962

Mar 8th - 1969 - Wilfred Joseph "65 yrs" died Mar 8th. Survived by wife Veronica (St. Pierre) 4 sons and 9 daughters, 16 grandchildren. Burial from Marcotte's, Tecumseh to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery, Windsor.

The banns of marriage were published in St. Mary's Church on Sunday for Doris St. Louis, daughter of Francis St. Louis and Dorothy Shanahan and Romeo Beaulieu.

ST. LOUIS

SEPT. 18. 1978

Birthdays are the order of the day on Walker Road this week. Those celebrating are Linda Snider on the 18th; Howard Snider on the 19th; Clifford O'Neil on the 20th. and Mrs. Clyde O'Neil on the 22nd.

JAN. 21. 1955

The banns of marriage was published in St. Mary's Church for Joseph Morris St. Louis, son of Hemen St. Louis and Beatrice Emily Carter and Darlene Zywna, of St. Theresa's Parish, Windsor, daughter of Philip Zywna and Mary Smith. The wedding to be an event in St. Theresa Church, January 28th.

JAN. 27. 1961

ST. LOUIS - Hemen. In loving memory of a dear husband, father and grandfather who passed away July 15th, 1978. We often and sit and think of him. When we are all alone. Memory is the only thing. That grief can call its own. -- Sadly missed by wife and family.

The death of Hemen (Sny) St. Louis in his 80th year was recorded in last week's issue. Deceased was a highly respected well known Sandwich South farmer of the 11th Conc. Bereaved is his beloved wife Beatrice (Carter) and nine children and five great grandchildren.

JULY 28. 1978

We, Robert and Marlene St. Louis, wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to family, friends, and neighbours for their acts of love, prayers and kindness during the loss of our darling son Timmy. Special thanks to Father Chris, Doctors Chick and Armour, and the staff of Metropolitan Intensive Care, for their excellent care, unending devotion, and above all consideration to Tim and to us and ours in our time of need and to the luncheon committee of St. Mary's Church. May God Bless each and every one of you. Your kindness shall always be remembered.

Nov. 15. 1977

ST. LOUIS - Robert and Marlene (Tracey) thank God for the safe arrival of their first born, Timothy Robert, 7 lbs., 8 ozs., November 20, 1976 at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tracey and Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis.

A lovely double ring ceremony by candlelight, at Lincoln Road United Church, Windsor, united Marilyn Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Stewart, of Windsor, and Maurice Villaire St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Heman St. Louis, of Sandwich South. Dinner followed at the Canard Valley Golf Club, for the immediate families. The couple left for a trip to Northern Ontario and on their return, will reside in Roseland.

JULY 17. 1964

ST. LOUIS

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THE OLD TIME CORNER

THE DENIS ST. LOUIS SR. FAMILY



Sunday, June 24th was a very special occasion at the Denis St. Louis Jr. homestead on E. C. Row. A great family re-union of over 200 was held bringing families as far as Pickering and Ottawa. Being a century farm occupied first by Denis' grandfather, the late Denis St. Louis Sr., five generations have lived on the same farm.

Along with a wonderful picnic, games for young and old were enjoyed by everyone, also tours of the old home that would bring back memories of good times gone by. Hayrides given by Raymond St. Louis, Denis' oldest son were the big hit of the day.

Among the oldest at the re-union were Mrs. Charlotte Janisse, 88, only remaining of the seven children of the late

Denis St. Louis Sr., born at the homestead and now residing on Moy Ave. and Mr. Edgar Gagnier, 80, father of Mrs. Denis St. Louis Jr.

It is with great sadness to everyone concerned, that some day in the near future, the home will be demolished to make way for the E. C. Row Expressway.

This picture taken January 1, 1910 in front of the homestead shows, from left to right, the St. Louis Sr. family — Front Row: Paul St. Louis (1961), Mr. and Mrs. Denis St. Louis Sr. (1939 & 1944), Bella (Mrs. Henry Parent, 1965). Back Row: Charlotte (Mrs. Louis Janisse), George (1975), Ernest (1953), Alex (1969), and Raymond (1921).

ST. LOUIS--Joyce and Alex are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter, 7 lbs., 6 ozs., Sept. 8 at 7:59am. at Metropolitan Hospital. Proud grandparents are Wilfred & Evelyn O'Neil and Alex & Angie St. Louis.

Francis Heman St. Louis and Dorothy Jean Shanahan were married.

JULY. 2. 1948

ST. LOUIS--Robert and Marleen and Brad happily announce Amy Elizabeth's arrival on March 22, 1981. First granddaughter for Ray and Ursula Tracey and Dorothy and Francis St. Louis.

Romeo and Doris (St. Louis) Beaulieu, of St. Joachim, are happy to announce the arrival of their third son,

Romeo Francis, at Metropolitan Hospital on June 21. Brother for Derek and Chad. Grandparents Francis and Mildred (Shanahan) St. Louis and great grandparents Hemen and Beatrice St. Louis and Thomas Shanahan Sr.

JULY. 1. 1977

Mr. and Mrs. "Sny" St. Louis are spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. John Smythe (Phillis) in California. Jan. 10, 1969

JAN. 10. 1969

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Francis St. Louis (nee Dorothy Shanahan) on the arrival of their daughter at Hotel Dieu.

Dec. 23. 1955

STANDISH

Sandwich South Families

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Sandwich South Families

STALLSWORTH

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STEED

CHARD—Evelyn Inez, age 77, passed away August 19, 1988 at Kingston General Hospital. Late of Trenton, Ontario. Beloved wife of Earl Chard and the late Elmer Standish. Dear mother of Mrs. Dorothy Hicks, Mount Forest, Ronald Standish, Oldcastle, Elmer Standish, Courtney, B.C., Mrs. Lawrence Lalonde (Millie) and Mrs. Donna Read, Frankford, Mrs. William Dickson (Linda), Codrington, Mrs. Terry Pearson (Sandra), Warkworth, Rick and Fred Chard, Trenton. Sister of Mrs. Peter Byrne (Dorothy) and Leroy Beals, Nova Scotia. Also survived by twenty-nine grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. Resting at the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home, 128 Talbot St. N., Essex. Visitation Tuesday, August 23 after 1 p.m. till time of service at 3 p.m. Rev. Doug Mitchell officiating. Interment Woodslee United Church Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

STALLSWORTH — In loving memory of Charles Edward Stallsworth who passed away April 18th, 1958 and Stephen James Twiner, May 17th, 1929.

So many long and lonely years have passed since God took you away and we who loved you most of all miss you more each day.

Though your smiles are gone forever and your hands we can not touch still we have so many memories of the ones we loved so much.

Your memory is our keepsake with which we'll never part. God has you in his keeping, we have you in our heart, if we could have one wish today, would be to gather in the same old way.

—Greatly missed and lovingly remembered by wife, daughter, family.



THE WINDSOR STAR, APRIL, 1965
NEW EXECUTIVE—Mrs. B. E. Stauth was elected president of the Percy McKee Home and School Association Monday night at the annual meeting. From left, Mrs. John Keown, second vice-president; Mrs. St. and Mrs. William Wall, first vice-presi-

Celebrates 90th



Gordon Alga Steed, who is celebrating his 90th birthday, takes pride in seeing the

AUG. 14. 1988

April. 16. 1982

BIRTHS

CARDER—Jason Andrew is pleased to announce the safe arrival of his baby brother, David Bradley, born Apr. 28/84 at 6:27 p.m. at Metropolitan Hospital, weighing 6 lbs. 15 ozs. Happy parents are Ron & Elaine (nee Stauth). Proud grandparents are Russ and Jean Carder and Burnie and Phyllis Stauth.

CARDER - Stauth — "My Three Sons". Ron and Elaine and brothers Jason and David, are proud to announce the safe arrival of Bryan Edward, the final edition to their family tree. Born at Met Hospital, April 23, 1987 at 4:16 a.m., weighing 8 lbs., 2 ozs. Proud grandparents are Russ & Jean Carder and Burnie & Phyllis Stauth and great-grandparents Harold & Hildred Willan.

GRONDIN—Lloyd & Gail (nee Stauth) wish to thank the Lord for the safe arrival of a darling baby daughter, Julie May at Grace Hospital, on May 26, 1984, weighing 6 lbs. 10 oz. proud grandparents are Phyllis & Burnie Stauth and Anna & Maurice Grondin.



WHEN YOU SEE CLOUDS . . .—April showers have once again brought forth spring flowers. Eleven-month-old Theresa Stacyszyn is seen here enjoying the result of Mother

Nature's magic. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Stacyszyn of Sandwich South Township.

(Star Staff Photo)



Photo by Gough Studio

A winter wedding united in marriage Linda Wessel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Wessel of 3382 Millen Street and Gary Stauth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Stauth of 4912 Howard Avenue on December 13 at Roseland United Church. Maid of honor was Ann Wuss and bridesmaids were Melody and Gloria Wessel and Elaine Stauth. Best man was Mike Labute, ushers were Mike Holden and George Brendt and ring bearer was Shawn Wiseman, nephew of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Stauth have an apartment on Wyandotte Street West.

He married in Windsor on December 25th, 1916, where he and his wife Nellie reside today. They had four children, three sons and one daughter. His eldest son, Beecham, was killed while serving as an observer with the RCAF in England on June 28th, 1944. He has four grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He looks forward to receiving the Essex Free Press each week to recall many happy days with friends and relatives in the Essex area.

His family is very proud of the part their father played in the progress of Windsor and wish him a happy 90th birthday with many more healthy, active years ahead!

great progress Essex has made over the past decade, from wooden sidewalks and mud roads to today's modern design. He recalls hearing and seeing the first explosion from the farm at the corner of the 9th conc. and townline when the railway cars carrying nitro glycerin exploded at the depot.

Born in Essex on August 13th, 1893, son of Beecham and Marietta, grandson of Gordon and Agnes Steed of Essex and Sol and Luisa Agla of Arner. Gordon moved to Windsor where he entered the carpentry trade and was employed over 36 years at Midland Lumber Company.

AUG. 12. 1983

APRIL 30. 1966

STEEL—William Howard, 87 years, died May 4, 1988 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Beloved husband of the late Clara (1980). Dear brother of Mrs. Kate Person, Windsor and the late A. W. Steel and Burns Steel. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Mr. Steel was a life member of Kent Lodge #274 and the Thomas Peters Chapter #250. Visiting in the **Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home**, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. after 2:00 p.m. Thursday. Funeral Service in the chapel on Friday, May 6, 1988 at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Jurrien Camman officiating. A committal service will be held at Evergreen Cemetery, Blenheim at 1:00 p.m. Donations to the charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family.

STEEL—Clara Elizabeth (nee Martin), 80 years, March 27, 1980 at Hotel Dieu Hospital, late residence 450 Victoria Ave. Beloved wife of William. Predeceased by brothers John and William Martin; sisters, Mrs. Art Rondot (May), Mrs. Malcolm MacAlpine (Gertrude) and Mrs. Fred Nelson (Victoria); survived by several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Steel was Past President of Roseland Women's Institute. Friends may call at the **Don Morris Funeral Home**, 68 Giles Blvd. E. where services will be held in the Memorial Chapel Sunday, March 30 at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery, Blenheim, Ontario. If you so desire, donations to the Ontario Heart Foundation would be appreciated.



Gordon and Nellie Steed

Couple celebrates 60th

For the past 60 years Christmas Day has meant a little extra to Gordon and Nellie Steed of 1578 Dougall Avenue. That's the day they were married in 1916 in the church on London Street which is now Calvary United Church, University Avenue.

The Steeds have four children. One son was killed in the air force in World War 11. There

are four grandchildren in the family, and of this past week five great-grandchildren.

Gordon worked for Midland Lumber from 1922 until retirement and he still likes to do a little carpentry around the house. Nellie has only been retired for the past two years from her Tot to Teens Toggery store. She was at Gateway Plaza for 10 years, 7

years at Southland Plaza and two years at Dorwin.

"I just can't sit down and rest" she laughed and said she keeps busy making quilts and afghans. Since this past summer she has finished five quilts and four afghans, with plenty more ideas in mind.

Mr. and Mrs. Steed planned to spend their anniversary quietly.

Dec. 21. 1976



70TH ANNIVERSARY — Mr. and Mrs. Gordon and Nellie Steed will celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary on Christmas Day. Married Dec. 25, 1916 in Windsor, they have four children, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Dec. 23. 1986

STEIN—The family of the late Katherine Stein, wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to their many relatives, friends and neighbours for their floral tributes, mass offerings, charitable donations, sympathy cards, prayers and kindnesses during the recent loss of a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. We wish to thank Rev. John Halter and a special thanks to the dedicated nurses and staff of Riverside Nursing Home for their care and love to our mother. Always loved and remembered by The Stein & Gieswein Families.

Feb. 1. 1986

YOUNG—Margaret, 81 years, August 13, 1983 at Metropolitan Hospital, late residence Morris Dr. Member of St. Michael's German R.C. Church. Beloved wife of the late Martin Young (1980). Beloved mother of Martin, Jr. and Mrs. John (Rose) Stein, of Windsor. Seven grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren also survive. Friends may call at the **James H. Sutton Funeral Home**, 1567 Ouellette Ave. Funeral service Tuesday, Aug. 16 at 9:30 a.m. to St. Michael's Church at 10 a.m. Rev. John Halter officiating. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Prayers Monday at 8 p.m.

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Nov. 24. 1986

**NOTICE
TO CREDITORS**
ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate of **KATHERINE STEIN**, late of the City of Windsor, in the County of Essex and Province of Ontario, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the 25th day of January, 1986, are required to send full particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of June, 1986, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only for the claims of which he shall then have had notice.
DATED this 17th day of May, 1986.
ROBERT J. C. McMAHON
Barrister and Solicitor
545 Ouellette Avenue
Windsor, Ontario, N9A 4J3
Solicitor for the executor

May. 24. 1986

STEIN—Katherine (nee Petri), 87 years on Jan. 25, 1986. Dear wife of the late John (1948). Dear mother of John J. and wife Rose of Emeryville and Mrs. Peter Gieswein (Mary) of Windsor. Dearest grandmother of Robert, John, Peter, John, and James, 11 great-grandchildren also survive. Resting at **The Windsor Chapel Funeral Home** 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E. until Wed. Jan. 29, 1986 at 10 a.m. then to St. Michael's German Catholic Church for funeral mass at 10:30 a.m. Interment St. Alphonsus Cemetery. Prayers Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. followed by prayers from the C.W.L. in which she was a member of. Donations may be made to The Canadian Cancer Society. Visiting after 7 p.m. Monday.

JAN. 27. 1986

STEIN

Katherine Stein is a resident of Oldcastle, living on Walder Rd. across from Historian's Home. She Windsor Star June 16th 1957

Pack Red Cross Shipment for Headquarters



Packing the first of the final shipments for this year from the Windsor Branch Red Cross Workroom are, left to right, Mrs. Ian R. McFarlane, chairman of the workroom; Mrs. Katherine Stein and Mrs. Joseph Gieswein, two workers from St. Michael's Church, and Mrs. J. S. Lockie, a member of the workroom com-

mittee. The workroom will be closed for the summer after June 27, but Mrs. McFarlane asked this morning that all finished work be turned in by June 22, to allow time for packing, as this season's quota has been a large one. New quotas will be received for fall, the workroom to open again in September.



Displaying the lovely quilt which will be a special drawing feature at the annual bazaar of the Catholic Women's League of St. Michael's Church, to be staged in the church auditorium, 2153 Parkwood Avenue, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, commencing at 6:30 o'clock, are, left to right, Mrs. Katherine Stein, Mrs. Benjamin White and Mrs. John Wolf. A home-baked goods table, an apron and fancy work booth, games and refreshments will also be featured at the bazaar.

Dec. 1952

Mrs. Margaret E. Stephens Passes

Margaret E. Stephens, of Essex, 85 years, passed away July 31, 1979.

Dear mother of Mrs. Donald Holden (Grace), Maidstone; Mrs. Marilyn Holden, Detroit; Mrs. Robert (Mac) Knight (Valda), Windsor; Clarence L. Stephens, Emeryville. 8 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be held Friday, Aug. 3rd from the Stewart L. Kennedy Funeral Home. Rev. Thomas Hunter officiating. Interment in Fairbairn Cemetery.

AUG. 3. 1979

Sincere sympathy to the family of the late Clarence Nelson Stephen's family, who reside on No. 3 Highway next to the United Church Rectory. Mr. Stephens, 64 years old, died Sunday at Metropolitan Hospital. Deceased is survived by his wife Margaret, his father Nelson Stephens of Tecumseh, one son, Clarence, at home and four daughters, Audrey, Mrs. Gerald Ferriss, of Cottam; Marilyn, Mrs. Edward Holden, of Detroit; Valda, Mrs. Robert Knight of Windsor; and Grace, Mrs. Donald Holden, of the B. Collins Sub-division at Maidstone. Funeral was held Wednesday from the S. L. Kennedy Funeral Home. Rev. A. Anderson and Rev. Stanley Clark officiating. Burial in Fairbairn Cemetery.

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STEPHENS

Sandwich South Families

STERNBAUER

STEPHENS — Dorothy, 76 years, July 17, of Lesperance Rd., Sandwich S. Twp. Wife of the late Roy Stephens. Dear mother of Clayton, Windsor; Oscar, at home; and the late Melville. Grandmother of Mrs. Don Bernachi (Sandra) Regina, Sask.; Mrs. Gerard Cecile (Sharon), Kingsville; Melroy Stephens, Tecumseh, and Deborah and Colleen Stephens of Ottawa. 14 great-grandchildren. Sister of Harvey Fields, Tecumseh; Peter, Joseph, David Fields; Mrs. Frank Kelly (Adeline); Mrs. Dave Peters (Sophie), Windsor; Mrs. Alex Chevalier (Mary), Woodlee. Resting at the Marcotte Funeral Home 12105 Tecumseh Rd. Tecumseh. Funeral Tuesday at 9:30 to St. Anne Church, Tecumseh at 10. Interment St. Anne Cemetery. Prayers Monday 8 p.m.



60 years for the Sternbauers

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sternbauer of 143 Arlington Blvd., St. Clair Beach will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on April 17. Philip and Margaret will host a reception in their honour at the Teutonia Club, Edinborough Ave. on Saturday, April 17 beginning at 6:30 p.m. All their relatives, friends and neighbours are invited. No gifts, please.

The Sternbauers came to Canada in 1928 from Tmes Gyarmata, Hungary. They have two children, five grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

April. 14. 1976

Tomek salesman still active at age 82

Sternbauer

WINDSOR — Phillip Sternbauer is still active in the seller's market, working with Michael Tomek Realty of Windsor. This normally would be of only local interest but in addition Mr. Sternbauer was 82 years old on September 5. His life history spans the rise and fall of many nations and indeed he was there to see much of

it happen.

He was born in 1893, in Temes Giarmata, a village in the province of Banat. It was near the Hungarian city of Temesvar, today a city larger than Windsor.

His father was the manager of a 1000 acre farm growing wheat, corn and oats. Young Phillip walked three miles to school, and took

the basics, reading, writing and arithmetic until he was 11 years old. When harvest time came, school was over. Wheat was cut by hand, with scythes and gathered into bundles by the farm laborers. At thirteen years of age, he was a full fledged servant just like all of the other workers. He used to drive a team of 4

horses, plowing from 4:00 in the morning until sundown. The pay was meagre; \$20.00 per month in today's money.

The army appealed to Phillipso, at age 19, he joined the Hungarian 1st Hussar regiment. Not for riches, that's for sure; military pay was only 10 cents per day. Phillip attended school for under officers for 6 months. This was the equivalent of the modern non-commissioned officers courses. Upon graduation, he was promoted to corporal. There were 300 in his regiment, 6 squadrons of 50 men.

The Hungarian military had its first mobilization in 1912. It lasted 6 months, then things quieted down.

In 1914, war broke out and Phillip became a sargeant. He was put in charge of a detachment of 60 men and 100 horses for the transfer of army telephone equipment by covered wagons and pack horses.

The detachment spent two months on the Danube against Yugoslavia.

With the coming of winter, he saw action in the Carpathian mountains on the Russian front. Thousands of soldiers were frozen to death in temperatures reaching 30 and 40 below zero. In the rough fighting, thousands more died.

Another promotion followed, that being sargeant-major.

With the coming of

March, came a transfer to the Italian front in the Austrian Alps. After 2 months of no enemy contacts, his detachment travelled to the Karst front and Isonzo front where they fought the Italians until 1917. At that juncture, they broke 100 miles into Italy; right up to the Piawa River. Eight months of renewed fighting finally ended with the capitulation of the Hungarian government. The war was over. Phillip consulted with officer friends and with the help of a Yugoslov captain got permission to take 10 wagons with horses back to Hungary.

From there onwards, he rode the corps commandments own horse. The 1200 mile trip took almost a month. He was forced to sell the horse (an excellent Irish thoroughbred) for \$50. He got a job as assistant manager on a farm and after 6 months, his managers papers.

His good fortunes were not to last, however. Within two years, the Roumanian government expropriated all farms. The army tried to draft him into their ranks for 2 years. He refused, he had had enough of armies and fighting.

Finally, he became fed up; he could see no future in Roumania so he decided to come to Canada. On the 27 of March, 1928, he landed. He proceeded to a Winnipeg immigration home

where farmers picked up new labour.

It seemed to him that all of the local community were immigrants like himself. Phillip wanted to work for a Canadian farmer so with his last five dollars, he sneaked out, got a ticket to Calgary.

Between Regina and Saskatoon, he met Jack Dolan. Jack promised his \$35 for the first month and \$40 for the second. Phillip was treated as an equal; he ate very well and even got cigarettes from town. After finishing the 630 acres, there was no more work to be done, so he took his \$100 (instead of the \$75 promised) and went to Chicago.

He stayed with his brother, saved \$300 and applied for his wife and children to come over. In 1929, the family was reunited in Windsor. The depression was to hit however, but he cut lawns all summer to earn enough for food. Each lawn took two hours to cut; there were 56 places at 25 cents each.

Through some generous people he got clothes for everyone. He was fortunate in that he found employment with Fords for \$3.00 a day; two days one week, and three the next. His wife, Margaret worked for \$3 per week and together, they saved enough to buy a house for \$2,500. it was \$250 down and \$25 per month.

A year after, the

underpass on Wyandotte Street was started and the family had to move. They lived in the basement of their new house and rented the upstairs. Finally they bought a farm. Phillip was fired from Fords because he bought a John Deere tractor. "Someone squealed on me."

The family raised chickens, pigs, cattle on Pillette Road and expanded in 1940 with another 30 acres and a slaughterhouse. They butchered for 20 years and in 1958 sold the whole farm. It eventually became the Windsor airport.

Phillip bought an apartment building, and got into other business ventures, including real estate. He was 65 years old. In 1960, he joined Mike Tomek's staff and has been active there ever since. He is happily settled now, with his two children producing 5 grandchildren who in turn are providing even more enjoyment with great grandchildren.

"Of course, I spoil them," he admits. "That's what grandfathers are for."

At 82 years old, he's certainly not a young man; but you certainly couldn't tell, not by watching him on the dance floor. He enjoys talking about the old days and his eyes really light up when he remembers all the good times.

Slow down? Never.

At this rate, he'll last another 50 years.



PHIL STERNBAUER on the phone to a prospective buyer. He's still active on the real estate market.



Mr. Phillip Sternbauer, his wife, and the unsolicited mail that he has been receiving

NOV. 6. 1975

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Mother Rescues 3 as Home Burns

STEUBING

Descends Tree With Youngest

Kicks in Front Glass Door,
Brings Out Other Children

A young mother carried one of her three children down a tree trunk when a roaring fire swept through the family's home near Maidstone village in Sandwich South Twp., Tuesday night.

Mrs. William Strieburg then kicked in the front door to pull the other two children to safety. A matter of minutes later the second story crumbled into the first as the wind-whipped flames consumed the residence.

Mrs. Strieburg had gone upstairs to attend her two-year-old son, Jeffrey, when one of the two children downstairs yelled "The house is on fire."

She rushed to the top of the stairs to find the entire kitchen a seething mass of flames. The fire was rapidly eating into the second-floor bedroom when she grabbed the two-year-old and broke the bathroom window. With the child in her arms she slithered down the trunk of a tree just outside the window. She then kicked in the front door glass and brought out three-year-old Wayne and her five-year-old daughter.

Mrs. Michael Palenchar, who lives across Highway 3, called Anderdon Twp. firemen. The two-story frame house, about 60 years old, was located on the north side of the highway a mile west of Maidstone.

Firemen found the entire building ablaze when they arrived and they turned their hose streams on a large garage a short distance away. Firemen

Mother

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attributed rain falling at the time with preventing numerous other small fires which might have been set off in the neighborhood by flying sparks and debris.

Mr. Strieburg, a printer by trade, was attending a union meeting in Windsor at the time.

The two older children were downstairs watching TV when the fire broke out in the kitchen. Mrs. Strieburg apparently threw a still-burning match into a wastebasket after lighting the stove pilot light, touching off the fire. The blaze started at 7:45 p.m.

Mrs. Strieburg suffered a leg cut on the jagged window glass. The baby was left at the home of Mr. Palenchar, across the street, and the rest of the family are with friends in Windsor.

Shortly after Mrs. Strieburg carried the last two children to safety, the family's great dane leaped through the hole in the front door. The family lost everything they owned except the clothes they were wearing.

Mr. Strieburg came to Windsor from Toronto this spring. He had just bought the house.

Anderdon Twp. firemen, using a pumper and a tank truck, encountered no water difficulties. They were still wetting down the smouldering basement ruin three hours later. The eight firemen were under the direction of Chief A. J. Delise.



FIRE DESTROYS FARM HOME NEAR MAIDSTONE

Fire broke out on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Steubing on Highway 3, formerly owned by Geo. Hornsby. When the fire was noticed Mrs. Steubing rushed upstairs to bring her 3 children to safety. By the time the Anderdon Fire Department arrived the fire was out of control and the home is a total loss. Sandwich South misses the old style Fire Call on the telephone. Places can be burning and a neighbour unaware of the fire.

Nov. 23. 1966

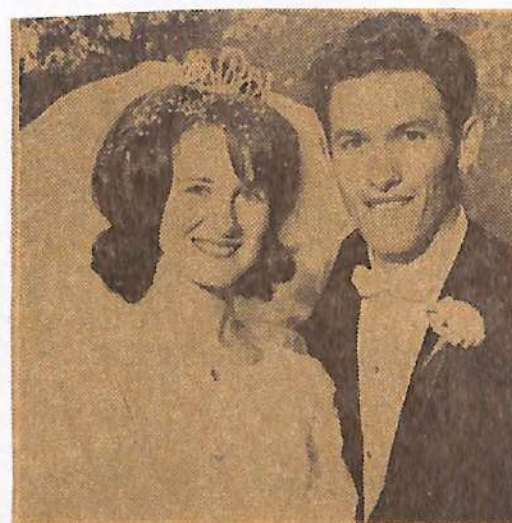


Bernice and Keith Stieler, of Bracebridge, formerly of Windsor, are proud to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter Debra Ellen, to William Renton, of Bracebridge, son of Art and Marion Renton. The wedding will take place on October 11, 1980 in Bracebridge.

Sept. 26. 1980

Sandwich South Families

STIELER



MR. AND MRS. VOLKER HAAS

Maidstone United Church was the setting for the wedding of Mary Jane Stitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Stitt of Maidstone, to Volker Frank Haas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haas of Maidstone. Linda Grace Stitt was her sister's maid-of-honor and William Burrows Jr. was best man. After a trip to the mid-western states and Northern Ontario, the couple will reside in Kingsville.

June 5. 1969

BREAULT —Marcel and Linda (nee Stitt) and big sister Lindsay are pleased to announce the safe arrival of Ryan Raymond, born April 5, 1987 at 7:28pm., weighing 8 lbs., 11 ozs. Happy grandparents are Mrs. Germaine Breault and Mr. & Mrs. James Stitt and grampa Raymond Breault smiling down from above. Our sincere thanks to the case room and staff at Grace Hospital.

STITT—Abraham, 77 years, July 21, 1965 at St. Thomas. Late of RR 3, Maidstone. Beloved husband of Margaret Stitt. Dear father of Mrs. C. Routliffe (Olive), Windsor; Mrs. S. Queen (Stella), Maidstone; Mrs. George Brooke (Jean), Windsor; James and Harvey, Maidstone. Dear brother of Jack Stitt, Rankin, Ontario; Mrs. Joseph Bishop (Violet), Windsor. 10 grandchildren. Funeral service in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. East at Devonshire Road, Saturday, July 24 at 1 p.m. Rev. John G. Duffy officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

STITT—The family of the late Margaret Stitt wishes to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to all their relatives, friends and neighbours for floral tributes, donations to Bethel Maidstone Church, sympathy cards and numerous acts of kindness, love and sympathy during the loss of a beloved Mother, Grandmother, and Great-Grandmother. Special thanks to nurses of second floor north at Grace Hospital, Dr. D. Foster, Rev. Herbert Wonfor, the United Church Women at Bethel Maidstone, Pallbearers and the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home. God bless you all.—The Stitt Family.

Mrs. Margaret Stitt Passes

Margaret May Stitt, 88 years, of Maidstone, passed away on Tuesday, September 1st at Grace Hospital.

She was predeceased by her husband Abraham Stitt (1965).

She is survived by her daughters, Mrs. Olive Routliffe, of Windsor; Mrs. Stella Queen, Maidstone; Mrs. Jean Brooke, Windsor; sons, James, of Essex, Harvey of Windsor; 11 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren; brothers, Harv Hicks, of Maidstone, Edgar Hicks, Kitchener, Cardinal Hicks, Clifford Hicks and Sam Hicks, Belles Rapids.

Mrs. Stitt was a life member of Bethel-Maidstone United Church Women.

Funeral Services were held from the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, Windsor, on Thursday, to the Bethel-Maidstone United Church, on Friday, with Rev. Herbert W. Wonfor officiating. Interment in Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

Sept. 11. 1981

Sandwich South Families

STOWE

July 30th 1965 - Abraham Stitt, 77, R.R. 3, Maidstone died last week in St. Thomas, after lengthy illness. Born in Mansfield, Que., lived in Windsor 13 yrs. before moving to Maidstone in 1927. He was a crane operator at Ford of Can. Ltd., until he retired in 1956 after 41 years service. Survived by widow, Margaret sons James & Harvey of Maidstone. Three daughters - 10 grandchildren. Funeral from Walter D. Kelly Home, Windsor, Rev. John G. Duffy officiating. Burial in Victoria Cemetery.

STITT—Abraham, 77, of RR 3, Maidstone, died Wednesday in St. Thomas, after a lengthy illness. Born in Mansfield, Que., he lived in Windsor 13 years until he moved to Maidstone in 1927. He was a crane operator at Ford of Canada Ltd. until he retired in 1956 after 41 years service. Mr. Stitt attended Bethel United Church, Maidstone. Surviving are his wife, Margaret; sons, James and Harvey, both of Maidstone; daughters, Mrs. C. (Olive) Routliffe and Mrs. George (Jean) Brooke, both of Windsor, and

Mrs. S. (Stella) Queen of Maidstone; brother, Jack of Rankin, Ont.; sister, Mrs. Joseph (Violet) Bishop of Windsor; and 10 grandchildren. Funeral Saturday 1 p.m. from Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E., Rev. John G. Duffy officiating. Burial in Victoria Cemetery.

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Surviving are his widow, Margaret; sons, James and Harvey, both of Maidstone; daughters, Mrs. C. (Olive) Routliffe and Mrs. George (Jean) Brooke, both of Windsor, and Mrs. S. (Stella) Queen, of Maidstone; brother, Jack, of Rankin, Ont.; sister, Mrs. Joseph (Violet) Bishop, of Windsor; and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday 1 p.m. from Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, Windsor, Rev. John G. Duffy officiating. Burial was in Victoria Cemetery.



STUFFING BEE—The Christmas Seal committee of the Essex County Tuberculosis Association held a "stuffing bee" at Essex United Church to prepare seals for distribution to area residents. The association hopes this year to raise \$15,000 through the seals for preventive work and health education. A mailing list of 15,000 persons has been prepared. From left, Mrs. J. B. Henderson, association executive secretary, and Mrs. James Stitt of Maidstone.

Nov. 15. 1965

STITT—Margaret May, 88 years, Sept. 1 1981 at Grace Hospital, late of Maidstone. Beloved wife of the late Abraham Stitt (1965). Dear mother of Mrs. Olive Routliffe Windsor; Mrs. Stella Queen, Maidstone; Mrs. Jean Brooke, Windsor; James Stitt, Essex; and Harvey Stitt, Windsor. 11 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Dear sister of Harv Hicks, Maidstone; Edgar Hicks, Kitchener; Cardinal Hicks, Clifford Hicks, and Sam Hicks, Belles Rapids, Ont. Mrs. Stitt was a Life Member of Bethel-Maidstone United Church Women. Resting in the Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home, 1969 Wyandotte St. E. until Thursday evening at 9 p.m. The funeral service will be held at Bethel-Maidstone United Church on Friday, Sept. 4 1981 at 11 a.m. Rev. Herbert W. Wonfor officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery. In kindness donations to Bethel-Maidstone United Church Building Fund would be appreciated as your expression of sympathy.



Mr. and Mrs. James Stitt of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane to Volker Haas, son of the Frans Haas of Maidstone. The wedding wedding will take place May 31 at 4 p.m. in Maidstone United Church.

We congratulate Miss Edna Stowe of Windsor on her letter on the Star's Editorial Page on July 28th. Edna is the daughter of the late Charles Stowe and Margaret Kane well known residents of Maidstone Twp. and was born and raised here until she went to Ottawa as Private Secretary to a Federal Minister.

Congratulations to Dr. Robert and Judy R.N. (Mahon) Walker on the safe arrival of their baby daughter Kristen Mary, 6 lbs. 13 ozs. on Oct. 6th at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Brother Jason is a happy little fellow with his sister.

Miss Edna Stowe underwent major surgery at Grace Hospital last week and is as well as can be expected. Her many friends and nieces and nephews are hoping for and wishing her well with better health.



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Stowe of South Woodslee announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Lou, to David Franklin Pinkney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Isaacs of Longfellow Avenue. The wedding will take place Sept. 20 at 4 p.m. in South Woodslee United Church.

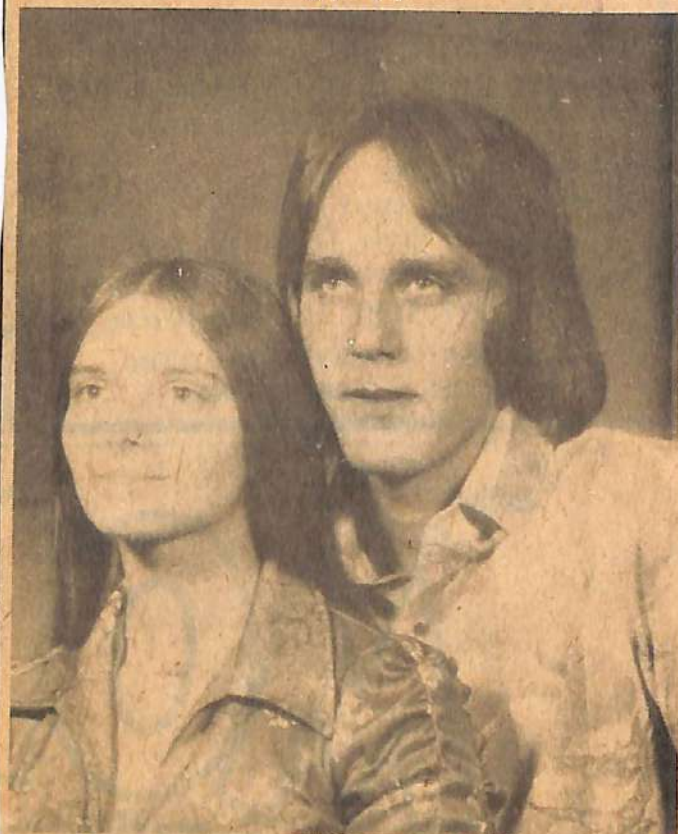
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Pinkney-Stowe Engagement . . .



Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stowe, of South Woodslee, announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Lou, to David Franklin Pinkney, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Isaacs, of Windsor. The wedding will take place at the South Woodslee United Church on September 20th, at 4 o'clock.

SEPT. 5. 1975



- Photo by Gough Studios

On Saturday, September 20, Cynthia Lou Stowe, daughter of Kenneth Stowe of South Woodslee was married to David F. Pinkney son of William G. Isaacs of 4042 Longfellow at South Woodslee United Church. Cynthia's maid of honor was Sheila Faith Stowe. Best man was Robin E. McCann. The young married couple went to Pocomos Mts. in Pennsylvania and will reside in Woodslee on their return.

OCT. 2. 1975



Edna Stowe, of Windsor, attended Essex High School from 1908 to '11 and found a picture of herself among the memorabilia in the Decade Room from 1885 to 1925 during the centennial reunion last week. She worked for the ministry of transportation in Ottawa in the marine department where she was administrator of Canadian harbours and wharfs.

PLEASANT PARK

Mrs. Ivan Ennis was a guest, this week, of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Hyatt, of Cottam.

Laurier Stowe, aged 66, passed away at the I. O. D. E. Hospital on December 23rd after a lengthy illness. Laurier was born on the McCann Road. He was the son of the late Charles Stowe and Margaret Kane and attended the 6 Corner School. He is survived by 1 sister Edna, 2 sisters passed away some years ago, Mrs. Frank Hayes (Dorothy) and Miss Beatrice, 3 neices and 4 nephews. His funeral took place on Friday morning from the Janisse Bros. Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church for Requiem Mass with interment in St. Mary's Cemetery in the family plot. The pall bearers were Harold Hayes, Henry Lankin, John Turton, John Lankin, Bob Turton and Mr. McKeown.

JAN. 2. 1970

Laurier Charles Edward Stowe passed away at I.O.D.E. Hospital on December 23rd of Emphesema, having been hospitalized since August 28th. Born in Maidstone Twp. 71 years ago, only son of the late Charles Stowe (1942) and Margaret Kane (1921), deceased had been a farmer, all his life. Having resided in Anderdon Twp. with his dear sister, Miss Edna Stowe, after her retirement from being a secretary in a Ottawa government office. Predeceasing him were two sisters, Miss Beatrice Stowe (1961) and Dorothy (Mrs. Frank Hayes) in 1931. Besides his sister Edna, he is survived by three nieces and four nephews and 27 grandnieces and grandnephews. Funeral was held on Saturday morning with the pastor, Rev. Fr. A. P. Marentette saying the Mass and graveside service in St. Mary's Cemetery, in the family plot. Six nephews acted as pallbearers. R.I.P.

JAN. 2. 1970

STOWE

Laurier Stowe Dies

Laurier Stowe of River Front, Anderdon Township, passed away December 3rd, 1969, at I. O. D. E. Hospital, Windsor. He had been in the hospital some four months. Laurier was the son of the late Charles and Margaret (Kane) Stowe, dear brother of Miss Edna Stowe, Anderdon, and the late Beatrice Stowe and Mrs. Francis (Dorothy) Hayes. Three nieces, four nephews, Mrs. Henry Lankin, Tecumseh, Mrs. Robert Else, Warren, Mich., Mrs. Edmond Mahon, Pleasant Park, Mr. Leo Hayes, Windsor, Mr. Harold Hayes, Essex, Mr. Robert Turton, Windsor, Mr. John Turton, Crystal Beach and twenty-seven grand nephews and nieces also survive.

Laurier or 'Larry' as he was known by many was well and favourably known throughout the surrounding district. For some years he engaged in farming with his father and also operated a saw-mill and various threshing outfits. During the war he was engaged in war work in Wallaceburg and after the end of the war was employed for some years by the Gordon Manufacturing Company in Wallaceburg. In 1957 along with his sisters Edna and Beatrice, he moved to the present home on the River Front, Anderdon Township, where he engaged in farming and gardening until about two years ago when ill health forced his retirement.

The funeral was held Saturday, December 27th, from Janisse Brothers Funeral Home, Windsor, to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, with interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, Maidstone. Rev. A. P. Marentette, Parish Priest officiating.

Five nephews were pallbearers: Harold Hayes, John Turton, Robert Turton, Henry Lankin, and John Lankin, and long time friend, R. E. 'Mac' McCune.

JAN. 2. 1970

Miss Edna Stowe has returned to her home in Ottawa, after a three weeks' stay at the bedside of her sister Beatrice, who is still confined, although convalescing, at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Edna was pensioned from her government position last year and travelled extensively for a year. She is now engaged as a private tutor, teaching English, to the Turkish legates at Ottawa.

NOV. 5. 1954

The Windsor Star Tuesday, September 25, 1979



Star Alert

John Fitzgerald — Bureau Chief

On July 20, the weed control unit in Sandwich West Township cut seven acres of weeds on my property near Oldcastle. This was done without my knowledge and cost me a lot of money. In fact, I have been charged \$192 for 16 hours work. I cut half of this seven-acre field with a rotary cutter just two weeks before — a job that took me only three-and-a-half hours. I would have cut the whole field at that time except the ministry of natural resources had told me to leave a weed cover on part of the field. The ministry had agreed to plant some trees as part of one of its programs and wanted to know what weeds to spray to protect the young trees. I'm angry because I was never notified. I should have at least been given a chance to finish the job myself. Secondly, the weed control unit damaged six of my trees and may have caused damage to a septic tank. Thirdly, I was overcharged. I should have been charged for three hours — not 16. I still feel a man's home is his castle. Can you help me out? — F. Stratil, Oldcastle.

Following a letter from Star Alert, the township's weed inspector visited your property and worked out an arrangement satisfactory to you.

Its cutting bill has been slashed from \$192 to \$48.

Apparently, the township acted on a complaint from a neighbor who feared your weeds would harm his crops.

It required the township 16 hours to finish the job because two men with two tractors made three separate trips to your property.

The settlement included compensation for the six damaged trees.

People owning a minimum of two acres of open land qualify for the ministry's special reforestation program.

For more details about the tree-supplying program write the ministry's Chatham district office at Box 1168, 435 Grand Ave. W., Chatham.

Bruce Stribe well-known car salesman will be back in the Windsor district as a representative of Downtown Motors again. Bruce will be returning from Detroit after a number of years selling across the border.

JULY. 11. 1958

Salesman Bruce Stribe, now with Downtown Motors, paid a visit here last week to greet old friends. Mr. Stribe has moved from Detroit back to Windsor, and reports a new business of leasing automobiles, which looks like a coming new business and will be most economical for those who cover many miles in a year. People like doctors, salesmen, business men and other heavy users of cars, claim it would be easier to rent a car instead of buying outright.

NOV. 7. 1958

STRATTON—Gwen E., Reg. N., at Metropolitan Hospital, Jan 2, 1983. Late of Maidstone. Wife of the late Dr. H. Gordon Stratton (1974). Dear mother of Robert Stratton, Mrs. James Manton (Gail), Windsor; Mrs. Trent Schaubel (Carole), Stoney Creek; Mrs. Douglas Minard (Mary Anne), Owen Sound; Mrs. John Johns (Joanne), Maidstone. Predeceased by daughter Diane. 12 grandchildren. Sister of William Wallace, Campbellville. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellette Ave. Funeral service Wed. Jan 5, 1983 at 1 p.m. Rev. Donald C. Wilson officiating. Interment Roschill Cemetery, Amherstburg. In kindness memorial contributions may be made to the Ontario Heart Fund.

STREIB—Freda Mary, 83 years, on March 16, 1988 at Hotel Dieu hospital, predeceased by her husband Bruce D. (1975). Dear Mother of John F., Christal Lake Ill.; Robert B., Toronto. Also survived by 2 grandchildren. Resting at The Anderson Funeral Home 895 Ouellette Ave. Friday March 18, at 6p.m. until time of Funeral Service on Sat. March 19 at 11a.m. Rev. Paul G. Currie officiating. Interment Greenwood Cemetery, Ridgetown Ont. Donations to the charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family.

March 10. 1988

STROHM—Eileen Grace, age 22 years, January 13, 1970, late of 2035 University Ave. Beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Strohm, Harrow. Dear sister of (Margaret) Mrs. Peter Thomas, Windsor; Mervin, Marilyn and Barbara, Harrow. Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strohm, Windsor. Resting Gerald A. Smith Funeral Home, 197 King St. W., Harrow. Funeral Thursday, 11 a.m., at St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Rev. William Graham officiating. Interment Victoria Memorial Cemetery. The family would appreciate memorials to St. Andrew's Church.

Sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Strohm of Amherstburg in the death of their son Mervin Clarence (Bud) 30 years in Edgewood, B.C. Cremation service was held in British Columbia.

MAY. 30. 1980

PAQUETTE

To Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Strohm and family, of Harrow, and to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strohm of Windsor we extend our deepest sympathy in the sudden death of a beloved daughter, sister and granddaughter, Eileen Grace, aged 22 years in Grace Hospital on Tuesday Jan. 13th. Deceased's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strohm, and family formerly resided in Sandwich South on Con. 9.

JAN. 23. 1970



TWIN TROUBLE—Another year of confusion has ended for Mrs. Leonard Strong (back row, centre), a school bus driver for Essex Transportation, and the five sets of twins she takes to and from St. Mary's School in Maidstone. The twins, posing in front of their favorite bus, are: back row, from

left Cathy and Ricky Wellwood, 13; Mrs. Strong, the driver, Jean and Joan Sigrist, 11; middle row, Ken and Keith, 9; and Don and Dan Bissonnette, 6; front row, Paulette and Paulette Gemus, 5. Some of the twins are identical, which at times creates amusing situations.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strong, of Windsor, will move into their home this week on No. 3 Highway purchased from Mrs. Edward Deehan of Windsor.

Nov. 7. 1958

STURGESS—Isabelle Z. 81 Years. Died May 8, 1984 at Grace Hospital. Late of Regency Park Lodge. Beloved wife of the late Ernest Sturges (1982). Dear mother of Theresa (Mrs. Ralph Crittenden) Detroit, Mich. Dear sister of Lilly (Mrs. Edward Lilley), Windsor. Dear cousin of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brackell, Windsor. Dear aunt of Doris (Mrs. Edward Maisonneville) Cobourg, Ont., Lorraine, (Mrs. Clifford Catton) Windsor and other nieces and nephews. Also survived by eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Visiting in The Walter D. Kelly Funeral Home 1969 Wyandotte St. E. After 1:00 p.m. on Thurs., until 10:00 a.m. on Fri., May 11, 1984 thence to Immaculate Conception Church for service at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Father Ouellette officiating. Interment Heavenly Rest Cemetery. Prayers Thurs., evening at 8:00 p.m.

STURGEON—The wife of the late Fredrick Sturgeon wishes to express her sincere thanks and appreciation to relatives, neighbours, friends, for their floral tributes, charity gifts, cards and visits. Special thanks to nurses on 4th floor west at I.O.D.E. Hospital, Dr. Bhatt, Dr. Foster, Captain A. Haggarty and staff of Morris Funeral Home. Your kindness will always be remembered. Ivy Sturgeon.

Artistic Pen Work Is His Talent . . .



PAINSTAKING WORK — Fred Sturgeon creates one of his designs in pen flourishing. His flowing and decorative writing is in demand for testimonials, certificates and individually written wedding invitations. Self-taught, he has been perfecting his style for 50 years since he admired the ancient writings of monks and decided he could write with a similar style.

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PRETTY AND FANCY — One of the names Fred Sturgeon has written as a calling card. He inscribes names in this style or others similar on certificates, testimonials, or wherever required.

by Evelyn Walker

Ambition to be a good writer, artistic ability, and a desire for perfection has made Fred Sturgeon of Maidstone, a master of the lost part of the scribe.

He does pen flourishing and artistic pen work for hand engraving of diplomas, testimonials and invitations.

It has taken him 50 years to reach what to you and me seems to be the ultimate in perfection but he says he is still improving his technique and finds daily practice essential. He can write your name in a variety of styles.

"A man doesn't live long enough to do all a pen will do," Fred claims.

It's a hobby to him, but as with everything he does, Fred takes it seriously. For practice, this artistic perfectionist does designs with birds as the central figure in a kind of ethereal setting of flowing lines that forms a fanciful picture. Or he makes geometric designs.

His work is in demand by brides who want their invitation beautifully and originally addressed, or by those wanting testimonials or certificates written by hand. To those who appreciate his beautiful flowing writing, it is something they can't get anywhere else.

For one who had barely learned to write when he left public school on the Canadian prairies in the early 1900s, his ambition to be a good writer was fulfilled long ago. He's self taught, getting his ideas from books.

"I look at something and decide I'm going to do that design," or "I see something in my head and then I sit down and do it". And he sits for hours and hours perfecting the new idea. He has dime-sized callous on the side of his little finger from the long hours of rubbing against the paper as he writes.

At one time he did different types of script but as he says, "Printers got script

type twenty years ago so I switched to flourishing." He also etched glass at one time. In 1959 he was invited by the Pacific National Exhibition to display his work there and they awarded him a medal in recognition of its excellence.

He works with a flexible flourishing pen, an item that is almost unavailable. As he writes a testimonial or any inscription of several lines he checks each line with a micrometer. In making the flourishes he depends more on feel than on sight using a wrist motion for most work.

Admiration of the work of ancient monks and scribes along with his artistic urge has sent him on a never-ending search for a perfected technique. The result is an ability to write with free flowing lines so appropriate for inscriptions on certificates or testimonials or to give distinction to any written form.

OLDCASTLE HIGHLIGHTS

By Carson Jessop.

One of John Sullivan's cows caused some flurry here the past week and was rescued by some of the local Co-op men. Bossie had layed down for a nap and a little extra chew on her cud and ended up in a small furrow in the ground and was unable to get up and was floundering around when she was discovered by one of the local customers. Local lads rushed to the scene and helped her on her feet in time to save possibly a dead cow. Cows cannot speak to show their appreciation, but this one did give the local boys one of them soft female looks to show that she was glad for the help.

Nov. 1952

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Circle No.1 are holding a rummage Sale on Saturday, March 30th, in the basement of the library.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert LaRonde (Nora Sullivan) visited with relatives on their returning to their home in East Sullivan, Quebec, after a month's trip through the Southern States as far as Arizona. They visited friends in Phoenix and Tucson and visited with Dr. James and Mrs. Cannon (Ethel Sullivan) in Oklahoma City, Okla. and with the Cannon's daughters, Miss Mary and Ruth, Mrs. Thos. Brown. On their way back they visited with Mrs. Vera Hergott in Breslau and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Donald LaRonde, Dick who is attending Loyola University, and Miss Anne and Ruth, all of Montreal.

march 24 . 1957

The Community was shocked and saddened on Wednesday morning on hearing of the sudden death of John L. Sullivan at the Sullivan Century-Old Farm, on Hwy. 3 of a coronary attack. Seemly in good health as he had been around the neighbourhood each day. Deceased was the son of the late Eugene and Annie Sullivan, born Aug. 27, 1899 on the farm where he lived and farmed all his life. Left to mourn his passing is his brother Gerald of Lexington, Ky. and sister Pauline, Mrs. Henry Meloche, of Detroit, a niece Sister Doris Ann, I.H.M. of Glengarda, Windsor, two nephews, 2 nieces, 4 grandnephews and 2 grand nieces of Detroit. Funeral was held from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock to St. Mary's Church. Rev. Fr. A.P. Marentette officiating at the mass and graveside service in St. Mary's Cemetery. Pallbearers were two nephews Dr. John Moran, Dr. Frank Moran, both of Detroit and four neighbours Lorne MacKenzie, Nelson Shuttleworth, Frank Lafferty and Gerard McCarthy. He was predeceased by his sister Clarice, Mrs. Frank Moran and two brothers, Raymond and Joseph. Deceased was a highly respected gentleman. R.I.P.

Jan. 30. 1976

Sandwich South Families

SULLIVAN

Raymond Joseph Sullivan passed away suddenly at the home of his brother, John L. Sullivan, on No. 3 Highway, Friday evening, about 9 o'clock, with a heart seizure. Ray had been staying with his brother for several months. He was a retired grinder for General Motors. Deceased was the oldest son of the late Eugene and Annie Sullivan and was born on the farm where he died, on September 26th, 1895 and had made his home in Detroit since 1920, at 473 Peterborough St. He was a member of St. Patrick's Church. Deceased is survived by two sisters, Clarice, Mrs. Frank Moran and Pauline, Mrs. Henry Meloche both of Detroit; three brothers, John; Joseph, of Sarnia; and Gerald, of Lexington, Kentucky. Funeral was held on Monday morning from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church, with the pastor, Rev. Fr. J. A. Madkesy officiating. Pallbearers were Ralph and Edward Sexton, Albert Beahan, Vincent and Maurice Sullivan and a nephew, Dr. Frank Moran, of Detroit. Interment in the family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Nov. 8. 1963

Items Culled from Essex Free Press
Files of January 20th, 1905.

Peter Danlier, Maidstone hotel keeper, transferred his license to Peter Sullivan, of Sandwich South.

Sister Dorisanne Meloche, daughter of the late Henry Meloche, and Pauline (Sullivan) Meloche of Detroit, as well as Patrolmen Percy Key, 24, and Benito Saraino, 31 (of the 5th Jefferson Precinct) were honoured during a special mass and award ceremony at St. Martin's Church, Detroit. Sister (who is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sullivan, Oldcastle) was injured in a car accident, in which she was rescued from her station wagon by these two officers, after her car was nearly demolished by a car, travelling at a high rate of speed, run a stop sign. Sister was 2 months in Detroit General Hospital and a miraculous recovery from her multiple injuries: fractured skull, broken neck and arm, dislocated shoulder, her right leg broken from the knee to the ankle and multiple internal injuries. The officers said it was "Routine Duty" but Sister Dorisanne does not see it as 'routine'. A festival on the

April 26, 1973

theme "Life is a Gift" is the nun's way of saying "Thank you" was also given when the award plaques were made to the officers and a full church choir, along with a professional trumpeter and organist was in attendance. When Fathers Edward Scheuerman, Kevin Britt and Deacon Ronald De Hondt of St. Martin's on the Lake Parish celebrated the mass of Thanksgiving, with Sister Dorisanne Meloche presenting the plaques. Dr. Joseph N. Schaeffer, director of Rehabilitation Institute delivered a short speech. And so Sister, will continue on with her duties in her choice of life, she loves, after this terrifying accident, the result of a careless driver.

April 20, 1973

Relatives and friends were shocked on Sunday when word was received of the sudden death of the former Nora Sullivan's beloved husband, Herbert J. LaRonde, at East Sullivan Mines, Val D'or, Quebec. Mr. LaRonde was a mining engineer and they had made their home there for over 20 years after they moved from Arizona. Only last year they visited relatives and friends here after a vacation spent in the southern States. Besides his wife four children are left to mourn his passing and a grandson, Gary Joseph LaRonde. A son, Donald of Asbestos, Quebec; two daughters and a son in Montreal, Ruth and Eleanor Ann and Richard who is attending McGill University. Sincere sympathy is extended from the many relatives and friends in this community.

Feb. 14, 1958

Kathleen Sullivan of County Rd. 19 and Sharon Siefker Simpson of Cottam were among the 70 graduates from St. Clair College Windsor on Saturday when they received their Diplomas as R.N.A.'s. On Saturday evening they were entertained at a reception and party by Blaise and Ann Campeau of Belle River. Sharon is Ann's sister and guests and all had an enjoyable evening.

1977

Sympathy is extended to Joseph Sullivan, of Sarnia, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sullivan of here, in the sudden passing, from a heart seizure, of his beloved wife Isabell. Mrs. Sullivan died suddenly on Friday morning and was buried on Monday in Sarnia. Among those from here to attend the wake and funeral were John Sullivan, Mrs. Nellie Turton, Leonard Turton, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perrin, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sexton, Stanley Sexton, Edward Sexton and Miss Nellie Halford.

Nov. 18, 1960

The many relatives of Mrs. Vera (Sullivan) Hergott, of R. R. 2, Breslau, will be pleased to know she has been super-annuated from teaching and has accepted a position as Librarian at St. Jerome's University, Waterloo, Ont. From the turmoil of the class-room, to the quiet surroundings of a Library, it is hoped for many years of success in her new adventure.

AUG. 10, 1962

Forty Years Ago.

Items Culled from Essex Free Press
Date of October 29th, 1915.
Peter Sullivan opened his store in
Maldstone Cross.

Forty Years Ago

Items Culled from Essex Free Press
Files of November 8th, 1912.

Jeremiah Sullivan, aged 86, Sandwich South Township, was killed when struck by a W. E. & L. S. Rly. car, at the Marentette crossing, near his home. Faulty vision was the cause of the fatality.

Files of E. & P. Apr. 26, 1901

Peter Sullivan of Sandwich South
and Miss Nellie Sheehan of
Detroit were married in
Detroit.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan died at the
age of 54 years.

June 27, 1913

It was a sad moment when the Century Old Farm home was bulldozed down and then burnt on the farm of the late Eugene and Annie Sullivan on Hwy. 3. The farm had been sold after the death of their son John L. Sullivan.

MAY. 6, 1977

Paquette friends learned
with sincere regret of the

death of John Lewis Sullivan
76 years of R.R. 3 Maldstone
and extend sincere sympathy
to his beloved brother, Gerald
of Lexington, Kentucky
and his dear sister, Mrs.
Pauline Meloche, Detroit and
his many nieces and nephews
who also survive.

JAN. 30, 1976

Items Culled From Essex Free
Press Files September 19, 1913

Miss Clarisse Sullivan was engaged to teach a school in Colchester North.

Mrs. Mary Clarice Moran passed peacefully away in Hospital in Detroit, after a short illness. Deceased was the elder daughter of the late Eugene and Annie Sullivan and was born on her parents farm on Hwy. 3. After her graduation from Essex High School and Normal School she taught school for years before marrying her late husband, Frank Moran, of a pioneer family, of Woodslee. They moved to Detroit, where her late husband (1957) was in business. They were blessed with two sons, John S. (M.D.); Francis J. (M.D.) and a daughter Joan. Mrs. Henry Bryan and 7 grandchildren, who are bereaved of a wonderful mother and grandmother. Also bereaved is a sister Mrs. Pauline Meloche, brothers, John, of Hwy. 3 and Gerald, of Lexington Kentucky. Two brothers Raymond and Joseph predeceased her. Funeral was held Monday at 11 o'clock to her childhood church, St. Mary's and Mass by the Pastor Rev. Fr. A. F. Marentette. Two nephews

MAY. 12, 1972

SULLIVAN — John Lewis, 76 years, Jan. 20, 1976, of R.R. No. 3, Maldstone, Dear brother of Gerald, Lexington, Ky.; Mrs. Pauline Meloche, Detroit; the late Clarice Moran, Joseph and Raymond Sullivan. Many nieces and nephews also survive. Mr. Sullivan farmed in Oldcastle over 60 years. Resting at Janisse Brothers Funeral Home, 1139 Ouellette Ave. Funeral Saturday, at 10 a.m. to St. Mary's Church at 11 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Maldstone. Prayers evenings 8 p.m.

Rev. Fr. J. G. Mooney, of Park-ill, and Rev. Fr. P. F. Mooney were in the Sanctuary, Rev. Fr. T. P. Mooney, another nephew, is in Peru Missions. Burial beside her husband in the Sullivan plot in St. Mary's Cemetery. R.I.P.

The Pall bearers were six neighbors, Peter L. Halford, Ralph Sexton, Albert Beahan, Frank J. McCloskey, Gerard and Emmett McCarthy. Here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sullivan, of Lexington; Mrs. Vera (Sullivan) Hergott, Breslau and Mrs. Marie (Hergott) Bruder, of Waterloo and Sister Doris of Detroit.

Paquette friends learned with sincere sympathy of the death of Eugene Surowiak, aged 42 on Sunday, July 7 of 5100 Spruce Ave., Burlington. He is survived by his wife, the former Irene Anne Slavic, three daughters Anne, Jo-Anne and Betty-Anne, all at home, his mother, Mrs. Frank Surowiak and brother Stanley, both of Windsor. Eugene was born in Poland and grew up in this community where he attended S. S No 4. He graduated from Windsor Vocational School and joined the Office Staff of the Ford Motor Co., Windsor, later transferring to Burlington.

July. 12, 1968

SUTHERLAND — Hector H., 75 years, September 17, 1976, at Metropolitan Hospital. Former resident of Scofield Ave. Retired from the Hiram Walker and Sons Ltd. Member of the Anglican Church of Canada. Life member of Windsor Lodge #403 A.F. and A.M. Dear husband of Winifred. Dear father of Douglas H. of Farmington, Mich. Dear grandfather of Mrs. Janice Power, of Farmington; Mrs. Nancy Ramsey, of Tampa Florida; and Greg Sutherland of Cedar Springs, Mich. Dear brother of Miss Elizabeth R. Sutherland, of Highland Park and Mrs. Adele Sell of Winham, Ontario.

SULLIVAN

Congratulations to Dr. Frank Joseph Moran, of Detroit, son of Frank P. Moran and Clarice Sullivan (daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sullivan) who was graduated from Wayne University last week, and who will interment at Mount Carmel Hospital, Detroit. Dr. Moran is a first cousin of Rev. Frs. Mooney, of Woodslee, and a grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Moran, of Woodslee, and a nephew of Rev. Mother Winnifreda and sister Norbert, of the St. Joseph Order, London.

June 22, 1956

Sandwich South Families

SUROWIAK

Paquette friends learned with sincere regret of the sudden death of Stanley (Stan) Surowiak 54 yrs. at his late residence 3265 Bruce Ave., Windsor, May 19, following a heart attack and extend their deepest sympathy to his beloved wife Irene (nee Bucosky) daughters Mrs. David Moore (Judith) Oakville; Jean Woodslee; Janet, Edmonton; Jacqueline and son James at home. Deceased was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Survariak and had many friends here where he grew up.

May. 28, 1976

Mrs. Josephine Surviak, 74 years of 1069 Shepherd St. E. Windsor, formerly of Paquette, passed away at her late residence on Tuesday, Dec. 2nd. Widow of Frank, dear mother of Stanley, and the late Eugene, 8 grandchildren also survive. Deceased was an excellent seamstress and had many friends in this area. Funeral was held from Janisse Brothers, 1139 Ouellette Ave., Windsor at 9:30 a.m. Friday to Holy Trinity Church at 10. Interment was in Heavenly Rest Cemetery. To Stanley and family we extend our deepest sympathy.

Dec. 12, 1969

Sandwich South Families

SUTHERLAND

Friends may call at the James H. Sutton Funeral Home, 1567 Ouellette Ave. from 2 p.m. Sunday. Funeral services, Monday, September 20, at 1 p.m. Rev. Cannon B. A. Silcox officiating. Interment St. Stephens churchyard.



MR. AND MRS. RICK SUZOR

St. Clement's Church was the setting for the wedding of Laura Trudell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Trudell of Riberdy Road, to Rick Suzor, son of Mrs. Amilia Suzor of McGregor and Mr. Ezra Suzor of London. Mrs. Leslie Pillotte was matron of honor and Wayne Comber was best man. Following a trip to Florida, the couple will reside in Windsor. **THE WINDSOR STAR**

MAY, 1975

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweet (Mrs. R. Mulholland of Windsor) on the occasion of their wedding on Aug. 15th at 3 o'clock in Cottam United Church. Mrs. Delores McCormick of Walker Road and John Frank Laferty of Hwy. 3 were the attendants. A wedding dinner for the immediate families, followed at The Place, Windsor. They will reside on the groom's farm in Sandwich S.

AUG. 22, 1975

Herman (Hum) Sweetman Passes

Herman Sweetman, 70, of the Arner Town Line, Elford, of the Twp. of Gosfield North, passed away at his home on Friday, July 22nd, following a lengthy illness.

He was a life-long resident of Elford, where he farmed and worked as a telephone lineman. He was an Independent Telephone Pioneer of forty-six years and had worked for telephone systems in the Townships of Sandwich West, Sandwich South, Colchester North, Gosfield North, Gosfield South and the Falkirk Telephone System of Ailsa Craig.

He was employed by the Gosfield North Municipal Telephone System, Cottam, as lineman and plant repairman when he retired in December of 1954 because of ill health.

Survivors include his widow, the former Jennie Hodgins; a son, Roy, of Essex; two brothers, Asa, of Essex and Gordon, of Detroit; a sister, Mrs. Lottie Chapman, of Detroit, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, July 25th, at 2 p.m., at the Dodson and Habbirk Funeral Home, Essex. Rev. O. R. Flindell, of Gesto, officiating. Burial was in Greenhill Cemetery, Kingsville. The pallbearers were Albert Elford, Everett Quick, Louis Hutchinson, Harry Dumouchelle, Elmer Blair and Byron Elford.

July 29, 1960

SWEET—It's a girl! Rick and Alice (nee Campbell), both formerly of Windsor, praise God for the safe arrival of their first child, Emily Kay, at 1:41 a.m. Thursday, October 14, 1982 at the Regina General Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Harold Sweet, Leamington and Mr. & Mrs. Frank S. Campbell, Windsor.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweet (nee Margaret Flood Farough) on the arrival of their daughter, at Grace Hospital, on Saturday, November 13th.

Nov. 26, 1954



MR. AND MRS. RICHARD SWEET

Linda Marie Maisenville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maisenville of LaSalle was united in marriage to Richard Lyle Sweet, son of Mr. Harold Sweet of Maidstone and the late Mrs. Sweet. The ceremony took place in Sacred Heart Church, LaSalle, with Mrs. Margaret Morency as matron of honor and Eric Naylor as best man. Following a trip to Ottawa, the couple will reside in Windsor.

march. 16, 1973

Maidstone Ceremony In All-White Setting

MAIDSTONE—Baskets of all-white chrysanthemums and gladioli and tall burning cathedral tapers formed a lovely setting in Maidstone United Church for the marriage of Miss Ethel Elizabeth Farough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweet, and Mr. Thomas Eldridge Malcolm, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Malcolm, all of Maidstone. Rev. N. S. Anderson officiated at the service.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Sweet, chose imported hand-clipped rose pointe lace over chalk white slipper satin, the modified Sabrina neckline being scalloped and embroidered in seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The sleeves were long, and the Empire waistline was accented with beaded lace appliques, the full skirt, worn over a hoop, having a scalloped hemline and forming a short train. Her two-tiered veil of French illusion was held to her head in a beaded crown and she carried a white Bible topped with white orchids and pink rosebuds.

Mrs. George Simpkins was matron of honor, and Miss Edna Farough of Calgary and

Miss Emily and Miss Judy Malcolm, sisters of the bridegroom, were bridesmaids, Wendy Sweet serving as flower girl, and Dennis Sweet, as ringbearer.

Mr. Charles Flood was best man and Mr. James Flood, Mr. Simpkins and Mr. Ernest Farough served as ushers.

A reception for more than 100 guests followed, in the church hall after which Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm left for a motor trip to California.

For traveling the bride donned a brown wool suit with a mink collar, and wore matching accessories and orchids.



Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweet of Maidstone announce the engagement of their daughter, Ethel, to Mr. Tom Malcolm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malcolm of Maidstone. The wedding will take place Oct. 11 at 4 p.m. at Maidstone United Church.

Sept. 26, 1958



MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE HUNTER

Wendy May Sweet, daughter of Mr. Harold Sweet of Maidstone and the late Mrs. Sweet, was united in marriage to Clarence Edward Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter of Kingsville. The ceremony took place in United Church, Maidstone and the couple will reside in London.

Runners Finish Despite Scorching Temperature

The 33 runners in the five-mile race for the Gosfield North township Centenary were not deterred by the 26C heat and blazing sun.

They completed the run from the municipal office, along County Road 27 (Belle River Road) to the 10th Concession and return Satur-

day morning.

Doug Bowers had the distinction of being the oldest runner, as well as being the only life-time resident of Gosfield North in the race.

First to cross the finish line was Rob Romard, 18, who covered the five miles in 20 minutes. Winner of the 20 to

25 category was Kevin Hunter, 22. The other category winners were Jim Sykes, 29, with 35:50, Dan Staley, 32, in 30:23, Don Galloway, 61, 36:57, and David Campbell, 40, 31:43.

The fastest woman was Janice Rawlings, 29, with a

39:34 time, followed by Andromeda Franiel 22, 12 seconds later. Other winners in their age category were Tilda DiMenna, 31 and Teresa Benson, 40.

Miss Gosfield North, Sherry Newman, presented the medals and assisted in a

draw for door prizes.

The big event is the annual Horse Show by the Cottam Rotary Club at Ridgeview Park. It includes a 12:30 p.m. parade, tractor pull, horse-shoe pitching contest, soap box derby, pony pull and art and craft show, all on June 7.



Miss Gosfield North Centennial, Shelley Newman, presented medals to winners of the various winners in men's and women's competition in the five-kilometre run sponsored by Gosfield North Township as a 100-year anniversary event. She is seen with Jim Sykes, Dan Staley, Teresa Benson, Tilda Di Menna, Janice Rawlings, Andromeda Franiel, Rob Romard, Don Galloway, David Campbell and Kevin Hunter.

PAQUETTE

This community was saddened by the sudden death of Joseph Leslie Sykes, age 59, of Holden Road, on Wednesday, October 29th, in Grace Hospital. He had suffered a severe heart attack a few weeks ago and was well on the way to recovery when he had a relapse and passed away. Born in Flat Rock, Mich., he was an employee of The Detroit News; and a member of St. Stephen's Church. He took a great interest in baseball and hockey was a great favourite of the local players. He is survived by his beloved wife, the former Dorothy Webb; a daughter Susan, and three sons, John, James, and Gerald, and a sister, Mrs. Grace McIntosh, of Troy, Mich., to all of whom we extend our deepest sympathy. Funeral services were held at the Anderson Funeral Home, 895 Ouellet Ave., Windsor, Friday at 3 p.m. with Rev. E. C. Grey officiating. Interment was in Victoria Memorial Park.

Nov. 7, 1969

Angela and Gerry Sykes have another son born on July 31. His grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Al Robitaille.

AUG. 15, 1986

SYKES - Jim and Cathie (nee Wellwood) are pleased to announce the birth of their first child Catherine Elizabeth, weighing 7 lbs. 5 ozs. at Grace Hospital, March 30th, 1983. Proud grandparents, Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wellwood Jr. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Monica Wellwood.

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. James Sykes (nee Catherine Wellwood) whose wedding was solemnized on Sat., Feb. 11th at Holy Redeemer College Chapel. A reception followed at the K of C Hall, McGregor. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wellwood and the groom the son of Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and the late Joseph Sykes.

Feb. 17, 1978

SYKES - Joseph L., 59 years, October 29, 1969, at Grace Hospital. (Employee of the Detroit News). Beloved husband of Dorothy (nee Webb), RR 1, Oldcastle. Dear father of Susan, John, James and Gerald, at home. Dear brother of Mrs. Grace McIntosh, Troy, Mich. Resting at the Anderson Funeral Home 895 Ouellette Ave., Windsor, Friday, Oct. 31 at 3:00 p.m., Rev. E. C. Grey officiating. Interment, Victoria Memorial Cemetery.

Oct 29, 1969 - Joseph Leslie Sykes 59 years at Grace Hospital, Husband of Dorothy (Webb) Father of Susan, John, James, Gerald all at home

(Beth); January 22nd, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sykes, a son, Brian Douglas; January

1952

SYKES - Gerry and Pixie (nee Robitaille) are proud to announce the birth of their first child, Gregory Alan at Grace Hospital on November 15th, 1982 weighing 8 lbs. 11 ozs. Proud grandparents are Dorothy Sykes of Oldcastle and Mr. and Mrs. Almer Robitaille of Detroit.

Gregory Alan Sykes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sykes, was baptized on Sunday afternoon, January 9th at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church with Rev. Paul Rocheleau officiating.

JAN. 23, 1983

Congratulations to Jim and Cathy Sykes (nee Wellwood) on the birth of their daughter Catherine Elizabeth, 7 lbs. 5 ozs. March 30th at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wellwood Jr. and

great grandmother Mrs. Monica Wellwood.

APRIL 15, 1983

SYKES - Jim and Cathie (nee Wellwood) are pleased to announce the birth of their son Andrew Joseph, weighing 6lbs. 9oz. at Grace Hospital on October 15, 1985, a little playmate for Katie. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. & Mrs. Harold Wellwood Jr.; Great-grandmother is Mrs. Monica Wellwood.

SYKES - John & Margaret, (nee Broderick), are happy to announce the arrival of Robert Broderick at St. Catherine's General Hospital, on February 17th, 1987, weighing 10 lbs., 4 ozs. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. Edward Broderick.

SYKES - Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Sykes, of Oldcastle, Ontario, are proud to announce the birth of Gerald Douglas, 7 lbs., 8 ozs., at Grace Hospital, May 23, 1959. Brother for Susan, John and James.

Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. John Sykes whose wedding was solemnized at St. Joseph's Church, River Canard on Saturday, July 30 at 4 p.m. A reception followed at the Princeton Motel. Following their wedding trip, the happy young couple will reside in Windsor.

AUG. 5, 1977

SYKES - Gerry and Angela thank God for Gregory's little brother, Jeffrey Gerald, 7 lbs. 11 ozs. born July 31, 1986 at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes & Mr. & Mrs. Al Robitaille

Congratulations to Gerry and Pixie Sykes (nee Robitaille) on the birth of a son Gregory Alan, 8 lbs. 11 ozs. on November 15th at Grace Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and Mr. and Mrs. Almer Robitaille of Detroit.

Nov. 26, 1982

Gregory Alan Sykes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sykes, was baptized on Sunday afternoon, January 9th at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church with Rev. Paul Rocheleau officiating.



Mr. and Mrs. Almer J. Robitaille are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Angela Patricia, to Gerald Douglas Sykes, son of Mrs. Dorothy E. Sykes, and the late Joseph Sykes. The wedding will take place May 17, 1980, at 4:00 p.m., at St. Clements Church, McGregor, Ontario.

MAY. 8, 1988

JAN. 21, 1988

SYKES

Catherine Elizabeth Sykes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Sykes was baptized on Sunday afternoon May 1st at Mount Carmel church with Rev. Paul Rocheleau officiating.

We wish Mr. Robert Sylvester better health from his sickness. He is receiving treatments in Hotel Dieu Hospital. FEB. 24, 1978

Feb. 24, 1978

SYLVESTER -- Denis and Susan (nee Morris) are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Julie Ann, born Oct. 15, 1982 weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs. at Metropolitan Hospital. Sister for Cathy, Bobby and Scott. Proud grandparents are Don and Bernice Morris and Fred and June Sylvester.

MAY. 13, 1983

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sykes whose wedding was solemnized in St. Clement's Church, McGregor, on Saturday, May 17th at 4 p.m. with Rev. Paul Beneteau officiating.

MAY. 23, 1980

Mr. and Mrs. Almer J. Robitaille are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Angela Patricia, to Gerald Douglas Sykes, son of Mrs. Dorothy Sykes and the late Josef Sykes. The wedding will take place May 17th, 1980 at 4 p.m. at St. Stephen's Church, McGregor.

MAY. 16, 1980

We regret to report that fire destroyed 40 acres of wheat on the farm of Joseph Sykes, Con. 6, Sandwich South, last Wednesday afternoon. It is believed that a burnt-out bearing on the combine was the cause of the fire. Fire engines from Sandwich South, Anderdon and Windsor extinguished the blaze and saved the farm buildings.

JULY. 29, 1966

Joe Sykes, who recently lost his wheat crop in a spectacular fire, wishes to thank the many people who tried to combat the fire. From reports Joe will receive some compensation from insurance on his crop and he advises all farmers to insure a crop. Joe claims the rates are reasonable for such insurance and would help to compensate a farmer's loss in such a condition as his.

AUG. 12, 1966

SYKES--In loving memory of a dear husband and father Joseph, who passed away 10 years ago October 29, 1969. --Always remembered by wife Dorothy and family Susan, John, Jim and Jerry.

Susanne Laport, of Comber, has returned to the Robert Sylvester home and will likely bring some cheer with her to the Sylvester home and local friends. Susanne returned home some time ago when she was taken ill.

Here is a little line of thought for

you shut-ins that brings cheer to me, may it do the same for you: God grant me the serenity to accept things I cannot change. Courage to change things I can, and wisdom to know the difference.

JAN. 21, 1955

MAIDSTONE CROSS

Mr. R.E. (Bob) Sylvestre, 86 years, passed away at Hotel Dieu, Windsor, after being attended there for several weeks. Deceased by his beloved wife Gertrude, nee Downing of Oldcastle in 1957. The late Carson Jessop, Columnist for the Essex Free Press, always spoke of him as "Gentleman Bob", farmer. Mr. Sylvestre was retired as assistant postmaster of Windsor. Surviving is his son Fred J. and wife June, who had taken excellent care of him in his declining years, dear grandfather of Michael, Dennis and Mark and four great grandchildren and several neices and nephews. He was a highly respected citizen. Funeral was held from Don Morris Funeral Home on Thursday to his parish church St. Mary's with Rev. Father Clifford Girard officiating at the funeral Mass and delivering the Homily. Interment beside his wife in Heavenly Rest Cemetery. The pall bearers were Harold Wellwood and Ted Hossock of Oldcastle, Frank Langan, Maidstone, Bernard Niece, Gesto and from Detroit, two nephews, Charles Lindquist and Raymond Malone.

AUG. 25, 1978

It seems without love of some kind man or beast lives a lonely and most unrewarding life.

That was proven here the past week, when we witnessed the Sylvester white-faced steer licking the "mug" of the farm dog. Poor old "Towser" got all wound up in the orchard gate, when his chain wound around and around the fence. "Towser" barked and barked for help, so the steer trotted across the orchard and gently licked Towser, "slurp", "slurp", across the face.

Towser later was released from his unruly warp and thanked all by crawling into his dog house for much needed peace and sleep.

June. 8, 1962

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. Dennis Sylvester (Susan Elizabeth Morris) who were married on Saturday at Memorial Chapel, Windsor, with a large reception and dinner following at Beach Grove Golf Club. The radiant young bride is the daughter of Donald and Bernice (Allen) Morris and granddaughter of the late Wilfred and Mae (Rusette) Allen. The young "sports-minded" groom is the second son of Fred and June (Merritt) Sylvester, of Oldcastle and grandson of Robert Sylvester and the late Gertrude (Downing). Much happiness is extended to the happy young couple.

Sept. 24, 1971

In this modern day and age the saw mill has become almost extinct, in fact in this area it is.

Bill Malenfant, of McGregor area still saws up logs for local farmers that still have a woods to hew logs from.

Our "Bob" Sylvester dragged some good sized logs from his bush at Oldcastle this week in order to build a new corn crib.

Here at Oldcastle the former's old McCarthy farm still has a fair stand of good timber and is a beautiful sight to be able to see. In fact if one reared in this area could not see this bush early in the morning it just would not be Oldcastle.

Mr. Sylvester is afraid that the killing Dutch elm disease will also reduce some of the beautiful elms to a dark sentinel in the sky with nothing but dead wood.

Oct. 6, 1961

SYLVESTER -- R.E. (Bob), 86 years old, Aug. 14, 1978 at Hotel Dieu Hospital. Late residence, Oldcastle, Ont. Predeceased by his late wife Gertrude (nee Downing), (1957). Dear father of Fred J., Oldcastle; dear grandfather of Michael, Windsor; Dennis and Mark; of Oldcastle; four great-grandchildren. Mr. Sylvester was a retired Assistant Postmaster. Friends may call at The Don Morris Funeral Home, 68 Giles Blvd. E., until Thurs., Aug. 14, at 10:15 a.m. Funeral mass from St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Maidstone, at 11 a.m. Interment Heavenly Rest Cemetery. Prayers will be held at 8 p.m. on Wed. evening.



Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Morris of Giles Blvd. E. announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Susan Elizabeth, to Robert Denis Sylvester, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sylvester of Oldcastle. The wedding will take place September 18 at 5 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel.

AUG. 27, 1971

Congratulations to Michael and Ann (McRae) Sylvester on the arrival of their daughter, Michelle, born on May 13th, at Grace Hospital. Grandparents are Fred and June Sylvester and Harry and Ellen McRae. Proud great grandparents are Bob Sylvestre of Oldcastle, Madeline O'Brien and Mrs. John McRae. Michelle has a brother Christopher Michael, anxiously waiting her coming home.

MAY. 29, 1975

Congratulations to Dennis and Susan (nee Morris R.N.) Sylvestre on the arrival of a daughter, Catherine Denise, at Metropolitan Hospital, on Nov. 17th, weight 6 lbs. 8 ozs. Grandparents are Don and Bernice (Allen) Morris and Fred and June Sylvester. 3rd great grandchild for Bob Sylvestre of Oldcastle.

Nov. 28, 1975

Mark Sylvester, aged 21 years, 3rd son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sylvestre of Hwy. 3 Oldcastle and grandson of Robert Sylvestre, as the late Carson Jessop classed him as "Gentleman Farmer", left last Thursday for six months with a contract to play hockey in West Germany. Mark was in Minor Hockey in Windsor before playing with a Scholarship for the Buffalo Bulls, University of New York. Good Luck Mark!!!

SEPT. 24, 1976

Invitations are out for a bridal show for Miss Rita Diesbourg (R.N.), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Diesbourg of Woodslee. Rita will be the bride of Mr. Gerald Sylvestre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sylvestre of the 9th Conc. Maldstone Twp. The couple will be married on Feb. 23rd.

JAN. 10, 1974

SYLVESTER -- Denis and Susan (nee Morris) are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Julie Ann, born Oct. 15, 1982 weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs. at Metropolitan Hospital. Sister for Cathy, Bobby and Scott. Proud grandparents are Don and Bernice Morris and Fred and June Sylvester.

SYLVESTER--Mark and Janice (nee Rumak) thank God for the safe arrival of their first born, a son Jeffrey Michael, 7 lbs. 12 ozs. Feb. 15th, 1984. Proud grandparents Stan and Betty Rumak and Fred and June Sylvester. Great grandmothers Mrs. G. Horsburgh and Mrs. F. Merritt. Excited Aunt and Uncle Cathy and Bruce Willett.

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Mrs. Laurentia Masse Passes

Laurentia Masse, 85 years, of Belle River, passed away on Friday, November 27th.

She is survived by her husband Eddie Masse; children, Mrs. Fred Sylvestre (Yvonne) of Maidstone, Louis, John and Norman of Comber, Adelard, of St. Joachim, George of Waterdown and Bernard of Puce; sisters Lilly Lacharite and Mrs. Blanche Caza; brothers Raymond and Leo Lacharite; 26 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from Melady's Funeral home, Belle River, to St. Joachim Church, on Monday. Interment in the Church Cemetery.

Dec. 4, 1981

The many friends of Bob Sylvester are wishing him happy landing on his extended trip to many countries abroad and wish him God speed. He will visit the town he was a prisoner of war in World War I and will have many happy re-unions and have many interesting experiences to relate on his return to his home in Oldcastle.

Miss Mayme Robinson, R. N., was admitted to Hotel Dieu last Friday for observaton and a possible operation on her knee. Mrs. Shields, the former Daisy Higgins, of Dublin, Eire, visited at the Doyle Farm on 98 Hwy. with Mrs. Emmett J. Doyle and Charles. Mrs. Shield's father was the late Mrs. Wm. Doyle's (Molly Higgins) brother and was pleased to visit in Maidstone with all the descendants of her late aunt.

AUG. 14. 1964

Pop and Mom, Fred and June Sylvester here of Oldcastle are likely proud of son Mark this week. We here, as well as the county, should also be proud Mark and his Essex Dean Construction hockey buddies.

Our young Mark blasted home one of the important goals for the Construction crew as they carried off the Ontario Bantam Championship by downing Huntville at Essex, Sunday night.

We wonder what pop and mom awarded their young son for that good work. Easter eggs under the pillow, good hugs and kisses from the family or maybe a chance to drive the tractor this spring. Whatever it was we hope maybe our Mark can be encouraged to hit for the N.H.L. some

April. 19. 1968

Fred Sylvester's youngsters are a little more cheerful this week as their Collie pup is recuperating from a car accident.

Puppie took off after being hit and hid in a highway culvert.

Sept. 27. 1957

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sylvester (Ann McRae R. N.) of Windsor, on the arrival of an 8 lb. baby boy, Christopher Michael, on Monday Feb. 8th at Grace Hospital. Happy grandparents with their first grandchild are Fred and June Sylvester of Oldcastle and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McRae of Roseland. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John McRae of Windsor, Bob Sylvester, (who is happy to know the Sylvester name will be carried on), Mrs. Charles O'Brien and Mrs. F. Merritt of Windsor. Michael, the father is recovering too from the ordeal.

Feb. 12. 1971

On the map Oldcastle may be considered an Ontario whistle stop but it never has a dull moment.

Last week Mark Sylvester discovered a stray racoon pilfering his grandpa's corn crib and the chase was on.

Between Steve Esping, "Al" Jessop and "Tuffy" Vanderbech of the Co-op gang and others along also with Millard Warner, Mr. Racoon had a lot of fun getting away.

Diving from one ditch culvert to another the stray still managed to get away and is still on the loose in the wilds of Oldcastle farm yards.

This racoon evidently was a pet at one time as his collar was still around his neck.

Mr. Racoon has returned to his wild haunts and says, "you can have civilization."

JULY. 14. 196 -

Sylvester Farms here took a first, two thirds and a fourth positions in the horse jumping contests at Leamington Fair this past week.

Denis Sylvester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sylvester, rode Symac Sue, a 5-year old chestnut mare at the Leamington trails.

This is our Denis' second year at jumping and we throw out the roses and best wishes for future contests.

AUG. 13. 1965

Mark Sylvester, youngest grandson of Robert Sylvester and son of Fred and June Sylvester of Oldcastle is continuing his education this year at University of Buffalo, N.Y. Mark is to be congratulated on receiving a Scholarship. Best of wishes in your Education, Mark from your friends here.

OCT. 20. 1972

If you have visited the Oldcastle area lately and you heard a "putt, putt, putting and a roar" as if the old power mower took off don't be alarmed.

The local Sylvester boys have purchased a scooter and are using the asphalt strip on the Oldcastle road for a drag strip.

AUG. 31. 1962

SYLVESTER - Denis and Susan (nee Morris R. N.) are proud to announce the arrival of their first child, a daughter, Catharine Denise, born November 17, 1975 at Metropolitan General Hospital weighing 6 lbs. 9 ozs. Proud grandparents are Don and Bernice Morris and Fred and June Sylvester.



HOCKEY CHAMPIONS—Members of the Essex bantam hockey team were honored during a banquet at Branch 201, Royal Canadian Legion. The team captured the Ontario Minor Hockey Association 'B' championship. From left, association treasurer Dan Bulley, Mark Sylvester, Tim Yohn and Archie Doan.

MAY. 7. 1968



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT SYLVESTER

Susan Elizabeth Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Edwin Morris of Giles Blvd. E., was united in marriage to Robert Denis Sylvester, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sylvester of Oldcastle. The wedding took place in The Memorial Chapel, with Patricia Ann Morris as maid of honor and Michael P. Sylvester as best man. Following a trip to Cape Cod, Mass., the couple will reside in Windsor.

Sept. 23. 1971

Bob Sylvester left for points south by way of Rochester, N.Y., here the past week. Bob informed the locals that if he gets to like the "stars on the sand" and is late for spring crops that some of us might crank his tractor up for spring plowing.

Feb. 28. 1958

AUG. 14th 1964

"Bob Sylvester of Oldcastle" was in Europe waiting the town he was a prisoner of war in world war 1.



"Fred" Sylvester
Salesman

Dec. 31. 1952

Congratulations to Dennis and Susan Sylvester on the safe arrival of Robert Paul weighing in at 7 lbs 9 ozs. on Feast of St. Anne, July 26, 1977 at Metropolitan Hospital. Brother for Cathy. Proud grandparents Fred and Joan Sylvester of Oldcastle and Don and Bernice (Allen) Morris of Windsor. Happy great grandparents Robert Sylvester of Oldcastle.

AUG. 5. 1977

Our Bob Sylvester, it is said, is a charitable man and a kind man and we know that to be true Bob has a new pal that is following him around the farm lane-ways and that is a three legged dog. Bob is holding true with the slogan, help the handicapped to be employed and the handicapped are useful people, even if they are a dog when given a fair chance.

Feb. 28. 1969

The community was saddened on Sunday morning with the passing away at Hotel Dieu of Gertrude M. Sylvester, beloved wife of Romeo (Bob) Sylvester. Deceased was born here on January 21st, 1887, the daughter of the late, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Downey. On August 1950, she suffered a stroke which she never fully recovered. A patient suffer through her long illness, showed her exemplary Christian virtues and she passed to her Reward fortified by the Last Rites of the Church. Besides her bereaved husband, she is survived by a son Frederick J., three grandsons, Michael, Dennis, and Mark and her sister Catherine, Mrs. Loftus Lepain. Funeral was held Wednesday morning from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home to St. Mary's Church with a solemn Requiem High Mass, with her pastor, Rev. Fr. J. A. Jordon as celebrant, Rev. Fr. M. Dalton as Deacon and Rev. Fr. McMaster as sub-deacon. Honorary pallbearers of the Catholic Women's League and of the Windsor Postal Clerks. Burial in Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

Mrs. Genevieve Hayes was hurt Saturday morning, when a car she and her son Jimmie were riding, was hit by another car on Dougal Road at Cameron Blvd. Luckily they escaped serious injury.

Mrs. Benson, (Anna-Mae Lepain) of Rochester, N. Y. arrived on Tuesday to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Bob Sylvester.

Feb. 22. 1957

Funeral services also were held for Herbert Merritt of Windsor passed away at the age of 75. Mr. Merritt was the father of Mrs. Fred Sylvester here of Oldcastle.

OCT. 20. 1967

Sylvester discovers hockey gold mine Sylvester

By Jeff Wilkinson

Mark Sylvester's hockey career was coming to an end — until he made a discovery.

Sylvester found another way to continue playing — before sellout crowds in West Germany at a salary that would make any man his age envious.

After two years with Windsor Royals and another two on a hockey scholarship at University of Buffalo, Sylvester could read the writing on the wall — no professional hockey career and no hockey future.

At least, that's what he thought.

As it turned out, a friend of Sylvester's knew a German-born hockey enthusiast who knew of the opportunities for Canadians in Germany.

Many letters later, Sylvester was accepted to play with the Schwenningen entry in a 12-team league in West Germany. That was two years ago.

Although the 24-year-old defenceman asked his salary not be mentioned, he earns comparable wages to the average working man here. And the opportunities are incredible.

"After the hockey season ended (in March), I travelled for a month," said Sylvester in a recent interview at his parent's home in Oldcastle on the outskirts of Windsor. "The team sent us to Spain for four weeks and earlier I went skiing in Austria. We also played exhibition games in Poland, Romania, Sweden and Switzerland. It's a good life."

When Sylvester comes home after the hockey season, his flight is paid for by the German team. And his room and board is also looked after while he's playing. There aren't many out-of-pocket expenses.

What has happened to Sylvester in the last two years wasn't even a dream. He had visions of winding up in a factory until he could find something in his field. (He graduated from Buffalo with a bachelor of science degree in business management).

Sylvester does work in a factory in the summertime, when he comes home. Now, he's working as a machine operator at Ford Motor Company.

"I don't like to lay around and do nothing," says Sylvester. "I don't think I could be content living that way."

Sylvester plays 32 regular season games plus about a dozen exhibition games elsewhere.

In Germany, capacity crowds of 3,700 gather. Most of the crowd stands. The limited number of seats are sold out years in advance.

The German-style of hockey is nothing like they play here. Sylvester says the German league is about the same calibre as the Canadian universities league. And the game is a lot tamer.

"I ran into trouble my first year over there," says Sylvester. "I led the league in penalties."

"It's quite frustrating at first," he continues. "Anything the slightest bit out of order is a penalty. The first couple months, I was totally frustrated."

Fighting is not tolerated. Fight and you're out of the game. Sylvester's done that twice.

But instead of fighting, Sylvester says the Germans use their sticks. Butt-ending (a match penalty in Canada) is just a two-minute infraction in Germany.

The whole experience, says Sylvester, is an exercise in self-discipline and tolerance. He says sometimes he feels he knows more than the coach does, but he's not to intervene.

"You're there to do a job and you have to adapt to their way of doing things," he says. "The players there have the natural talent but they need better coaching."

The German way of doing things is sometimes baffling.

"I could play a good game and get two assists and they (the Germans) wouldn't be happy," says Sylvester. "The game is more offensive in Germany. They like to see goals."

Sylvester didn't really know much about the German language when he went over two years ago.

"When I found out some of the things I said, it was embarrassing," he says. "Now, I can always understand and I can converse, but not that well."

"English is the second language for most everyone in Germany. Almost everybody speaks or understands it."

Sylvester says it's not as easy now for Canadians to get into



Defenceman Mark Sylvester

...finds happiness in Germany

the league. Each of the 12 German teams are allowed just two imports.

"Right now, it's very hard to get in," says Sylvester. "One team might get 100 letters."

"And you have to produce," he continues. "You (the import) are the highest-paid player on the team."

Sylvester has had his share of success. This past season, he scored 20 goals in 32 regular season games playing defence. In his rookie season, he scored 26 goals.

Sylvester would like to go back to Germany for a third season, but there are a few problems.

Since the Germans are allowed just two imports, Sylvester's team has asked him to obtain German citizenship so he will not be classed as a import anymore.

But in order to get German citizenship, the German government apparently demands the person denounce his Canadian citizenship.

"That's not for me," says Sylvester. "There's no way I want to do that."

At present, Sylvester is unsure whether the Germans will demand the German citizenship. He's not planning on going back if they do but would be happy to play otherwise.

"I'd recommend it to anyone," he says. "It's the best experience I've ever had. People in Germany bend over backwards for you."

It's not hard to understand why Sylvester wants to keep playing.

Sincere sympathy to Bob Sylvester and son Frederick and family in the death of a beloved wife and mother, the late Gertrude M. Sylvester.

Bob Sylvester of Oldcastle, was brought to his home on Monday, after 3 weeks of Hospitalization. His many friends are hoping for better health.

THE WINDSOR STAR, AUG. 10, 1960.



July 25, 1978

Sincere sympathy is extended to Robert Sylvester of Oldcastle in the death of his brother, Adrian Sylvester on Tuesday morning at St. John's Hospital, Detroit. Deceased was born June 4th, 1894 in St. Joachim and resided since marrying at 9769 E. Outer Drive, Detroit. Of a family of 10 children, Bob Sylvester is the sole survivor now. Left to mourn his passing, besides his brother, is his wife, the former Cecilia Maitre and two daughters, Janette, Mrs. Raymond Maloney of Bloomfield Hills and Miss Estella R. N. of Chicago, Ill. and 3 grandchildren. Deceased is being waked at the Killen Funeral Home, 9555 Chalmers, Detroit. Prayers Thursday at 8 p.m. Funeral Friday at 10 a.m. to St. Juliana Church, Detroit. R I F

MAY, 14, 1971

ROBERT E. SYLVESTRE AND GRANDSON MARK FRANCIS OF OLDCASTLE ARE PROPERLY PROUD OF A PAIR OF BEAUTIFUL COLTS, PIXIE AND SOX. THEY RESIDE ON NO. 3 HWY. IN THE HAMLET IN THE SAME FARM HOME WHERE THE FIRST POST OFFICE IN OLDCASTLE WAS ESTABLISHED.

march 1, 1957

APRIL 10, 1976

The banns of marriage were published in St. Mary's Church for the first time on Sunday for George Andrew Piche, son of Conrad Piche and Rose Rivall, of Holy Rosary parish, East Windsor, and Mary Clarissa Boule, daughter of Theodule Boule and Eva Legrace, of St. Mary's, and for the third publication of Robert

Sept. 14, 1956

SYLVESTER

SYLVESTER — Chris and Michelle have decided to name their new baby brother Michael James, born June 17, 1977 at Grace Hospital, weighing 7 lbs. 5 ozs. Proud parents are Michael and Ann (nee McRae). Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry McRae and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sylvester.

SYLVESTER — Denis and Susan (nee Morris) are pleased to announce the arrival of a son, Robert Paul, weighing 7 lbs. 9 ozs., on July 26, 1977 at Metropolitan. Brother for Cathy. Proud grandparents Fred and June Sylvester Don and Bernice Morris.

PAUL SYLVESTER
OldcastleRON FAUTEUX
Windsor

MAY. 12. 1967

Saturday ceremony

Final class for WOIT

A short but proud era will end Saturday when the Western Ontario Institute of Technology graduates its last class under the WOIT banner.

The institute was founded in 1958 to meet a demand for people trained beyond the level of secondary school, but below the level of university.

During the past nine years WOIT has aided in meeting this demand and has built a reputation of excellence throughout Ontario.

Next year, however, WOIT will be absorbed by the new St. Clair College of Applied Arts and Technology. The new college will offer the same streams of education now afforded at WOIT in addition to several new ones.

Saturday at 2 p.m. in the Cleary Auditorium 135 young men will receive the last graduation diplomas and certificates to bear the WOIT inscription.

A farewell message will be delivered by C. M. Jackson, institute principal and newly named vice-president of St. Clair College. Diplomas will be presented by Dr. Frank A. DeMarco, vice-president of the University of Windsor and chairman of the St. Clair College Board of Governors.

M. H. MacDonald, head of the Liberal Studies Department at WOIT is the principal speaker at the graduation ceremonies.

Graduates will receive diplomas from the faculties of business administration, chemi-

cal technology, electronic technology, mechanical technology.

Following is a complete list of this year's graduates:

Business
administration

William Herbert Allman, St. Thomas; John David Beach, Windsor; John Mark Brackstone, Chatham; Paul Andreas Buchwald, London; Richard Ernest Chabot, Windsor; Douglas Alan Connor, Riverside; Wendell George Currie, River Canard; Robert Gordon Davidson, Windsor; Wayne Lesley Dragomir, Windsor; Vincent Linus Franco, Windsor; Dennis Wayne Glassford, Chatham; Paul Joseph Hayes, Tecumseh; Kenneth Bert Hind, Windsor; David Clare Jarvis, London; James Leslie Jordan, St. Thomas; William Karlise, Ruthven; Jon Alexander Kehoe, Chatham; George Robert Kidd, Windsor; Robert Gordon MacLeod, Windsor; Gerald Michael Marcotte, Windsor; Leonard Gordon Milburn, Chatham; Donald David Munro, Leamington; Frank Denis Ouellette, Windsor; Ross Pepper, Chatham; James Neven Petch, Windsor; James Lawrence Phaneuf, Tilbury; William Randy Pringle, Windsor; Frederick John Radler, London; Jane Ruston, Windsor; William John Sheldon, St. Clair Beach; Gary Wayne Souchuk, Windsor; Paul Sylvester, Maidstone.

Mechanical
technology

Michael McKendra Best, St. Thomas; Roger Beuglet, Windsor; Martin Depooter, Port Lambton; John Ronald Frank Dittmer, Chatham; Ronald Denis Fauteux, Riverside; Harvey Richard Ginter, South Woodlee; Peter Cornelious Hertst, Chatham; William Arthur Kilgour, Springfield; George Mosel, Hamilton; Edward Thomas Pilon, Amherstburg; Morris James Prystle, London; Paul James Riedl, Wallaceburg; Russel Gordon Rieger, St. Thomas; Michael William Robbins, Dresden; Maurice Scott Sekersky, Windsor; Edward Henry Sennema, Chatham; Murray Ewen Shaver, London; Dennis Lee Skipper, Fletcher; Douglas Richard Smyth, Chatham; David Ambrose Vandevonne, Sombra; Joseph A. Viessers, Ennismore; Robert John Weaver,

Dresden; Glen Gordon White, Aylmer; Thomas Maurice Whitney, Glanworth; Edward George Williams, Riverside.

Electronic technology

Michael Baranowski, Windsor; Richard Arthur Barre, London; Douglas Charles Cafes, Sarnia; David Clayton Cayea, Windsor; Robert Allen Durance, Wyoming; Robert Thomas Graham, Essex; Luigi Ingraffa, Leamington; Robert Konrad, Wheatley; Roderick Henry Kosmick, London; Robert John McLeod, Riverside; Douglas Gordon McPhail, Sarnia; Eugene Mencarelli, Windsor; Robert Edward Noyes, London; Nello Paolini, Riverside; John Peter Postma, Sarnia; Francis X. Rivest, Staples; Edward Sadok, Windsor; Hubertus Gerald Joseph Scheyen, London; Reinder Smit, Leamington; William Frederick Somes, Point Edward; Philip St. Pierre, Woodlee; Robert Kent Trampleasure, Wallaceburg; Mike Ulijevich, Windsor; Henry Van Zanden, Komoka; Leo Mike West, Windsor.

Chemical technology

Alexander George Aikman, Chatham; Hajro Avdovich, Timmins; Julius Attila Balatoni, Riverside; Frank Edward Barber, Chatham; Alfred Henry George Brady, Windsor; Robert Rolland Cantin, Sarnia; Paul Wayne Dennis, Sarnia; Ronald Kenneth Diasmore, Windsor; David Newcombe Everitt, Northwood; John Howard Gardiner, Wardsville; Robert James Greason, London; Walter Higgins Grondin, Amherstburg; Timothy Iain Herage, Windsor; William Hrecniuk, Chatham; Kayo Kangas, Porcupine; Michael Peter Lizotte, Wallaceburg; Raymond Edward Major, Windsor; Neil Richard Manery, Leamington; James Gillespie Nicolson, London; Harry Oldewening, Aylmer; Grant Joseph Park, Windsor; Bruce Gordon Edgar Pearce, London; Clarence Leonard Pleuk, London; John William Robinson, Essex; Robert Leslie Smart, St. Thomas; Willbrod Jack Sontrop, London; Richard Hugh Steiniger, Amherstburg; James Norman Tounghant, Windsor; Gary Lee Towers, Windsor; David Edward Trickett, London; Donald Herbert Wallis, Welland; John Nicholas Weisz, Riverside; Robert James Wilkinson, St. Thomas; David James Wood, Toronto; David Norman Zinkie, St.

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SYLVESTER—Denis & Susan are happy to announce the birth of Scott Donald, 8 lbs 7 oz, January 26, 1981. Brother for Cathy and Bobby. Proud grandparents are Don and Bernice Morris and Fred and June Sylvester.

SYLVESTER—Michael and Ann (nee McRae) are proud to announce the birth of a son, Christopher Michael, 8 lbs. 6 ozs., at Grace Hospital, on Feb. 8, 1971. Proud grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Harry McRae and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sylvester.

MAY. 7. 1971

Wet weather can be attributed to a bad accident and hospital for "Mike" Sylvester. "Mike", son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sylvester was thrown from his horse as it slipped and fell on him here Sunday. "Mike" received a fractured leg and was taken to Hotel Dieu Hospital. Many of our popular horseman's friends hope he will soon recover and that he will ride again and "Hi Ho Silver".

MAY. 5. 1961

Another landmark of the local village is being demolished. On the Sylvester farm here the old horse barn is being done away with. What was one a stable full of horses on the old McCarthy farm has outlived its purpose.

MARCH. 13. 1959

Mr. and Mrs. Donald E. Morris, Giles Blvd. E. Windsor, announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Elizabeth to Robert Dennis Sylvester, son of Fred and June Sylvester and grandson of Robert Sylvester (both of Oldcastle) and the late Gertrude Downing Sylvester. Susan is the granddaughter of the late Wilfred and Mae (Russette) Allen. The wedding will take place Sept. 18 at 5 p.m. at Memorial Chapel, Windsor.

SEPT. 3. 1971

Many happy wishes and good luck are extended to Clare Boule, who was married the past Saturday, at Holy Rosary Church, Windsor. Clare has been employed at the Robert Sylvester home and is a New Brunswick girl, worthy of her province.

OCT. 5. 1956

Lads of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sylvester are on the outlook for a colt that is to be born at the Sylvester home—stead soon. For the past week Mike and Dennis have been waiting anxious moments for the new arrival. Both boys claim, "you never know about these things."

MAY. 10. 1957

Not so long ago the dinner bell tolled to bring in the farmers from the fields. Small villages and towns lived by the toll of church and farm bells. With this day and age, and clatter of farm machinery, the poor old bell would be out-dioised. Here at Oldcastle, regardless of all its modern machinery around it, the farm bell still tolls the meal hours at the home of the Sylvestres, for Grandpa "Bob," son Fred and grandsons, to get the "heck" in here for supper while it is hot.

June. 1958

Mrs. Romeo (Bob) Sylvester
Passes

Mrs. Gertrude M. Sylvester, wife of Bob Sylvester, Oldcastle, died on Sunday, at the age of 70 years.

Surviving, besides her husband, are a son, Frederick J. of South Windsor and a sister, Mrs. Catherine Lepain, of Windsor.

Funeral services were held from Janisse Bros. Funeral Home, Windsor, to St. Mary's Church, Maidstone, on Wednesday morning with burial in Heavenly Rest Cemetery.

FEB. 22. 1957