

OBITUARY

MICHAEL J. MOLONEY

After several long years of ill health and suffering Michael J. Moloney passed away about midnight, Monday, April 1st, at his home in the village. He was in his sixty-fifth year and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Michael Moloney, pioneer citizens of Marmora township. His parents were born in Ireland, but came to Canada early in life and settled in Marmora township, where they cleared the land and developed one of the best farms in the municipality.

The deceased engaged in farming for a number of years before moving to Marmora, where he entered into partnership with the late C. A. McWilliams in a garage and automobile business. It was just at the time when automobiles were coming into general use and for some years they did a thriving business.

Following the death of Mr. McWilliams a partnership was formed with George Forestell, which continued until the deceased was forced to retire owing to ill health. While he was on the farm and during the years he was in business the late Michael Moloney made a host of friends, by whom he was much liked and respected. Honest and fair in his business relationships, he was also until his health failed, an active supporter of everything for the good of the community, and kindly and generous to those in need.

In 1905 the late Michael Moloney was married to Lillian Cook, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Cook. One daughter, Mrs. David Lynch, of Timmins, was born of this union and Mrs. Moloney passed away in 1906. In 1919 the deceased married Miss Rose McAvoy, daughter of Mrs. John McAvoy and the late John McAvoy, who survives. One daughter, Maurice, and one son, Tom, both at home, are left to mourn his loss. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Richard Dunlay, of Campbellford, and Sister Mary Maurice, of Winnipeg, Man., and three brothers, Matthew Moloney, of Niagara Falls, John, of McCloud, Alta., and Hugh, of Marmora Township.

The funeral was held to-day leaving his late residence for Sacred Heart Church, Marmora, where Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Father H. J. Farrell. Interment took place in Sacred Heart cemetery.

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GEORGE HENRY FORESTELL

A former prominent Marmora business man, George H. Forestell, passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, on Sunday, May 6th, following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Forestell was born in Rawdon Township on December 6th, 1883, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Forestell. His early life was spent in Rawdon where he farmed for some years. Some forty years ago he moved to Marmora and started a garage business on the spot where Richard's Restaurant, Bill Clare's and La Reine Fashion Shop are now located. For several years he was in partnership with the late M. J. Mr. Forestell carried on the business Moloney and after the latter retired until about ten years ago when he sold the property and retired.

He always took a keen and active interest in community affairs and was a member and chairman of Marmora Hydro Commission for many years. He also was a member of the Separate School Board and of the former Continuation School Board for many years. He was a member of Sacred Heart Church and took an active part in church affairs.

His friendly and honest nature won him high respect from all who knew him.

He is survived by his wife, the former Veronica O'Connor, one son, Lorne of Peterborough and one daughter, Mrs. Gerald (Dorothy) La Londe, of Collins Bay; two sisters, Mrs. James Cornell (Jessie), of Kirkland Lake and Mrs. R. Huffman (Lillian) of Belleville; and two brothers, John Forestell of Kelowna, B.C. and Charles Forestell of Preston. There are also four grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

His first wife, the former Mary Guiry, died many years ago.

The funeral was held on Wednesday morning from the Cassidy Funeral Home, Marmora to Sacred Heart Church for Requiem Mass at 10:00 A.M. Interment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

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