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**ARTHUR BURROWS PACK \***

Funeral service for Arthur Burrows Pack of Madoc Street, Marmora, was at St. Andrew's United Church Monday, April 15th, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Douglas Miller officiating. Mr. Pack died on Friday, April 12th at Civic Hospital, Peterborough. In his 71st-year, he was born and educated in Madoc Township, son of the late John Pack, and the former Lydia McCoy. He was a retired engineer, having worked for the Ontario School for the Deaf at Belleville for a number of years. He served in World War 1 and belonged to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 237, Marmora. He was a member of AF & AM 222 Marmora; L.O.L. 285: Nickle Lodge; and the Royal Black Preceptory. He belonged to the United Church.

His wife, the former Clara May McCann, predeceased him in January this year.

He is survived by one daughter. Mrs. Victor Neal (Arlie) Marmora; 3 sons, Orville, Dunnville; Cecil, Millbrook; William, Sunnybrook; 2 brothers, Harry of Marmora; Fred, Eldorado and 12 grandchildren.

Masonic, Legion and L.O.L. services were held at Howden Funeral Home on Sunday evening. Burial was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Gordon Phillips. Samuel Davidson, Cecil Neal; Vaughan Glover; Geo. Fox and Gordon Jones.

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**CECIL HARRY PACK \***

of Peterborough passed away on Oct. 16, 1991 in Peterborough. He was 67 years old.

Mr. Pack was born in Madoc Township to the late Arthur and Clara Pack. He was a retired civil servant and active community member.

He was a Lifetime Member of the Masonic Lodge. No. 222, Marmora; Peterborough Lodge of Perfection member; Peterborough Chapter of the Rose Choir; and the Peterborough Legion Branch 52.

Mr. Pack served overseas during WW2 in Africa, Italy, Holland, Belgium and Germany.

He is survived by his wife Dorothy and their children Jim (and wife Betty) of Saskatoon, Sask., Judy Pack of Peterborough and Ron (and wife Gail) of Langley, B.C. He is also survived by four grandchildren and his sister Arlie Neal of Marmora. He was predeceased by brothers Orville and William.

The funeral service was held on Oct. 18 at McConnell's Funeral Home, with the Rev. Warren officiating. Lodge services were also held at the funeral home on Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. (Masonic Lodge). Interment was at Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Pall bearers were Douglas Pack (cousin), Gerald Pack (cousin), Brian Neal (nephew), Kevin Bell (nephew), Barry Naylor (nephew), and Len Lockwood (nephew).

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**MRS. CLARA MAE PACK \***

The funeral of Mrs. Clara Mae Pack, 66, who died in Belleville General Hospital, Sunday, January 14th, 1968, was held on Tuesday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, at 3 p.m., from the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora. Officiating at the service at St. Andrew's United Church was the Rev. D. Miller.

Daughter of the late Wm. McCann and the former Letitia Gawley, she was born and educated in Marmora Township. She was a member of St. Andrew's United Church and the U.C.W., Havelock Chrystal Chapter, No. 36, Harmony L.O.B.A. 600 Marmora and Order of Eastern Star 267 Marmora.

She leaves her husband Arthur Pack, one daughter, Mrs. Victor Neal, (Arlie) of Marmora Township; 3 sons, Orval of Dunnville; Cecil of Millbrook and Wm. of Springbrook. Also surviving are one sister, Mrs. Albert Weatherall of Oshawa; One brother, David McCann of Oshawa and 12 grandchildren. She was predeceased by 3 brothers.

Special services were held Monday evening by the Eastern Star and Chrystal Chapter No. 36. Pallbearers were Gordon Phillips, Sam Davidson, Cecil Neal, Vaughan Glover, Geo Fox, Gordon Jones. Entombment was at Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

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**JOANNE ELEANOR PACK \***

At Caressant Care, Marmora, Friday, September 12, 2003, Joanne Eleanor Pack, in her 49<sup>th</sup> year, of 30 North Hastings, daughter of Orville and Oneta Pack, sister of Ruth (Gerald) McIsaac, 19 Nash Street, Marmora.

Ms Pack was educated in Dunnville, Ontario. She was a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force until June 1978 and retired in 1985 from Wabasso.

She was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 237.

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**ORVILLE ARTHUR PACK \***

Orville Arthur Pack passed away suddenly at his residence in Dunnville, Ontario, August 15th in his 58th year. The son of the late Arthur Pack and Clara McCann, he was born and raised in Madoc Township. He had lived in Dunnville for the past eighteen years and in Malone prior to that. Mr. Pack was a chemical operator at Erco for the past seventeen years but retired recently due to poor health.

A veteran of the Second World War and served overseas with the Lincoln and Welland Regiment in the Provost Corp, Mr. Pack was a member and past president of the Dunnville Canadian Legion Branch 142 and a past member of Branch 237, Marmora. He was also a member of Marmora Masonic Lodge A.M. F.M. No 222 since 1955.

Mr. Pack is survived by his wife, the former Anita McGarvey and two daughters Miss Ruth Pack of Toronto and Miss Joanne Pack of Dunnville. He also leaves brothers Cecil of Peterborough, William of Belleville, one sister Mrs. Victor Neal (Arlie) of Marmora, brother-in-law Ronald McGarvey of Marmora and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Pack rested at the Bullock Funeral Home, Dunnville, on Thursday, August 16. then at the Howden Funeral Home, 9 Burstall St., Marmora on Friday, August 17. Royal Canadian Legion Branch No. 142 held a memorial service in Dunnville Thursday; Lodge A.M. F.M. No222 held a memorial service at the Howden Funeral Home Friday evening at 8p.m. Funeral service was held from the Marmora Anglican Church on Saturday, August 18, at 2 p.m. with Reverend J.A. Howard officiating. Mrs. Gordon Bennett was organist. Special music was "Abide With Me". Interment was in the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Pall bearers were Gerald Fox, Harold Landon. William Kelly from Marmora and Carl Ready, David Boan, and James Hannigan of Dunnville. Flower bearers were all nephews of the deceased. Terry McGarvey, Brian Neal, William Gerber, Armour Watson, Warren Lloyd and Brian Calnan.

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**ONETA VIVIAN PACK \***

At Caressant Care Nursing Home, Marmora on Sunday, September 28,2008. Oneta (McGarvey) of Marmora in her 79th year. Wife of the late Orville Pack. Mother of Ruth McIsaac, Marmora and the late Joanne. Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be held at the Marmora Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion on Saturday October 4, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. Interment in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Arrangements by McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora.

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**WILLIAM JOHN PACK \***

On Tuesday forenoon, March 12<sup>th</sup> William J. Pack, one of Marmora township's most highly esteemed and best loved citizens, entered into rest. He had been in failing health for a number of years and about three years ago underwent a serious operation in Peterboro Civic Hospital. His illness and suffering were so patiently and bravely borne that few realized the seriousness of his condition until a few months ago.

William J. Pack was fifty-five years of age and was born in Marmora township, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Pack. Thirty-one years ago he was married to Grace Lough, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lough. Shortly after their marriage they moved to a farm in Thurlow township, near Foxboro, where they resided for about four years. They then returned to the Pack homestead in Marmora township, where they have resided ever since. The late William Pack was a devoted member of St. Andrew's United church and formerly of the Methodist Church.

He was a member of the Session and also of the Board of Stewards and the official Board for a good many years and his loyalty and co-operation was greatly appreciated by ministers and members. So long as his health permitted he was a very regular attendant at the Church services. "Bill" Pack, as he was known to so many, served a long term as a member of the municipal council of Marmora and Lake. Most years the Council was elected by acclamation, but in every election he contested he had the distinction of heading the poll, sometimes by quite a margin, is proof that he was both liked and trusted by the electors of the municipality.

He was also a member of the school board for an even longer time and was secretary treasurer for quite a number of years. When the Township School Area was formed he was the first chairman of the School Board.

The deceased was a popular member of Marmora Lodge A.P. & A.M. No. 222, and in 1934 was Wor. Master of the Lodge. For about 20 years he was a director of Marmora Agricultural Society and always took an active interest in anything for the welfare of the community. In politics he was a strong Conservative, but was always kindly and fair in any election contest.

The late William Pack is survived by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. John Goodrich and Mrs. Irwin McCoy. The sympathy of the whole community, goes out to them in their bereavement. The funeral will be held this afternoon, leaving his late residence at 2 P. M. and proceeding to St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, for service. Interment will be made in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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### **MRS. ELENA PARANUIK**

Mrs. Elena Paranuik, wife of Thomas Paranuik, passed away in Peterborough Civic Hospital on Thursday, March 17th, in her 62nd. year. Mr. and Mrs. Paranuik have for the past five years resided on Forsythe Street, Marmora, in the apartments over the Pool Room and Barber Shop operated by Mr. Paranuik.

The late Mrs. Paranuik suffered a stroke while attending a hockey match in Marmora Arena a couple of weeks ago and failed to recover from the effects.

Mrs. Paranuik, whose maiden name was Elena Hiatha, was born in Golecia and was married to Thomas Paranuik in the Greek Orthodox church of the Holy Trinity, in Montreal, on January 24th, 1917.

They came to Deloro about 36 years ago and Mr. Paranuik was employed by the Deloro Smelting and Refining Co. Ltd. until about eight or nine years ago. They purchased the farm on No. 7 Highway formerly owned by Neil Quinlan and now owned by Earl O'Connor and resided there for some time, later moving to Marmora where Mr. Paranuik purchased the Pool Room business.

Mrs. Paranuik was of a kindly and sympathetic disposition and always had a friendly greeting for her many acquaintances. She was keenly interested in sports particularly baseball and hockey and was a regular spectator at the games.

Besides her husband she is survived by five sons and four daughters as follows, Costan, Marmora Township; John at home; Mrs Noble Montgomery (Mary), Peterborough; George, Madoc; Mrs. Kenneth Baker (Annie) Elmvale; Michael, Wawa, Ont.; Mrs. Roy Foster (Jenny) Peterborough; Mrs. Edward Gazley (Elizabeth) Marmora township; and Thomas, Havelock. The funeral was conducted on Saturday afternoon with service at St. Andrew's United church and interment in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Her five sons and a son-in-law, Roy Foster acted as pall bearers.

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## **THOMAS PARANUIK**

A resident of Deloro and Marmora for about forty years, Teodore, (Thomas) Paranuik passed away in Belleville General Hospital on Monday, December 28th, following an illness of about a month. He was in his 64<sup>th</sup> year. Mr. Paranuik was born in Romania and came to Canada as a young man. He first resided in Montreal where he was married to Elena Hiata who predeceased him in 1955.

About forty years ago Mr. and Mrs. Paranuik came to Deloro where he was employed by Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Ltd. for over twenty-five years. While working for the company he purchased the farm presently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Connor on No. 7 Highway and resided there for a time, later moving to Marmora village when they lived on Madoc street until he purchased the poolroom and apartment over it on Forsythe Street where he has since resided. He was married again about three years ago to Zilphia Wood Who survives him. He is also survived by four daughters: Mrs. Mary Montgomery, Toronto; Mrs J. K. Baker (Anne) and Mrs. R. Foster (Jenny) of Peterborough and Mrs. C. E. Gazley (Elizabeth) of Marmora; and five sons, Costan, Deloro; John and George, of Madoc, Michael of Wawa and Thomas Jr. of Marmora.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon Dec. 31st, with service at the Howden Funeral Home at 2 P.M. and interment in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

*Marmora Herald December 3, 1959*

## **BARBARA PARKS**

Barbara Marie Parks of 63 Mathew St. Marmora died in the Hotel Dieu Hospital in Kingston on Tuesday. October 23. Miss Parks had been severely burned when her house caught on fire . Miss Parks was born in Belleville, the daughter of Viola (Moran) Parks. She leaves fiance Philip Sharpe of Agincourt and brothers and sisters Kenneth of Madoc, Jack of Queensborough, Thelma (Mrs. Carl Wood) of Belleville, Marge (Mrs. John Foster) of Madoc, Wayne of Smithfield, Kathleen (Mrs. Dennis Mullin) of Peterborough, Ruth (Mrs. Ross Runnalls) of Plainfield. Nancy (Mrs. Don Cooper) of Trenton and Calvin of Regina.

She has been employed at Canadian General Electric.

Miss Parks rested at the Howden Funeral Home. The funeral service was held with Reverend J. Howard officiating. St. Paul's Anglican Church on October 26.

Interment was in the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Pallbearers were Paul Tackberry. Don Cooper, Ross Runnalls, Bobby Woods, Dennis Mullin, and Johnny Parks, Honor bearer was Roy Frost.

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## **VIOLA ANNIE PARKS**

Viola Annie Parks of 5 Bursthall St., Marmora died in Belleville General Hospital December 6, 1978, after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Parks was born in Millbridge, Ontario, in 1915, daughter of Joseph Moran and Annie (Davidson) Moran. She had lived in Marmora for the past twenty years.

She leaves to mourn her loss four sons- Ken of Bannockburn, Jack of Quecnsboro, Wayne of Smithfield and Kevin of Regina, Sask; also daughters Thelma (Mrs. Carl Wood) Belleville, Patricia (Mrs. Leon Courneyea) Tweed, Marge (Mrs. John Foster) Bannockburn, Kathleen (Mrs. Dennis Mullen) Peterborough. Ruth (Mrs. Ross Runnalls) Bayside, Nancy (Mrs. Donald Cooper) Trenton, Barbara Parks, Trenton, and many grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She also leaves a brother, Robert Moran, Belleville, sisters Margaret (Mrs. Francis Hohs) Peterborough, Mary (Mrs. William Ramsey) Madoc, and Clara (Mrs. Roy Ruckstuhl) Bannockburn.

The late Mrs. Parks rested at the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora.

Funeral services were held December 8th at St. Paul's, Marmora. Rev. J.A. Howard officiating. Interment was in Marmora Cemetery. Pall bearers were grandsons Kenneth Foster, Harold Foster, Robert Woods, Eugene Parks, Michael Brawley and Johnny Parks. The late Mrs. Parks rested at the Howden Funeral Home Marmora.

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## **SAMUEL JAMES PEACH**

A native of England and resident of the Marmora area since 1929, Samuel James Peach of Kashabog Lake, died at Belleville General Hospital on Friday, August 11th, He was in his 75th year. The funeral was held at the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 12th with Rev. John Peters of St. Andrew's United Church officiating.

A machinist. Mr. Peach was employed at the Marmoraton Mining Co. for 19 years before retirement. A bachelor, Mr. Peach had no known relatives in Canada. Interment took place in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Bearers were Nicholas Love, William Jones, Reginald Kennedy, Sid Potter. Charles Brown and Albert MacDonald.

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## **ADA HATTIE PEARCE \***

Ada Hattie Pearce, a former resident of Marmora, passed away in Belleville on Thursday, Oct. 3rd, in her 82nd year. She had been in ill health for several years during which time she had lived in Belleville. She was born in Marmora, a daughter of the late Thomas Peter Pearce and his wife Margaret Champion. Most of her life was spent in Marmora where she was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church. She is survived by one brother, H. Reginald Pearce, and two nephews, Thos. of Marmora, and Stanley of Toronto. She was predeceased by five brothers and one sister. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon with a private service at the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora, conducted by Rev. K. G. Fleming. Interment was in the family plot in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. D. P. Marett, Jas. Marett. Wm. Lavender, Harold Naylcr, Thomas Shannon and Thomas Pearce.

*Marmora Herald October 10, 1957*

### **MISS BESSIE E. PEARCE** \*

On Friday morning, February 15<sup>th</sup>, Miss Bessie E. Pearce passed away in Belleville hospital after a comparatively short illness. She first became ill with influenza and when she did not recover as soon as was expected was advised to go to the hospital. Shortly after typhoid fever developed and the day before her death pneumonia also developed.

The deceased was the elder daughter of Mr. J. W. Pearce, formerly member of the Legislature for North Hastings. She was born in Marmora and spent most of her life here. During her residence here she was very popular, and took an active part in the church and social life of the community. About seventeen years ago Mr. Pearce was appointed Bursar of the Ontario School for the Deaf at Belleville and he and Miss Pearce moved to that city, where they have since resided. In Belleville Miss Pearce made many warm friends. She was a valued member of the Bridge Street United Church and treasurer of the Women's Missionary Society. She was also a member of Belleville Dramatic Club and other organizations in the city. Her bright and cheerful disposition and unselfish interest in the welfare and happiness of others endeared her to all who had the privilege of being included in her circle of friends.

The deceased is survived by her father and one sister, Mrs. F. N. Marett, of Marmora. The sympathy of their many friends is extended to them in their bereavement.

The funeral service was conducted in Belleville by Rev. Dr. Malott, who paid a glowing tribute to the many fine qualities of the deceased. Afterwards the remains were brought to Marmora and on Sunday afternoon were conveyed from the home of her sister, Mrs. F.N. Marett, to Marmora cemetery where they were laid beside those of her mother, who predeceased her when she was very young. The burial service was read at the house and the cemetery by Rev. C J. Buckley.

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### **ELIZABETH HETTIE PEARCE** \*

On Sunday, November 22nd, Mrs Elizabeth Hettie Pearce, beloved wife of H. Reginald Pearce. passed away at her home in the village. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bower, and was born at Allan Mills in 1873. While she was quite young the family moved to Marmora, where she had resided ever since. She had been in failing health for a number of years, but was able to be around most of the time until about two weeks ago when the heart condition, from which she suffered, became acute.

The late Mrs. Hettie Pearce had a number of friends, especially in earlier years, when was an ardent worker for St. Paul's Church and took an active interest in community events. She was married to Reg Pearce and for years, before automobiles, radios, motion pictures, etc., changed the pattern of community life, their home was a popular rendezvous for their many friends. In the summer tennis and other sports were enjoyed and at other seasons games, music and other social events provided many pleasant gatherings.

For years she was organist of St. Paul's Church or a member of the Choir in which her husband also sang. She was active in the Ladies Guild and other church organizations and was also a teacher in the Sunday School. Kindly, with a pleasing sense of humor a ready sympathy for anyone in trouble she made many friends and was held in high esteem.

The deceased is survived by her husband, Henry Reginald Pearce, and one son Thomas Pearce, of Marmora. A daughter, Margaret Eleanor, predeceased her on January 11, 1915. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon. A short service was conducted at her late residence by Canon J. M. Brownlie. Interment was in Marmora Protestant cemetery. The pall bearers were Roger Young, Arthur Jenkinsen, George Kerr and Fred Mumby.

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**MRS. F. S. PEARCE \***

About eight o'clock Monday morning March 25th, Mrs. Gertrude Pearce passed peacefully away at her home on Burstall street, after a long illness which she bore with a fortitude that won the admiration of all who knew her. In spite of her illness and suffering she was out for a walk nearly every day and took an active interest in St. Paul's church and various local affairs until the last couple of weeks.

The late Mrs. Pearce was a daughter of the late Bruce Smith, for some years manager of telegraphs of the Canadian National Railways. She was born in Hamilton but while quite young the family moved to Toronto where she resided until her marriage to F. S. Pearce in April 1900, when they came to Marmora to live. Shortly after coming to Marmora they moved into the fine new residence on Burstall street, which has been their home ever since.

The late Mrs. Pearce was an unusually fine soprano singer and for years she assisted in the Methodist church choir and later in St. Paul's Anglican church choir. Her singing was particularly appreciated in connection with special services and she assisted freely in the Methodist, Anglican or Presbyterian churches as occasion arose and also in many entertainments. She was very gifted as a dramatic critic and instructor and several local amateur plays were outstanding successes as a result of her training.

The deceased also took a great interest in Girl Guide work and was Captain of Marmora Troop for a number of years, until ill health made it necessary for her to give up the work. She was a splendid organizer and under her leadership the Girl Guides won a very favourable reputation in the district.

The late Mrs. Pearce was a charming hostess and entertained many notable visitors to the village. She also had many warm friends locally. Her sympathy for those in trouble, her friendliness and her readiness to assist in any worthy cause won the esteem of all who knew her. The heroic spirit she had manifested during many months of suffering will not soon be forgotten by those who had the privilege to know her well.

Besides her sorrowing husband, who is also in broken health, she leaves one son, Stanley, two sisters and one brother —Mrs. Edmund Tayler, Calgary, Alta., Mrs. Ned. Martin, Montreal, and Mr. Douglas Smith, Montreal.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon service being conducted at the family residence by Rural Dean A. B. Caldwell assisted by Rev. C. W. Hollingsworth Interment took place in the family plot in Marmora cemetery.

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## **FRANK STANLEY PEARCE** \*

The funeral of the late Frank Stanley Pearce was held last Friday afternoon. Service was conducted at his late residence by Rural Dean A. B. Caldwell, assisted by Rev. C. W. Hollingsworth, and interment took place in the family plot in Marmora cemetery. Among out of town, relatives in attendance were his uncle, Mr. J. W. Pearce, of Belleville, Messrs. Chas. and Fred Pearce, of Norwood, W. Fowlds, Hastings; and Mr. A. Smith of Toronto, uncle of the late Mrs. F. S. Pearce. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. R. Linn, R. E. Bonter, Dan. Shannon, H. W. Sabine, Magee Sanderson and D. P. Marett.

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## **JOSIAH W. PEARCE** \*

A man, who for many years was a leading citizen of Marmora, held in high esteem by all classes, passed away in Belleville General Hospital shortly before noon yesterday, May 25th, in the person of Josiah W. Pearce. He spent the winter with Mrs. Pearce in Florida, returning to Belleville May 10th and the following day underwent an operation, but his advanced age prevented his recovery.

The late J. W. Pearce was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pearce and was born at Old Havelock over 88 years ago. Peter Pearce was the first postmaster of Havelock and gave it its name, calling it after Sir Henry "Havelock," who gained distinction during the Indian Mutiny in 1857 by the relief of Cawnpore. The deceased and two brothers, the late Joseph Pearce of Norwood, and the late Thomas P. Pearce, founder of The Pearce Company Limited, became prominent in the development of Marmora and Norwood. "Si" Pearce, as he was familiarly known to hundreds for many years, entered the mercantile business in Marmora, starting a general store.

For years he carried on business in what was known as the "Arcade" on Main street. When the block was destroyed by fire about 1904 he moved to the building now occupied by Clifford Jones. A few years later the late F. N. Marett was taken into partnership and the business grew rapidly.

For some years the late Mr. Pearce resided in the house on Forsythe Street, now occupied by Mr. Thos. E. Pritchard, and still owned by his daughter, Mrs. F. N. Marett. Later he built the house on Burstall Street, now owned by Miss M. Sullivan, and resided there until he moved to Belleville to become Bursar of the Ontario School for the Deaf. His home was widely known for its hospitality and many of the older residents still look back on the happy times spent there. The deceased took an active interest in everything pertaining to the interests of Marmora and North Hastings. He served for a time as a member of the Municipal Council and a member of the County Council for several years before Marmora village was incorporated, and was elected Warden of the County in 1901. In 1902 he was elected to represent North Hastings in the Legislature and retained the seat until 1911. In that year he did not allow his name to go before the Conservative Convention as a candidate, the late J. R. Cooke being selected, and the deceased was appointed Bursar of the Ontario School for the Deaf at Belleville and moved to that city. During the years he was a member of the Legislature he was very active in the interests of the Riding and secured much assistance for the improvement of roads and schools.

For some years he had been the oldest living Past Master of Marmora Masonic Lodge and for many years was one of its most valued members. He was also Treasurer of Marmora Methodist Church (previous to Church Union) for quite a number of years and a generous supporter. He also assisted the Agricultural Society and everything for the benefit of the community.

The late "Si" Pearce is best remembered for his personal qualities. A man of wide sympathies, kindly to all and fond of children, generous, with a keen sense of humor and love of keen sport he made a host of friends. He was known all over the County and had many friends in other parts of the Province.

The writer remembers with deep appreciation the many kindnesses, worthwhile advice and encouragement received from the late J. W. Pearce, when he first started in Marmora and tried to build up a business, and the friendship started then which ripened throughout the years.

The deceased was married three times and leaves a widow Mrs. Mary J. Pearce. He is also survived by one daughter, Mrs. F. N. Marett and four grandchildren — Donald Marett, Marmora; Douglas, Hamilton; Dorothy, Kingston, and James at home. His elder daughter, Bessie, passed away about 17 years ago.

The funeral will be held to-morrow. Service will be conducted at his late residence, Belleville, at 10.30 a.m., thence to the home of Mrs. F. N. Marett, Marmora, where a short service will be conducted at 3 p.m. Interment will be made in Marmora cemetery under the auspices of Marmora Masonic Lodge.

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#### **MARGARET ELEANOR PEARCE \***

Last Monday Margaret Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Pearce, passed away, death being due to an attack of pneumonia. She was in her eleventh year. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon a private service being conducted at the house and a public service in St. Paul's church at which Rev. C. M. Harris officiated.

*(Jan. 14, 1915)*

#### **DEATH OF MARGARET PEARCE \***

A feeling, almost of personal loss, passed over the whole village on Monday when it was learned that Margaret Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Pearce, had passed away early that morning. Death was due to an attack of pneumonia. For over two weeks the disease was battled with all the skill known to medical science and all that careful nursing could do, but without avail.

Among her more intimate companions Margaret was loved for her winsome manner and unselfishness and at school she was popular with both teachers, and pupils. She was in her eleventh year and her life appeared especially bright and promising.

The sympathy which is felt for the family was expressed by the many flowers sent in. In addition to the many given by relatives and friends were the following:—

Wreath, from St Paul's Sunday School, Bouquet of lilies, from Village Council.

Gates ajar, Marmora boys of 2<sup>nd</sup> Contingent., Pillow, from Public School. Spray, Methodist Junior League, Broken circle, Pearce Co. Staff, Bouquets from school: and music teachers, Misses Shea, Moran, and J. Jones

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, a private service being conducted at the house and a public service at St. Paul's church, at which Rev. C.M. Harris officiated. The funeral was largely attended, many being present from neighboring places.

Among the relatives from out of town were: Mrs. M. Pearce and daughter, Miss Ada. and Mr. W. C. Pearce of Toronto; Mr. J. W. Pearce, of Belleville; Mr. J. B. Pearce, of Norwood; Mr. Fraser Bowen. or Travers City, Mich., and Miss Alice Whitton, of Port Leydon, N.Y..

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**MRS MARGARET PEARCE (Campion) \***

Mrs. Margaret Pearce, widow of the late T. P. Pearce, passed away at her home in Toronto on Thursday, July 18th, after a comparatively brief illness. She was under the care of a doctor and nurse for about ten days previous to her death, but was thought to be improving until a few hours before the end came. Deceased was seventy-four years of age .

The late Mrs. Pearce was a resident of Marmora for many years and was well known to most of the older residents. Those who knew her best esteemed her most. She was a consistent member of the Anglican church. Her husband predeceased her about twenty years ago. Three sons and two daughters survive. They are Messrs. Frank S.H. Reginald, and William C, of Marmora, and Misses Mary and Ada, of Toronto.

The remains were brought to Mar mora, on Saturday, July 20th, service being conducted in St, Paul's church by Rev. O. M. Hams, after which interment, took place in Marmora cemetery.

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**MISS MARY PEARCE \***

The death occurred in Belleville, in the early hours of Sunday morning:, of Miss Mary Almira Pearce. She was the oldest daughter of the late Thomas Peter Pearce and Margaret Campion Pearce and was born in Marmora on September 23rd, 1874. For the past ten years she had been an invalid.

The late Miss. Pearce is survived by one brother, H. R. Pearce, of Marmora, and one sister, Miss Ada H. Pearce, of Belleville.

The funeral, which was private, was held on Monday afternoon. A short service was conducted at the home of her brother by Rural Dean J. M. Brownlie., She was laid to rest in the family plot in Marmora Protestant cemetery. The pall bearers were Thomas Pearce Donald P. Marett, Roger Young and George Kerr.

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**INFANT – THOMAS PEARCE \***

At Marmora, on the 21<sup>st</sup>, Thos. P, infant son of T.P. Pearce

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## **THOMAS REGINALD BOWEN PEARCE \***

At Slave Lake, Alberta, on Friday, December 30, 1983, Tom Pearce of Peterborough, in his 64th year. Father of Peter, R.R. 2, Claremont; Bruce, Slave Lake; and Mrs. Wayne Clarke (Susan), Indian River. Grandfather of Michael, Erin, Randy, Kelly and Wesley. Funeral service in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora, Thursday, January 5, at 11:00 a.m. Arrangements McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora.

## **WILLIAM PEARCE**

Last Sunday evening one of the oldest residents of Deloro passed away in the person of William Pearce, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Judge.

He was born in Redruth, Cornwall England, on November 30th, 1855, and came to Deloro in 1897. Previous to that he lived in the United States for sixteen years. Deceased was a blacksmith by trade, and was a skillful and conscientious workman. At the time he moved to Deloro Canadian Goldfields Limited was operating and he continued to work for the companies which have carried on operations there since that time.

He was popular with his fellow workmen and highly respected by all. For many years he was an active member of the Methodist Church. In politics he was a Conservative.

The late William Pearce is survived by three daughters: Mrs. Joseph Judge, Deloro, Mrs. T. Harper, Port Huron, Mich.; and Mrs. P. Murphy, Marmora township. His wife predeceased him about three years ago.

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted in Marmora United Church by Rev. C. J. Beckley and interment was made in Marmora cemetery.

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## **WILLIAM C. PEARCE \***

Announcement of the sudden passing of "Billy" Pearce came as a shock to hundreds of people, in this vicinity on Monday afternoon. Few knew that he was ill until after his death, and it is hard to realize that his familiar figure will never again be seen in the places it was so accustomed to frequent. It is doubtful if any other person in Marmora was known to so many people as day after day he was seen on the streets or in various places of business.

The deceased was a unique character. His unswerving loyalty to the line of conduct which he believed to be right, his unfailing interest in church services and church work of all kinds and his outspoken condemnation of what he believed to be wrong were well worthy of emulation. While his chief interest was in the Anglican Church and its various organizations, he was also a frequent visitor of the services of United and Free Methodist Churches. He found interest and enjoyment in them all.

He was also an ardent Orangeman a regular attendant at Lodge, Twelfth of July celebrations and Orange picnics of all kinds. No one was more faithful to the Order or guarded its secrets more carefully.

The late W. C. Pearce visited the Herald Office a couple of times most days and his visits will be greatly missed. Sometimes his candid criticisms were rather resented but his friendly interest in all that was going on, his desire to help in various ways and his love of a joke made him welcome at most times. He took a keen interest in all that was going on and found a lot of satisfaction in listening to the radio, and in the more exciting features from the newspapers. One often wondered at the information he gathered and at his memory in retaining it.

The late William C. Pearce was the eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Pearce, pioneers of Marmora. His early life was spent in Marmora and then for quite a number of years he resided with his mother and sister in Toronto. He could spend a considerable time telling of the many people he came to know and of events which happened while, he was residing in the city. Since the death of their mother, he and his sisters had resided in Marmora in their residence on Madoc street. He was 61 years of age. Two brothers, Frank S. and H. R., and two sisters, Misses Ada and Mary, all of Marmora survive.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon and was of a simple character.

A private service was held at the residence of his brother H. R. Pearce, the Rev. A. B. Caldwell being the officiating clergyman. Pallbearers chosen from Marmora L.O.L. 310 were William Gray, James Gray, Percy Gray, Hugh Jones, It. E. Router, and W. J. Cottrell. Beautiful floral emblems included a wreath from Marmora L.O.L. 819 and sprays from St. Paul's Sunday School and A.Y.P.A. and St. Paul's Men's Club.

Rites of the Orange Order were conducted at the graveside by Wor. Bro. H. G. Potts District Master and Wor. Bro. W. J. Cottrell Chaplain of L.O.L. 819.

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## **GEORGE PELOW**

The funeral of the late George Pelow took place on Friday afternoon of last week with service at the Wells-Howden Funeral Home conducted by Rev. P. O. Miller minister of Marmora Free Methodist Church. Interment was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The late Mr. Pelow was born in Queensboro, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pelow. He was 76 years of age. He had resided in the Madoc and Marmora district all his life and for a number of years resided at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Walker. The past three or four years had been spent at Belleville where he passed away in Belleville General Hospital on Wednesday, Nov. 21st.

The deceased was unmarried and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Clara Sparks of Tweed. Four brothers predeceased him. The pall bearers for the funeral were Messrs. David Blakely, Percy Embury, Gordon Harris, Jas. Walker, K. J. Snider and Wm. Brown.

*Marmora Herald Nov. 29, 1956 Page 1*

## **MARTIN PENROSE**

Mr. Martin Penrose, who has been in Kingston for some time, died in the hospital in that city on Monday, Oct. 16th, after an extended illness. Deceased, who was in his 50th, year, was born in England, but came to Canada as a young man, and has been a resident of Marmora for several years. He leaves a widow and a large family to mourn his loss.

The funeral took place on Wednesday service being conducted in the Methodist church and interment taking place in Marmora cemetery.

*Marmora Herald Oct. 19, 1911, Page 5*

## **FLECKO PETE TOOK HIS OWN LIFE AT DELORO BY HANGING**

Late Tuesday afternoon Flecko Pete, a native of Russia who has been employed by Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Ltd. since shortly after the end of the first World War, was discovered hanging in the cellar beneath the rooms he occupied in the rear of one of the company's buildings. He was around in the forenoon and shaved shortly before 11 a.m., but later could not be found. When no response was made to a knock at his door, an entrance was made and his body was discovered hanging in the cellar. Dr. Donovan was summoned and after examining the condition of the body estimated that death occurred about 11 a.m.

Flecko Pete was of a quiet disposition and always got along well with his fellow employees. He is reported to have a wife in Russia and lately appeared to be brooding over something. He had returned home from a hospital a week or two ago. An inquest is considered unnecessary.

The funeral will be held to-morrow.

*Marmora Herald Nov. 24, 1949 Page 4*

## **ARTHUR B. PHILLIPS \* FATAL ACCIDENT**

The whole village was shocked on Tuesday afternoon by an accident which resulted in the death of Arthur B. Phillips, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips. The victim of the tragedy was employed by the County and was working with the road gang under the foremanship of Mr. H. Dafoe. He was driving Mr. Dafoe's team and at the time of the accident was just dumping a load of crushed stone in front of Wm. Archer's residence. He was standing in front of the wagon when the horses became frightened in some way and he fell across the tongue and whiffletrees. The horses raced across the commons east of Mr. Archer's house and apparently the deceased was either kicked on the head or struck his head on the stones which are scattered around the commons. The wagon finally struck an obstacle, the horses breaking away.

Mr. Wm. Sweet and son, Frank, who were working in their garden, witnessed the accident and rushed to the assistance of the deceased. He was still alive when they reached him and was carried in Mr. Archer's house, but expired a short time after.

The deceased was twenty years of age and was born in Marmora township.

Besides his parents he is survived by five sisters and two brothers. He was of a quiet disposition and was popular with all who knew him.

Coroner Capt. Harper, of Madoc, was in town yesterday enquiring into the circumstances of the accident, but decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

The funeral took place this afternoon, service being conducted in St. Paul's church by Rev. C. M. Harris, after which the remains were interred in Marmora cemetery.

The family and relatives have the sympathy of the community in their sudden bereavement.

*Marmora Herald Oct. 19, 1916 Page 1*

### **CATHERINE PHILLIPS** \*

died at Centre Hastings Nursing Home on Wednesday, July 14, in her 94th year. Mrs. Phillips lived in Marmora all her life. She was born and educated in Marmora where she was a member of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church and the Catholic Women's League.

Predeceasing her were her husband, Harry Phillips; one daughter, Mrs. Marion Izzard; one son, Arthur Phillips; one brother, and five sisters.

Two daughters, Edith (Mrs. Dave Nixon) of Woodbridge and Kathleen (Mrs. Everett Darby) of Marmora, survive her. Also surviving are: one son, Eugene of Marmora; three sisters, Mrs. Kathleen Holmes of Barry's Bay, Mrs. Arthur Crilley of Brighton, Mrs. Annie Anthony of Toronto; one brother, Joseph Darrah of Marmora; 19 grandchildren, and 42 great-grandchildren. The service was on Saturday, July 17, at 10 a.m. from Sacred Heart Church. Reverend T.G. Scanlan officiated. Burial was at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Marmora.

The pallbearers were grandsons Tom and Bill Phillips and Herb, Ted and Ken Darby, and Ray Darrah.

*Marmora Herald July 21, 1976 Page 3*

### **CHARLES PHILLIPS** \*

A highly esteemed resident of Marmora township passed away yesterday at his home near Deloro in the person of Charles Phillips. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Phillips, early settlers in the Eldorado district and was in his 74th year. He learned his trade as a stone mason and was a good mechanic. For years he worked at Deloro and for quite a number of years was an employee of Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Limited. He was popular with his fellow employees and neighbors and was highly respected by all who knew him. He engaged in farming as well as his regular employment.

About a week ago the late Charles Phillips suffered a stroke from which he never rallied. He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Hector Boudreau, Deloro, and Mrs. John Robertson, Detroit. He is also survived by two brothers, Sylvester, Marmora township, and Gilbert, North Dakota.

The funeral will leave his late residence to-morrow afternoon and proceed to St. Andrew's United Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Interment in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

*Marmora Herald, July 16, 1936 Page 5*

**CHARLES LESLIE PHILLIPS   \***

Charles Leslie Phillips a well known resident of Marmora for the past 45 years died suddenly at his home on Saturday evening. April 23th. He had been in ill health for several years but had been around as usual Saturday and had walked down street to do some shopping earlier in the day.

The deceased was 63 years of age. He was born at St. Ola, Ont., a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips. He had been an employee of Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Ltd. for 32 years being freed to retire about seven years ago owing to poor health.

He is survived by his wife the former Myrtle Burns, two daughters, Mrs. Arthur (Marjorie) Wannamaker, of Campbellford; and Mrs. Bert (Isobel) Wickens of Crookston; and three sons, Melville and Donald, Marmora and Wayne at home. He was the last of a family of 12 children. The funeral was held at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon with service conducted by Rev. K. J. Crawford. Interment was ' in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

The pallbearers were all fellow employees at Deloro and were Donald Robertson, Lloyd Williams, Leslie Rundle, Arthur Reynolds, Cyril Tandy, and John Morrison.

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**DONALD DEAN PHILLIPS   \***

**At Campbellford Memorial Hospital On Thursday, October 1st, 2009  
Visitation McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora Sunday, Oct. 4th, 2009 from 2-4 and 7-9pm  
Funeral Service McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora Chapel On Monday, October 5th,  
2009 At 11:00am Interment:Marmora Protestant Cemetery**

**Donations:Canadian Cancer Society**

**Family Members**

**Husband of The Late Ila (Nobes), Son of The Late Leslie and Myrtle Phillips**

**Father of Sharon Phillips, Marmora Brian (Brenda) Phillips, Malone And the Late Larry**

**Grandfather of Cory, Derek and Jessie**

**Great Grandfather of Dawson, Reese and Aidan**

**Brother of Marjorie Wannamaker, Norwood Isabel Wickens, Marmora And the Late Melville and Wayne**

**EDNA PHILLIPS   \***

At Caressant Care Nursing Home on Friday, March 9, 2007, Edna (Jones) of Marmora in her 96th year. Wife of the late Elmer Phillips, Mother of Dorothy(Doug) Pack of Madoc, and the late Glenn (Maureen) Phillips of Belleville.

Grandmother of Lorrie and the late Peter Gannon of Belleville, Karen (Russ) McFarlane of Calgary, Kelly (Richard)Coates of Burlington, Shawn (Krista) Pack of Madoc, Sharon (Rob)Reid of Plairtfield. Great grandmotherof Bryce, Adam, Amber, Blair, Marc, Kristin, Travis, Caitlin, Maddison, Tristan, and Bailie. Dear sister of Elizabeth(Bob)Tufts of Campbellford, and the late Wilbert Jones. Spring internment at Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

*Community Press April 6, 2007 Page 22*

## **ELMER SYLVESTER PHILLIPS \***

A well-known resident of Marmora, Elmer S. Phillips, passed away on March 23, 1996, at the Caressant Care Nursing Home, in Marmora. He was in his 89th year.

The funeral service was held on March 26 at McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora, with the Reverend Dr. Keith Cooney and the Reverend Robert Tufts officiating. Afterwards a lovely lunch was served by St. Paul's Anglican Church Women. Spring interment at the Marmora Cemetery.

Elmer was the son of the late Sylvester and Sarah Jane Phillips (Davidson) He is survived by his loving wife Edna Phillips (Jones). They had been married for 67 years. He was the loving father of Dorothy and husband Douglas Pack of Eldorado and Glenn and wife, Maureen, of Belleville. Mr. Phillips will be lovingly remembered by five grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Elmer was born in Madoc Township and later moved to Marmora where he spent the rest of his life. He was employed at Deloro Smelting and Refining Company for a number of years, later working at Marmoraton Mining Company, until he retired. Elmer will be missed by many people.

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## **GEORGE LEWIS PHILLIPS \***

On Wednesday evening, May 26th, George Lewis Phillips passed away at his home in the village, after a long illness. He was a son of Sylvester Phillips and his wife, Sarah Davidson, and was born in Marmora township fifty-she years ago. As a young man he worked on the farm for a time and then secured employment with Deloro Smelting & Refining Company Limited, working in the Oxide.

After his marriage to Mary Lough, daughter of Mrs. John Lough and the late John Lough, they took up residence in Marmora Village and for years have resided in their own home on Hays street. Some years ago the late Lewis Phillips and Joseph Doyle started a motor bus service between Marmora and Deloro. For a few years they both continued to work at Deloro plant as well as run the bus service, but later found the bus service required most of their time. The deceased was popular with his fellow employees at Deloro and with the citizens of the community generally.

For a few years the late G. L. Phillips was a member of Marmora Village Council and he made a good councillor. Owing to ill health he retired from the Council. He was a member of St. Andrew's United Church and of Marmora Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 222. He was highly esteemed for his many fine qualities.

Besides his wife he is survived by six children. They are Gordon, Marmora; Alvin, Toronto; Mrs. Edison Sine (Ha), Frankford; Mrs. Wellington McInroy, (Rita), Marmora; and Audrey and Douglas at home. Also surviving are his father and step mother, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Phillips, Marmora township, three sisters, Mrs. William Simmons and Mrs. Earl Eldridge, Toronto, and Mrs. Henry Empey, Marmora, and one brother. Elmer Phillips, Marmora. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon and there was a very large attendance of relatives and' friends to pay their last respects to the departed.

The funeral was under the auspices of Marmora Lodge A.F. & A.M.No. 222 and there was a good attendance of members, a token of the esteem in which the deceased was held. Service was conducted in St. Andrew's United Church and at the graveside, in Marmora Protestant cemetery, by Rev. E. M. Cadigan. By special request of the family Mr. George Woodhouse sang "The Old Rugged Cross." Following the committal service at the cemetery the Masonic funeral service was held with War. Bro. A. W. Drew, Rt. Wor. Bro.C. H. Buskard and Wor. Bro. H. C. Barlow taking part. The pall bearers were Bros. Donald Robertson, E. C. Prentice, Warden Chrysler, Frank Wiley, Frank Sweet and Leslie R. Rundle.

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**MRS. HANNAH PHILLIPS \***

The death occurred at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Hector Boudreau at Deloro on Thursday evening last, of one of the oldest residents of Marmora township in the person of Hannah Phillips, widow of Charles Phillips. Stricken about six months ago, she had since been confined to her room. Previous to that time she had enjoyed good health and was very \_\_\_\_ for one of her years,

Mrs. Phillips was born on May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1860 at Nanthead, Cumberland, England, being a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Archer, who came to Canada when she was quite young, Her husband Charles Phillips, who was employed by the Deloro Smelting & Refining Company, Limited for a number of years as a mason, died but thirteen years ago. Since then she had made her home principally with her daughter, Mrs. Hector Boudreau.

She was highly esteemed in the district and had a large circle of friends, who will regret her passing.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Hector Boudreau (Nell) Deloro; Mrs. John Robertson (Florence) Niagara Falls, N.Y, She is also survived by three brothers; William Archer, Grafton; Thomas Archer, Toronto, and Harry Archer, California.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from s the home of her grandson, Albert S, Brown, Marmora Township, proceeding to St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, where service was conducted by Rev. E. M. Cadigan, who also conducted, the burial service at the graveside.

Interment took place in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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**INFANT PHILLIPS \***

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Phillips of Spring Brook was buried at Marmora cemetery on Saturday afternoon.

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## **HARRY PHILLIPS \***

Word of the death of Harry (Hiram) Phillips came as a shock to his numerous friends in Deloro and Marmora yesterday morning. Monday he was at work at Deloro, apparently in good health, and greeted his fellow employees in his usual cheery manner. During the afternoon he became suddenly ill and as his condition grew worse, he was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough.

In spite of all that medical skill could do, he passed away shortly after midnight, Wednesday morning, as a result of a heart attack. He was fifty-three years of age.

The late Harry Phillips was a son of the late William Phillips, and nearly all his life had been spent in Marmora village or township. He had been an employee of Delora Smelting & Refining Company Limited almost from the time they started operations under the present control. About twenty years ago he suffered an accident at the plant as a result of which he had been lame ever since.

He was very popular with his fellow employees and had a host of (friends).

He leaves a wife and five children to mourn the loss of a loving husband and father. His wife was formerly Catharine Darrah, daughter of Mrs. Darrah and the late William Darrah, of Marmora.

The children are Mrs. Fred Izzard, Marmora township; Arthur, Toronto; Mrs. E. Darby, Marmora; Gene, at home, and Edith, nurse-in-training at St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Newbigging, of Galt, Ont. , and one brother, George G. of Vancouver, B.C.

The funeral will leave his late residence, east of Marmora station, at 1:15 p.m. tomorrow (Friday) and proceed to St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora, for service. Interment will be made in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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## **HILDA MARJORIE PHILLIPS \***

Funeral service for Hilda Marjorie Phillips was conducted in the Chapel of the Cassidy Funeral Home, Marmora, Tuesday, May 25, 1982, by Rev. James Stevenson. Interment followed in Marmora Cemetery.

Mrs. Phillips died May 22 in Belleville General Hospital. She had resided at 18 William Street, Marmora. Born in Marmora and Lake Township, she was the daughter of Samuel Nobes and Jennie Briggs.

Surviving are her children. Carol (Mrs. Robert Dixon). Peterborough; Terry Lindsay, Beverly (Mrs. Dennis Cooney) Stirling; Marie (Mrs. Merv Brown), Campbellford.

Close friend Frank Reynolds of Marmora survives.

Brothers and sisters are Don Nobes, Marmora; Gordon Nobes, Oshawa; Leah (Mrs. Ron Fluke). Thomasburgh, Samuel Nobes, Kingston; Ila (Mrs. Don Phillips) and Verna (Mrs. Roy Lake), both of Marmora; Lorne, Havelock and Shirley (Mrs. John Quinn). Oshawa.

Bearers were Gerald Fox, Burton Fluke, Bill Reynolds. Harold Doyle, Ken Henry and Lorne Smith.

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**ILA MAY PHILLIPS \***

Ila May Phillips of Marmora passed away at the Peterborough Regional Hospital (Civic) on November 12, 2004, in her 80th year, after a lengthy illness. She was born May 19, 1925, in Marmora Township. Ila was the daughter of Samuel Nobes and Jennie Briggs (Nobes). She will be sadly missed by husband Donald of 57 years. They were married June 21, 1947 (?) in Campbellford. Forever missed by children Sharon and Brian (Brenda), grandchildren Cory (Leslie); Derek and Jessie and great grandchildren Aiden, Dawson and Reese.

Also missed by brother Lorne (Maureen) Nobes and sisters Verna Lowery, Shirley Patterson and Marlene (George) Taylor. Ila was predeceased by her son Larry who passed away July 4, 1975, and her siblings John, Dora, Donald, Gordon, Leah, Hilda and Sam. Ila was a homemaker all her married life.

She rested at the McConnell Funeral Home. The funeral was held in the Marmora Chapel on November 17, 2004, with the Reverend Quick of the Free Methodist Church officiating. Interment was at the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Donations were given to the Canadian Cancer Society. Pallbearers were Derek Meiklejohn (grandson), Doug Falls and Dennis Cooney (nephews-in-law), Allan Fluke (friend), Jon Bridges (friend), and Ronnie Ellis (friend).

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**MRS. ISABELLE A. PHILLIPS \***

There passed to her eternal rest shortly before 8 A. M. on Sunday, Mrs. Isabella Ann Phillips, beloved wife of Robert Phillips. Her death followed an extended illness marked towards the end with much suffering. She was born in Marmora township on October 17th, 1875, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, whose parents were of pioneer stock of this community.. On her paternal side her grandfather, Hugh Jones was reeve of Marmora and Lake Townships as far back as 1864 and on the maternal side, her grandfather James Bailey was also active in Municipal affairs in that same period. By reason of her kind sympathetic nature, Mrs. Phillips' name was almost a household word in the village. The welcome sign was always most legible in her home.

She was of an industrious nature and that spirit caused her for ages to be an active worker for the Ladies' Guild of St. Paul's, the church she attended as well as the former other church of the Parish Holy Trinity. Life membership was given her in Marmora Women's Institute in April of last year, her active membership therein for a large number of years meriting the honor. Last year on Oct. 17th she and her husband celebrated their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary.

Besides her sorrowing husband, she is survived by two sons, Charles and Hugh, Toronto; and five daughters, Mrs. Lindsay McCarey (Hilda), Minden; Mrs. Donald McInroy (Edith), Marmora; Mrs. William Holmes (Iva) McLaughlin Alberta; Mrs. Donald Ellis (Clara), Calumet, Que., and Mrs. George Shaw (Nellie) Campbellford.

She is further survived by two sisters, Mrs. John Simmons and Miss Goldie Jones, Campbellford, and one son, Arthur, predeceased her about thirty-five years ago and one daughter Mrs. James Gordenier (Elizabeth) last year.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon leaving her late residence for service at St. Paul's, which was conducted by Canon J. M. Brownlie. The church was filled with relatives and sympathizing friends and the profusion of floral emblems were of mute testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The hymns were "Unto the Hills" and "On the Resurrection Morning" with the Nunc Dimittis sung as a recessional. The rector's comforting message was based on parts of the 90<sup>th</sup> and 91st Psalms. Canon Brownlie also took the committal at the graveside in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Irwin McCoy, John Goodrich, Wilbert Jones, George Aunger, Charles Sopha and Fred Johnston.

*Marmora Herald June 28, 1951 Page 1*

### **PHILLIPS, LEWIS GORDON \***

A lifelong resident of Mar mora, Lewis Gordon Phillips, in his 83rd year, passed away Friday, October 19, 2001 at Quinte Health Centre after a brief illness, husband of Zeta Phillips (Mumby), 31 Madoc Street, Marmora, son of the late Lewis and Mary Phillips of Marmora Township, father of Irene Galloway (David) and Brenda Warren (Randy), Marmora, grandfather of Hope (Fred) Thompson, and two great grandsons Andrew and Christopher Thomson, Newmarket, brother of Ilia Sine (Edison), Frankford, Audrey Morley, Peterborough, Douglas Phillips (Phyllis), Cordova, and the late Alvin Phillips and Reta McInroy.

Mr. Phillips was a member of St. Andrew's United Church, Masonic Lodge #222, Oddfellows Lodge, Springbrook and Marmora Legion Branch #237.

The funeral service was from the McConnell Funeral Home, Monday, October 22, 2001, Rev. Doug Mitchell officiating. Pallbearers were Boyd Warren, cousins Glenn Phillips and Doug Pack, nephew Dale Phillips, and grandsons Phillip and Robert Warren. Interment Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

*Marmora Herald Dec. 8, 2001 Page 10*

### **MARY ELIZABETH PHILLIPS \***

Funeral service for Mary Elizabeth Phillips was conducted February 6 by Rev. Clyde Westhaver of St. Andrew's United Church from the church to Marmora Protestant Cemetery for interment. Mrs. Phillips, 85 died suddenly February 3 at her home on Hayes Street.

A lifetime resident of the area, she was daughter of the late John and Isabella Lough.

Surviving are children Gordon-, Marmora; Alvin, Winnipeg; Ilia (Mrs. Edison Sine), Frankford; Reta (Mr. Wellington McInroy), Marmora; Audrey (Mrs. Tom Morley), Peterborough and Douglas, Cordova. A brother. Tom Lough of Madoc also survives.

She was predeceased by brothers Charles and Allen Lough and a sister, Mrs. Tom (Margaret) Moffatt.

Mrs. Phillips was a member of St. Andrew's United Church and charter member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Bearers were grandsons Garry and Rick McInroy, Ron Morley, Dale Phillips. Randy Warren and Bill Elliott. Funeral arrangements by the McConnell Funeral Home, Marmora.

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## MARY L. PHILLIPS \*

The death occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Lewis, Havelock, late Saturday of Mary L. Phillips, in her 85th year, following the effects of a stroke. The deceased was a daughter of the late Levi Legrow and Mary L. Pealon (Pilon) and was born at Cornwall, Ontario, where she received her education and resided during the early part of her life. She later married Patrick McAninch who predeceased her some years ago. In 1919, at Campbellford, she married William Phillips who predeceased her in 1932.

About 10 years ago she came to Havelock to reside with her daughter. In religion, she was a member of the United Church.

She leaves to mourn her loss, two daughters (Ella) Mrs. Joe Lewis of town and (Bertha) Mrs. Leo Hoover, Buffalo, N.Y. and one son, Alfred McAninch of Belleville also nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

The funeral was held from B.A. Curtis Funeral Parlors on Tuesday afternoon, when services, were conducted by Rev. J. W. Wilkinson of the Havelock United, Church. Interment was made in Rockdale Cemetery.

*Havelock Standard and Marmora Herald June 15, 1944 Page 1*

*Ed. Note. — William Phillips was a resident of Marmora for many years and after her marriage the late Mrs. Phillips resided here about 15 years.*

## MELVILLE JONAH PHILLIPS \*

Funeral service for Melville Jonah Phillips, 18 William St., Marmora who died suddenly in Norwood on Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, was held from the Howden Funeral Home on Wednesday, April 14th at 1:00 p.m. Rev. J. E. Peters of St. Andrew's United Church officiated and burial was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. He was in his 53rd year. Mr. Phillips was born and educated in Marmora. He was the son of the late Leslie Phillips and the former Myrtle Burns. He was employed at the Norwood Feed Mill where he passed away.

He leaves his wife, the former Hilda Nobes: one son, Terry, at home and three daughters, Mrs. Robert Dixon (Carol) of Peterborough and Beverly and Marie at home.

Also surviving him are his mother, Mrs. Phillips, brothers Donald and Wayne of Marmora and two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Wannamaker (Marjorie) of Campbellford and Mrs. Bert Wickens (Isabel) of Crookston.

Pallbearers were Gerald Fox, Garnet McCann, Roy Lake, John Quinn, Al Downing and Bernard Kelly.

*Marmora Herald April 21, 1971 Page 2*

## **MYRTLE PHILLIPS \* \***

At Centre Hastings Nursing Home on Monday, May 25, 1977, Myrtle Phillips died in her 81st year. Mrs. Phillips was born and educated in Marmora. She was a member of St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora.

Predeceasing her were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burns; one son; and her husband, Leslie Phillips.

Surviving are two daughters and two sons: Marjory (Mrs. Arthur Wannamaker) of Campbellford; Isobelle (Mrs. Bert Wickens) of Crookston; Donald and Wayne of Marmora. She was a sister of Miss Gertrude Burns of Centre Hastings Nursing Home. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday, May 25, 1977 at 1:30 p.m. from Howden's Funeral Home. Reverend Donald Rutherford officiated. Burial was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The pall bearers were Gordon Marskell, Ed Warren, Joe Darrah, Leo Quinlan, Eugene Phillips, and Donald Gray.

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## **ROBERT PHILLIPS \* \* FOUND DEAD IN HOME**

Coming home for a visit yesterday afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Donald Ellis and son Rev. R. D. Ellis, of Chesterville, discovered Mrs. Ellis' father, Robert Phillips, dead on the floor of his bedroom. Mr. Phillips had been living alone for the past few weeks and apparently had had a seizure of some kind and passed away about three or four days ago.

The deceased was found fully clothed on the floor with traces of blood on his face and on the floor of the kitchen. Apparently he had tried to reach his bed but did not quite make it. He had a considerable sum of money in his pockets.

Chief of Police Charles Lockwood was called and immediately notified Coroner Dr. Russell Scott, of Belleville who ordered an autopsy on the remains. His resulting verdict was "accidental death, due to natural causes".

The late Mr. Phillips was in his 88<sup>th</sup> year. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips pioneer settlers in Marmora township. His father was a teacher and clerk of the township from 1866 to 1882.

Mr. Phillips farmed in the township for some time and later became an employee of Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Ltd., where he worked until his retirement some years ago.

Even at his advanced age he was very fond of reading and took a keen interest in sports, particularly hockey.

He was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church. In politics he was a staunch liberal. He was of a quiet friendly nature and held in high esteem by all who knew him.

His wife, formerly Isabella Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, Marmora township pioneers, predeceased him about four years ago.

He is survived by two sons, Charles and Hugh, of Toronto, and five daughters, Mrs. Donald McInroy (Edith) Marmora; Mrs. Lindsay McCary (Hilda), of Minden; Mrs. D. Ellis (Clara), of Chesterville; Mrs. William Holmes (Iva), McLeod, Alta.; and Mrs. Shaw (Nellie), Marmora.

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**ROBERT PHILLIPS** \*

The funeral of the late Robert Philips was held Saturday afternoon from the Home of his daughter, Mrs. Donald McInroy, to St. Paul's Anglican Church where service was conducted by Canon J. M. Brownlie, Entombment was in the vault at Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Bearers were John Goodrich, Geo. Auger, Elmer Moffat, Roy Blakely, Fred Johnston and Lloyd Williams  
Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which he was held in the community.

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**MRS. SYLVESTER PHILLIPS** \*

After an extended period of ill health Mrs. Sarah Jane Phillips passed away at her home in Marmora township about 5.30 o'clock Wednesday morning. Her maiden name was Sarah Jane Davidson and she was born at Gateshead in the north of England in September 1868, but came to Canada with her parents when about two years of age. Most of her life had been spent in Marmora township and she was very highly esteemed as a friend and neighbor by a large number of people. For many years she was a member of the Methodist and later of the United Church. Besides her husband she leaves a family of two sons and three daughters. They are Lewis, of Marmora and Elmer of Marmora township; Mrs. William Simmons, Deloro; Mrs. Earl Eldridge, Toronto; and Mrs. Henry Empey, Marmora. She is also survived by three brothers and three sisters: William Davidson, Marmora township; John, BlueSky, Alta.; Henry, Marmora; Mrs. John Willman, Marmora township; Mrs. Earl Rombough, Foxboro; and Mrs. Margaret Willman, Trenton.  
The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon, service being conducted in St. Andrew's United Church at 2.30 p.m. followed by interment in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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**SYLVESTER LEWIS PHILLIPS** \*

On Sunday evening, March 4th, Sylvester Lewis Phillips, an aged and highly esteemed resident of Marmora township, passed away in his 85<sup>th</sup> year. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Phillips and was born at St. Ola but came to Marmora township when a young man. Most of his life he engaged in farming, but he was employed by Deloro Smelting & Refining Company for a number of years.  
The late Sylvester Phillips was a good neighbour and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was a member of St. Andrew's United Church, formerly the Methodist Church. Fraternally he was one of the oldest members of Marmora Lodge A.F. & AM. No. 222.  
He was twice married, his first wife being Sarah Jane Davidson. Of that marriage four children survive. They are Mrs. William Simmons (Jane), and Mrs. Earl Eldridge (Florence), Toronto; Mrs Henry Empey (Beatrice), Marmora, and Elmer Phillips, Marmora. A son, Lewis, predeceased him two years ago. His second marriage was to Florence Jones (nee Reynolds), who survives him.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, proceeding from his late residence to St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, where service was conducted by Rev. Geo. D. Young B.A., B.D., who also conducted the burial service at the graveside.

The funeral was under the auspices of Marmora Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 222 and the Masonic burial service was conducted by Wor. Bro. C. R. Whittemore, assisted by Rt. Wor. Bro. C. H. Buskard and Wor. Bro. H. C. Barlow.

The pall bearers were Rt. Wor. Bro. C. H. Buskard, Wor. Bro. C. R. Whittemore, Wor. Bro. Wm. Simmons and Bros. B. Mackenzie, H. Easton and F. R. Loveless.

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### **WAYNE MAXWELL "PETE" PHILLIPS \***

Wayne Maxwell "Pete" Phillips died at his home on February 17, 1980 after a lengthy illness. He was 48 years old. Mr. Phillips was born in Marmora the son of Leslie and Myrtle (Burns) Phillips and lived here all his life. He was disabled in recent years and unable to work.

He leaves children Joanne Gibbs of Belleville. Wayne Jr. of Marmora. Charles. Rodney and Dennis of Belleville and Sharon of Kingston and six grandchildren.

He also leaves sisters Marjorie (Mrs. Arthur Wannamaker) of Campbellford, Isabelle (Mrs. Bert Wickens) of Madoc and Donald of Marmora.

The funeral was held on Wednesday, February 20 from the McConnell Funeral Home in Marmora with Rev. James Stevenson of the Marmora Pentecostal Church presiding.

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### **MRS. WM. PHILLIPS \***

The sympathy of the people of Marmora and district goes out to Mr. Wm. Phillips and family in their bereavement through the death of Mrs. Phillips, which occurred in Peterboro hospital on Tuesday morning. The deceased had been a great sufferer for some time previous to her death. A couple of years ago she fractured her hip and was in the hospital for a considerable time and she never fully recovered from the effects of the accident. Then a complication of diseases set in which made her recovery hopeless..

The deceased was born in Stirling, her maiden name being Adeline Legrow.

She was a daughter of the late Jeremiah Legrow and was in her 58<sup>th</sup> year. About thirty-five years ago she moved with her husband to Marmora and has resided here ever since. Besides her husband she leaves a family of two sons and two daughters. They are Harry of Deloro, Mrs. Gilbert Adams, of Porcupine, German of Calgary and Mrs. James Newbigging of Galt.

The funeral took place this forenoon, service being conducted in St. Paul's Church by Rev. C.M. Harris after which the remains were interred in Marmora Cemetery.

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## **WILLIAM J. PHILLIPS \***

Through the death of William John Phillips, which occurred at 7.30 a.m. on Tuesday, the village of Marmora has lost one of its oldest residents. The deceased, who was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Phillips, was born in Madoc township on May 6, 1856.

About forty-eight years of his life were spent in Marmora, previous to which he had resided in Stirling. He was fond of recalling the days when he used to draw freight between Stirling and Belleville on his lumber wagon. Upon coming to Marmora he worked for about twenty-five years on the farm of the late Nelson McWilliams. In later years, in addition to gardening he carried out the duties of caretaker of the Marmora Protestant cemetery, succeeding the late William Knox. He had been in failing health for the past three years so that his end was not unexpected.

He was of a very kind disposition and took a lively interest in the affairs of the village. He was a member of the Anglican church and in politics was a staunch Conservative.

He was twice married. His first wife was Adeline Legrow. There were ten children of this marriage, only three of which survive. They are Harry of Marmora township, German of Ribstone, Alberta, and Mrs. J. R. Newbigging of Galt.

Twelve years ago he was married to Mrs. Mary Lavine McAninch who survives him.

The funeral leaves his late residence at 2 o'clock this afternoon for St. Paul's church, where service will be conducted by the rector Rev. A.B. Caldwell. Interment will follow in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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## **MAMIE PHILION**

A former Marmora resident, Mamie Philion, passed away at her residence, Bestview Nursing Home, Cornwall, on Monday, Mar. 6, 1989. She was 83 years of age. Born in Highland Grove, Ontario, the daughter of the late William Watson and Annie Allen, she was predeceased by her husband, the late John Joseph Maxwell Philion. One daughter, Shirley Barnsdale of St. Vital, Manitoba, survives. A graveside service at Marmora Protestant Cemetery in the spring follows cremation. Arrangements will be by McConnell Funeral Home in Marmora.

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## **JOHN JOSEPH MAXWELL PHILLION**

The death of John Joseph Maxwell Phillion occurred suddenly on Sunday, October 1st, at his home at 20 O'Brien Street, Deloro. Age 56, he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Phillion. Born at Alexandria, Ontario, he was educated at Alexandria and Montreal. He was Inspector of the the Department of Highways. In the First World War, he served in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces, and since has served in the peacetime Canadian Artillery and Signal Corps. He is survived by his wife, the former Mamie Watson, one daughter, Mrs. Bruce Barnsdale (Shirley) of St. Pantoll, Manitoba, one brother, Leo of Montreal, and five grandchildren. One daughter predeceased him. Cremation took place in St. James Crematorium, Toronto, on October 2nd.

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