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NORMAN A. KILPATRICK

A resident of Deloro for the past 33 years, Norman Adam Kilpatrick passed away in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough, on Wednesday of last week. He had been in failing health for the past two or three years. He was in his 60th year.

Mr. Kilpatrick had been an employee of Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Limited ever since he came to Deloro and held the position of foreman for several years. He was born in Huntingdon Township, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Kilpatrick, and he spent his early life in that township.

The late Norman Kilpatrick was a life member of Marmora A. F. & A.M. No. 222 and also a life member of the Royal Arch Masons, No. 161, Madoc. He was a member of King Baldwin Preceptory No. 6 at Belleville, Rameses Shrine Temple, Toronto and of the Belleville Shrine Club. He was of a friendly nature and was always popular with his fellow workmen and all who knew him. He was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora.

He is survived by his wife, the former Theresa Lloyd and one daughter, Mrs. Thomas (Irene) Ross of Madoc. There are also two brothers, Wellington, Belleville and Earl of Toronto.

The funeral was held on Saturday proceeding from his late residence to St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora for service. Interment was in the vault in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

The Service was conducted by Canon J. M. Brownlie assisted by Rev. W. Giovetti and a Masonic service at the cemetery was under the auspices of Marmora Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 222. Pall bearers were Messrs. A. W. Drew, C. R. Whittemore, G. W. Paget, W. F. Simmons, L. McCoy and L. R. Rundle.

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MRS. RICHARD KILPATRICK *

On Tuesday, April 13th, 1948, Mrs. Annie Lois Kilpatrick, wife of Richard Kilpatrick, passed away at her home at Malone. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Riley and was born in Seymour Township. She was in her 71st year and had lived all her life in this district.

Over forty years ago she was married to Richard Kilpatrick, who survives her and they lived on a farm until about a year ago when they sold the farm and equipment and bought a new home and moved to Malone. The late Mrs. Kilpatrick was a good neighbor, ready to help others in time of trouble, and was held in high esteem.

Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters and one son. They are Mrs. Theran Sager, Belleville; Mrs. Wilbert Moffatt, Marmora, and Mr. Vernon Kilpatrick, Plainfield. She is also survived by four grandchildren.

The funeral was held last Thursday afternoon, proceeding from her late residence to St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, where service was conducted by Rev. E. M. Cadigan, who also conducted the service at the graveside in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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RICHARD WATT KILPATRICK *

Richard Watt Kilpatrick, a well known resident of Marmora Township, passed away in Belleville General Hospital yesterday, April 18th, in his 75th year. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kilpatrick. His wife formerly Annie Lois Riley, predeceased him a few years ago. Resting at the Belleville Burial Co. Funeral home, the remains will be conveyed to St. Andrew's United Church, Marmora, for service at 2 pm on Saturday, April 21st. Interment in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The casket will remain open from 1:30 p. m; until the commencement of the service. Mrs. Wilbert Moffatt of Marmora a daughter of the deceased.

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TERESSA JANE KILPATRICK

Teressa Jane Kilpatrick of 84 Russell Street, Madoc, died after a lengthy illness on April 23 at Belleville General Hospital. She was in her 78th year. Mrs. Kilpatrick was born in Bannockburn, was the daughter of the late Henry and Edith Lloyd and was the wife of the late Norman Kilpatrick. The Kilpatricks had also lived in Deloro for thirty years.

Mrs. Kilpatrick is survived by daughter Irene (Mrs. Thomas Ross), grandchildren Eric Ross of Marmora and Susan Bonier of Marmora and great grandchildren Carrie and Lisa Bonter of Marmora.

She is also survived by Fred Lloyd (brother) of Harrowsmith and a sister, Mrs. Harry Bird (Alice) of Madoc. She was predeceased by John Lloyd of Northbrook, Henry Lloyd of Bannockburn, Harriet Webster of Toronto, Edith Embury of Frankford, Annie of Bannockburn and Tom Lloyd of Madoc.

Mrs. Kilpatrick was educated in Bannockburn, was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora, was past Worthy Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star 143, Madoc, and was a member of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, Belleville, and the ACW of St. Paul's Church.

The funeral took place at the McConnell Funeral Home in Madoc on April 25th with Reverend Jack Howard officiating. Interment took place at the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. A special Order of the Eastern Star service was held on Friday evening, April 24 at the funeral home. Bearer were William Lahey, William Nayler, Terry Fox, John Fox and Eugene Pigden, all of Madoc, and Grant Airhart of Marmora

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DAMON KING

Mr. Damon King, an aged former resident of Marmora, passed away in a Hamilton Hospital on Tuesday evening. The remains will be brought to Marmora and the funeral service will be conducted at St. Andrew's Church at 2:30 pm on Saturday, January 29th. Interment in the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The deceased was 89 years, 5 months and 3 days of age.

KING, GRACE MARY

At Campbellford Memorial Hospital with her family around her on September 22, 2003, Grace Mary King, in her 89th year, formerly of Caressant Care Nursing Home and Matthew Place, Marmora, wife of the late Bruce King, daughter of the late Sam and Fannie Switzer of Newburg, Ontario, mother of Margerette (Don) Forbes, Pearl (Willie) Bedore, Mabel (Royce) Carson, Jean (Ken) Davis, Joan (Ken) Poole, and predeceased by daughter and son-in-law Isobel and Dorland Hartin; and son John Switzer, grandmother, great and great great grandmother of many, sister of the late Dorothy Keck and the late Jay Switzer.

Mrs. King was a member of the women's ministry.

The funeral was held September 24, 2003, from Marmora Pentecostal Church, Rev. Dale Sanger officiating. Interment Mar mora Protestant Cemetery.

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MRS. MARY KING *

After some months of failing health Mrs. Mary King, wife of Hiram King, passed away in Bancroft on Tuesday night. She had not been well since the fire in the Jones Block, formerly the St. James Hotel, in the winter of 1952 when she and her husband, together with other tenants, were driven from their homes.

Recently she had been living with relatives in Bancroft

Her maiden name was Mary Hawley and she was born and spent her early life in the northern part of the county. She was twice married her first husband being Albert Henry, who predeceased her about three years ago.

They resided in Marmora quite a number of years and had a large number of friends. The deceased was of a friendly and cheerful disposition and was held in high esteem.

She is survived by her aged husband, Hiram King and one son Seymour Henry of Marmora. She is also survived by three brothers, Daniel and James Hawley, of Marmora and William Hawley, of Toronto.

The remains were brought to Marmora early Wednesday morning and are resting at F. R. Well's new Funeral Home on Burstall street. The funeral service will be held in the Chapel in the Funeral Home 'at 2.30 P.M. on Friday. April 10th. Interment will take place in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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MRS. RAE KING

On Friday, Oct. 6, 1977, Mrs. Rae King died at Georgetown Memorial Hospital. She was from RR3, Havelock, was born in, Scotland and educated in Scotland, McMaster University in Montreal and in Western University, London, Ont. Mrs. King was a member of the United Church, the Canadian Library Association, and Heritage Canada. She was predeceased by her husband, Richard King and was survived by two daughters, Donna Helen (Mrs. Gary Wedlake) of Edmonton, Donna Jean (Mrs. Robert Carmichael) of Toronto; three sons, Richard of Kingsville, William of Calgary, and Robert of Toronto; three sisters, Allie, Isabelle of Scotland, and Julia of Australia; four brothers, Gary, Ivan, Gerald and Stanley of Scotland; twelve grandchildren; and one great grandson.

The funeral service was held from Howden's Funeral Home, Marmora on Sat., Oct. 8 at four p.m. and Reverend D. Rutherford officiated. Burial was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. The pall bearers were Richard King, Gerald Scott, and Bruce Callingham, Robert King and Douglas Wedlake.

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MAJOR RICHARD ALEXANDER KING

In 67th year

A resident of the Havelock area for the past six months, Major Richard Alexander King, of R.R. 3, Havelock, died after a short illness in Belleville General Hospital, on Friday, July 5, 1974. He was in his 67th year.

Major King rested at the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora, and the funeral was held there on Sunday, July 7 at 4p.m. Rev. John Peters officiated at the funeral and at the graveside in the Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Bearers were sons ____ Richard and William King, and (grand?)sons Robert Carmichael, Gerald _____ and Gary Wedlake.

Son of the late Frederick King and the former Sarah McIntosh, he was born in ____wash, Nova Scotia and received his education there and at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston, Mass. He served overseas during World War II.

Major King was a former member of the Masonic Lodge and Canadian Legion in _____

He also helped form a Branch of the Canadian Legion in Weston, Ont.

Before coming to Havelock, the family lived in Grimsby for 16 years.

He leaves his wife, the former Rae____ and ____children: Mrs. Robert Carmichael (Jean) of Toronto; Mrs. Gary _____(Donna Helen) of Montreal, Richard of Kingsville, William of _____ and Robert of Toronto. There, are ____grandchildren.

Sisters, Mrs. Albert Ward (Celia) of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Jack Tweed of Sydney, N.S. and one brother _____ of Toronto also survive.

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ROBERT KING

Dies in his 84th year. Funeral service for Robert Bruce King, 75 Main Street, Marmora was held on Monday, January 21 at the Howden Funeral Home at 1:30 p.m. Rev. James Stevenson officiated at the service. In his 84th year, Mr. King died at Belleville General hospital on Friday, January 18 following a short illness. Entombment took place in Marmora Protestant cemetery vault. Bearers were William MacDonald, Donald Gray, Frank Dayton, Henry Hilts, Floyd Loveless and Charles Ellis.

Mr. King was born and educated at Enterprise, Ontario and for the past 14 years had lived in Marmora.

He leaves his wife, the former Mary Grace Switzer and six daughters Mrs. Dorland Hartin (Isabel), R. R. 2 Marmora, Mrs. Donald Forbes (Marguerite) of Marmora, Mrs. Ken Hartin (Pearl) of Havelock Mrs. Charles Gifford (Mabel) of Malone, Mrs. Ken Davis (Jean) of Marmora and Mrs. Paul McInroy (Joan) of Springbrook. There are 27 grandchildren, One brother Earl King of Enterprise and four sisters - Mrs. Pearl Geeland of Syracuse, New York, Mrs. Annie Stager of Fergus, Ontario, Mrs. Ida Smith and Mrs. Violet Brown both of Toronto also survive. Mr. King rested at the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora before the service.

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MR. PAUL KINGSTON

who lived with his brother, Mr. Wm. Kingston, a few miles north of the village, was found dead on a sofa on Saturday morning shortly after eating a hearty breakfast. He was a scholar, but of recent years became peculiarly reticent and would not talk to strangers. The funeral was held on Monday.

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WILLIAM KINGSTON

A former well known and respected resident of Marmora, died last week, at the home of a relative near Stirling, at the age of 80. He was born in Ireland, but most of his life was spent in the Township of Marmora. His funeral was on Jan. 27th, 1923, the interment being in Marmora cemetery. Rev. Canon C.M. Harris read the burial service.

KINGSTON—At Stirling on Jan. 27th, 1923, William Kingston, aged 80 yrs.

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MRS. WILLIAM KINGSTON -Clara *

Of _____ Ontario, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Froats of Marmora, died on Wednesday, December 9, at Minot, North Dakota, where she had gone on a visit. Deceased was twenty-seven years of age. The remains were brought to Marmora for interment, service being conducted in St. Paul's church this afternoon and interment taking place in Marmora cemetery.

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ROSS HERBERT KITCHER

Funeral service for the late Ross Herbert Kitcher was held from the Howden Funeral Home, Marmora, on Fri., Feb. 24, at 2 p.m. Rev. J. Howard officiated and temporary entombment was at the Marmora Cemetery Vault, with interment in the spring at Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Mr. Kitcher died suddenly on Wed., Feb. 22, at his residence, RR 1, Marmora. He was born in Toronto in 1927 and was educated and lived in Toronto for 41 years, moving to RR No. 1, Marmora, nine years ago. He farmed as well as working for the Marmoraton Mining Co. He was the son of Elsie Kitcher and the late George Kitcher. Surviving are: his wife, Jessie, and five sons, George of Oakville, Ronald of St. Catharines, Ross of Mississauga, Randy and Mark at home; also one brother, Lloyd, of Barrie. He is also survived by five grandchildren. The five sons, George, Ronald, Ross, Randy, Mark and one nephew, Robert Halthead were the pallbearers.

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DAVID KNOX *

Following an operation for appendicitis, from which he failed to rally, David: Knox passed away in Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough shortly after six o'clock last Friday after six o'clock last Friday afternoon. His wife passed away suddenly at their home about eleven months ago and he had felt her loss very keenly. The deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Knox and had spent all his life in Marmora Village or Township. He was a carpenter by trade and was employed by Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Ltd. for a number of years. He was very quiet and retiring, but those who came to know him found him a good friend and neighbor. His health had not been good for some years.

The late David Knox is survived by eleven children — Wesley, Consecon; George, Rochester N.Y.; Gordon, at home; William on active service overseas; McKinley and Mallory at home; Mrs. Harold Dalglish, Campbellford; Mrs. Earl Harper, Bracebridge; Mrs. G. Renwick, Reg. N. Peterborough; Mrs. John. Fox, Marmora; and Shirley at home. He is also survived by four brothers and five sisters as follows: Leslie Knox, Rochester N.Y.; John, Marmora; George, Newark N.J.; William Toronto; Mrs. Jas. Thomas, Erie Penn.; Miss Effie Knox, Erie Penn.; Mrs. George ;Carruthers, Palmyra N.Y. Mrs. W. Baker and Mrs. Holland Clark, Rochester N.Y. The funeral was held on Monday afternoon service being conducted at his late residence by Rev. W. P. Fletcher, assisted by Rev. J. D. P. Knox 01 Belleville, an aged United Church minister and a relative of the family. He also assisted at the funeral of Mrs. Knox. By special request Mrs, P. Gray arid Mrs. L. R Rundle sang the same duet "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," which they sang then. Five sons acted as pall bearers with & son in law, Harold Dalglish taking the place of William, who is overseas. Interment took place in Marmora Protestant cemetery, Dr. Fletcher conducting the burial service, assisted by Rev. Mr. Knox.

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MRS. DAVID KNOX *

Word of the sudden passing of Mrs. Mary Jane Knox, wife of David Knox, last evening, came as a surprise to relatives and friends. She had apparently been in her usual health until last Saturday, when she suffered a brief illness. She apparently recovered from it, but last evening the trouble returned in a more acute form and death resulted soon after.

Her maiden name was Maiy Jane Culp and she was born in Western Ontario, but most of her life had been spent in Marmora and was devoted to her large family.

Her sister, Mrs. Nancy Narrle, passed away on November 19th of last year. The deceased was in her 65th year.

Besides her husband she is survived by a family of five daughters and six sons as follows: Mrs. Harold Dalglish (Evelyn), Campbellford; Mrs. Earl Harper (Maggie), Bracebridge; Mrs. John Fox (Yvonne), Marmora; Annie, Reg. N., Peterboro; Shirley, at home; Wesley, Consecon; George, Rochester; Mallory, Gordon, William and McKinley at home. She is also survived by fifteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at her late residence, Hayes Street. Interment will take place in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. KNOX *

The funeral of the late Mrs. David Knox was held last Friday afternoon and all members of the family were home to pay their last tribute of affection to a loved wife and mother.

The six sons were pall bearers. The funeral service was conducted at the house by Rev. Dr. W.P. Fletcher, minister of St. Andrew's United Church, assisted by Rev. J.P.D. Knox, of Belleville, a relative of the family. Mrs. Percy Gray and Mr. L.R. Rundle sang "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." Interment took place in Marmora Protestant cemetery.

Out of town relatives and friends present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dalglish and sons, Carl and Gordon, and daughters, Wanda and Ruth; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Boyd and Mr. and Mrs. Emmons and daughter, Mary, all of Campbellford; Mr. George Knox, of Rochester; Mrs. Earl Harper Bracebridge; Mr. Wesley Knox, Consecon; Miss Annie Knox, Reg. N., Peterboro; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McComb and Mrs. M.J. Dalglish, Campbellford.

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DAVID GORDON KNOX *

A lifelong resident of Marmora Village, David Gordon Knox, passed away suddenly at his home here on Wednesday morning, Dec. 10th. He was in his 51st year and had been in poor health for about two years.

Mr. Knox was born in Marmora, the son of the late David Knox and Mary Jane Culp. He had spent his entire life here. For many years he was an employee of Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Limited and had been a foreman at the Silver Plant for several years before ill health forced him to retire. He was popular with his fellow employees and respected by all who knew him.

Mr. Knox was never married. He is survived by three sisters: Mrs. Earl Harper (Maggie), of Bracebridge Mrs. George Renwick (Annie), Peterborough and Mrs. Bruce Canniff (Shirley), of

Cooper; and five brothers, Wesley of Consecon; George, of Wolcott, N.Y., William, and Mackinley, of Marmora and Mallory John of Toronto. Two sisters predeceased him. The body is resting at the Howden Funeral Home until Friday afternoon when service will be conducted in St. Andrew's United Church at 2:30 P.M. Interment will be in the vault at Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

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LEAH KNOX *

Mrs. Leah Knox, of Marmora passed away peacefully at home on January 18, 1993 in her 69th year. Mrs. Knox was born in Sheffield, England the daughter of Frederick and Adelaide Simpson. Mrs. Knox was educated in England and lived in Marmora for 47 years.

Mrs. Knox was a World War II veteran, a Sergeant Major with WAAC and a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Br 237 Ladies Auxiliary.

Mrs. Knox was predeceased by her husband William Isaac Knox and is survived by her children: Mrs. Leslie Hall (Christine) of England; David, of Havelock; Mrs. Larry McMullen (Melody), of Campbellford; Kent, of Marmora; Mrs. John James, (Debbie), of Toronto and Mrs. Mike Badgley (Robin), of Marmora. Mrs. Knox will be dearly missed by her 11 grand children and two great grandchildren.

A funeral service was celebrated from St. Paul's Anglican Church on January 21, 1993 with Rev. Don Skowronski and Rev. John Lombard co-officiating. A spring interment will be held at the Marmora Cemetery (Royal Canadian Legion). A special service was also held by the RCL Br. 237 Ladies Auxiliary. Pallbearers were nephews Gary Gaffey, Allen Canniff, David Renwick, Bob Renwick, Tim Conny and Ed Ellis.

(No reference)

CATHARINE KNOX CHILD DIED IN HOSPITAL *

Catharine, two and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox passed away in the Civic Hospital, Peterborough, on Monday morning, August 11th. She had been ailing for some time. She is survived by her parents, one brother about four years old and a baby sister.

The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, service being conducted at the house by Rev. K. J. Crawford. Burial took place in Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

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WILLIAM ISAAC KNOX *

A veteran who saw service in Italy during World War II, William Isaac Knox of 35 N. Hastings St., Marmora, died at Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, March 19th, 1972, after a lengthy illness. He was in his 59th year.

The funeral service was held at St. Paul's Anglican Church, after resting at the Howden Funeral Home, on Wednesday, March 22nd, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. John Lombard officiating.

Born and educated in Marmora, he was the son of the late David Knox and the late former Mary Culp. He was a member of Canadian Legion Branch 237.

He is survived by his wife, the former Leah Simpson; one son, David Wm. of Havelock, a

daughter, Mrs. Larry McMullen of Campbellford and Robin, Debbie and Kent at home. Three brothers, McKinley of Newcastle; George of New York John of Pine Grove, Ontario and two sisters, Mrs. George Renwick of Peterborough and Mrs. Shirley Canniff of Colborne, also survive.

A memorial service under the auspices of Canadian Legion Branch 237, was held at the funeral home on Tuesday evening, March 21st at 7:30 p.m. Entombment took place in Marmora Protestant Cemetery Vault. Bearers were Frank Dayton, Hubert Maxwell, Bill Mac-Donald, Harold Doyle, Norman Sopha, John Griffin.

Marmora Herald March 29, 1972

W. I. KNOX *

Funeral service for William Isaac Knox, of 35 North Hastings St.. Marmora, was held Wednesday in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Marmora, Rev. Lombard officiating. Mr. Knox died Sunday in a Belleville hospital after a lengthy illness. Interment was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery Vault. He was born, and educated in Marmora, son of the late David Knox and the late, former Mary Culp. He was a member of St. Paul's Anglican Church.

Mr. Knox served in Italy in World War Two and was a member of Royal Canadian Legion 237;. He is survived by his wife, Leah Simpson, sons Robin and Kent at home, David William of Havelock. daughters Debbie at home, . Mrs. Larry McMullen (Melody Ann) of Campbellford, brothers McKinley of Newcastle, George of New York, John of Pine Grove, sisters Mrs. George Renwick of Peterborough and Mrs. Shirley Canniff of Colborne.

The body was at Howden Funeral Home, Marmora.

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ARVI KOSKI

The funeral of Arvi Koski, of R.R. 2, Marmora, took place on Tuesday afternoon, May 17th. at 1:30 p.m. from The Cassidy Funeral Home to St. Andrew's United Church for service at 2p.m. with the Rev. R. E. Hepolehto of Toronto officiating. Mr. Koski died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough on Sunday, May 15th, after an illness of 3 weeks.

Born in Finland in 1895, he was the son of the late Juho Koski and the former Hilda Charlotta Kuna, coming to Ontario 42 years ago. Retired for 5 years, he was employed as a welder with the Deloro Smelting and Refining Co. Limited of Deloro. He was a member of the United Church and Masonic Lodge A.F. & A.M. No. 222.

He is survived by his wife, the former Helena Vanninen, 3 children: Dr. Aino Tenhunen, M.D., of Sudbury (2 girls, and 1 boy; George William of Waterloo; Mrs. Wm. Farnham (Ruth) of Espanola. He also leaves 8 grandchildren and 3 brothers and one sister in Finland.

A Masonic service was held in the funeral home Monday at 7.00 p.m.

Burial was in Marmora Protestant Cemetery. Pall bearers were: Harry Loveless, Sidney Sandham, Fred Mumby, Fred Lassila, Olaf Maki, Paul Maki.

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MARMORA (Special) — MR.AND MRS. MICHAEL KOURI

Residents of Marmora for 35 years, died yesterday as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident on Highway No. 7, about two miles east of Peterborough.

Mrs. Kouri died at the scene of the accident. Mr. Kouri died later in St. Joseph's Hospital, Peterborough.

Mr. Kouri was born in Syria, the son of a Greek Orthodox priest, and came to Canada while still a boy. He was married in Montreal to the former Mary Louise Zahallan. He was 67 and his wife would have been 58 this month.

Mr. Kouri operated a dry goods business in Tweed for about five years prior to opening a dry goods store in Marmora 35 years ago. He sold his interests in 1934 and had been employed at a variety of jobs in recent years. Mr. and Mrs. Kouri were members of the United Church.

Mrs. Kouri was Worthy Mistress of Marmora Chapter, LOBA, a past president of the Women's Institute and past district director of the W.I. for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Kouri are survived by five sons and seven daughters: Bert and Bernard, of Peterborough; Joseph of the RCAF, Camp Borden; Richard and Michael, of Toronto; Mrs: Al (Louise) Clark, Mrs. Georgina Walashen, Mrs. J. (Marguerite) Mclsaac and Mrs. Leslie (Ida) Hoover, all of Toronto; Mrs. Ray (Joyce) Lingard, of Port Hope; Mrs. Wayne (Josephine) Cartnell, of New Jersey, U.S.A., and Miss Marina (Jean) Kouri, of Teachers' College, Toronto. brother, Leo, of Tweed, and Mrs. Kouri is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Anne David of Cochrane, Ont., and Mrs. Lillian Pickett, of Toronto.

The deceased are resting at the Wells Funeral Home, Marmora. The funeral announcement appears elsewhere in this edition.

MICHAEL KOURI MRS. MARY LOUISE KOURI

MARMORA—The funeral services for the late Michael Kouri and his wife, Mary Louise Zahallan, were held in St Andrew's United Church on Wednesday afternoon, of which they were members. The pastor, Rev. K. J. Crawford conducted the United Church service, reading several passages of comforting Scripture and gave his message from the Psalms. Present in the sanctuary was the Rev. Father Aboud, Greek Orthodox Priest of Toronto, in which faith Mr. and Mrs. Kouri had been reared. Rev. Aboud conducted the Greek service with responses from Orthodox members.

Relatives and friends were present from Ottawa, Toronto, Port Hope, Peterborough, Trenton and Camp Borden. .

Bearers were their five sons and five sons-in-law, Mr. Leo Kouri, a brother, and Mr. Michael David. Interment was in Marmora Protestant cemetery with both clergymen taking part in the graveside ceremony.

Marmora Herald June 7, 1956

MR. AND MRS. M. KOURI KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Citizens of Marmora and District were shocked to learn of the death of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kouri on Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Kouri had been to Toronto and were on their way home when the accident occurred about a mile east of Peterborough.

It is not known what happened but it is thought that the wheel of the small English car driven by Mr. Kouri had left the pavement and in an effort to pull the car back on the pavement the car went out of control and swerved across the highway into the path of a car driven by Mr. Burrill L. Payne of Norwood. Neither driver had a chance to avert the crash.

Mrs. Kouri was killed instantly and Mr. Kouri was rushed by ambulance to St. Joseph's Hospital where he passed away shortly after being admitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Kouri have been highly respected and esteemed residents of Marmora for about thirty-eight years, moving here from Tweed at that time. For quite a number of years they operated a clothing store here. After going out of the retail business Mr. Kouri was employed at various jobs around the village for some time. He then took a position as clerk in the hotel and later was employed in Peterborough and at Port Hope in that capacity, returning to Marmora a few years ago.

Mrs. Kouri made her home in Marmora and here their family of twelve children were raised.

Mrs. Kouri was the former Mary Louise Zahalan and was born at Carleton Place, Ont.

During her early life she lived in Timmins and other Northern Ontario cities before her marriage. She was of a friendly and industrious nature and took an active part in Community activities. She was a member of St. Andrew's United Church and of the Women's Association and was always ready to do more than her share in any project for the benefit of the church or organization. She was also a past president of Marmora Institute and District Delegate for the Institute and her cheerful services will be missed in many ways.

Mr. Kouri was born in Syria 67 years ago, a son of a Greek Orthodox priest. He came to Canada as a youth. He was of a quiet and friendly nature and made many friends who will mourn his passing.

They leave a family of five sons and seven daughters. They are Albert, Peterborough, Joseph, with the R.C.A.F. at Camp Borden; Richard, Toronto; Bernard, Norwood and Michael, Toronto; Mrs. Al Clarke (Louise), Mrs. Walashin (Georgina), Mrs. J. McIsaac (Marguerite), and Mrs. Leslie Hoover (Ida), all of Toronto; Mrs. Ray Lingard (Joyce) Port Hope, Mrs. Wayne Cartmell (Josephine), South Orange, N.J. and Miss Marina (Jeannie) Kouri of the Teachers College Toronto.

Mr. Kouri has one brother, Leo, in Tweed and Mrs. Kouri has two sisters, Mrs. Annie Davids, Cochrane, and Mrs. Lillian Pickett of Toronto.

The funeral was conducted in St. Andrew's United Church yesterday afternoon and the large crowd in attendance and great profusion of flowers were a sincere tribute to the memories of the deceased couple.

The service was of a special nature with Rev. K. J. Crawford conducting the usual service of the United Church and Rev. Gregory Abboud, rector of St. George's Syrian Orthodox Church, Toronto, and three or four members of his congregation conducting the Greek Orthodox Funeral services.

A DOUBLE GREEK TRAGEDY

(Research by Gerald Belanger Sept. 2004)

Michael Kouri was born in 1883 in Syria which is now known as Lebanon. Mike was the son of a Greek Orthodox priest. In January, 1916 he married Mary Louise Zahalan in Montreal, Quebec.

Mary had been born in 1896 at Carleton-Place, Ontario. Before her marriage she had lived in Timmins and in Northern Ontario. Both side of the parents, we do not know - but —

When promoters began to campaign for the settlement of " New Ontario" in Northern Ontario in the early 1890's, they were expecting to attract large numbers of English-speaking , Anglo-Saxon farmers to the newly-opened farm land. They were largely successful, but they also attracted an unexpected influx of immigrants of Syria origin ; who were entrepreneurial and became influential during the pioneer days of New Liskeard, Haileybury, Cobalt and Charlton which is located near Englehart. Many of the Syrians followed the miners and prospectors and established business in these mining camps. It was not until 1882 that the first Lebanese came to Canada settling mostly in the Montreal area. By the start of the 20th Century, about 2000 Lebanese had immigrated to Canada settling mostly in Quebec and Ontario.

A Richard Zahalan (born May 15th, 1873) immigrated to Canada in 1893 and lived in Carleton Place. In 1900 he came to New Liskeard and with a former Madoc settler, Wesley McKnight, and they started a partnership in a General Store. The store became the largest store in town, and consisted of the grocery department and a large furniture store. It was sold in 1903. On October 8th, 1904, Richard married Sadie Kourie at Carleton Place. Sadie was born in Syria in 1879. In 1915 Richard and his family left New Liskeard and settled in Montreal.

Abdulah Zahalan apparently no connection with Richard - we have very little information about Abdulah and his family . We know he settled in New Liskeard for a short while. This family had immigrated to Canada in 1895. Two daughters were born in Ontario from this union - Mary (1898) and Annie (1900),, Mike and Mary Kouri had 5 sons and 7 daughters - Albert, Joseph, Richard, Bernard and Michael; Louise (Clarke) , Georgina (Walshin or Wolshyn), Marguerite (Ritchie & Mclsaac), Ida (Hoover), Joyce (Lingard), Josephine (Cartmell) and Jeanie (Cunningham).

Mike and his family move from Tweed to Marmora in 1918. In April, 1924, Mike set-up a clothing store in the old Sweet Bakery Shop located on Main Street which later became the Pentecostal Church and is now a two-store apartment building. Mike built the new two-storey frame and cement building on the original footprint of the old Sweet Bake Shop. Mike ran his grocery, clothing store until 1934. In November, 1936, he purchased a house on Main Street from the Pearce Company. The house had been damaged by fire and fixed over by the company.

Mike's hard-luck story as told by the Peterborough Examiner –

Poor Mike. That's what they're all saying in Marmora these days. For poor Mike - possessor of the largest family in the Village, holder of a half interest in 2 Irish Sweepstake tickets, threw away his interest in the ticket and got 50 cents in return. Mike a waiter at the Royal Hotel sold the last half of a book of tickets belonging to Fred Ritchie of Cordova Mines. Fred finding that Mike had taken all the tickets off his hands, offered to give him half interest in the last ticket or else I'll give you 50 cents for your work. Poor Mike, who already had 2 tickets decided to take the 50 cents. Fred's ticket was worth \$4,060.00.

On June 4th, 1956, Mike and Mary Kouri were both killed in a car accident a few miles east of Peterborough. At the time of his death, Mike had one brother - Leo in Tweed and Mary had sisters - Annie Davids of Cochrane and Lillian Pickett of Toronto. A double Greek Orthodox Funeral Service was held at the United Church in Marmora. Both are buried at the Marmora Protestant Cemetery.

HENRY J. KUYT

Henry J. Kuyt of R.R.1, Havelock died in the Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday. August 8. 1978. He was sixty-seven years of age.

Mr. Kuyt was born in Holland, the son of the late Henry John Kuyt. He leaves a wife, the former Marie Hulsman, and ten children: Mrs. Jerry Buekeboom of Aurora; Mrs. Art Everetsen of Bailieboro; Mrs. John Hammond of Aurora; Mrs. Bill Van Dyke of Sutton; Mrs. Peter Everetsen of Peterborough; Nelly at home; Mrs. Everett Everetsen of Milton; Mrs. Don Drurey of Cookstown. Thomas of Brockville and Leny of Donwsvie. He is also survived by 21 grandchildren.

Mr. Kuyt was born and educated in Holland and farmed in the Newmarket area before moving to this area year and a half ago. He had been ill for two months prior to his death.

The funeral was conducted from the Cassidy Funeral Home in Marmora on Thursday, August 10. Interment was in the Marmora Protestant Cemetery with the Reverend James Stevenson officiating.

Pallbearers were: Clarence Sopha, Leonard Coens, John Warnaar, Tom Warnaar, Art Warnaar and Gilbert Van Dam

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