

OBITUARIES (1001)

<u>Year</u>	<u>Township</u>	<u>Famname</u>	<u>Forename</u>	<u>Issue_date</u>
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	ACTON	ROBERT	14/02/1907
<p>Acton, Mr. Robert, Kemptville Weekly Advance, February 14, 1907, On Monday evening there passed away in Ottawa, Mr. Robert Acton, formerly a resident of this town and very well known here. Mr. Acton was born at Acton's Corners and was about sixty-six years of age. He was at one time a business man of this place about eighteen years ago, having kept a grocery store near the MacPherson House. After that he taught school in what was known as the Seven Mile Bush school house, near the Rideau. The late Mr. Acton built the house now owned by Mr. Samuel Crawford, and lived their during his residence in Kemptville. Since leaving here, Mr. Acton has been an extensive traveller through the North West and in the States. Four daughters of the deceased are now left. They are: Mrs. Edwards, of Schnectady, N.Y.; Mrs. S. Conlin of Smith's Falls; the Misses Florence and Ethelene in Ottawa; Mrs. Acton predeceased her husband about eighteen years ago. There is also one brother and one sister living; Mr. William Acton of Almonte and Mrs. P. Bates of Winnipeg, formerly of Easton's Corners. The late Mr. Abram Acton was also a brother. The remains will be brought from Ottawa on the four o'clock train this afternoon and placed in the Reynolds and Johnston vault. In the spring the remains of Mrs. Acton will be taken from the old Methodist Cemetery and together they will be laid away in the Public Cemetery to await the resurrection.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	AULT	SARAH	26/12/1907
<p>Ault, Sarah, Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 26, 1907. The Ault home was saddened at Christmas time by news of the death, at Regina, Sask., of Miss Sarah Ault, the sad event occurring on Saturday and the remains being brought home Christmas Day for burial. The late Miss Ault, who was employed for some years in her sister's boarding house and subsequently in the grocery, made many friends who were shocked and grieved to learn of her death. She had been residing of late with her brother Gordon at Moose jaw, and her sister, Mrs. Archie McLellan, of Regina. The body, brought from Regina on the morning of December 25th, was conveyed from the lower station to the Ault residence on Prescott street. The funeral service was held at St. James' Memorial Church at ten o'clock this morning, the remains being place in the vault. The late Sarah Ault is survived by an aged and widowed mother, brothers James and Gordon, and six sisters: Mrs. Peter O'Brien of Gouverneur, N.Y.. Mrs. A. McLellan of Regina; Mrs. L.J. Banks, Mrs. N.L. Ireland, Misses Nettie, and Alice Ault of Kemptville. Friends in Kemptville, their home community, extend sympathy to the family in their affliction.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	BALLANCE	GEORGE(MRS)	28/07/1910
<p>Ballance, Mrs. George, Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 28, 1910. Mrs. M.A. Ballance, Kemptville. On Friday, 22nd July, Mrs. Mary A. Ballance of Kemptville passed away at the age</p>				

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of 75 years. She was born at Acton's Corners being a daughter of the late Wm. Graham. Her marriage to the late George Ballance took place at Gouverneur, N.Y. and subsequently they removed to Kemptville, where they spent the major portion of their married life. Six children survive the late Mrs. Ballance, one son and five daughters, as follows: George E. Ballance of Brockville; Mrs. J.H. Proctor of Almonte; Mrs. H.B. Leonard of Malone; Mrs. Jas. A. Evoy of Carp; Mrs. Wm. A. Barnes and Mrs. H. Dell of Kemptville. Mrs. Ballance was known among friends and neighbours as one always ready to render sympathetic assistance to the needy. Many a time of sore trial has been lightened by her helping hand. Her funeral, on Sunday afternoon, was very largely attended, service being conducted in St. James' church by the Rector. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Saml C. Patterson, Thos. Evoy, Jas. Swain, George Brosser, Peter Finnerty and John Maley. Among relatives from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Leonard, of Malone; Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Proctor, of Almonte; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Evoy, of Carp. Interment was made in St. James' cemetery.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	BARNES	RUBY	30/05/1907
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1910 Barnes, Miss Ruby,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, May 30, 1907.

Ruby Barnes Dead.

Another bright, young life ended yesterday in the passing away of little Miss Ruby Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Barnes of Kemptville. She was aged only thirteen years and a month and had been ill two weeks. Ruby was a bright and cheery dispositioned child and had numerous friends among our young folks who will be deeply grieved to hear of the untimely death of their little playmate. The bereaved parents and family have the sympathy of the community in their affliction. The funeral was held this morning from the family residence, Clothier Street.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	BASCOM	OLIVER(MRS)	13/05/1909
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1910 Bascom, Mrs. Oliver,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, May 13, 1909.

Mrs. Catherine Bascom is dead. Her condition, reported from week to week in these columns, continued to grow gradually worse until release came on Sunday, May 9th. Her death was not an unexpected blow for dissolution had been postponed by a strong will and sound physical comstitution which waged a brave but hopeless battle against disease. Her immediate relatives and most intimate friends were with her, in her last illness; but the best of care and attention could not avail to win the battle against disease. The late Catherine Bascom, nee Anderson, was born February 22nd, 1852 and has lived in this district all her life. Here she was married to Mr. Oliver Bascom on October 24th, 1874, in old St. James' church by Rev. John Stannage and Rev. Albert Spencer. They resided for a time at the corner of Oxford and West Streets, removing thence to Joseph Street where they lived continuously since. Mr. Bascom, who was a druggist, disposed of his business in 1897 to Mr. A.D. MacLennan continuing however to take an active part in public affairs here until the time of his death in 1904. Since her husband's decease, Mrs. Bascom has never been really well for any lengthy period though this last winter's illness was her first serious one and to it she succumbed. The funeral service was held yesterday morning at 10:30

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in St. James' Church, the attendance from Kemptville and outside points being very large. The body was laid at rest in the churchyard. The late Mrs. Bascom is survived by two sisters and two brothers: Mrs. (Rev) J.F.Gorman, Ottawa; Mrs. Moffatt, Hamilton; Mr. W.H. Anderson, Kemptville; Mr. Peter Anderson, Denver, Col.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	BLACKBURN	THOMAS	21/04/1910
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Blackburn, Thomas,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, April 21, 1910.
 Thomas Blackburn, Kemptville.

After a long life of useful service, Thos. Blackburn of Kemptville passed to his eternal rest last Sabbath afternoon. He had reached the closing months of his seventy-seventh year, had spent fifty-nine years in his chosen vocation and an even longer period in the service of the church of his heart. To Thomas Blackburn as to few others, could be applied that most honorable title of "Good and faithful servant". His death marks the passing of the sixth of the family of seven children of the late Wm. Blackburn, Esq., the surviving member being Mrs. Christie of Ottawa. The late Thomas Blackburn was born on Perth St., Brockville, July 15th, 1833 and, at the age of one year, came to Kemptville with his father's family. The father, William Blackburn, conducted a general store in the Jones building near Prescott St. Bridge until his death in '41. Young Thomas Blackburn, aged but 14 years, entered the mercantile establishment of Joseph Bower six years later and remained on duty in various local stores until the fifty-ninth anniversary of his apprenticeship, October 1st, 1906, notably with his brother Andrew and with Mr. Sam'l Christie, a partner. He was a deeply religious man and had a long, active and honorable connection with the Parish of Kemptville. He was a member of the original Building Committee of St. James' Memorial Church along with such men as Robert Leslie and the late Dr. Ferguson. He served faithfully as Church Warden under three rectors and his active participation in church work ceased only when the hand of disease laid him low. Death, due to paresis, came to the relief of the stricken invalid, at two o'clock on the Sabbath afternoon and Thomas Blackburn passed to the Eternal Sabbath. He is survived by a widow, daughter of the late Dr. Cowan of Kemptville, and four children: Miss Belle, Mrs. Griffith, and Mr. W. H. Blackburn of town; and Mr. A.L. Blackburn of Detroit. The funeral service was held in St. James' church at 1.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the?..... body laid away in the family plot in the churchyard.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	BROWNLEE	MARGARET(MRS)	13/01/1910
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Brownlee, Mrs. Margaret,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, January 13, 1910;
 Mrs. James Brownlee of Malakoff.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of Mrs. Jas. Brownlee who, after an illness of short duration died Tuesday Jan. 4th at the ripe old age of 85. Deceased whose maiden name was Margaret Hill., was born in the county of Cavan, Ireland. When a few weeks old she with her parents crossed over from Ireland and settled on the sixth line of Goulbourne. After her marriage to Jas Brownlee who predeceased her thirteen years ago, she removed from Goulbourne to Malakoff where

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she has been a resident ever since. One son and five daughters survive her, Jas. H. on the old homestead; Mrs. Robt. Nixon, Crystal City, Man.; Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Rouleau, Sask.; Mrs. T. Donnelly, Indian Head, Man.; Mrs. Milton Montgomery and Miss Susie at Malakoff. The cortege was the longest seen in this community for some time. The funeral service was conducted by the Rev. L. Conley after which the remains were interred in the Malakoff cemetery.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	CARRIGAN	JOHN	13/03/1907
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1910 Carrigan, John,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 13, 1907:
Malakoff News:

We are sorry to report the death of one of the pioneer settlers of this place in the person of Mr. John Carrigan. A few years ago he was a familiar figure around here but the past year or so he has been unable to go around much. The funeral took place on Thursday, interment being made in St. John Cemetery, Pierce's Corners.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	CARRIGAN	MISS	02/05/1907
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1910 Carrigan, Miss,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, May 2, 1907;
Carrigan: In the hospital, Ottawa, on Saturday, April 27th, Miss Carrigan of Marlborough.

Marlborough News: Miss Carrigan passed away in the hospital in Ottawa on Saturday last. Deceased had been suffering some time from tuberculosis. The remains were brought home on Sunday and interred in the cemetery at Pierce's Corners.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	CLARE	JOHN	07/03/1907
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1910 Clare, John,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 7, 1907,
The Late John Clare,
Kemptville people were shocked to hear of the sudden death of our aged townsman, Mr. John Clare, Tuesday forenoon. Deceased was aged 69 years and was very well known to most of The Weekly Advance readers. He was a carpenter by trade and for some years manufactured sash, doors, etc., in the shop adjoining his dwelling on Clothier street. Since the death of his wife, Mr. Clare has lived alone in part of his house. The other side of the dwelling is at present occupied by Mr. W.A. Little. The old gentleman has not been feeling well for some time but on Tuesday morning was up and about the house quite early. Later in the forenoon he was discovered sitting in his chair and dead. It is believed that the end came quietly and painlessly as one who falls asleep. The late John Clare was a Presbyterian in religion. The funeral service will be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon, at his late residence, the remains being afterwards placed in McCaughey's vault.

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1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	CLARKE	JOHN	04/11/1909
<p>Clarke, Mr. John, Kemptville Weekly Advance, November 4, 1909; Mr. John Clark, Kemptville; There passed away at the residence of his daughter, on Rideau Street, Kemptville, on Friday, 29th inst., one of the most highly respected and oldest citizens of this community in the person of Mr. John Clark. The late Mr. Clark had attained the remarkable old age of 90 years and up to the time of his demise, which resulted from a month's sickness with pleurisy and pneumonia, had the full use of all his faculties. The late Mr. Clark was born in County Antrim, Ireland, his father, the late Robert Clark, having been a landowner in that country. In 1846 he came to Canada, with his wife and settled at North Augusta where he lived for some years previous to his purchasing a farm about two miles west of Kemptville. His wife predeceased him by about sixteen years, and until last year he resided on the farm with his son, William John, who died on May 30th, and since when he has been living with his daughter, Mrs. G.H. Mayhew. Deceased, in his early life, followed the occupation of a shoemaker and his stories of the olden times when the shoemaker would travel around the country with his pack of tools on his back and spend a week at a house making shoes for the family, were very interesting and entertaining. He was a member of the Methodist Church and in politics was a Conservative. The late Mr. Clark is survived by five daughters: Mrs. Wright, Pembroke, Mrs. Stoodley, Smith's Falls; Mrs. Fader, Winchester; Mrs. G.H. Mayhew and Miss Ruth, Kemptville. The funeral service was held at his late residence on Sunday, October 31st, thence to the Union Cemetery for interment, the Rev. S.J. Hughes officiating. Among relatives from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Wright, Pembroke; Mrs. Stoodley and daughter, Miss Evangeline, Smith's Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Fader and the Misses Fader, Winchester; Mr. Henry McGee, Smith's Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Hall, North Rideau. The pall bearers were: Messrs. A. Powell, H. Scoville, G. Harris, C. Patterson, W. Spotswood and J. Grant.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	CLARKE	WILLIAM JOHN	03/06/1909
<p>Clarke, William John, Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 3, 1909; W.J. Clarke, Kemptville. A life-long resident of the district and one of the most widely-known citizens of Oxford township, is dead in the person of William John Clarke. He was aged 55 years and a bachelor, resident on the Rideau Road between Kemptville and Acton's Corners, where his father made his home with him for many years. Never very strong, William John managed his little farm and stock and assisted throughout the township in sheep shearing and harvest and the like. He officiated for many years as road overseer in his district and at municipal meetings and similar events was a prominent figure. He was noted for regularity in attendance at Methodist Church and Sabbath School services and had been a prominent Epworth League worker and temperance enthusiast, on many occasions taking charge of service in the township in the absence of the regular preacher. His latest illness overtook him suddenly at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. Henry Mayhew of Kemptville where he sank rapidly and succumbed on Sunday, 30th ult. The funeral on Tuesday afternoon was very largely attended, service being held in the Kemptville Methodist</p>				

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church, and interment being made in the Union Cemetery. The late W.J. Clarke is survived by five sisters; Mrs. Wright and Miss Ruth Clarke of Pembroke; Mrs. Stoodley of Smith's Falls; Mrs. Feader of Winchester; and Mrs. Mayhew of Kemptville.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	CONLEY	R. H.	06/06/1907
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Conley, R.H. ,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 6, 1907,
 Death of R.H. Conley, A Former Kemptville Boy Dies of Pneumonia in Winnipeg,
 Mr. R.H. Conley, son of Mr. Thomas Conley and very well known here, died at the
 General Hospital, Winnipeg, Man., on Monday of pneumonia. He was for some years a
 merchant tailor of Wellington street, Ottawa. Mr. Conley arrived in Winnipeg six
 weeks ago and was stopping at the Vendome Hotel. He was taken ill Saturday and was
 removed to the hospital. He was a member of the executive of the newly formed Ottawa
 Old Boys' Association in Winnipeg and took a great interest in it as he met many of
 his former friends at the meetings and through it was getting acquainted in the city
 preparatory to going into business there. Mr. Thomas Conley is in the west now and
 the body was removed to an undertaking room awaiting funeral arrangements.

Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 13, 1907,

Funeral of R.H. Conley,

The funeral of the late Mr. R.H. Conley, who died of pneumonia in Winnipeg on
 Sunday, June 2nd., took place Saturday afternoon. The remains were brought to
 Kemptville and service was conducted on Saturday afternoon by Rev. W.E. Reynolds.
 The remains, followed by his sorrowing relatives and a number of friends, were then
 conveyed to the Union cemetery where interment was made. A particularly sad feature
 is that Mr. Thos. Conley is in Regina with another son, Arthur, who is very low with
 pneumonia.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	CRAWFORD	ALEXANDER	07/07/1910
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Crawford, Alexander,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 7, 1910,
 Mr. Alexander Crawford of Victoria.
 The death occurred on Wednesday, June 29th, of a highly respected resident of this
 place, in the person of Mr. Alexander Crawford. Deceased had reached the age of 74
 years, and has been a life long resident of this vicinity. For the past two years he
 has been ill most of the time but death came quite suddenly on Wednesday last. He
 was a man of sterling qualities and the community have indeed lost a worthy citizen.
 The late Mr. Crawford leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, four sons and six
 daughters, Messrs. William of Green Valley; Alexander of Oxford; Samuel of
 Victoria; and Delmer of Kemptville. Mrs. Henry Cowell and Mrs. Howard Boyd of
 Oxford; Mrs. Gilbert Beggs of North Gower; Mrs. Douglas Hanna of Rouleau, Sask.;
 Mrs. John Hnna of Geen Valley, and Mrs. L. Gordon on the homestead. The funeral took
 place on Friday from his late residence to the Methodist church at Malakoff, Rev.
 Mr. Murray officiating. The pallbearers were: Messrs. James Templeton, William
 Cowell, Noble Fee, Thomas Davis, Henry Paden and James Cowell. Among relatives who

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attended the funeral from a distance were Miss ida Crawford of Ogdensburg, N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. T. Heuston of Goulbourne.

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1910
 Crawford, Robert,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 21, 1910,
 Mr. Robert Crawford of Oxford,
 The death occurred on Sunday, July 10th, of a very highly respected resident of Oxford in the person of Mr. Robert Crawford. Deceased had been in failing health for the past three years but the end came very suddenly. Mr. Crawford had partaken of breakfast as usual and walked out in the yard to watch the thunderstorm that was coming up. He was just turning to re-enter the house when heart failure seized him and he fell. He was carried into the house, but never regained consciousness. The late Mr. Crawford was born in the county of Lanark 74 years ago. On July 10th, 1865, he married Miss Ward who, together with one daughter, Mrs. H. Harris, and one son, Mr. Geo Crawford, survive him. Sunday was his wedding anniversary. The funeral service was held at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon, July 12th, Rev. S.J. Hughes of Kemptville. Among friends from a distance who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. McCagg, Mr. and Mrs. Earle, and Mr. Thos. Ward, of Ottawa; Mr. Geo. Craig, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. Murphy, and Mrs. Wallace Pettapiece, of North Gower; Mr. Benjamin and son of Carsonby.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	DAVIDSON	JOHN	24/03/1910
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1910
 Davidson, John,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 24, 1910;
 John Davidson of Marlborough,
 A resident of Marlborough Township for over eighty-eight years passed away Saturday, 19th inst., in the person of John Davidson. He was a son of Peter Davidson, mason, of Paisley, Scotland, who came to Canada in 1821 to work on the masonry of the Rideau Canal, then in process of construction. Mr. Davidson was accompanied by his family and while en route to the Rideau at Prescott on May 20th, 1821, John was born. Peter Davidson worked on the new canal that first season, building the Andrewsville Locks; subsequently he settled in Marlborough on the farm which has since become the Davidson Homestead. On this farm the late John Davidson spent all his life and there he is succeeded by his son Howard. Fifty-five years ago deceased was united in marriage to Annie, daughter of the late Robert Wiggins of Marlborough, who survives him, with five children: Haran, Smith's Falls; M.B., Kemptville; Howard and Gilbert, Marlborough; Mrs. Jas. Sloan, Oxford Mills. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon and was largely attended, service being conducted at the late residence of deceased, in charge of L.O.L. No. 235, of which the late John Davidson was master for twenty years. Col. D.W. Beckett officiated as Master of Ceremonies, and was assisted by Mr. Wm. Hinton, Master of the Lodge, and Rev. N. McLaren, County Chaplain. The remains were laid at rest at Kemptville.

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1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	DAVISON	HOWARD	21/07/1910
<p>Davison, Howard, Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 21, 1910, Howard Davison of Kemptville, There is genuine sorrow today in many a home in Kemptville and vicinity, at the news of the death of Mr. Howard Davison. He was aged 31 years and had been suffering for three years past from tuberculosis of the bowels. A fortnight ago he took to his bed and since then never fully rallied. Death came as a relief to the invalid at 3.30 this (Thursday) morning. The late Howard Davison was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Davison of town. As a boy he took advantage of the educational opportunities afforded him locally and made good use of his time at the public and high schools of town. Entering young manhood, he taught school successfully in Oxford township and made many warm friendships in the families among whom he labored. Howard was of a bright and happy disposition, always kind-hearted and a great friend of children. He was a Conservative in politics and a member of the Loyal Orange Lodges at both Kemptville and Oxford Mills. He was otherwise prominent in fraternal circles in Kemptville, belonging to Court John Cabot, Canadian Order of Foresters; Excelsior Tent of the Knights of the Maccabees; Grenville Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows. The latter body has charge of the funeral service, arrangements for which have not yet been made, up to the time of going to press. Howard Davison's sorrowing parents survive him and one brother, Russell. To them is the sympathy of the community extended in their hour of trial.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	EASTON	MARTHA M	21/07/1910
<p>Easton, Martha, Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 21, 1910, Miss M. Easton, Kemptville, A life-long resident of Kemptville passed away on Thursday, 14th inst., in the person of Miss Martha M. Easton. Deceased had been ill for some 2 years, and at the time of her demise was in her fifty-ninth year. She is survived by four sisters: Mrs. Esther Countryman of Johnston; Mrs. W.J. McKeen of Osgoode Station; Mrs. Wm Gill and Miss Annie Easton of Kemptville. The funeral service was held Saturday, 16th inst., at her late home, Rev. S.J. Hughes, M.A., the Methodist pastor officiating. Interment was made in the Public Cemetery.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	EMERY	CHARLES PHILIP(REV)	24/10/1907
<p>Emery, Rev. C.P. Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 24, 1907. Rev. C.P. Emery Dies Suddenly. (an extended obituary, here condensed) The Rev. Charles Philip Emery, rector of Kemptville, is dead. An Ottawa despatch dated October 22nd, says: "Rev. C.P. Emery, rector of Kemptville and latterly a resident of Ottawa, died yesterday after attending the luncheon of the Canadian Club, in honor of Mr. Rudyard Kipling. Immediately after the luncheon, which was given in the railway committee room of the commons, the reverend gentleman was walking down the steps in front of the main</p>				

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entrance with the others in the gathering who were carrying out the suggestion to have a group photo taken in front of the building. He was walking with Rev. A.W. Mackay, rector of All Saints' church, when he was noticed to reel. Asked for the cause, he replied that he had been walking too fast a short time previous and was beginning to feel the effects. Scarcely had he uttered the words when he fell in a faint on the steps. He was taken into the lobby where Dr. Bryce, who was present, attended to him. He was conveyed to his home at 624 King Edward avenue as soon as possible and Dr. Bradley was also called. Rev. Mr. Emery seemed for a time to recover, but was shortly afterwards seized with another fainting spell from which he never rallied and expired about five o'clock, heart failure being the cause of death."

The late Mr. Emery was in the Anglican ministry for over 50 years and was superannuated. He was a native of Cambridge, England, studied at Cambridge and at St. Augustine's, Canterbury. Some 60 years ago he came to Canada and was ordained deacon in Quebec in 1855 and priest a year later. He was stationed at Quebec for a time and was also curate to Archdeacon Lauder of Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa. For several years he was rector at Pakenham and later at Smith's Falls. In 1891 he was appointed rector of Kemptville. While here he succeeded in having the debt removed from St. James' church and also built the handsome new rectory here. It was characteristic of him that on Sunday last he preached three sermons, two in St. James's Church, Kemptville and one in St. Paul's, Marlboro. After the evening service here, aged, tired but very ambitious still, he visited the homes of several old friends and parishioners. Monday morning he arose early and despite his 75 years and the unusual exertions of the previous day, was feeling very well. He caught the first morning train to Ottawa in order to be present at the luncheon in honor of Mr. Rudyard Kipling. The late Rev. C.P. Emery is survived by a widow, (nee Miss Henrietta Bouchier); one daughter, Miss Lily B. Emery of Ottawa; and one son, Mr. Frank Emery, of Vancouver, B.C. The funeral service for the family was held on Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 by Archdeacon Bogart, in St. Alban's Church, Ottawa. The Holy Eucharist was celebrated in St. James' Church, here, this morning. (He was) a senior priest of the Diocese of Ontario and for over 20 years Rector of Kemptville.

Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 31, 1907,

Funeral of Rev. Mr. Emery,

Services for the family of the late Rector of Kemptville were held in St. Alban's Church, Ottawa, on Wednesday, the body remaining in the church until Thursday morning when, attended by Messrs. Matheson, Taylor and Grout, relatives of deceased, Ven. Archdeacon Bogart and Revs. Read, Mackey and Loucks, the remains were brought on train to Kemptville. At the station the body was met by Rev. W.P. Reeve, Vicar, Messrs. Kerr and Johnston, church wardens, and the Kemptville Lodge of the A.O.U.W. The bearers were Messrs. B.F. and George Dickinson, W.J. Hyland, J. McIntyre, N.F. Chevers and George Eager. On arriving at St James' Church, the casket was met at the tower door by Rev. Reeve and Swayne, who said the opening sentences of the burial office. The body was placed in the chancel, surrounded by beautiful floral memorials, conspicuous among which was a cross from the parish. The Holy Communion

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was celebrated at 9.30 by Ven. Archdeacon Bogart, Rev. Rural Dean Patton reading the Gospel and Rev. Canon Cooke, Epistle. A large number of parishioners presented themselves for the Sacrament on this solemn occasion. At the conclusion of the service, the casket was opened and the body lay in state until 1.30 p.m. when the burial office was said to a large gathering by Rev. W.P. Reeve, Canon Cooke reading the lesson and Archdeacon Bogart the prayers while the Committal at the grave was read by Rev. H.B. Patton as son of the first rector here and Rev. Mr. Emery's successor as Rural Dean of Grenville. The late rector reposes in a spot chosen by himself, at a point where the chancel of the old church used to be, and the universal sentiment of the community will be "May he rest in peace".

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1910
 Erskine, Adam,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 1, 1910,
 Mr. A. Erskine, Marlborough,
 Death came suddenly to Mr. Adam Erskine of Marlborough as the result of an accident Sunday evening. Mr. Erskine had been visiting his daughter, Mrs. John McDonald of Oxford, and on the way home, stopped at Mr. George Martin's in company with Mr. Daniel Ball, Mr. Martin's father-in-law. That was Sunday evening. Getting into the rig to start for home after supper, Mr. Erskine fell and hurt his spine, death ensuing the following morning. Deceased was aged about seventy years and resided with an unmarried son, William, on the DePencier Farm near the Marlborough-North Gower line. He is survived by a widow, four daughters and three sons; William and Alfred of Marlborough; John, a merchant, resident in Clayton, N.Y.; Mrs. Millar, of Darling township; Mrs. Trodden of Montague; Mrs. Giff of Smith's Falls; Mrs. McDonald of Oxford. The funeral service was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at St. Pauls' Church, Marlborough, interment being made in the churchyard.

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1910
 FERGUSON, Dr. Charles Frederick,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, September 30, 1909.
 Dr. C.F. Ferguson.
 (extensive obituary, condensed here) (photo) Kemptville's best known citizen is dead. Full of years and honors, Dr. Ferguson was suddenly called home yesterday morning, dying, as he himself would have said, "in harness". The funeral service will be held at 10:30 o'clock Saturday morning in St. James' Church, interment in the churchyard. The late Charles Frederick Ferguson was of Scotch-Irish descent being the oldest son of the late Robert Ferguson, Esquire, of Kitley and Elizabeth, his wife. He was born in Kitley on July 20th, 1834, and was educated at Smith's Falls Grammar School and Queen's University, graduating in medicine in 1859. In May of that same year he removed to Kemptville and has practised his profession here ever since. With him have been associated at various times: his brother, the late Dr. Richard Ferguson; Dr. Silas Bower, now of Waddington, N.Y.; and Dr. J.A. Jones of Kemptville. On January 23rd, Dr. Ferguson

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was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Wallace Bell, daughter of the -----?----- Bell, Esq., of Oxford township, and sister of the late Robert Bell former member for Russell. To them seven children were born, three of whom survive, with the widowed mother: Mrs. Dr. W.E. Storey of Walkerville, Ont.; Mrs. J.C. Jeffery of Buckingham, Que.; and Mr. G. Howard Ferguson, K.C., M.L.A. of Kemptville. Two children, Katie and Robert, died while very young. Charles and John lived to reach early manhood. Ten surviving members of a family of thirteen, are left to mourn the loss of their eldest brother. They are: Mrs. Strong, Perth; Mrs. Young, Brockville; Mr. George Ferguson, Oxford Mills; Mrs. John Parker, Mrs. William Parker, and Mr. Wellington Ferguson, Brandon; Mrs. Holmes, Miss Ferguson, Messrs. Robert and Albert Ferguson, Kitley. Dr. Ferguson's political career was one of unusual length and activity, his service to the nation as a member for North Leeds and Grenville in the Canadian House of Commons extending over a quarter of a century. He had done much for the schools of Kemptville, serving forty years on the Board of Education.

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1910 Ferguson, Mr. George,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 17, 1910.
 Mr. G. Ferguson of Smith's Falls.
 (from the Rideau Record, Smith's Falls) After a hard battle for life, Mr. George Ferguson, proprietor of the Russell House, succumbed on Saturday morning. He had been a sufferer from stomach trouble for some time and three weeks ago the ailment assumed an acute form. Since that time he had been confined to his bed and though the best of nursing and medical attention was given him the fight was an unequal one. His strength could not withstand the strain and at ten o'clock Saturday morning death relieved him of his suffering. The news of his demise was heard with much regret by all who knew him. The deceased was a resident of Smith's Falls many years ago but removed from here to North Gower where he conducted a hotel until six or seven years ago when he sold out and removed to Kemptville where he resided until a year and a half ago, with his family, he returned to Smith's Falls to take possession of the Russell House. He was a good hotel man and kept an orderly, well-conducted house. Deceased was well known and all who knew him had a good word to say of him. Mr. Ferguson was 51 years of age. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, two sons; Mr. George Ferguson of the bank of Ottawa staff here, and Master Harold and three daughters: Mrs. Milford of Carp; Miss Nellie of West Chester, Pa., and Madeline at home, all of whom were here during the closing days of his life. The funeral took place yesterday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home to the C.P.R. station, the body being taken to Kemptville for burial in St. James' Churchyard. The deceased was a member of Goodwood Lodge A.F. & A.M., Richmond, and the funeral yesterday morning was taken charge of by the Masons. A large number of handsome floral offerings were contributed, a special conveyance being required for them.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	FRASER	MARIA(MRS)	21/02/1907
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1910 Fraser, Mrs. Maria,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, February 21, 1907,

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The Late Mrs. Fraser,

The people of the town of Kemptville, among whom she has lived more than three score years and ten, are sad at heart to learn of the death of Mrs. Maria Fraser. She was greatly loved and deservedly so. Although advanced in years, she remained quite active until very recently and found time, not only to attend to her own household duties, but also to perform many an act of neighbourly kindness. She was a woman of generous impulses and good to the poor. In life she made many enduring friends among all classes. Being dead, her life work remains a monument to this good woman, gone to her reward. Mrs. Fraser was aged 73 years and was the widow of the late Thomas Fraser, who died 31 years ago. Her maiden name was Maria Maley, her parents being Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maley of Kemptville; Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. W. Bower of Toronto, and Mrs. Kelly of Detroit, sisters of deceased; Mr. George T. Maley of Montreal, a brother; Mrs. Dr. Holmes and Mr. Wm. E. Fraser, of Kemptville, daughter and son respectively, are left to mourn the departed. The funeral of the late Mrs. Fraser was held yesterday afternoon, the service taking place at her late home at three o'clock. The many real mourners in attendance, told of the affectionate regard which the people of her own home community had for this kind hearted lady who has passed away.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	HANNA	GIVEN ERNEST(DR)	16/09/1909
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1910

Hanna, Dr. Given Ernest,

Kemptonville Weekly Advance, September 16, 1909,

Dr. G.E. Hanna, Kemptonville; News of the death of Dr. Hanna of Kemptonville, briefly noted in the last issue of The Weekly Advance, came with shocking suddenness to the people of his home community, few of whom were at all aware of the serious character of his illness. As he had coped with his various life's difficulties man-fashion, so he faced his last conflict with incurable disease bravely, attending to the duties of his profession and bearing the responsibilities of his part in our community life, until strength failed. Going to Ottawa a few weeks since, he placed himself under the care of his brother, Dr. James Hanna and associate physicians of the Capital; but pneumonia developed as a complication with Bright's Disease, and late on Wednesday afternoon he passed away. The late Dr. Given Ernest Hanna was a son of Mr. James Hanna, a Leeds county farmer, the Hanna Homestead being near Portland, where the doctor was born in 1851. In early life he taught school and taking up the study of dentistry, secured an honourable degree at Philadelphia and from the Ontario Dental College in Toronto. Dr. Hanna settled in Kemptonville and, with the exception of a couple of years spent in Ottawa, has been a continuous resident here, earning a high place in his chosen profession. He was one of the promoters of the Eastern Ontario Dental Association and was the first representative of this district on the Board of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario of which body he was also a Past President. He has long been prominently identified with Freemasonry in this district. In community life, his chief interest lay in educational work and he has been a most useful member of the Kemptonville Board of Education for many years, during a portion of which he officiated as Chairman. As Chief of the Kemptonville Fire Brigade, he was instrumental in bringing that body to a high degree of efficiency. He was able during his lifetime, also, to serve his home community in

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many other ways; for he was no shirker of public responsibilities and his public record is that of one who might be depended upon to do his duty quite fearlessly and without regard for public favor. Dr. Hanna was twice married, his first wife being Miss Martha Beach of Kemptville. There are six surviving children of this marriage: Misses Winnie Hanna of Ottawa, Mamie of Wellington, Norma of Burritt's Rapids, Mildred, Lorna and Master Douglas at home. Miss Mildred has been associated with her father in the practice of his profession. His second wife, nee Miss Margaret McLatchie of Templeton, Quebec, survives him with one child, little Miss Margaret. Mrs. Willows of Ottawa and Mrs. J. Halpenny, Easton's Corners, are sisters of deceased. Rev. William Hanna of Sydenham and Dr. James Hanna of Ottawa, are surviving brothers. The funeral of the late Dr. Hanna was held Friday morning, the body having been brought home the previous day. Service was held at the home at 10.30 under Masonic auspices and the body laid to rest in the family plot in the Union Cemetery.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	HARNETT	CECIL HOWARD	20/06/1907
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1910
 Harnett, Cecil Howard,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 20, 1907;
 Harnett; On Saturday, June 15th, Cecil Howard, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Harnett, Beckett's Landing.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	HUNTER	ANTHONY	12/09/1907
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1910
 Hunter, Anthony,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, September 12, 1907,
 Anthony Hunter Dead, Prominent Figure in Town's Earlier History is Gone,
 Anthony Hunter of Kemptville, passed away Tuesday morning, 10th. inst., aged 81 years. He had played a part in the town's affairs for three score years and, in his passing, another name is dropped from the ever lessening roll of Kemptville's old settlers. Half a century ago and more, he was one of the town's business men. He was prominent in assisting to establish Presbyterianism in Kemptville, and helped build the church here in 1851, which structure consisted of little more than bare, stone walls with a few boards laid on blocks of wood for seats. Later, when pews were introduced in St. Paul's Church, Anthony Hunter's pew remained exactly where the old rough seat had been. He was the last surviving charter member of the old, pioneer Orange Lodge here. He was prominent, in 1849, in organizing the Kemptville Band in which he played the lead instrument (first clarinet). Our townsman, Mr. George Taylor, Senior, is now the only surviving member of this old-time musical organization. The late Anthony Hunter was born in 1826 at Ballymena, County Antrim, Ireland, not far from the historic city of Belfast. His father was William Hunter; his mother's maiden name, Sarah Jane Hunter; the parents being no relatives but uniting, in their marriage, the two different Old Country branches of the Hunter family. In early life Mr. Hunter learned the trade of shoemaking and in 1847 came to Kemptville, working for a time at his trade and subsequently opening a shop of his own. In 1853 he was married to Miss Martha McFarlane, oldest daughter of the late James McFarlane of Oxford. To them nine children were born: William J. Hunter, now General Superintendent of the California Northwestern Railway and resident at

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Tiburon, California; John Hunter, manager of the Inland and Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company, and residing at Stockton, California; Sinclair Hunter, engaged in mining at Kaslo, B.C., but at present home in poor health and for some time under treatment in Brockville Hospital; Samuel Hunter, manager in establishment of Giegerich & Co., general merchants of Kaslo, B.C.; Robert Hunter, who died while yet a very young man, in 1895; Mrs. S.J. Pelton, of Kemptville, who has cared for her aged father since the mother's death; Mrs. J.K. Porteous, of Vernon; Mrs. Martha Cochrane, of Kemptville; Miss C. Eliza Hunter, of Kemptville. The wife and mother died in 1888, since when Mr. Hunter has resided with Mrs. Pelton. His was an active life and he was uptown and moving about among his friends, up to within a week of his death. Heart failure was the immediate cause of his death, due primarily to a complete wearing out of his sturdy frame. Few of us are permitted to attain such an extreme age as his. The funeral service for the late Anthony Hunter will take place at 1.30 p.m. today (Thursday) at the family residence, Clothier Street, Kemptville, the service being in charge of the Rev. A.L. Howard, M.A., pastor of St. Paul's. Interment will be made in the Union Cemetery.

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Johnston, Thomas,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 9, 1909;
Death recently visited this locality taking from our midst an aged resident Thomas Johnston of Malakoff who departed this life on Tuesday Nov. 16th, 1909, in his eighty-third year. He was born in Ireland in the year 1827, came to Canada at the age of seventeen years. He was twice married, in 1857 to Elizabeth Percival of Burritts Rapids, who predeceased him forty-eight years. On the 23rd of Jan. 1862, he married Sarah Kerfoot of Beckwith, who survives him, also seven children, two by the first marriage, T. Walter of Wolsely, Sask., and Adam of Rouleau, Sask. Of the second marriage, Wm. H. and Samuel R. of Rouleau, Sask.; Mrs. B. Cook, Oshawa, and Robt. J. and Miss Lizzie at home. Of the latter family, the eldest George A. died at the age of four years. The deceased was a member of the Methodist church, faithful in attendance at the means of grace, an interested worker in the Sabbath School for many years. He held the position of treasurer for a number of years in the municipality, and was for about thirty years postmaster of Malakoff and proprietor of the general store there. He had been gradually failing in health for the last year being confined to his bed during the last eight weeks. The funeral services were conducted on Thursday, Nov. 18th, at 1 p.m. in the Methodist church by the pastor Rev. Conley assisted by Rev. R. Whiteside. An impressive sermon was delivered from Rev. 14:13. The pall bearers were Messrs. Jas. Brownlee, Jas. Hill, John D. Moron, (sic) Bower Pratt, D. Harbison and A. Thompson. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot, Malakoff cemetery, to await the resurrection morn.

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Johnston, Mrs. Thomas,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, April 7, 1910;
Mrs. Thos. Johnston, Malakoff.
The death occurred on Thursday, March 31st., of a highly respected and beloved

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resident in the person of Mrs. Thos. Johnston of Malakoff. The deceased was born in Beckwith in county of Lanark in 1828 and would have completed her 82 (sic) year had she lived until August of this year. Her maiden name was Sarah Kerfoot and in 1863 she married Thos. Johnston who predeceased her scarcely five months ago. The late Mrs. Johnston had been an invalid for the past eleven years, and although she had to lie in bed all those years was bright and cheerful and bore her suffering with christian fortitude. Deceased leaves to mourn her loss five daughters and two sons, Messrs. Adam, William and Samuel in Rouleau Sask., Walter in Wolsley, Sask., and Robert J. on the homestead, Mrs. Benj. Cook of Grimsby and Miss Nellie at home. The funeral service was held at her late residence on Saturday, April 2nd., and was conducted by her pastor Rev. Lewis Conley of North Gower. Interment being made in cemetery at Malakoff. The pall bearers were her six nephews. Messrs. Angus Johnston, Ottawa, Henry, William and Adam, Malakoff, and Robert Pollock of North Gower. Among relatives from a distance were, Mrs. Cook, Grimsby, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shillington, Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. Kerfoot, Smiths Falls, and Thos. E. Johnston of Kemptville.

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1910

Thomas Johnston,

Kemptonville Weekly Advance, December 26, 1907.

After a well rounded life of usefulness in his home community, death came to Thomas Johnston with shocking suddenness on Saturday evening. He was standing at the corner of Prescott and South Water Streets, talking with Mr. J. Agnew when, without warning, he fell backwards. He was taken home, a distance of less than a block, and died almost at the entrance. The late Mr. Johnston had had several bad heart attacks during the past couple of years and the end, although so extremely sudden, was perhaps not altogether unexpected. His had been a life of rare usefulness. His business was established and his family fully grown to years of discretion. To them he leaves a legacy, not alone of substantial business assets, but also that better legacy, of a good name and an unsullied reputation. So, just entering upon life's evening (for he was but in his fifty-ninth year) Thomas Johnston was called home. He was a native of Oxford and came to Kemptonville, with his father, at the age of ten years. As a boy he displayed a certain mechanical ingenuity and when quite young entered the round-house of the old Brockville and Ottawa Railway, whence he went to the Smart Manufacturing Company, a large and old established foundry and machine shop. He then spent some time in the Dundas Tool Works, at Dundas, Ontario; afterwards working for the G.M. Cossitt Mowing Machine Works of Smith's Falls and still later holding an important position with the R.C. Percival Stove Works at Pembroke. In 1877 he began business for himself in Kemptonville where he has since conducted a foundry and machine shop, in which undertaking his sons are associated with him. The staff of the Johnston Foundry has been largely employed of late years, at turning out stoves and ranges and it is one of the leading industries of the place. The late Thomas Johnston was a man of recognized good judgment and practical common sense. He has been a member of the Board of Education for over a quarter of a century and for some years past, presided. He was a member of the municipal council for two years and was prominent in fraternal circles, having held important offices in the Masonic lodge, the Workmen, and the Knights of the Maccabees. The funeral,

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under Masonic auspices, was held Tuesday afternoon and was very largely attended. Service was held in St. James' Memorial Church. He is survived by a widow (nee Isabella Sanderson) and five children: Misses Frankie, Katie and Lizzie; Messrs George and Wm. S. Johnston. The sympathy of all is extended to them in their sudden bereavement.

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1910
 Johnston, Mrs. Henry,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, November 25, 1909.
 Mrs. H. Johnston, Oxford.

An aged and respected lady is dead in the person of Mrs. Rachael Johnston, widow of the late Henry Johnston of Johnston's Corners, in Oxford. She was aged three score and twelve years and had been ill for the past eleven months when death came to her release Saturday. Deceased is survived by one son and five daughters: Mr. Wm. J. Johnston, who resides on the homestead; Mrs. C.J. Sharkey, Brockville; Mrs. Sam'l E. Tackaberry, of the River Road; Mrs. George Dickenson of Kemptville; Misses Tillie and Alice at home. Deceased was born in Montague township, her maiden name being Rachael Rose. Some 48 years ago she was united in marriage to Mr. Henry Johnston who predeceased her by about twenty years. The funeral service was held at her late residence in Oxford, at one o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W.G. Swayne, rector of Oxford conducting the service, assisted by Rev. R.J. Dumbrille, Rector of Kemptville. Among those from a distance who attended the obsequies were: Mr. Nicholson of Merrickville; Mrs. McDonald of Smith's Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sharkey of Brockville; Mrs. Jos. Leslie and Mr. Thos Ward of Ottawa.

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1910
 Jones, Miss Freda,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 28, 1909.
 Miss Freda Jones, Kemptville.

(condensed) With feelings of deepest regret we chronicle the death of Freda, youngest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J.A. Jones, Kemptville, which occurred on Friday evening the 22nd inst., at the age of 19 years. Freda Jones was born in Kemptville on the 31st of August, 1890. Her career at the Public School was a brilliant one, and, entering the High School at the age 14, she soon won a foremost place in all her classes because of her exceptional intelligence, and gained the love and confidence of teachers and pupils by her modest frankness, lady-like demeanor, and sterling worth. She passed the Junior Teachers' and Matriculation Examination in the summer of 1908, but, falling a victim of typhoid, (from the effects of which she never fully recovered) her studies in school were necessarily discontinued. In the spring of this year she became seriously ill and despite the most vigilant attention of her skilled father, and all that medical care and untiring nursing could do, the thread of life grew less and less strong till finally, after five months of patient and cheerful endurance, it snapped and the tender, young, and loving spirit took it's flight to Him who gave it.

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1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	JONES	EDWARD	16/05/1907
<p>Jones, Edward, Kemptville Weekly Advance, May 16, 1907, Yesterday morning at his home near Oxford Mills, Mr. Edward Jones, a very well known figure, died of apoplexy. Edward Jones was the son of William Jones, and belonged to a very old family. His mother was a Miss Hobson who was connected with the Harris family prominent in the early history of Oxford. Deceased was born on the same township lot on which he died, over seventy-three years ago. His wife, formerly Miss Davis of North Augusta, predeceased him about three years ago. Of the family there are remaining five children, three sons and two daughters. They are: Mrs. S. Barnhart, of Cornwall; Miss Josephine and Mr. Johnston, at home; and Messrs. William and Charles, of Oxford. The funeral will leave the residence, west of Oxford Mills, tomorrow at 10 o'clock and proceed to St. John's church, Oxford Mills, where service will be held. Interment will take place in St. James' cemetery, Kemptville.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	KEENAN	ELIZA(MRS)	24/11/1910
<p>Keenan, Eliza, Kemptville Weekly Advance, November 24, 1910, Mrs. Eliza Keenan, Kemptville. The death occurred last night, November 23rd., of a highly respected resident of town, in the person of Mrs. Eliza Keenan. Deceased, whose maiden name was Eliza Shiach, was born in South Gower township seventy-four years ago. Some forty-four years since, she was united in marriage to Mr. Neil Keenan and moved to Kemptville where she has resided ever since. Mr. Keenan died ten years ago last July. The late Mrs. Keenan suffered from cancer and since early Spring has been confined to her bed. Through all these weary months of suffering she was always cheerful, and was never heard to murmur. She was a life-long member of St. Paul's Presbyterian church. Three daughters and one son are left to mourn her loss; Misses Lizzie and Jennie at home; Mrs. Eaton at Wollaston, Mass.; and Mr. Daniel at home. Up to the time of going to press, the funeral arrangements have not been made.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	MACKEY	JAMES(MRS)	19/12/1907
<p>Mackey, Mrs. James, Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 19, 1907, Another of the aged residents of this vicinity passed away Wednesday evening, in the person of Mrs. Mackey, widow of the late James Mackey. The deceased, who was 75 years of age, was formerly Miss Mary Ann Robson. About 50 years ago she was united in marriage to the late James Mackey. Of this union there are two daughters and four sons surviving. They are: Mrs. McQuay of Smith's Falls; Mrs. William Beach, Oxford; Messrs. Wellington M., James M. and Thomas Mackey of town, and Mr. Robert Mackey of Indianapolis, Indiana. The funeral will take place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Beach, Oxford, at one o'clock, Friday afternoon. Interment will take place at the Union cemetery here.</p>				

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1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	MACPHERSON	MALCOLM	13/08/1910
<p>MacPherson, Malcolm, Kemptville Weekly Advance, August 13, 1910, Malcolm MacPherson of Ottawa, Malcolm MacPherson, an old resident of Ottawa, died Tuesday morning at the residence of his son-in-law Mr. F. Earle, 247 Flora Street. He had been ill only about two weeks. He was seventy-seven years of age and retired several years ago. He was born in Perth, Ontario, a Presbyterian in religion. The funeral service was held Tuesday night and the funeral took place Wednesday morning at 6.30 o'clock to the Union depot for Kemptville. His widow survives him. The late Mr. MacPherson is well known at Acton's Corners and elsewhere in the vicinity.</p>				
1907 - 1910	MARLBOROUGH	MCBRIDE	ROBERT	23/06/1910
<p>McBride, Robert, Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 23, 1910; Mr. Robt. McBride of Malakoff After a short illness Robert McBride passed away at his home in Malakoff on Friday, June 17th. The deceased was of a very quiet disposition but was always willing and ready to assist in any good work for the benefit of others. The funeral which was held on June 19th was one of the largest seen in Malakoff for some time. Rev. L. Conley of North Gower officiated and preached an appropriate sermon. The deceased was in his thirty seventh year. There are left to mourn his loss his aged mother Mrs. Wm. McBride, two brothers, John and William, and three sisters, Mrs. J.H. Ball, Miss Lizzie and Sarah McBride. Interment was made in the Malakoff cemetery.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	MCLEAN	AGNES	10/03/1910
<p>McLean, Miss Agnes, Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 10, 1910. Miss McLean, Kemptville. An aged lady passed away Saturday March 5th, in the person of Miss Agnes Mclean, sister of Mrs. Elliott of Kemptville, at whose home she died. Deceased was born in Annan in Dumfrieshire, Scotland, September 19th, 1823. She has been living with her sister here for a couple of years past. The funeral service was held on Monday, 7th. inst., being conducted at the home by Rev. N. McLaren of Bishop's Mills. Interment was made in the Elliott plot in St. James' cemetery.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	MILLS	GEORGE	01/09/1910
<p>Mills, George, Kemptville Weekly Advance, September 1, 1910, George Mills of Kemptville, The death occurred in Kemptville last evening of George Mills, a native of England, but a long-time resident of Kemptville. He was aged 78 years and is survived by five children: Mrs. S.C. Patterson, Mrs. Wm. Kerr, Messrs. John and S.T. Mills of Kemptville; and Rev. Arthur Mills of Illinois. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made up to the time of going to press. A more extended obituary will appear</p>				

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Pierce, John,

Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 4, 1907.

On Thursday, June 13, the death occurred at Pierce's Corners, of Mr. John Pierce. He was 78 years of age. Mr. Pierce was a life-long resident of that place and in his early life took an active part in politics. He was councillor of the township for many years, from which office he resigned six years ago. On the day of his resignation he received a paralytic stroke and has not been able to do any work since. Now and again he suffered severe pain but for some time past was quite well for him so that the death blow was quite unexpected. Of the family remaining there are four sons and three daughter. His wife predeceased him sometime. The funeral was held on Sunday, June 16th, from his home at Pierce's Corners to the Anglican church where Rev. Mr. Netten, of North Gower, conducted the service. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. The funeral was the largest ever seen around Pierce's Corners and showed the high respect in which the deceased was held. Among the relatives from a distance were his son, Mr. J. Pierce of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Kars.

1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	POWELL	FOSTER(MRS)	09/09/1909
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Powell, Mrs. Foster,

Kemptville Weekly Advance, September 9, 1909.

Mrs. Foster Powell.

The death occurred at her residence on Saturday, 4th inst., of Mrs. Sarah Powell, widow of the late Foster Powell, after an illness of about three months' duration. Deceased was a daughter of the late Edward Castles. She was 66 years of age and was married at Richmond some 20 years ago and has ever since been a resident of Kemptville. The late Mrs. Powell is survived by a nephew, Mr. Percy Moffatt, of Lauder, Man., who until two years ago had always resided with her; a brother, Mr. Thos Castles of Michigan and three sisters: Mrs. Milligan of Ottawa; Mrs. Lyons of Edmonton and Mrs. English who has taken care of her during her last illness. A sad feature in connection with the death was that Mr. and Mrs. Castles were on their way to visit her and on their arrival were shocked to hear that she had passed away. The funeral took place on Monday, Sept. 6th., from her late residence to St. James' church, the Rev. R.J. Dumbrille officiating. Interment was made in the churchyard.

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Pratt, Geo. Mrs;

Kemptville Weekly Advance, March 10, 1910.

Mrs. Geo. Pratt, North Gower.

The death of a respected resident occurred on Monday, 7th inst., when Mrs. Geo. H. Pratt passed away after a lingering illness. Her maiden name was Mary McCordick and she was a daughter of the late Mr. Joseph McCordick of this district. She is survived by her husband and three children, Miss Florence and Mr. Ernest B. Pratt,

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at home, and Dr. A.H. Pratt of Kemptville.

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Pratt, Robert,

Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 21, 1909;

Robert Pratt, Marlborough.

One of the best known residents of Marlborough township and one of the most highly respected, passed away yesterday, 20th inst., in the person of Mr. Robert Pratt. News of his death will come with shocking suddenness to most of the readers of the Weekly Advance, many of whom however were aware that he had been in indifferent health during the past couple of years. Deceased was aged 63 years and was a native of Marlborough having been born on the farm where he died. He was a progressive and successful farmer and served his neighbourhood as an auctioneer in later life. He enjoyed the respect and esteem of all in his home community, where he was best known, and was a member for some years of the municipal council of his township. His death will be mourned by many. The late Robert Pratt is survived by a widow, (nee Miss Garland) one daughter and four sons: Mrs. Birtch of Ottawa; Mr. Thos. H. Pratt, St. Paul, Minn.; Mr. Garland Pratt, of Marlborough, Mr. Robert Merle Pratt, of Edmonton; Mr. Delmer Pratt of the Bank of Ottawa staff, Kemptville. The funeral service will be held at ten o'clock in the Methodist church, North Gower, interment being made in the family plot at Malakoff.

1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	RATH	WM(MRS)	27/06/1907
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Rath, Mrs. Wm.,

Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 27, 1907.

After suffering for a number of years from an incurable affliction, Mrs. Wm. Rath passed away at 1 o'clock Friday morning. Mrs. Rath had been confined to her bed only since Easter Sunday but was in a very weak state for some time previous. Mr. Rath was her faithful and affectionate attendant. Mrs. Rath was 57 years of age and was born in Mountain, her maiden name being Miss Sarah Totten. About 15 years ago she was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. Rath and has resided in Kemptville since that time. She was a member of St. James' church here. The funeral took place in St. James' Church Saturday afternoon, service being conducted by her pastor, Rev. W.P. Reeve. Interment was made in St. James' cemetery. The pall bearers, chosen by Mrs. Rath herself, were: Messrs. Thos Evoy, Alex Parkinson, Stanley Langstaff, W.J. Hyland, George Eager, and William Mckenna.

1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	SHEPPARD	DAVID(MRS)	26/08/1909
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Sheppard, Mrs. David,

Kemptville Weekly Advance, August 26, 1909.

Mrs. Sheppard, South Gower.

The death occurred on Monday, August 23rd, of Mrs. Elizabeth Sheppard of South Gower, aged 60 years. Her maiden name was Elizabeth Gorman and she was a widow of the late David Sheppard whose decease occurred some years ago. The funeral took place yesterday morning from Mrs. Sheppard's late home to St. James' Church,

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Kemptville, where the service was held; interment being made in the churchyard.

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1910
 Mr. Henry Sheppard.
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, July 21, 1910.
 Mr. Henry Sheppard, Wilson's Bay.
 On Sunday, July 10th, the death occurred at Wilson's Bay of Mr. Henry Sheppard. Deceased was 30 years of age and had been ill since January, and was confined to his bed most of that time. He leaves to mourn his loss, four brothers and one sister: Miss Mary, at home; Albert A. and G.B. of Chapleau; Charles and Delbert of South Gower. The funeral took place on Tuesday from his late residence to St. James' church, Kemptville and interment was made in St. James' churchyard.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	SLOAN	DOROTHY HAZEL	27/10/1910
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1910
 Sloan, Dorothy Hazel,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 27, 1910,
 Dorothy Sloan of Oxford,
 The death occurred on Tuesday, October 25, of Dorothy Hazel, the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sloan of Oxford. Dorothy, who was seven years of age, was stricken with cerebro-spinal meningitis about a week ago and although everything possible was done for the little sufferer, human power was unavailing and Dorothy was taken to be one with the Master's little ones. Besides the mother and father, one sister and three brothers mourn her loss. The funeral service will be held tomorrow, (Friday) at 10 a.m. at the family residence in Oxford township and will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. C.C. Salisbury. Interment will be made in the Public cemetery, Kemptville.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	SPARKS	ISAAC(MRS)	07/10/1909
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1910
 Sparks, Mrs. Isaac,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 7, 1909.
 Mrs. Isaac Sparks, Kemptville.
 The death occurred at the home of her son, Samuel, on 25th September, of Mrs. Isaac Sparks, aged 58 years. She was the daughter of Mr. Samuel Swayne of Montague, who survives her and sister of the Rev. W.G. Swayne, rector of Oxford Mills. The late Mrs. Sparks had been in poor health for some months, but the end, coming unexpectedly, was precipitated by heart failure. The funeral service was held on Tuesday of last week, the service being conducted by Rev. R.J. Dumbrille, rector of Kemptville. Mrs. Sparks is survived by her husband, and six children: Samuel H., Elmsley; Robert J., South Gower; Mrs. James Flynn, South Gower; Misses Eliza, Sarah and Frances at home. Her aged father also survives, and brothers and sisters as follows: Rev. W.G. Swayne, Oxford Mills; Mrs. Gibb and Mrs. Haney, Smith's Falls; Mrs. Halliday, Roseville; Mrs. McCormick. Selby.

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1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	SPOTSWOOD	WILLIAM	29/12/1910
<p>Spotswood, William, Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 29, 1910; Wm. Spotswood, Kemptville; A well-known resident of Kemptville for nearly three-quarters of a century, was Wm. Spotswood, who died on Friday, 23rd inst. He was within a few days of being 76 years of age and was a native of the village of Cardinal. When but a small child of three years, he came to Kemptville with his parents and has resided continuously here since. For the major portion of his lifetime he conducted a blacksmith shop here and selling out in later life, he spent some time in the flour and feed business, previous to retiring from active labor. For more than a year past, he has been unwell, but being possessed of great ambition and almost indomitable will, he was active up to nearly the end of his career. Heart failure was the immediate cause of death. The funeral service was held on Tuesday afternoon in Kemptville Methodist Church, of which deceased was a consistent member. Service was conducted by the pastor Rev. S.J. Hughes, M.A., assisted by Rev. R.H. Whiteside. The attendance at the obsequies was very large and many followed the remains to their last resting place. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Powell, Bowen, Agnew, Scoville, Keegan and Wright. The late Wm. Spotswood was thrice married, first to Miss Tripp and next to Miss Stitt; his third wife who survives him was formerly Miss Brownlee. Ten children survive him: Misses Lillian and Miriam of Kemptville; George and Charles of San Jose, Cal.; Will of Tompkins, Sask.; John and Frank of Norfolk, N.Y.; Harvey of Cobalt.</p>				
1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	TACKABERRY	WILSON	10/11/1910
<p>Tackaberry, Wilson, Kemptville Weekly Advance, November 10, 1910, Professor Tackaberry of Toronto, With shocking suddenness to home friends in Kemptville and vicinity came news Thursday evening of the death at Ste. Agathe, Que., of Professor Wilson H. Tackaberry of Toronto University. He had been undergoing treatment at Ste. Agathe and while the serious character of his condition was recognized, the end was not believed to be so near. Thursday afternoon his condition became critical; he grew rapidly weaker until the end came that evening. The body was brought to Kemptville Friday, being conveyed to the home of the young man's widowed mother, on Oxford Street, where the funeral service was held Sunday afternoon. To few of Kemptville's sons has it been given to achieve such academic laurels as did this young man; cut off in his prime, full of honors. He was the personification of modesty, of gentleness, of loving-kindness. His splendid mental qualities were surpassed by his gifts of heart. To great natural abilities, he added years of incessant toil of preparation for noble service, and then, in his prime, like Enoch, "he was not, for God took him". Wilson Hamilton Tackaberry was born in Oxford township 34 years ago, his father being the late Richard Tackaberry, a prosperous farmer of "The River Road". The boy was educated in the home public school and at Kemptville High School, subsequently teaching at Oxford Mills, after which he enrolled as student at Toronto University. His university career was unusually brilliant and upon graduation he</p>				

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was offered a Classical Lectureship on the staff. In 1905 Professor Tackaberry was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Agnew, daughter of our townsman, Mr. John Agnew; they have made their home in Toronto. Of late years Professor Tackaberry has been identified with the Summer School in connection with the Chicago University. In Toronto he was prominently identified with various branches of educational and religious work, notably the Young Men's Christian Association. The students' body and the various societies with whom he was connected were represented at his funeral and the floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Professor Oswald Smith represented the University Faculty and accompanying him were Mr. Mothersills of Knox College, and Mr. Christie of Toronto University Y.M.C.A. The service was conducted at the home of Mrs. Adeline Tackaberry, his mother, and was without ostentation. The Rev. S.J. Hughes, M.A., had charge of the brief service at 2 p.m. after which the remains were conveyed direct to the public cemetery for interment. Messrs. R.W. and Eben E. Tackaberry of Toronto and George and Samuel of Oxford (brothers of deceased) and Mr. M.B. Agnew of Winchester, brother-in-law, were among those in attendance. An only sister, Mrs. C.O. Hurd, resides in Colorado.

1907 -	MARLBOROUGH	TAYLOR	PETER(MRS)	16/12/1909
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1910
 Taylor, Mrs. Peter,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 16, 1909;
 Mrs. Peter Taylor.

The death occurred on Sunday, Dec. 12th, at her late home in Marlborough, of a highly respected resident in the person of Mrs. Peter Taylor, widow of the late Peter Taylor. Deceased was 70 years of age and leaves to mourn her loss, three sons and three daughters: William H., of Manitoba; Adam and Mrs. Seabrook of North Gower; Mrs. Patterson of Oxford Mills; Mrs. Latimer of Kemptville; and Geo W. on the homestead. The funeral service was held in St. Paul's church, Marlborough, on Thursday afternoon, the Rev. R.J. Dumbrille officiating. Interment was made in St. Paul's Churchyard.

1907 -	KEMPTVILLE	WARD	THOMAS(MRS)	06/06/1907
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1910
 Ward, Mrs. Thomas,
 Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 6, 1907,
 On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Thomas Ward passed away at her home in Oxford two miles above town. Mrs. Ward had been ill with stomach trouble for a long time. She was seventy-one years of age. Almost fifteen years ago Mr. and Mrs. Ward moved here from the West. The funeral service was conducted Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The officers of the Salvation Army had charge. The officers also held a most impressive service at the grave in the Union cemetery, Kemptville, where interment was made. The remains were followed by a large number of friends who showed their sympathy for the bereaved husband.

Kemptville Weekly Advance, June 13, 1907,
 Mrs. Thomas Ward,
 Maria Poole, wife of Thomas Ward, passed to the spirit world on June 1st. at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Ward was loved and respected by all who had the pleasure of her

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acquaintance. She was born on lot 20, third concession of Oxford, in the year 1836. In the year 1860, in the same house, she married Mr. Thomas Ward who is left to mourn her loss. And in the same house, on the above date, she departed this life. Mr. and Mrs. Ward lived in the west, at Uxbridge, for about 20 years. While there, Mrs. Ward was converted to God in a cottage prayer meeting and has since lived a consistent member of the Methodist church. She leaves a husband, two sisters and one brother, who in God's good time she expects to meet on that bright and shining shore.

1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	WIGGINS	ROBERT(MRS)	01/12/1910
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Wiggins, Mrs. Robert,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, December 1, 1910;
Mrs. Robert Wiggins, North Rideau,
It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of one of the most highly respected citizens of Marlborough, in the person of Mrs. Robert Wiggins, who passed away on Friday, Nov. 25th., at her late residence at North Rideau, at the advanced age of seventy-two years, eleven months. Deceased had not been in the best of health for some little time but was about until one week previous to her death. Her genial disposition and kind heartedness won for her a host of friends and the community at large have sustained a loss by her death. As an evidence of the high esteem in which she was held, a large number of friends and neighbours were present at the funeral to pay their last respects. In religion she was a Methodist. Mrs. Wiggins' maiden name was Elizabeth Patterson, daughter of the late Samuel Patterson and is survived by four brothers: Messrs. John and Samuel of Kemptville; Jas. and Benjamin of Burritt's Rapids. She leaves to mourn her loss her sorrowing husband; one son, John Harvey on the adjoining farm; and three daughters: Mrs. Charlotte Mains of Adanac, Sask.; Mrs. Wm. Henry Taylor of Kindersley, Sask.; and Mrs. W. Geo. Powell of Burritt's Rapids, all of whom were present at the funeral. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. W.T. Keough of Oxford Mills and interment was made in the public cemetery, Kemptville.

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Wilson, Arthur,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 20, 1907;
Thos. Arthur Wilson of Rideau Dead,
The death occurred yesterday, Oct. 18th, of Thos. Arthur, the three year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Richard Wilson, of Rideau Road. The funeral takes place today (Thursday) at 2.30 o'clock and interment in Union Cemetery, Kemptville.

1907 - 1910	KEMPTVILLE	WYLIE	ALEXANDER	28/10/1909
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Wylie, Mr. Alexander,
Kemptville Weekly Advance, October 28, 1909.
Mr. Alexander Wylie, Wilson's Bay.
One of the best known residents of Wilson's Bay and one of the most highly respected, passed away suddenly at his home early Sunday morning, 24th inst., in the

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person of Alexander Wylie. The immediate cause of his death was heart failure, although he had been in indifferent health for the past year. Deceased was 64 years of age and was born in Wolford, his father's name being Adam, a native of Scotland, who died some time ago. The late Mr. Wylie was for the past twenty-five years, a progressive and successful farmer of Wilson's Bay, and was a member of the Church of England, and a Conservative in politics. He enjoyed the respect of all in his home community where he lived a quiet and honest life. He was married in St. James' Church, Kemptville, some twenty-five years ago to Miss Leach who survives him. Besides a widow, the late Mr. Wylie is survived by five daughters and four sons: Effie, Edith, Lily, Myrtle, Martha, John, Norman, Harold, and George Alexander, all residing at home and of whom the youngest is five years of age. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock from the Wylie Home to St. James' Church, Kemptville, where service was conducted by the rector, Rev. R.J. Dumbrille. Interment was made in St. James' cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Thos. Wilson, John Sanders, Jas. Sabourin, Ezra Levere, Robt. Kite and Jas. Code.