

Ballantyne Family

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Section 1: Ballantyne Family Tree

- Names and identification number of each descendant of Robert Ballantyne [20] and Agnes *Porteous* Ballantyne [21]. Each new generation is indented. It should be noted that the tree is not complete. It contains only those members for which there is a photo or other documentation.

Note on Organization of the Family Tree:

1. Each person has been designated a number which correlates to their position on the family tree. The first two identified members of the family are each given a number. Each consecutive child is then given a letter to the end of that number. For example, the first child is 1-2a, the second child is 1-2b, and so on. The numbering system continues with each new generation being given an additional letter signifying their position within the tree.
2. Each spouse of a direct descendant is designated with Sp. for Spouse. For example, if they are married to the third child in the family tree, they would be numbered as, "1-2c.Sp." If they have more than one spouse, it will be denoted by a number after the Sp. "1-2c.Sp.2."

If an individual in this family tree is connected to another family associated with the project, that person's identification number will change in their second tree. For example, Agnes Ballantyne married John McEwan. On the Ballantyne family tree Agnes' assigned number is 20-21dc. However, on the McEwan family tree her number is 41-42a.Sp. (i.e., as John McEwan's spouse she carries his number in the McEwan tree, just as he carries her number in the Ballantyne family tree). Same person but connected to the family tree in different ways.

Section 2: Family photographs and archival documents

- Includes photographs and source documents related to each family member.

Section 1: Ballantyne Family Tree

Robert Ballantyne [20]

m. **Agnes *Porteous* Ballantyne** [21]

A. **James Ballantyne** [20-21a]

m. Elizabeth *Whitson* Ballantyne [20-21a.Sp.]

a. Robert Ballantyne [20-21ab]

m. Agnes *Forrest* Ballantyne [20-21ab.Sp.]

i. James Ballantyne [20-21aba]

m. Jessie *Inglis* Ballantyne [20-21aba.Sp.]

a) Agnes *Ballantyne* Saunders [20-21abaa]

b) John Ballantyne [20-21abab]

ii. Alexander Ballantyne [20-21abb]

b. James Ballantyne [20-21ad]

m. Margaret *Simpson* Ballantyne [20-21ad.Sp.]

a. James Ballantyne [20-21ada]

b. Helen *Ballantyne* Dickson [20-21adb]

m. Angus Dickson [20-21adb.Sp.]

i. Maggie *Dickson* Harvey [20-21adba]

ii. James Dickson [20-21adbb]

iii. Alexander Dickson [20-21adbc]

iv. Angus Dickson [20-21adbd]

v. Hislop Dickson [20-21adbe]

c. Elizabeth *McKee* Ballantyne [20-21adc]

d. William Ballantyne [20-21add]

m. Mary *Russell* Ballantyne [20-21add.Sp.]

i. Russell Ballantyne 20-21adda.

ii. James Ballantyne 20-21addb.

e. Robert Ballantyne [20-21ade]

m. Elizabeth *Martin* Ballantyne [20-21ade.Sp.]*

i. Albert Ballantyne [20-21adea]

m. Emma *Lehman* Ballantyne [20-21adea.Sp.]

a) Mildred

b) Martin

c) Carl

d) Eldon

e) Kenneth

f) Thelma *Ballantyne* Finnie [20-21adeag]

ii. Elizabeth *Ballantyne* Waldie [20-21adeb]

iii. Leslie Ballantyne [20-21adec]

a) Violet Ballantyne [20-21adeca]

b) Marie *Ballantyne* Boyes [20-21adecb]

c) Arthur Ballantyne [20-21adecc]

d) Glen Ballantyne [20-21adecd]

f. Thomas Ballantyne [20-21adf]

g. Archibald Ballantyne [20-21adg]

h. Michael Ballantyne [20-21adh]

- i. Margaret Ballantyne Holmes [20-21adi]
 - j. Mary Ann Ballantyne White [20-21adj]
 - k. Angus Ballantyne [20-21adk]
 - c. William Ballantyne [20-21ae]
 - d. Thomas Ballantyne [20-21af]
 - a. James Ballantyne [20-21afa]
 - e. Agnes *Ballantyne* Gourlay [20-21ag]
- B. **John Ballantyne** [20-21b]
- C. **Thomas Ballantyne** [20-21c]
 - a. John Ballantyne [20-21ca]
 - m. Jeannie *Murray* Ballantyne [20-21ca.Sp.]
 - i. Thomas Ballantyne [20-21caa]
 - ii. Jeannie Ballantyne [20-21cab]
 - iii. Robert Ballantyne [20-21cac]
 - iv. Mary Ann Ballantyne [20-21cad]
- D. **Robert Ballantyne** [20-21d]
 - m. Janet *Hogg* Ballantyne [20-21d.Sp.1.]
 - m. Margaret *Nobel* Ballantyne [20-21d.Sp.2.]
 - a. Robert Ballantyne [20-21da]
 - m. Ann *Pempleton* Ballantyne [20-21da.Sp.1.]
 - i. Robert Ballantyne [20-21daa]
 - m. Margaret *Bell* Ballantyne [20-21daa.Sp.]
 - a. Robert Ballantyne [20-21daaa]
 - b. Francis (Frank) Ballantyne [20-21daab]
 - m. Alice *Emerson* Ballantyne [20-21daab.Sp.]
 - 1. Jeanne Ballantyne Lewis [20-21daaba]
 - c. Eleanor *Ballantyne* Porter [20-21daac]
 - i. Helen *Porter* Elliott [20-21daaca]
 - 1. Donald Elliott [20-21daacaa]
 - 2. Murray Elliott [20-21daacab]
 - ii. Ralph Porter [20-21daacb]
 - d. Inez *Ballantyne* Cox [20-21daad]
 - e. Agnes *Ballantyne* Henderson [20-21daae]
 - m. James Henderson
 - f. T. Roy Ballantyne [20-21daaf]
 - m. Ethell Johnstone Ballantyne [20-21daaf.Sp.]
 - g. Leslie Ballantyne [20-21daag]
 - m. Robena Knight Ballantyne [20-21daag.Sp.]
 - ii. Inez *Ballantyne* Bennett [20-21dab]
 - m. Sampson Bennett [20-21dab.Sp.]
 - a. Ann *Bennett* Love [20-21daba]
 - b. William Bennett [20-21dabb]
 - c. Jane *Bennett* Newbigging [20-21dabc]
 - 1. Margaret (Inez) *Newbigging* Roth [20-21dabcb]
 - d. Ellen *Bennett* Vallance [20-21dabd]
 - e. Mary *Bennett* Adams [20-21dabe]
 - f. Robert Bennett [20-21dabf]

- g. Margaret Bennett [20-21dabg]
- h. Inez *Bennett* Bell [20-21dagh]
- m. Helen *Smith* Ballantyne [20-21da.Sp.2.]
 - i. Jane Ballantyne [20-21dac]
 - ii. William Ballantyne [20-21dad]
 - iii. Carmichael Ballantyne [20-21dae]
 - m. Agnes *McKaig* Ballantyne [20-21dae.Sp.1.]
 - 1. Agnes *Ballantyne* Dowds [20-21daea]
 - m. Caroline *Scott* Ballantyne [20-21dae.Sp.2.]
 - 1. Lorne Ballantyne [20-21daeb]
 - 2. Robert Ballantyne [20-21daec]
 - iv. Charles Ballantyne [20-21daf]
 - m. Aalice *Irvine* Ballantyne [20-21daf.Sp.]
 - v. John Ballantyne [20-21dag]
 - m. Ellen *Thompson* Ballantyne [20-21dag.Sp.]
 - vi. Helen Ballantyne [20-21dah]
 - vii. Andrew Ballantyne [20-21daj]
 - viii. Janet Ballantyne Morris [20-21daj]
 - m. Frank Morris [20-21daj.Sp.]
 - 1. ?
 - 2. Ewart Morris [20-21dajb]
 - m. Margaret Willows Morris [20-21dajb.Sp.]
 - i. Willow Morris
 - ii. Heather Morris
 - ix. Agnes Ballantyne [20-21dak]
- b. Michael Ballantyne [20-21db]
- c. Agnes *Ballantyne* McEwan [20-21dc]
 - m. John McEwan [20-21dc.Sp.]
 - i. Robert McEwan [20-21dca]
 - m. Harriette *Hemsley* McEwan [20-21dca.Sp.]
 - a. John McEwan [20-21dcac]
 - i. Gordon McEwan [20-21dcaca]
 - 1. Betty Lou McEwan Cull [20-21dcacaa]
 - 2. Lois Ann McEwan Moir [20-21dcacab]
 - 3. Robert McEwan [20-21dcacac]
- d. Fordyce *Ballantyne* Murray [20-21dd]
 - m. John Murray [20-21dd.Sp.]
 - i. Janet Murray [20-21dda]
 - ii. Margaret *Murray* Robertson [20-21ddb]
 - iii. John Murray [20-21ddc]
 - iv. Mary *Murray* Ballantyne [20-21ddd]
 - v. William Murray [20-21dde]
 - vi. Robert Murray [20-21ddf]
- e. Elizabeth *Ballantyne* Murray [20-21de]
 - m. Walter Murray [20-21de.Sp.]
 - i. Janet *Murray* Hotson [20-21dea]
 - ii. John Murray [20-21deb]

- iii. William Murray [20-21dec]
- iv. Robert Murray [20-21ded]
- v. Margaret Murray [20-21dee]
- vi. Elizabeth *Murray* Murray [20-21def]
- vii. Walter Murray [20-21deg]
- viii. Thomas Murray [20-21deh]
- ix. Mary Murray [20-21dek]
- f. James Ballantyne [20-21df]
- g. Thomas Ballantyne [20-21dg]
- m. Elizabeth *Martin* Ballantyne [20-21dg.Sp.*]
 - i. Robert Ballantyne [20-21dga]
 - ii. David Ballantyne [20-21dgb]
 - iii. Michael Ballantyne [20-21dgc]
 - iv. Annie Ballantyne [20-21dgd]
 - a. Mary *Ballantyne* Aitcheson [20-21dgba]
 - m. George Aitcheson [20-21dgba.Sp.]
 - i. Allan Aitcheson [20-21dgbaa]
 - m. Ella *Murray* Aitcheson [20-21dgbaa.Sp.]
 - 1. Nancy *Aitcheson* Kellum [20-21dgbaaa]
 - 2. Harvey Aitcheson [20-21dgbaab]
 - 3. Marilyn *Aitcheson* Hooper [20-21dgbaac]
 - ii. Evelyn *Aitcheson* Monteith [20-21dgbab]
 - m. Glenn Monteith [20-21dgbab.Sp.]
 - 1. David Monteith [20-21dgbaba]
 - iii. David Aitcheson [20-21dgbac]
 - iv. Charlotte *Aitcheson* Meadows [20-21dgbad]
 - v. Mary Aitcheson [20-21dgbae]
 - vi. Bonnie *Aitcheson* Innes [20-21dgbaf]
 - vii. Robert Aitcheson [20-21dgbag]
 - viii. Eleanor *Aitcheson* Holmes [20-21dgbah]
 - b. Ethel *Ballantyne* Robertson [20-21dgbb]
 - m. William Robertson [20-21dgbb.Sp.]
 - i. Elizabeth *Robertson* Monteith [20-21dgbba]
 - ii. Margaret *Robertson* Lewis [20-21dgbbb]
 - iii. Jean *Robertson* Hill [20-21dgbbc]
 - c. Jeffrey Ballantyne 20-21[dgbc]
 - d. Louise *Ballantyne* Smith [20-21dgbd]
 - m. James Smith [20-21dgbd.Sp.]
- h. Mary *Ballantyne* Ballantyne [20-21dh]
- i. Alice Ballantyne [20-21di]
- j. Jessie Ballantyne [20-21dj]

*Elizabeth Martin married Thomas Ballantyne 20-21dg and then Robert Ballantyne 20-21ade. There were children from each marriage. The children are given different numbers to recognize their particular Ballantyne father. Elizabeth has two numbers (i.e., as the wife of Thomas and later, of Robert).

Section 2: Family photographs and archival documents

This table contains the above listed family members and links to related photographs and documents. Please click the blue highlighted number in the “Record Number” column to view each record. You can also scroll through all the photographs and documents [here](#).

Suggestion: The easiest way to locate an individual is by looking for their specific family number (e.g.,20-21dgbaaa).

| Record Number | Record Type | Name(s) of associated family | Tree number | Notes related to record |
|-----------------------|--------------|--|--|---|
| ph735 | Photo | | | Lillias Forrest trunk used to travel to Canada. |
| ph900 | Photo | Ballantyne home | 20-21da | |
| ph901 | Photo | Elizabeth Ballantyne Murray
Michael Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne McEwan
Robert Ballantyne
Fordyce Ballantyne Murray
James Ballantyne
Mary Ballantyne Ballantyne
Robert Ballantyne
Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21de
20-21db
20-21dc
20-21da
20-21dd
20-21df
20-21dh
20-21d
20-21dg | |
| ph902 | Photo | William Ballantyne
Thomas Ballantyne
James Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Gourlay
Robert Ballantyne | 20-21ae
20-21af
20-21ad
20-21ag
20-21ab | |
| ph903 | Newsclipping | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | Reflections article on Ballantyne Nurses' residence |
| ph904 | Invitation | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph906 | Photo | John Murray
William Ballantyne | 20-21ddc
20-21add | Downie Council, 1902 |
| ph907 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | |
| ph908 | Obituary | Harold (Ting) Murray | 20-21degb | |
| ph909 | Photo | Harold Murray
Florence Bell Murray | 20-21degb
20-21degb.Sp. | At Dickson's Corners at Gordon McEwan's, ca. 1945. |

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| ph910 | Newsclipping | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | St. Marys
Journal Argus |
| ph911 | Funeral Card | Ella Murray Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaa | d. 19 December
1984 |
| ph912 | Invitation | Louise Ballantyne Smith James
A. Smith | 20-21dgbd
30-31dbaa
[Hemsley] | |
| ph913 | Bill | Helen Smith Ballantyne
Charles Ballantyne | 20-21da.Sp.2
20-21daf | |
| ph914 | Bill | Charles Ballantyne
Carmichael Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21dae | |
| ph915 | Bill | Charles Ballantyne
Carmichael Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21dae | |
| ph916 | Will | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | 1954 |
| ph917 | Will | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph918 | Cheque | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | dated 31
December 1897 |
| ph919 | Bill | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1914 |
| ph920 | Photo | James Ballantyne
Margaret Simpson Ballantyne | 20-21ad
20-21ad.Sp. | |
| ph921 | Pay Record | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1898-1910 |
| ph922 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne
Mary Murray Ballantyne | 20-21adf
20-21adf.Sp. | |
| ph923 | Photo | Margaret Ballantyne Holmes | 20-21adi | |
| ph924 | Photo | Mary Ballantyne White | 20-21adj | |
| ph925 | Photo | Angus Ballantyne | 20-21adk | |
| ph926 | Photo | William Ballantyne
Mary Russell Ballantyne | 20-21add
20-21add.Sp. | |
| ph927 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21adf | |
| ph928 | Photo | William Ballantyne | 20-21add | |
| ph929.1 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1908 |
| ph929.2 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | Black Creek
Cheese Factory |
| ph930 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1908 |
| ph931 | Postcard | John Ballantyne | 20-21abab | 1907 |

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| ph932 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Jessie Inglis Ballantyne | 20-21abab
20-21aba.Sp. | |
| ph933 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1908 |
| ph934 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1908 |
| ph941 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Jessie Inglis Ballantyne | 20-21abab
20-21aba.Sp. | 1908 |
| ph942 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1909 |
| ph945 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1909 |
| ph946 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1909 |
| ph948 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | |
| ph949 | Postcard | Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abaa | 1912 |
| ph950 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1912 |
| ph951 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1913 |
| ph953 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | |
| ph954 | Postcard | Annie Ballantyne Gould
Jessie Saunders Turnbull | 20-21ababa
20-21abaaa | 1914 |
| ph955 | Postcard | John Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abab
20-21abaa | 1909 |
| ph956 | Postcard | Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21abaa | 1912 |
| ph957 | Photo | Francis (Frank) Ballantyne | 20-21daab | |
| ph958 | Gravestone | Frank (Frank) Ballantyne
Alice Emerston Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21daab.Sp. | New Pine Grove
Cemetery,
Westbury,
Connecticut,
USA. |
| ph959 | Gravestone | Jeanne Ballantyne Lewis | 20-21daabaa | New Pine Grove
Cemetery,
Westbury,
Connecticut,
USA. |
| ph961 | Card | Frank (Frank) Ballantyne
Alice Emerston Ballantyne
Jeanne Ballantyne Lewis | 20-21daab
20-21daab.Sp.
20-21daabaa | |

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| ph962 | Invitation | Frank (Frank) Ballantyne
Alice Emerston Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21daab.Sp. | |
| ph963 | Invitation | Frank (Frank) Ballantyne
Alice Emerston Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21daab.Sp. | |
| ph964 | Photo | Frank (Frank) Ballantyne
Alice Emerston Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21daab.Sp. | |
| ph965 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne | 20-21d | |
| ph966 | Photo | Eleanor Ballantyne Porter | 20-21daac | |
| ph967 | Photo | Helen Porter Elliott
Ralph Porter | 20-21daaca
20-21daacb | |
| ph968 | Photo | Helen Porter Elliott
Ralph Porter | 20-21daaca
20-21daacb | |
| ph970 | Photo | Donald Elliott
Murray Elliott | 20-21daaca
20-21daacab | |
| ph971 | Postcard | Agnes Ballantyne Henderson
James Henderson | 20-21daae
20-21daae.Sp. | 1917 |
| ph972 | Invitation | Roy Ballantyne
Ethell Johnstone | 20-21daaf
20-21daaf.Sp. | 1913 |
| ph973 | Invitation | Leslie Ballantyne
Robena Knight Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daag
20-21daag.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp. | 1923 |
| ph974 | Photo | Margaret (Inez) Newbigging
Roth | 20-21dabcb | |
| ph975 | Photo | Sampson Bennett
William Bennett
Margaret (Ann) Bennett
Mary Bennett Adams
Inez Ballantyne Bennett
Jane Bennett Newbigging
Ellen Bennett Vallance | 20-21dab.Sp.
20-21dabb
20-21dabg
20-21dabe
20-21dagh
20-21dabc
20-21dabd | |
| ph976 | Photo | William Bennett | 20-21dabb | |
| ph977 | Photo | Margaret (Ann) Bennett
Mary Bennett Adams
Jane Bennett Newbigging
Ellen Bennett Vallance | 20-21dabg
20-21dabe
20-21dabc
20-21dabd | |
| ph978 | Photo | Jane Ballantyne | 20-21dac | |
| ph979 | Photo | Jane Ballantyne | 20-21dac | |
| ph980 | Funeral Card | Jane Ballantyne | 20-21dac | d. 19 December
1928 |
| ph981 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne
Helen Smith Ballantyne | 20-21da
20-21da.Sp. | |
| ph982 | Obituary | Helen Smith Ballantyne | 20-21da.Sp. | d. 18 April 1914 |
| ph983 | Obituary | Helen Smith Ballantyne | 20-21da.Sp. | d. 18 April 1914 |

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|-----------------------|--------------|---|---|------------------|
| ph984 | Funeral Card | Helen Smith Ballantyne | 20-21da.Sp. | d. 18 April 1914 |
| ph985 | Funeral Card | Robert S. Ballantyne | 20-21daa | d. 15 June 1916 |
| ph986 | Obituary | Robert S. Ballantyne | 20-21daa | d. 15 June 1916 |
| ph987 | Photo | Helen Smith Ballantyne | 20-21da.Sp. | |
| ph988 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph990 | Photo | Mary Duff McEwan
Jane Ballantyne
Ellen Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21dac
20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph991 | Photo | Carmichael Ballantyne
Caroline Scott Ballantyne | 20-21dae
20-21dae.Sp. | |
| ph992 | Photo | Lorne Ballantyne | 20-21daeb | |
| ph993 | Photo | Lorne Ballantyne
Caroline Scott Ballantyne | 20-21daeb
20-21dae.Sp. | |
| ph994 | Photo | Margaret Bell Ballantyne
Caroline Scott Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Charles Ballantyne
Charles Balance
Thom Ballantyne | 20-21daa.Sp.
20-21dae.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21daf
20-21dabd.Sp.
20-21dgbe | |
| ph995 | Photo | David Ballantyne
Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Louise Ballantyne Smith
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
William Robertson
Charles Ballantyne | 20-21dgb
20-21dg.Sp.
20-21dgbb
20-21dgbd
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgbb.Sp.
20-21daf | |
| ph996 | Photo | Ellen Bennett Vallance
Margaret Bell Ballantyne
Caroline Scott Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Charlie Ballantyne
Charlie Vallance | 20-21dabd
20-21daa.Sp.
20-21dae.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21daf
20-21dabd.Sp. | |
| ph997 | Photo | Charlie Ballantyne
Charlie Vallance
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
William Adams
Mary Bannett Adams
Ellen Bannett Vallance
David Ballantyne
William Robertson
Alive Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21dabd.Sp.
20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21dabe.Sp.
20-21dabe
20-21dabd
20-21dgb
20-21dgbb.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp. | |

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|------------------------|-------|---|--|---------------------------------|
| ph998 | Photo | Elizbeth Martin Ballantyne
Harriotte Hemsley McEwan
Ellen Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21dg.Sp.
20-21dca.Sp.
20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph999 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne
John Ballantyne
Carmichael Ballantyne
Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daa
20-21dag
20-21dae
20-21daf | |
| ph1000 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1001 | Photo | Elizbeth Jeffery Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1002 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds
Lorne Ballantyne | 20-21daea
20-21daeb | |
| ph1004 | Photo | Alice Dowds
Marjorie Dowds Purdy | 20-21daeaa
20-21daeab | |
| ph1005 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds
Alice Dowds | 20-21daea
20-21daeaa | |
| ph1006 | Card | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds | 20-21daea | |
| ph1007 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds | 20-21daea | |
| ph1008 | Photo | David Ballantyne
Louise Ballantyne Smith
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Charles Ballantyne
Jim Smith | 20-21dgb
20-21dgbd
20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgb
20-21daf
20-21dgbd.Sp. | |
| ph1009 | Photo | Charlie Ballantyne | 20-21daf | Downie
Township
Property. |
| ph1011 | Photo | Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Charlie Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
William Robertson
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgbba
20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21dgb.Sp. | |
| ph1012 | Card | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds | 20-21daea | |
| ph1013 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds | 20-21daea | |
| ph1014 | Photo | Jane (Jeannie) Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21dac
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1015 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daea
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1016 | Photo | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds | 20-21daea | Back of pg1012 |
| ph1017 | Photo | Louise Ballantyne Smith
Charles Ballantyne | 20-21dgbd
20-21daf | |

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|--------------------------|----------------|--|--|---|
| ph1018 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp.
20-21daf | |
| ph1019 | Order Form | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1020 | Vehicle Permit | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1915 |
| ph1021 | Order Form | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1918 |
| ph1022 | Postcard | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1024 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1025 | Photo | Eleanor Ballantyne Porter | 20-21daac | |
| ph1026 | Photo | Frank Ballantyne
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
Tom Ballantyne
Louise Ballantyne Smith
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
David Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21dgb
20-21dgbe
20-21dgbd
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgbb
20-21dgb | Lot 16,
Concession 3,
Downie
Township. |
| ph1027 | Receipt | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1918 |
| ph1028 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
David Ballantyne
Louise Ballantyne Smith
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Frank Ballantyne
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
Tom Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21dgb
20-21dgbd
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgbb
20-21daab
20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21dgbe | |
| ph1029.1 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1029.2 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Ellen Bennett Vallance
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Mary Bennett Adams | 20-21dgbb
20-21dabd
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dabe | |
| ph1030 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Ellen Bennett Vallance
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Mary Bennett Adams
Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Margarert Roberston | 20-21dgbb
20-21dabd
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dabe
20-21dgbbba
20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1034 | Receipt | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1914 |
| ph1035 | Receipt | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1909 |
| ph1036 | Information | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1918 |
| ph1037 | Information | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1919 |
| ph1038 | Estate | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1957 |
| ph1039 | Funeral Card | Elizabeth Robertson Monteith | 20-21dgbbba | d.1998 |

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| ph1041 | Photo | Unknown niece of Charles Ballantyne | 20-21 | |
| ph1042 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1043 | Funeral Card | Marie Ballantyne Boyes | 20-21 | d.1998 |
| ph1044 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | |
| ph1045 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | |
| ph1046 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21afd | |
| ph1047 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21afdb | |
| ph1048 | Photo | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21afdbb | |
| ph1049 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne | 20-21afb | |
| ph1050 | Photo | Russell Ballantyne
Jane Ballantyne | 20-21adda
20-21addb | |
| ph1051 | Information | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | |
| ph1052 | Information | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | |
| ph1053 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1054 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1055 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1066 | Photo | Betty Lou McEwan Cull
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Charles Ballantyne
Lois Ann McEwan Moir
Robert McEwan | 20-21dcacaa
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21daf
20-21dcacab
20-21dcacac | |
| ph1067 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1069 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Janet Ballantyne Morris
Jack Ballantyne
Caroline Scott Ballantyne
Frank Morris
Ewart Morris
Margaret Willows Morris
Ellen Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21daj
20-21dag
20-21dae.Sp.
20-21daj.Sp.
20-21dajb
20-21dajb.Sp.
20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph1070 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1071 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1072 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1073 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1075 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne
John Ballantyne | 20-21da
20-21dag | |

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| ph1076 | Photo | Frank Ballantyne
Jack Ballantyne
Ethel Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21daab
20-21dag
20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph1077 | Photo | Jack Ballantyne
Ethel Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21dag
20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph1078 | Invitation | Janet Ballantyne Morris | 20-21daj | 1913 |
| ph1079 | Newsclipping | John Ballantyne | 20-21dag | |
| ph1080 | Newsclipping | Ellen Thompson Ballantyne | 20-21dag.Sp. | |
| ph1081 | Photo | Janet (Net) Ballantyne Morris | 20-21dag | |
| ph1082 | Photo | Ewart Morris | 20-21dajb | |
| ph1083 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | 50th Wedding Anniversary, 1947 |
| ph1084
(wrongly labeled
ph1883) | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | 50th Wedding Anniversary, 1947 |
| ph1085 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 50th Wedding Anniversary, 1947 |
| ph1086 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1087 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1088 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Margaret Robertson Lewis
Mary Aitcheson's daughter | 20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgbbb
20-21dgba | |
| ph1089 | Obituary | Margaret Willows Morris | 20-21dajb.Sp. | d.2009 |
| ph1090 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | 84th Birthday, 1961 |
| ph1091 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1092 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1093 | Photo | David Ballantyne | 20-21dgb | |
| ph1094
(wrongly labeled
ph1095) | Photo | David Ballantyne | 20-21dgb | |
| ph1095 | Photo | Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgb.Sp. | |
| ph1096 | Photo | David Ballantyne
Robert Ballantyne | 20-21dgb
20-21dga | |
| ph1097 | Photo | Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
Allan Aitcheson
David Ballantyne | 20-21dg.Sp.
20-21dgba
20-21dgbaa
20-21dgb | ca. 1916 |

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| ph1098 | Photo | Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne | 20-21dg.Sp. | |
| ph1102 | Photo | Louise Ballantyne Smith
Tom Ballantyne | 20-21dgbd
20-21dgbe | |
| ph1103 | Photo | Louise Ballantyne Smith | 20-21dgbd | |
| ph1104 | Photo | Louise Ballantyne Smith
Jim Smith | 20-21dgbd
20-21dgbd.Sp. | |
| ph1105 | Newsclipping | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21afd | 1909 |
| ph1106 | Postcard | Jessie Inglis Ballantyne
Agnes Ballantyne Saunders | 20-21aba.Sp.
20-21abaa | |
| ph1107 | Newsclipping | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21af | 2003 |
| ph1108 | Photo | James Ballantyne | 20-21afa | 1899 |
| ph1110 | Photo | James Ballantyne | 20-21afa | |
| ph1111 | Invoice | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | 1905 |
| ph1112 | Photo | Jeffery Ballantyne
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
David Ballantyne
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21dgbc
20-21dgbb
20-21dgb
20-21dgb.Sp.
20-21dgbe | |
| ph1113 | Invitation | Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
George Aitcheson | 20-21dgba
20-21dgba.Sp. | 1912 |
| ph1114.1 | Postcard | Allan Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaa | 1913 |
| ph1114.2 | Photo | Glenn Monteith
Evelyn Aitcheson Monteith
Allan Aitcheson | 20-21dgbab.Sp.
20-21dgbab
20-21dgbaa | |
| ph1115 | Photo | William Robertson
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Hazel Lewis Jordon
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21dgbb.Sp.
20-21dgbb
20-21dgbbbf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1116 | Photo | George McEwan
William Robertson | 20-21dcaca
20-21dgbb.Sp. | 1957 |
| ph1117 | Postcard | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson | 20-21dgbb | 1907 |

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| ph1119 | Photo | Eleanor Aitcheson Holmes
Bonnie Aitcheson Innes
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
Allan Aitcheson
Joe Aitcheson
Evelyn Aitcheson Monteith
Ella Murray Aitcheson
Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows
Robert Aitcheson
Glenn Monteith
David Aitcheson
David Monteith
Harvey Aitcheson
Nancy Aitcheson
Joe Monteith
Alex Monteith | 20-21dgbah
20-21dgbaf
20-21dgba
20-21dgbaa
20-21dgba.Sp.
20-21dgbab
20-21dgbaa.Sp.
20-21dgbad
20-21dgbag
20-21dgbab.Sp.
20-21dgbac
20-21dgbaba
20-21dgbaab
20-21dgbaaa
20-21dgbabb
20-21dgbabc | |
| ph1120 | Photo | Joe Aitcheson | 20-21dgba.Sp. | |
| ph1121 | Photo | Joe Aitcheson
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21dgba.Sp.
20-21dgba | |
| ph1122 | Photo | Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows
Almer Meadows
Nancy Aitcheson Kellum | 20-21dgbad
20-21dgbad.Sp.
20-21dgbaaa | |
| ph1123 | Photo | Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows
Almer Meadows | 20-21dgbad
20-21dgbad.Sp. | |
| ph1124 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Margaret Robertson Lewis | 20-21dgbbb
20-21dgbba
20-21dgbbbb | |
| ph1125 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgbbb
20-21dgbba
20-21dgd.Sp. | |
| ph1126 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Roberston | 20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1127 | Photo | Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson | 20-21dgba
20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1128 | Photo | Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21dbga | |
| ph1129 | Photo | Irwin Lewis
Margaret Robertson Lewis
Jean Robertson Hill | 20-21dgbbbb.Sp.
20-21dgbbbb
20-21dgbbbc | |
| ph1130 | Gravestone | Janet Murray Hotson
Alexander Hotson | 20-21dea
20-21dea.Sp. | |
| ph1135 | Photo | Joe Aitcheson
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21dgba.Sp.
20-21dgba | |
| ph1136 | Photo | Mabel Erb Ballantyne
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21adda.Sp.
20-21dgba | |

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| ph1137 | Photo | William Robertson
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson
Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Jean Robertson Hill
Margaret Robertson Lewis | 20-21dgbb.Sp.
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20-21dgbbba
20-21dgbbc
20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1140 | Photo | Tom Ballantyne
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
Joe Aitcheson | 20-21dgbe
20-21dgba
20-21dgba.Sp. | |
| ph1141 | Photo | Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgba
20-21dgb.Sp. | |
| ph1190 | Invoice | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1196 | Marriage Certificate | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | 1897 |
| ph1197 | Photo | Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows
Almer Meadows | 20-21dgbad
20-21dgbad.Sp. | |
| ph1198 | Photo | Nancy Aitcheson Kellum
Harvey Aitcheson
Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper | 20-21dgbaaa
20-21dgbaab
20-21dgbaac | |
| ph1199 | Photo | Ethel Ballantyne Robertson | 20-21dgbb | |
| ph1200 | Photo | Margaret Robertson Lewis | 20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1201 | Photo | Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21dgba | |
| ph1202 | Photo | Margaret Robertson Lewis | 20-21dgbbb | 1944 |
| ph1203 | Photo | Irwin Lewis
Margaret Robertson Lewis
Ella Murray Aitcheson
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson | 20-21dgbbb.Sp.
20-21dgbbb
20-21dgbaa.Sp.
20-21dgba | |
| ph1204 | Photo | Gordon McEwan
Allan Aitcheson
Lois McEwan
Alice Ballantyne | 20-21caca
20-21dgbaa
20-21dcaca.Sp.
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1205 | Card | Alice Dowds | 20-21daaaa | |
| ph1206 | Invitation | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1207 | Receipt | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1208 | Photo | Robert (Fred) Ballantyne | 20-21daaa | |
| ph1209 | Photo | Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Lois Hearn McEwan
Ella Murray Aitcheson | 20-21dgbbba
20-21dcaca.Sp.
20-21dgbaa.Sp. | 1983 |
| ph1210 | Photo | Lois Hearn McEwan
Florence Bell Murray | 20-21dcaca.Sp.
20-21degb.Sp. | |
| ph1211 | Photo | Terry McEwan
Harold Murray
Allan (Palmer) Aitcheson | 20-21dcacd
20-21degb
20-21dgbaa | |

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| ph1212 | Photo | Margaret Robertson Lewis | 20-21dgbbb | |
| ph1213 | Photo | Marie Ballantyne Boyes
Earl Boyes | 20-21adecb
20-21abecb.Sp. | 50th Wedding Anniversary. |
| ph1214 | Photo | Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper
Allan Aitcheson
Nancy Aitcheson Kellum | 20-21dgbaac
20-21dgbaa
20-21dgbaaa | |
| ph1215 | Photo | Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Lois Hearn McEwan
Ella Murray Aitcheson | 20-21dgbbba
20-21dcaca.Sp.
20-21dgbaa.Sp. | 1982 |
| ph1216.1 | Photo | Loiey McEwan Moir
Gordon McEwan
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Peter Moir | 20-21dcacab
20-21dcaca
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dcacaba | 1963 |
| ph1216.2 | Photo | Big Elm Tree | | |
| ph1217 | Photo | Big Elm Tree | | |
| ph1218 | Photo | Big Elm Tree | | |
| ph1219 | Gravestone | Agnes Ballantyne Dowds
Edward Dowds | 20-21daea
20-21daea.Sp. | |
| ph1220 | Gravestone | Marjorie (Sue) Dowds Purdy | 20-21daeb | |
| ph1221 | Photo | Edward Grant Dowds | 20-21daeac | |
| ph1222 | Gravestone | Edward Grant Dowds | 20-21daeac | |
| ph1223 | Gravestone | Robert Dowds | 20-21daead | |
| ph1225 | Gravestone | Alice Dowds Johantgen | 20-21daea | |
| ph1226 | Marriage Certificate | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1227 | Photo | George MacEwan
James MacEwan | 20-21dcf
20-21dch | |
| ph1228 | Photo | John McEwan
Robert (Mac) Simpson | 20-21dcac
20-21dcaa | |
| ph1229 | Photo | John (Jack) McEwan | 20-21dcac | |
| ph1230 | Photo | Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgbc | |
| ph1231 | Photo | Elizabeth Robertson Monteith | 20-21dgbbba | |
| ph1232 | Letter | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1233 | Photo | Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper
Harvey Aitcheson
Nancy Aitcheson Kellum | 20-21dgbaac
20-21dgbaab
20-21dgbaaa | |
| ph1234 | Photo | Glenn Drover | 20-21ddgbc.Sp. | |
| ph1235 | Photo | Joan Monteith Smith
Harold Smith
Bradley Smith
Scott Smith | 20-21dgbbba
20-21dgbbba.Sp.
20-21dgbbaaa
20-21dgbbbaab | |
| ph1236 | Newsclipping | George Aitcheson | 20-21dgba.Sp. | |

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| ph1237 | Letter | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1238 | Newsclipping | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1239 | Newsclipping | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1240 | Photo | Wilfred Ballantyne | 20-21dgbca | |
| ph1241 | Funeral Program | Harold (Ting) Murray | 20-21degb | d.1995 |
| ph1242 | Funeral Program | Allan Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaa | d.1992 |
| ph1244 | Postcard | Jean Ballantyne | | |
| ph1245 | Newsclipping | Corrine Ballantyne McFillan | 20-21dgbea | |
| ph1246 | Newsclipping | Robert Ballantyne | 20-21afb | |
| ph1247 | Gravestone | Thomas Ballantyne | 20-21dgbe | d.1956 |
| ph1248 | Photo | Mary Aitcheson Murray | 20-21dge.Sp. | |
| ph1249 | Photo | George Aitcheson
James Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaca
20-21dgbacb | |
| ph1250 | Funeral Program | Elizabeth Robinson Monteith | 20-21dgbba | d.1998 |
| ph1251 | Photo | Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1252 | Photo | Bill Robertson
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson | 20-21dgbb.Sp.
20-21dgbb | |
| ph1253 | Obituary | Elizabeth Robinson Monteith | 20-21dgbba | d.1998 |
| ph1254 | Card | Joan Monteith Smith
Lois Hearn McEwan | 20-21dgbba
20-21dcaca.Sp. | |
| ph1255 | Obituary | Robert (Mac) Simpson | 20-21dcaaa | d.1979 |
| ph1256 | Newsclipping | Thelma Ballantyne Finnie
John (Jack) Finnie | 20-21ageag
20-21adeag.Sp. | 60th Wedding Anniversary, 2004. |
| ph1257 | Bill | Charles Ballantyne
Carmichael Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21dae | |
| ph1258 | Invoice | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1259 | Letter | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1260 | Letter | Charles Ballantyne | 20-21daf | |
| ph1261 | Bio | William Ballantyne | 20-21ae | |
| ph1262 | Bio | William Ballantyne | 20-21ae | |
| ph1263
(wrongly labeled ph1264) | Bio | William Ballantyne | 20-21ae | |
| ph1264 | Bio | William Ballantyne | 20-21ae | |
| ph1265 | Obituary | Arthur Ballantyne | 20-21adecc | d. 1984 |
| ph1266 | Funeral Card | James Ballantyne | 20-21ada | d. 1908 |
| ph1268 | Newsclipping | Ballantyne clan meeting | | 1989 |

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| ph1269 | Photo | Allan Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaa | |
| ph1270 | Photo | Allan Aitcheson
Ella Murray Aitcheson | 20-21dgbaa
20-21dgbaa.Sp. | |
| ph1271 | Photo | David Ballantyne
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21dgb
20-21dgb.Sp. | |
| ph1272 | Photo | Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne | 20-21dg.Sp. | |
| ph1273 | Photo | Friends of Charles Ballantyne | | |
| ph1274 | Photo | Ella Murray Aitcheson
Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
Mildred Ballantyne Murray
Evelyn Aitcheson Monteith
Jean Robertson Hill | 20-21dgbaa.Sp.
20-21dgbba
20-21dega.Sp.
20-21dgbab
20-21dgbbc | |
| ph1275 | Funeral Card | Robert Ballantyne | 20-21daaa | d.1953 |
| ph1277 | Obituary | Elizabeth Hoston Williamson | 20-21deaa | |
| ph1278 | Photo | Ballantyne Family Reunion | | 1921 |
| ph1279 | Photo | Ballantyne Family Reunion | 20-21 | 1921 |
| ph1351 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp.
20-21dgb.Sp. | |
| ph1352 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne
Alice Irvine Ballantyne | 20-21daf
20-21daf.Sp. | |
| ph1353 | Photo | Charles Ballantyne's farm | 20-21daf | |
| ph1689.1 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne trunk | 20-21ab | |
| ph1689.2 | Photo | Robert Ballantyne blanket box | 20-21ab | |
| ph1866 | Photo | Alice Emerson Ballantyne | 20-21daab.Sp. | |
| ph2177 | Photo | Downie Ball Team | 20-21 | 1932 |

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ph735 Lillias Forrest trunk used to travel to Canada



ph900 Ballantyne Home 30-21 da.



Elizabeth Ballantyne Murray 20-21de. Michael Ballantyn 20-21db. Agnes Ballantyne McEwan 20-21dc.

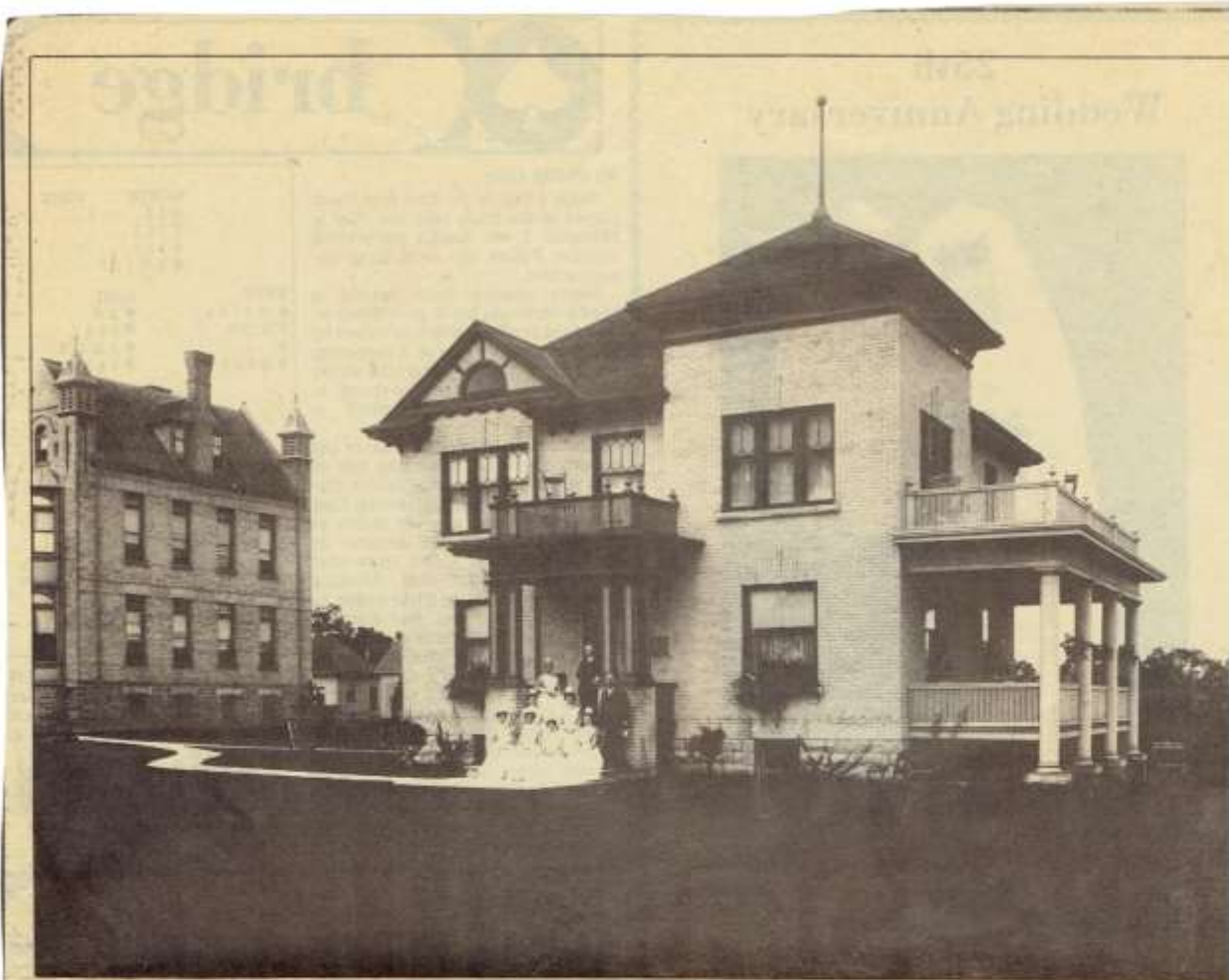
Robert Balantyne 20-21da. Fordyce Ballantyne Murray 20-21dd. Front: James Ballantyne 20-21df.
Mary Ballantyne Ballantyne 20-21dh. Robert Ballantyne 20-21d. Thomas Ballantyne 20-21dg.

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ph902 Back: William Ballantyne 20-21ae. Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af.

James Ballantyne 20-21ad. Agnes Ballantyne Gourlay 20-21ag. Robert Ballantyne 20-21ab.



Reflections

The Ballantyne Nurses' Residence

By Carolyn Bart-Riedstra,
Archivist
Stratford-Perth Archives

The original Stratford General Hospital was completed in 1891. At the time, the facilities were considered to be the most modern and up-to-date in all areas, including the nurses' quarters. Then, both the nurses and the lady superintendent were required to live in the hospital. The nurses were situated in rooms in the attic, while the lady superintendent had a comfortable suite of rooms on another floor of the hospital.

By 1902, a little more than a decade after the hospital's construction, not only were the ward facilities crowded, but so were the nurses' quarters. The 1903 report on 1902 suggested that more space was needed to attend to the sick. It was logical then to suggest that if more sick people could be accommodated, more nurses would also be needed. In that event, another building was

indicated to provide a separate residence for the nurses. Given the cost of such an expenditure, the nurses' residence was considered at the time as a possible addition to the hospital.

In the annual report of 1904, which was for the year 1903, Thomas Ballantyne was the chairman. Following the form report, a postscript was added by the other board members. In it they thanked Ballantyne for his generous gift of the Ma Ballantyne Nurses' Residence which he donated to the hospital in memory of his wife who had been a nurse. Following his offer to donate the residence, Ballantyne requested that a subcommittee of board members be formed to help him choose an appropriate design for the building. Ballantyne was praised for providing a building which would serve future generations as well. Furnishings for the structure were provided by the Women's Hospital Aid.

This picture shows the building shortly after it was completed with the hospital to the left. In 1985, the building was destroyed by a parking lot.

If you have pictures or other material concerning the residence, please contact the Stratford-Perth Archives at 273-0399 or visit us at 24 St. Andrew St. Monday to Saturday 9-5 p.m.

ph903 Ballantyne Nurses' Residence

Mr & Mrs Chas Ballantyne
The Stratford General Hospital Trust
request the pleasure of your company
at the opening of
The Mary Ballantyne Nurses' Residence
Stratford, Ontario,
Wednesday, the sixth January,
one thousand nine hundred and four, at three o'clock p.m.

ph904 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



ph906 Downie Council 1902 Front Row 4th John Murray 20-21ddc. 5th William Ballantyne 20-21add.



**ph907 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af. source
<https://www.wikitree.com/photo/jpg/Ballantyne-51>**

—deaths—

Harold Murray

G. Harold (Ting) Murray, 83, of Avonton, died Thursday at the Versa Care Centre, RR 5 Stratford.

Born in Downie Township, he was a son of the late Walter H. Murray and the former Mary Aitcheson.

He had lived all his life on the Murray Century Farm, Lot 16, Concession 6 of Downie Township, the place he was born. The farm known as Avonhill Farms had a herd of purebred Holstein cattle which he prized.

He was an active member of Avonton Presbyterian Church and in his early years was secretary of the Sunday school, sang in the church choir, was active in the Young People's Society and served two terms on the board of managers of the church. He had been trustee for the Avonton Women's Institute Hall for several years.

He had attended Downie No. 6 school and later served as a trustee of the school.

He had been active both as a player and coach in community sports and an active member of the Sebringville Athletic Association.

Surviving are his wife, the former Florence Bell whom he married March 19, 1938, at Avonton; sons, David Murray and wife Linda, of Avonton, and Keith Murray and wife Karen, of New Dundee; grandchildren, Paula and husband Leo Stock, Darren Murray and wife Julie, and Bentley Murray, all of Avonton, Steven and Kyle Murray, of New Dundee; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Mildred Murray, of Stratford, Doris Murray, of Avonton, Helen and Henry Debus, of Stratford. Gordon Bell, Adam and Iva Bell, of St. Marys; a cousin, Jack Aitcheson, of Avonton; also nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by brothers, George in 1944, and Melbourne in 1973.

Friends will be received at the W.G. Young Funeral Home, 430 Huron St., Stratford, today from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m., where the funeral service will be held at 1:30 p.m. Saturday. Rev. Catherine Calkin will officiate. Burial will be in Avonbank Cemetery.

As expressions of sympathy, donations may be made to the Avonton Presbyterian Church general fund.

ph908 Harold (Ting) Murray 20-21degb.



ph909 Harold Murray 20-21-degb.
 Florence Bell Murray 20-21degb.Sp
 at Dickson's Corners at Gordon McEwan's c.1945

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support of the suggestion.
 A letter was received by council from Sir Wilfred Laurier, in reference to the appointment of Honorable Thomas Ballantyne to the senate. The premier wrote that the matter would receive due consideration.
 Sales Register: Clearing auction sale of farm stock and implements, on Widder Street East, St. Marys, near Sclater's lime kilns, commencing at 12 o'clock sharp. Jos. White, auctioneer, William Pearn.

**ph 910 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af.
 St Marys Journal Argus 100 yrs, ago
 column**

Entered Into Rest

At University Hospital, London, Ontario, on
 Wednesday, December 19th, 1984

ELLA I. (MURRAY) AITCHESON
 of 752 Kipps Lane, London, and formerly of
 Downie Township.

Beloved wife of Allan. Loving mother of Nancy (Mrs. Jack Kellum), London, Harvey and his wife Barbara, of Stratford, and Marilyn (Mrs. Clare Hooper), of London. Loving grandmother of Lynn and her husband Ron Humphrey, Lori and her husband David Brown, Terry & Julie Aitcheson. Loving great-grandmother of Todd & Lindsay Humphrey. Sister of Cecil Murray, St. Pauls, and Mrs. Jean Ballantyne, Stratford. Also many nieces & nephews.

The Funeral

Resting at the L. A. Ball Funeral Chapel, St. Marys, where the funeral service will be held on Saturday, Dec. 22 at 1.30 p.m., with Dr. Maurice Boyd of Metropolitan United Church officiating. Interment Avonbank Cemetery.

Donations to University Hospital Neuro Foundation or Avonbank Cemetery would be appreciated.

Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

ph911 Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp.

*Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Ballantyne
request the pleasure of your company at the
marriage of their daughter*

Minnie Louise

to

Mr. James A. Smith

*Wednesday afternoon, December the seventeenth
nineteen hundred and nineteen*

at ^{one} ~~two~~ o'clock

at their residence

Overton Farm, Stratford, Ont.

ph912 Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgbd. James Smith (in Hemsley file his number is 30-31dbaa.)

August - 8th 1913
Received from Charles
Ballantyne the sum of
thirty one dollars and
twenty five cents - being
amount due on endow-
ment - in full to date
Helen Ballantyne
J. R. B.

ph913 Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da.Sp.2 Charles Ballantyne
20-21daf.

100th Downie April 27th / 1898
Twelve months after date I promise
to pay to John Laboyart or bearer
the sum of One hundred Dollars
for value received
With interest at Six per cent per annum

Charles Ballantyne
Carmichael Ballantyne

ph914 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Carmichael Ballantyne
20-21dae.

Interest paid for 1897
Interest paid for 1898
Interest paid for 1899
Interest paid for 1900
Interest paid for 1901
Interest paid for 1902
55.85
50.15
53.55
Interest paid for 1903
Interest paid for 1904
Interest paid for 1905
Interest paid for 1906
Interest paid for 1907
Interest paid for 1908
Interest paid for 1909
Interest paid for 1910

**Ph915 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.
Carmichael Ballantyne 20-21dae. back of
promissory note ph914**

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THIS IS THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT of me,
ALICE BALLANTYNE, of the City of Stratford in the County of
Perth and Province of Ontario, Widow, made this 2nd day of April,
A.D. 1954.

1.- I HEREBY REVOKE all former Wills or other
Testaments or Dispositions by me at any time heretofore made and
or Inheritance Taxes which may be payable on or in respect to any
interest in expectancy.

(c) TO divide the residue of my estate then
remaining into eight equal shares and to pay three of such shares
to my niece, Alice Gallagher, and to pay five of such shares to
my nephew, Jack Gordon McEwan; Provided that should Alice
Gallagher predecease me, I direct that the whole of my estate

ph916 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.

shall be given to my nephew, Jack Gordon McEwan.

ALICE BALLANTYNE, of the City of Stratford in the County of Perth

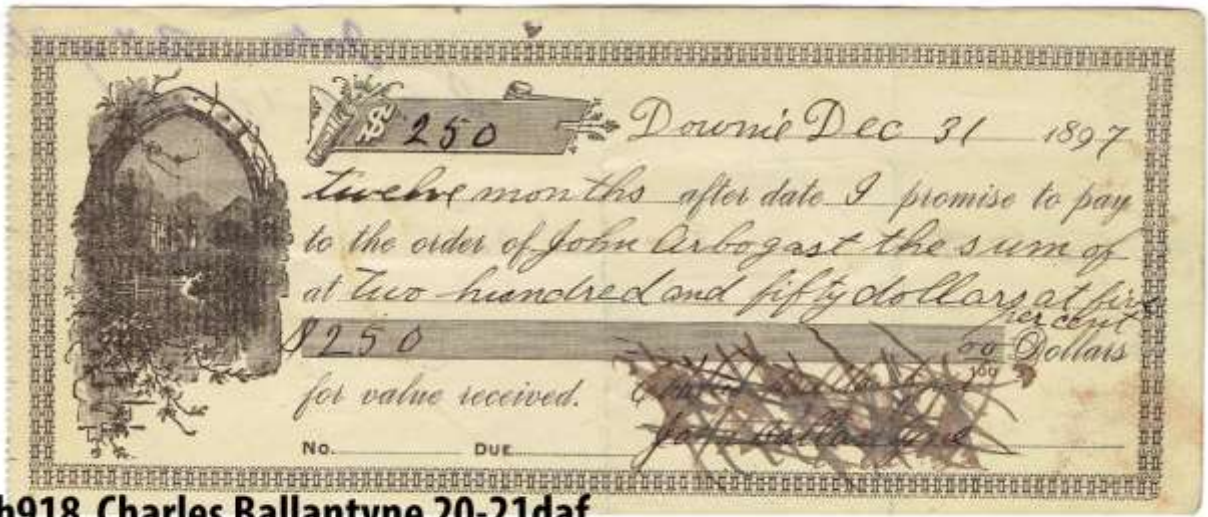
4.- SHOULD any person become entitled to share in my estate under this my Will before attaining the age of twenty-one years, I direct that the share of such person shall be held and kept invested by my Executor and the income and capital or so much thereof as my Executor in his absolute discretion shall consider necessary or advisable shall be used for the education, maintenance or advancement in life of such person until he or she shall attain the age of twenty-one years. Subject thereto, I direct that my Executor shall pay or transfer the share of any such beneficiary to him or her upon his or her attaining the age of twenty-one years.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand the day and year first above written.

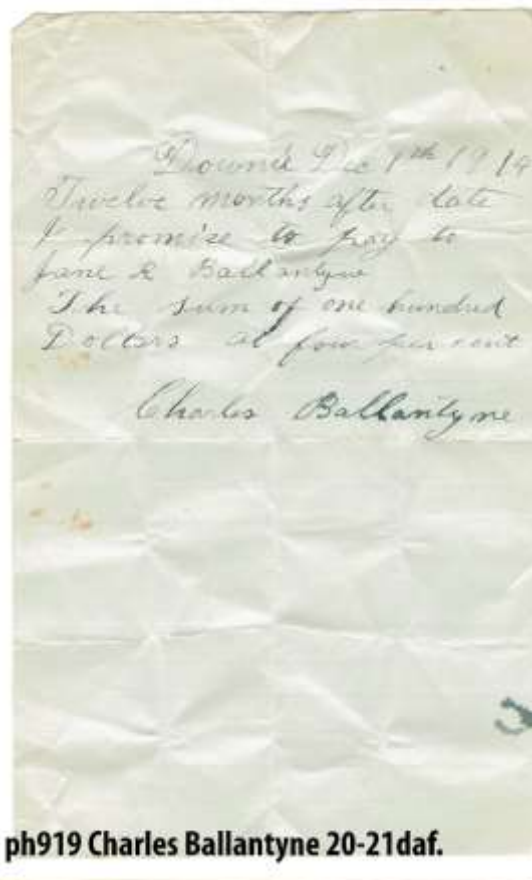
SIGNED, PUBLISHED AND DECLARED)
 by the above named Testatrix,)
 ALICE BALLANTYNE, as and for)
 her Last Will and Testament in)
 the presence of us who both)
 present together at the same)
 time in her presence at her)
 request and in the presence of)
 each other have hereunto sub-)
 scribed our names as witnesses)

.....
 Interest in expectancy.

ph917 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf. Will page 2 of ph916



ph918 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



ph919 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



**ph920 James Ballantyne 20-21ad.
Margaret Simpson Ballantyne 20-21ad.Sp.**

Interest Paid up till Dec 31 1898 Interest Paid up till
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Interest Paid up till Dec 31st 1902
Interest Paid up till Dec 31st 1903
Interest Paid up till Dec 31 1904
Interest Paid up till Dec 31st 1905
Interest Paid up till Dec 31 1906
Interest Paid up till Dec 31 1907

ph921 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. back of ph918



p922 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21adf. Mary Murray Ballantyne 20-21adf.Sp. (connected also as 20-21add.



ph923 Margaret Ballantyne Holmes 20-21adi.



ph924 Mary Ballantyne White 20-21adj.



ph925 Angus Ballantyne 20-21adk.



ph926 William Ballantyne 20-21add. Mary Russell Ballantyne 20-21add.Sp.



ph927 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21adf. (likely)



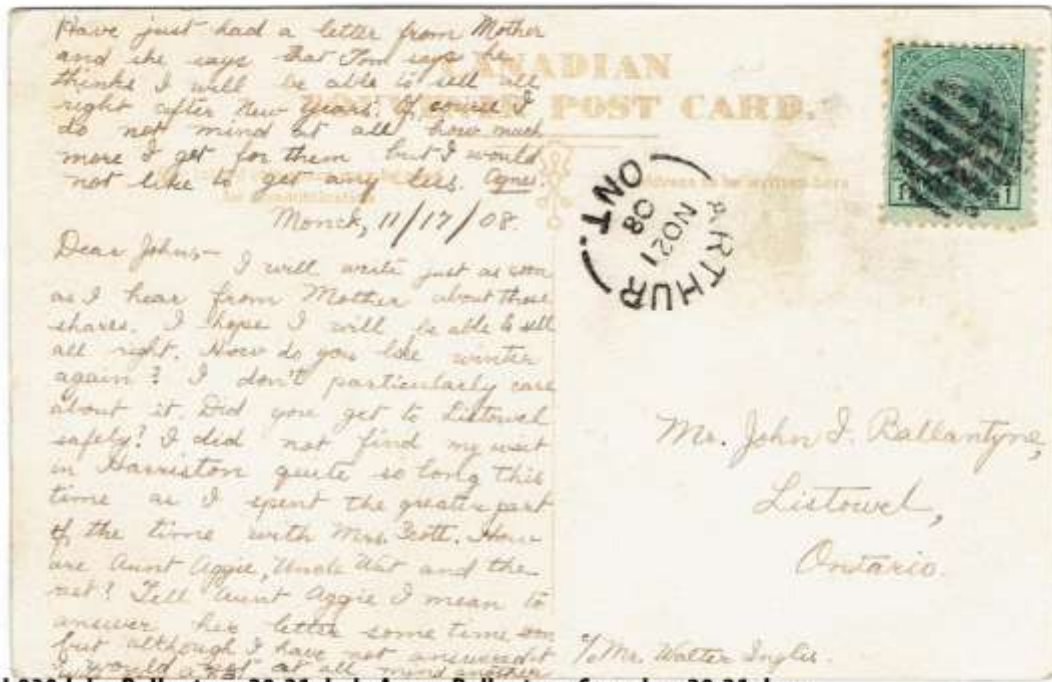
ph928 William Ballantyne 20-21add. (likely)



ph929 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



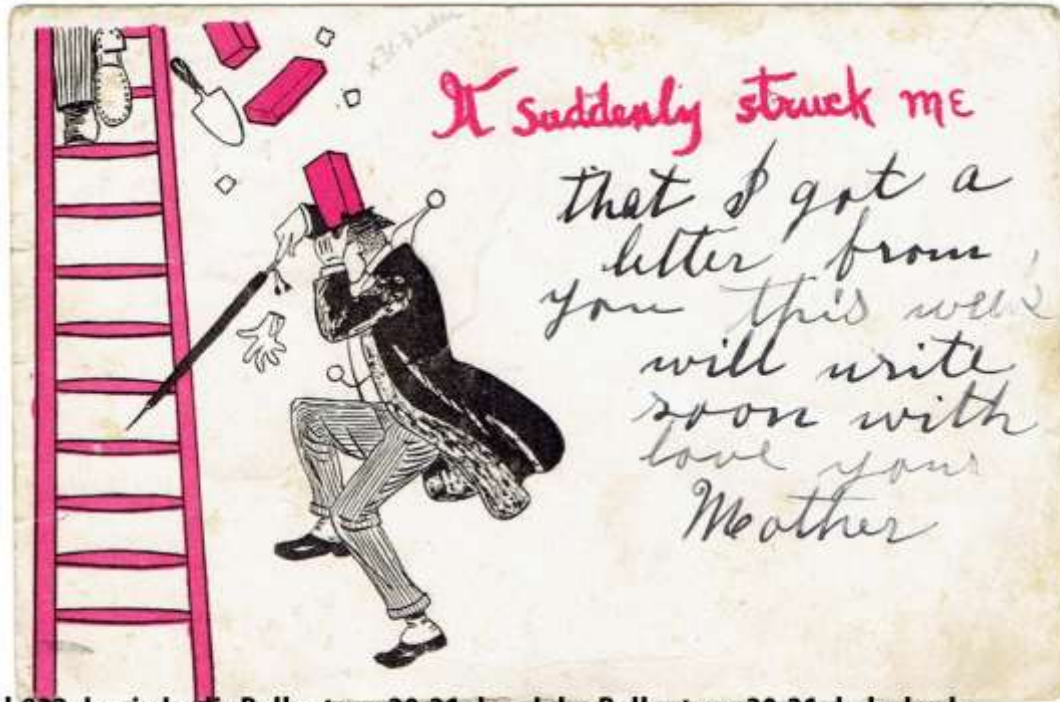
ph929 Black Creek Cheese Factory from History of Perth County, pg 549 Johnston (reprint)



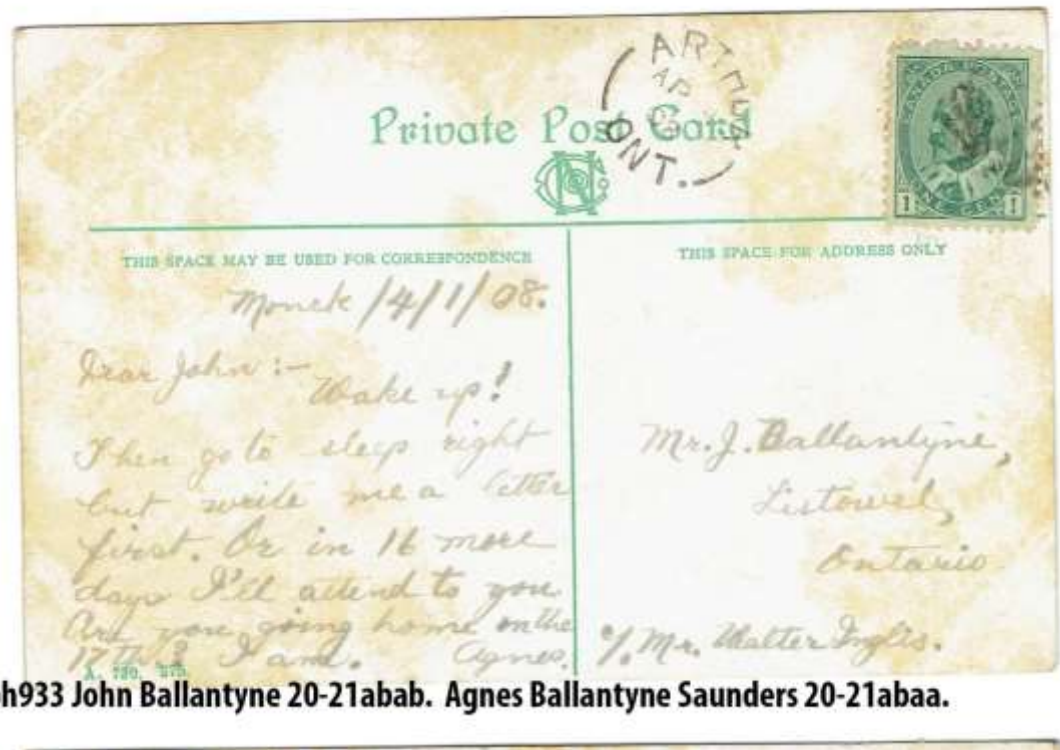
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ph931 John Ballantyne 20-21abab.



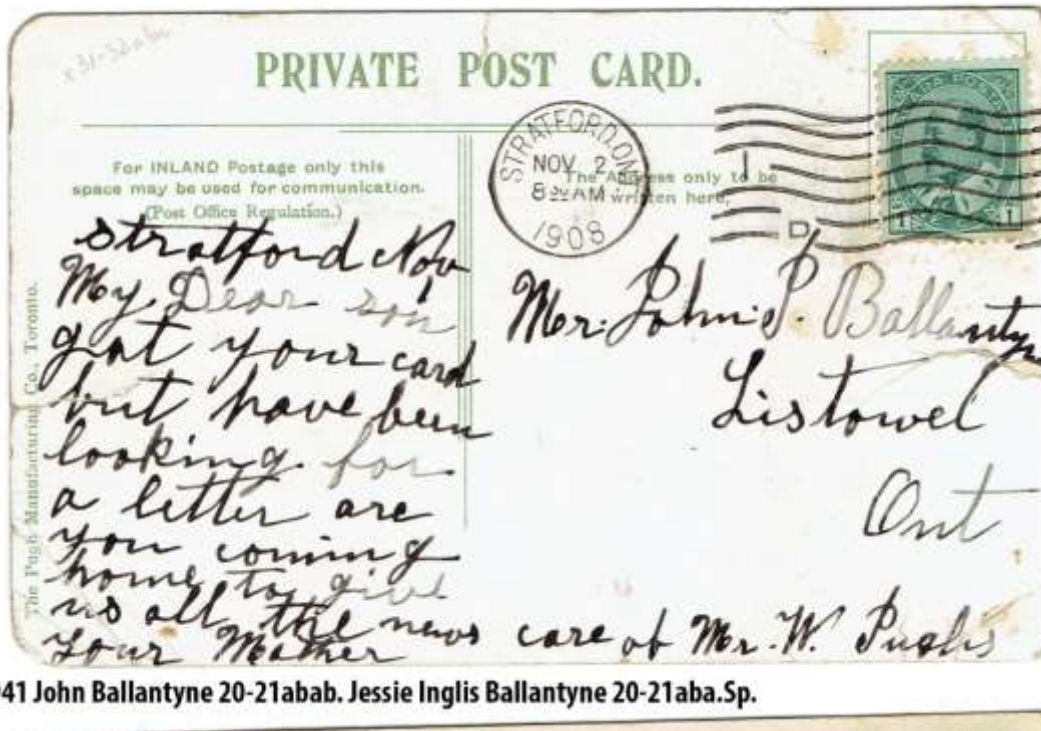
ph932 Jessie Inglis Ballantyne 20-21aba. John Ballantyne 20-21abab. back



ph933 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



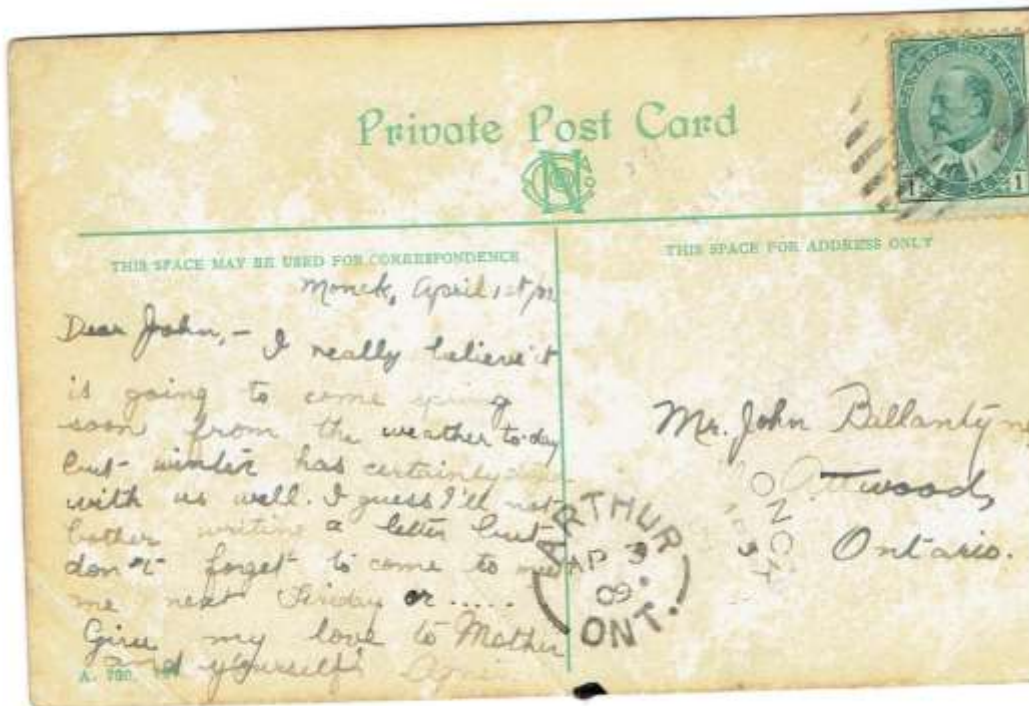
Ph934 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph941 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Jessie Inglis Ballantyne 20-21aba.Sp.



ph942 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph943 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa. ph943



ph945 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph946 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



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ph949 Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



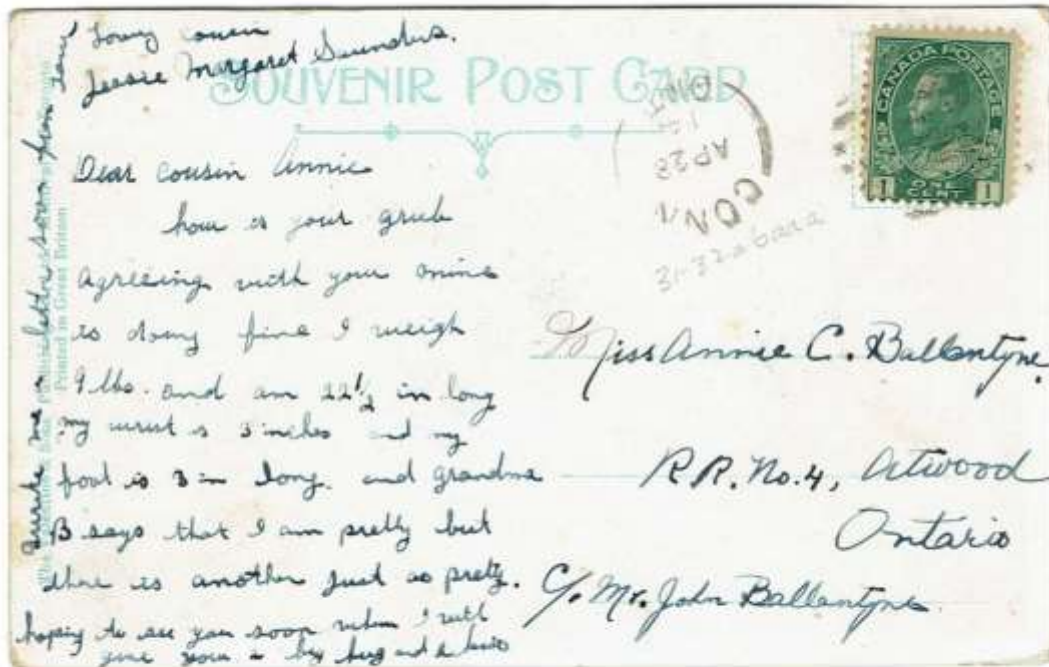
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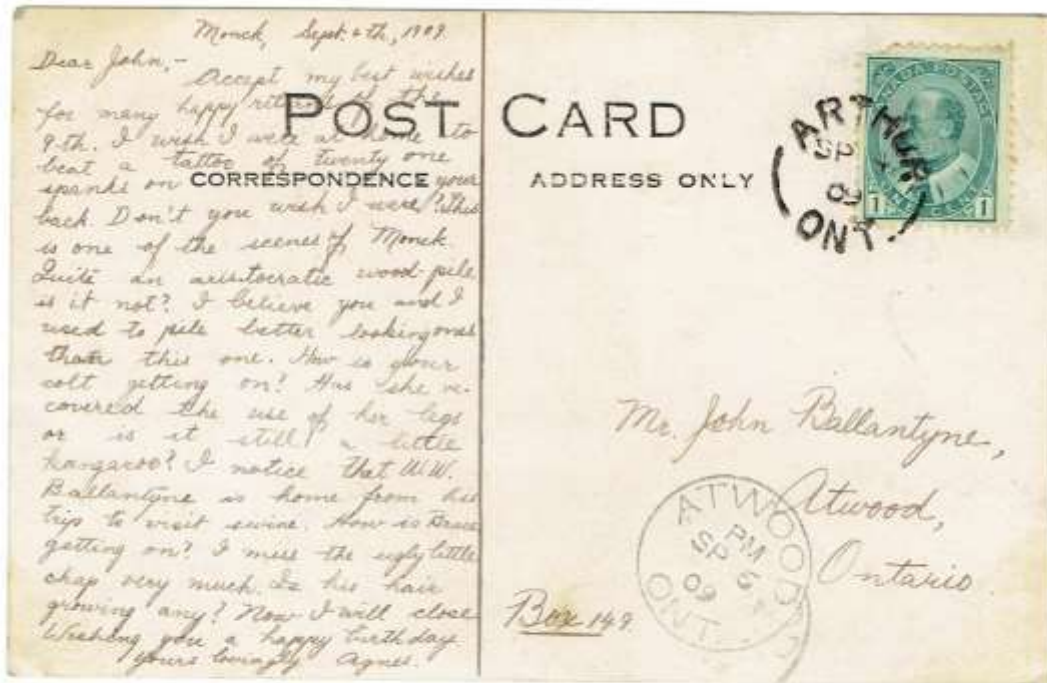
Ph951 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph953 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



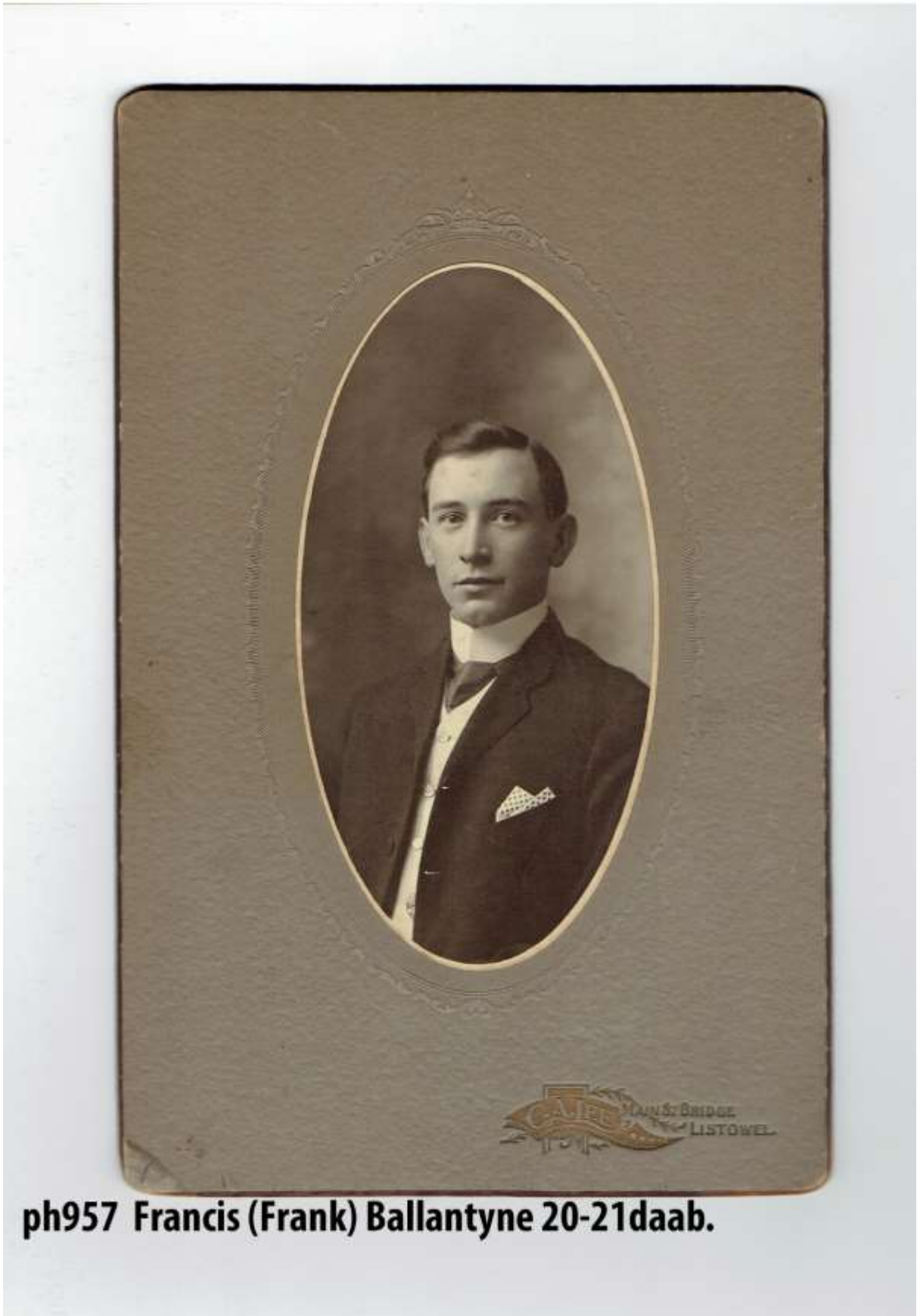
ph954 Annie Ballantyne Gould 20-21ababa. Jessie Saunders Turnbull 20-21abaaa.



ph955 John Ballantyne 20-21abab. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph956 Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.



ph957 Francis (Frank) Ballantyne 20-21daab.



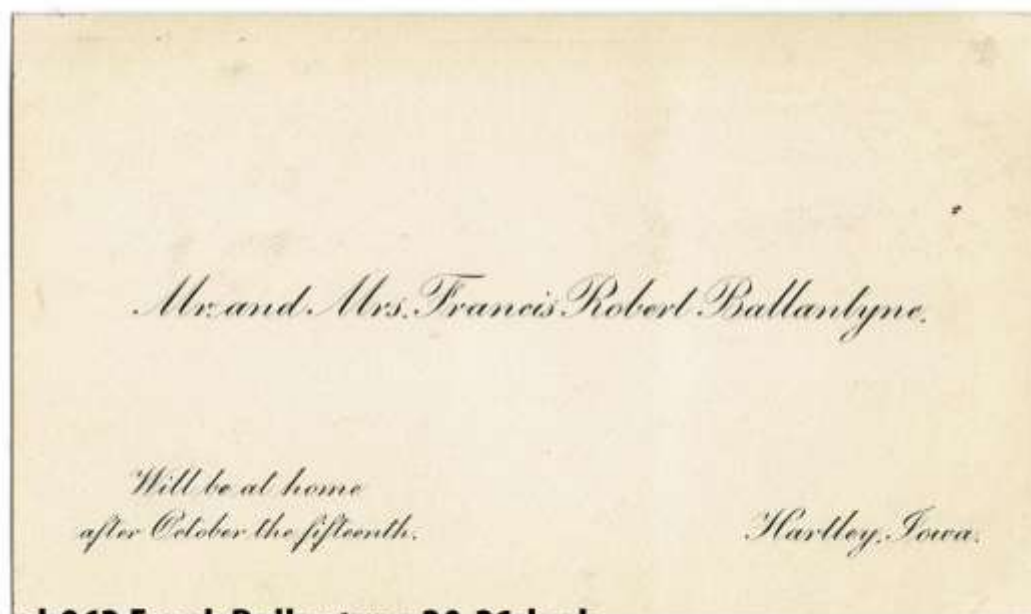
Ph958 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Alice Emerson Ballantyne 20-21daab.Sp. New pine Grove Cemetery, Westbury, Connecticut



ph959 Jeanne Ballantyne Lewis 20-21daabaa. New Pine Grove Cemetery Waterbury, Connecticut, USA



ph961 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Alice Emerson Ballantyne 20-21daab.Sp.
Jeannie Ballantyne Lewis 20-21daaba.



ph962 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab.

Mrs. Helen Emerson
announces the marriage of her daughter
Alice Louise
to
Mr. Francis Robert Ballantyne,
on Wednesday the twentieth of September,
one thousand nine hundred and eleven,
Gladbrook, Iowa.

**Ph963 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Alice Emerson Ballantyne
20-21daab.Sp.**



Ph964 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Alice Emerson Ballantyne 20-21daab.Sp.



ph965 Robert Ballantyne 20-21d



**Ph966 Eleanor Ballantyne Porter 20-21daac.
(unsure whether sister Inez)**

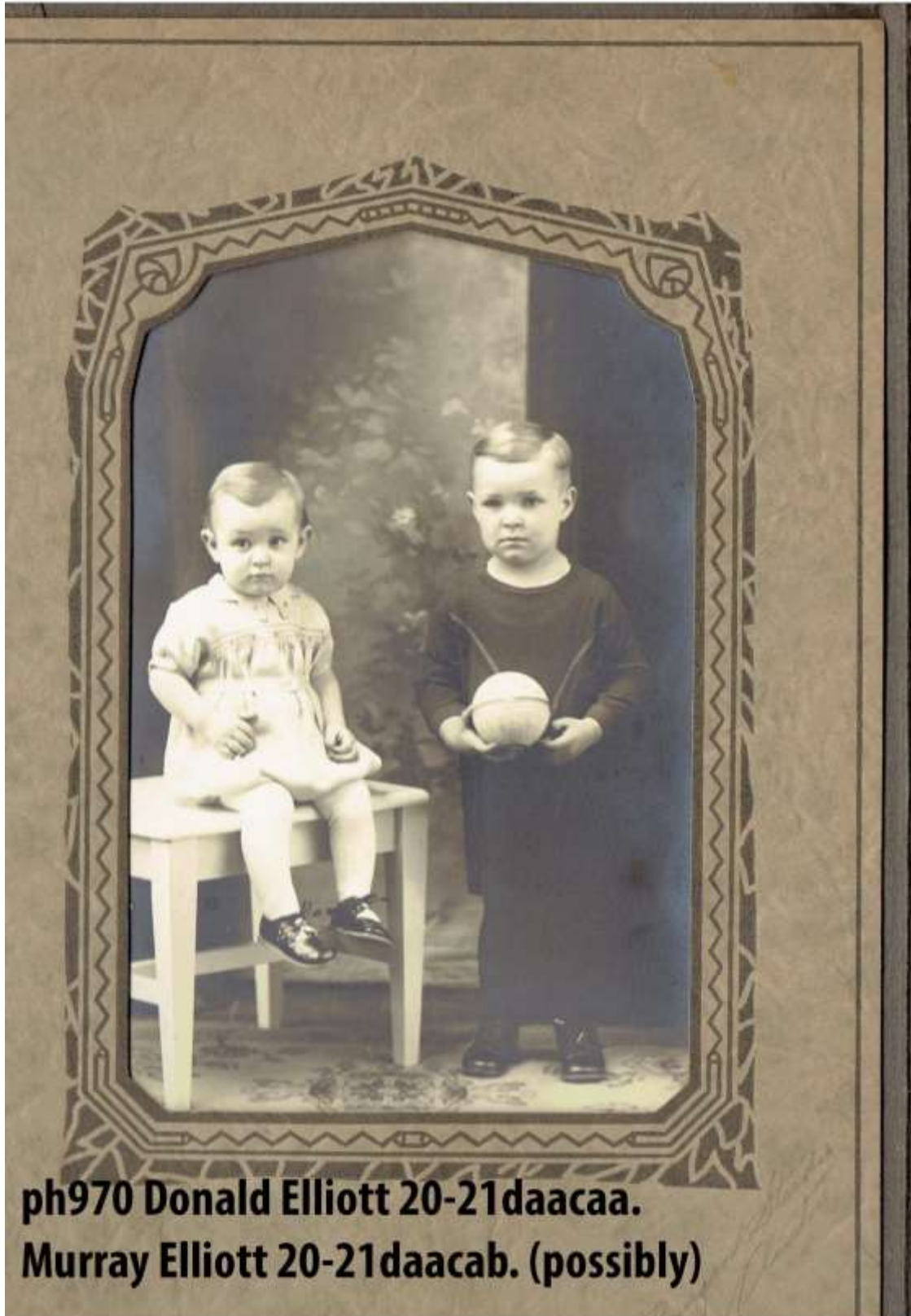


**ph967 Helen Porter Elliott 20-21daaca.
Ralph Porter 20-21daacb.**



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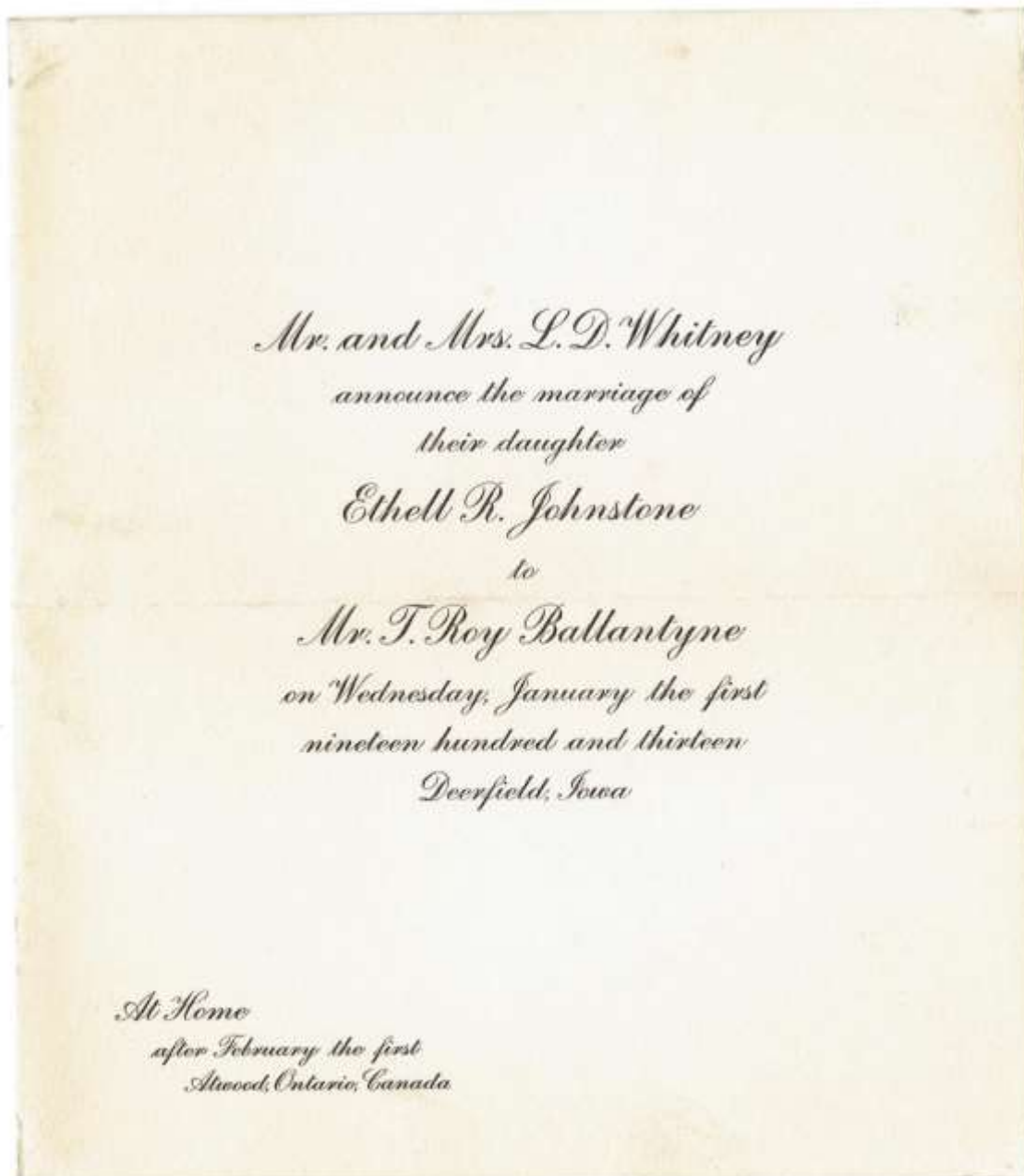
**ph968 Helen Porter Elliott 20-21daaca.
Ralph Porter 20-21daacb.**



**ph970 Donald Elliott 20-21daacaa.
Murray Elliott 20-21daacab. (possibly)**



Ph971 Agnes Ballantyne Henderson 20-21dae. James Henderson 20-21dae.Sp.



ph972 Roy Ballantyne 20-21daaf. Ethell Johnstone 20-21daaf.Sp.



Mrs. Anne J. Knight
announces the marriage of her daughter
Robena
to

Rev. Leslie Rutherford Ballantyne
on Wednesday, October the tenth
nineteen hundred and twenty-three
Rosedale Presbyterian Church
Toronto

**ph973 Leslie Ballantyne 20-21daag. Robena Knight
 Ballantyne 20-21daag.Sp. Alice Irvine Ballantyne
 20-21daf.Sp.**



**ph974 Margaret (Inez) Newbigging Roth
20-21dabcb.**



ph975 Bennett Family (order uncertain) 20-21dab. William, Ann (standing) Mary, Inez, Jane, Ellen, Sampson Bennett



Ph 976 William Bennett 20-21dabb.



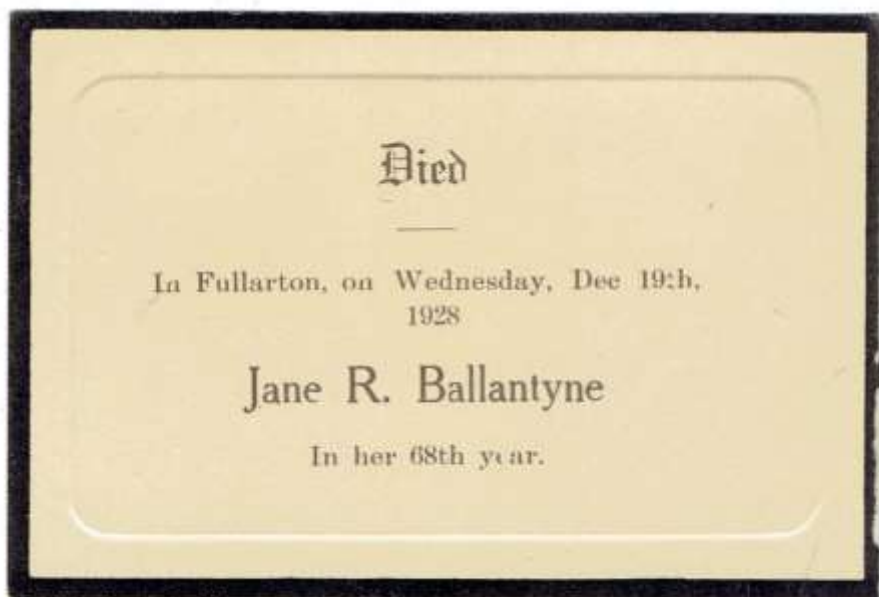
**Ph977 Bennett 20-21dab. (top clockwise possibly)
Mary, Ann, Ellen, Jane**



Ph978 Jane Ballantyne 20-21dac.



Ph979 Jane Ballantyne 20-21dac.



ph980 Jane Ballantyne 20-21dac.



**Ph981 Robert Ballantyne 20-21da.
Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da.Sp.**

LATE MRS. ROBERT BALLANTYNE

The funeral of the late Mrs. Helen Smith Ballantyne took place Monday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Miss Jane Ballantyne, 165 Elizabeth street, thence to Avondale cemetery for interment. The bearers were Messrs. Charles and John Ballantyne, Downie, F. Morris, Fullarton, S. Bennett, G. Porter, Elma, and J. Ballantyne. The services were conducted by the Rev. Robert Martin and Rev. G. J. McKay of Avonton, assisted. Friends and relatives of the deceased were present from St. Marys, Tavistock, Atwood and Fullarton.

ph982 Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da.Sp.

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OBITUARY

MRS. ROBERT BALLANTYNE.

Mrs. Helen Smith Ballantyne, widow of the late Robert Ballantyne, passed peacefully away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. Morris, Fullarton, this (Saturday) morning, after a lingering illness of some duration. Mrs. Ballantyne, whose maiden name was Helen Rennie Smith, was born in Mitchell seventy-six years ago, and was a daughter of the late William Smith, registrar, Perth County. She is survived by three sons, Charles and John, Downie, and Robert of Elma; two daughters, Mrs. F. Morris, Fullarton, and Miss J. R. Ballantyne, 165 Elizabeth street. Mrs. Ballantyne, although of a quiet disposition, possessed many sterling qualities, and her unselfishness and thoughtfulness for others endeared her to all her friends. She was a sincere and earnest member of Knox Church and ever exemplified the highest characteristics of a devout Christian.

The funeral will be held from the residence of her daughter, Miss J. R. Ballantyne, 165 Elizabeth street, on Monday, April 20, at 2 p.m.

ph983 Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da. Sp.

DIED

In Fullarton, on Saturday, April 18th
1914

Helen Smith Ballantyne

Aged 76 Years, 3 Months

ph984 Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da.Sp.

THE FUNERAL

Will leave the residence of her daughter, Miss Jane Ballantyne, 165 Elizabeth Street, on Monday, April 20th, at 2 p.m., for Avondale Cemetery for Interment. Services at above residence at 1.30 p.m.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

DIED

In Atwood, on Thursday, June 15th

1916

ROBERT STEPHEN BALLANTYNE

Aged 62 years, 8 months and 19 days.

THE FUNERAL

will leave his late residence, Main street, Atwood, on Saturday, June 17th, at two o'clock for Elma Centre Cemetery for interment.

Service at the house at one-thirty.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

ph985 Robert Ballantyne 20-21daa.

of Atwood. Cheery and optimistic in disposition, energetic and straightforward in business and ever ready to lend a helping hand to a neighbor he will be missed in the community. The late Mr. Ballantyne is survived by his wife, four sons, R. A. of Elma, F. R. of Soo Rapids, Iowa; T. R. of Bassett, Iowa, and Gunner Leslie R. of the Canadian Field Artillery, now at Salisbury, Eng., and three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Porter and Mrs. Jas. Henderson of Elma, and Miss Inez of the staff of the Woodstock hospital, who nursed him in his last illness; two brothers, Charles of Sebringville and John of Stratford, and two sisters, Mrs. Morris of Fullarton and Miss Jennie Ballantyne of Stratford, are also left to mourn their loss. The funeral, which was conducted by the Rev. W. D. MacDonald of Atwood, assisted by the Rev. W. A. Amos of Palmerston, and Rev. T. Bell of Molesworth, took place on Saturday, interment being made in the Elma Centre cemetery. Beautiful floral offerings were sent by the Masonic Order and the C. O. F., of which the deceased was a member, besides those sent by relatives and friends. The deceased was a faithful member of the Presbyterian Church, and in politics was a Liberal.

After a lingering illness of over three years, borne with Christian fortitude and patience, there passed away on Thursday, June 15th, one of Elma's most highly esteemed residents, in the person of Robert Stephen Ballantyne. Deceased was born in South Dumfries in the year 1853. When a child he, with his parents, moved to Downie, where he lived until his marriage to Margaret Bell of Avonton in 1880. He then moved to the township of Elma, settling on the 12th concession, where he lived until 1892, when he moved to the farm on the 8th concession of Elma, now occupied by his son, R. A. Ballantyne. In the fall of 1915 the deceased moved to the village of Atwood, where he ended his days. Mr. Ballantyne took a leading place in the development of the cheese industry in Elma and for years was one of the leading directors and salesman for Elma's largest factory, the Elma Cheese and Butter Co.

Ph986 Robert Ballantyne 20-21daa.



ph 987 Helen Smith Ballantyne 20-21da.Sp.



Charles Ballantyne
**ph988 Charles
Ballantyne 20-21daf.**



*Mrs. John
McEwan
Mrs. Thompson
in front
Mrs. Alice
McEwan
Jannie
Ballantyne
Mrs. Jack
Ballantyne
in
back row*
**ph990 bk Mary Duff McEwan, Jane Ballantyne 20-21dac, Ellen
Thompson Ballantyne 20-21dag.Sp. (photo in McEwan file ph900)**



ph991 Carmichael (Mike) Ballantyne 20-21dae. Caroline Scott Ballantyne 20-21dae.Sp.



ph992 Lorne Ballantyne 20-21 daeb.



**ph993 Lorne Ballantyne 20-21daeb. Carrie Scott
Ballantyne 20-21dae.Sp.(2)**



ph994 Margaret Bell Ballantyne 20-21daa.Sp. Carrie Scott Ballantyne 20-21dae.Sp. Alive Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Bk: Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Charles Vallance 20-21dabd.Sp. Thom Ballantyne 20-21dgbe.



ph995 David Ballantyne 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne 20-21dg.Sp. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgbb. Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgbd. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. William Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp. Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



ph996 Ellen Bennett Vallance 20-21dabd. Margaret Bell Ballantyne 20-21daa.Sp. Caroline Scott Ballantyne 20-21dae.Sp. Alive Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Bk: Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. Charlie Vallance 20-21dabd.Sp.



ph997 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. Charlie Vallance 20-21dabd.Sp. Elizabeth Jeffrey Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. William Adams 20-21dabe.Sp. with Harvey Adams(?) Mary Bennett Adams 20-21dabe. Ellen Bennett Vallance 20-21dabd. David Ballantyne 20-21dgb. In back William Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph998 Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne 20-21dg.Sp. (likely), Harriotte Hemsley McEwan 20-21dca.Sp. (see Hemsley & McEwan files). Ellen Thompson Ballantyne (possibly) 20-21dag.Sp. unknown



Ph999 Robert Ballantyne 20-21daa, John Ballantyne 20-21dag. Carmichael Ballantyne 20-21dae. Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



ph1000 Charles Ballantyne 20-21 daf.



ph1001 Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne
20-21dgb.Sp. Alice Irvine Ballantyne
20-21daf.Sp. "after the fever"



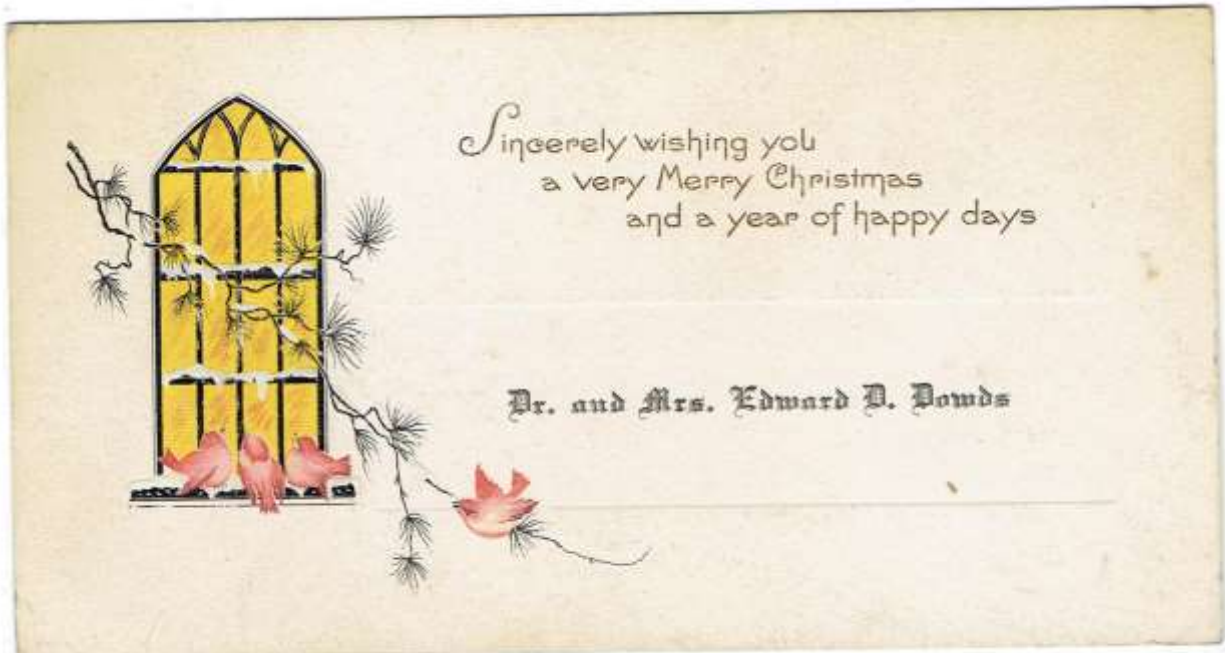
ph1002 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea. Lorne Ballantyne 20-21daeb.



Ph1004 Alice Dowds 20-21daeaa. Marjorie Dowds
Purdy 20-21daeab.



ph1005 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea.
Alice Dowds 20-21daea.



ph1006 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21 daea.



ph1007 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21 daea.



ph1008 ft: David Ballantyne 20-21dgb. Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. Alice Irvine Ballantyne daf.Sp. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Bk: Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. Ed Coonan Jim Smith 20-21dgb.Sp.



Ph1009 Charlie Ballantyne 2021daf. property c3 Downie



ph1011 Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. Jean McDonald, Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. William Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp. Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. (likely)



ph1012 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea. front



ph1013

Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea. (on left likely) and nurse training colleagues.



ph1014 Jane (Jeannie) Ballantyne 20-21dac. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph1015 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea. unkn Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. ?Erb

Dear John & Alice - I see in
the "Bee" you have a new boy. do
you know I think I'll have to trade
you a girl for a boy. Guess that is
only way to get one. Congratulations
& love from us all.
Agnes Darwin

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ph1016 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21daea. bk of ph1012



ph1017 Louise Ballantyne Smith
20-21dgbd. Charles Ballantyne
20-21daf.



Charles & Alice Ballantyne, our first car.
ph1018 Charles & Alice Ballantyne 20-21daf. their first car



Retail Order Form

DEALER'S NAME Kayplisch Bros

ADDRESS Stratford

Dear Sir —
 Kindly enter my order for a Chevrolet Motor Car, as specified below.

for which I agree to pay the sum of \$
 as indicated. I also agree to pay any additional war tax, if any is imposed by
 the Canadian Government between the date of this order and time of deli-
 very of car. It is agreed that in case the car is delivered under this order
 before payment is made in full, the right and title to said car shall remain
 the property of the above dealer until the price thereof, and any check, bill
 or note given therefor or any renewal thereof, or any part thereof, is paid
 in full, and the above dealer may take possession of same upon default of
 any payment, or upon feeling insecure, and all sums then owing shall at
 once become due and payable.

It is mutually understood and agreed between the purchaser and
 dealer that this order and the Warranty printed in the manufacturers cur-
 rent catalogue comprise the full agreement in reference to the sale and pur-
 chase of said automobile; that there are no terms, implied warranty or
 verbal agreement of any kind other than herein specified; that while the
 said dealers may agree to give reasonable assistance in teaching the pur-
 chaser or his representative to operate said automobile, the purchaser as-
 sumes all liability for damages while being taught to operate the same.

| MODEL No. | PARTICULARS | PRICE |
|-----------|-----------------------------|--------|
| 1- | Chevrolet Touring Car | 825.00 |
| | Bright on same | 15.00 |
| | | 840.00 |
| 1- | 30x3 1/2 all weather casing | no chg |

Cash with order in one month from date Balance

Date of delivery, on or about Charles Ballantyne

Date April 24 P.O. Stratford N.Y. #3

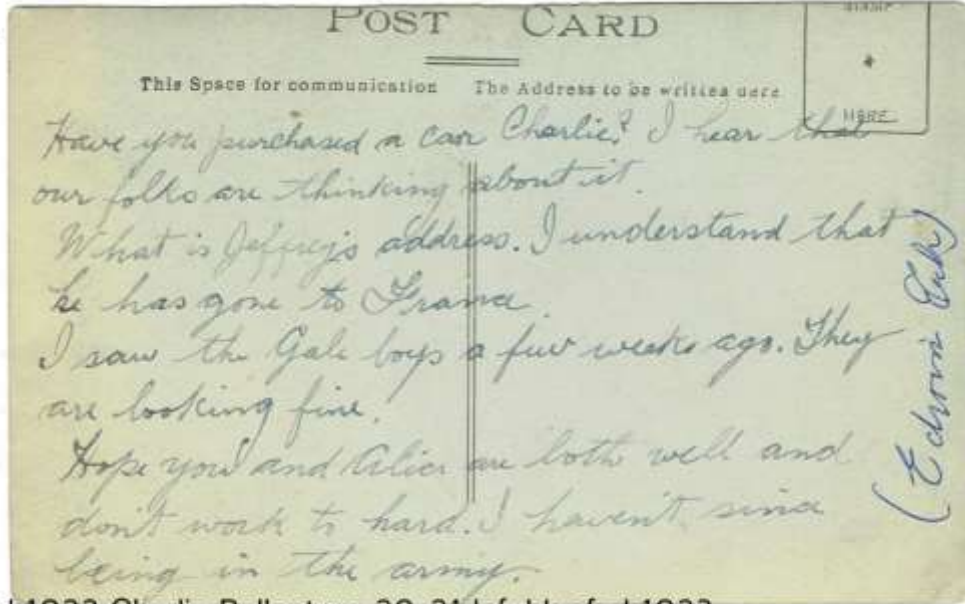
The above order is hereby accepted and receipt acknowledged of
 \$..... deposit thereon. It is agreed by the dealer
 to fill this order with Automobile under the regular guarantee, a copy of
 which is printed in the manufacturers current catalogue.

Accepted date Apr 24/18 Salesman Geo Kayplisch

Subject to contingencies of transportation, fire, strikes or other causes
 beyond our control

Serial No.

ph1019 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. First car



ph1022 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. bk of ph1023



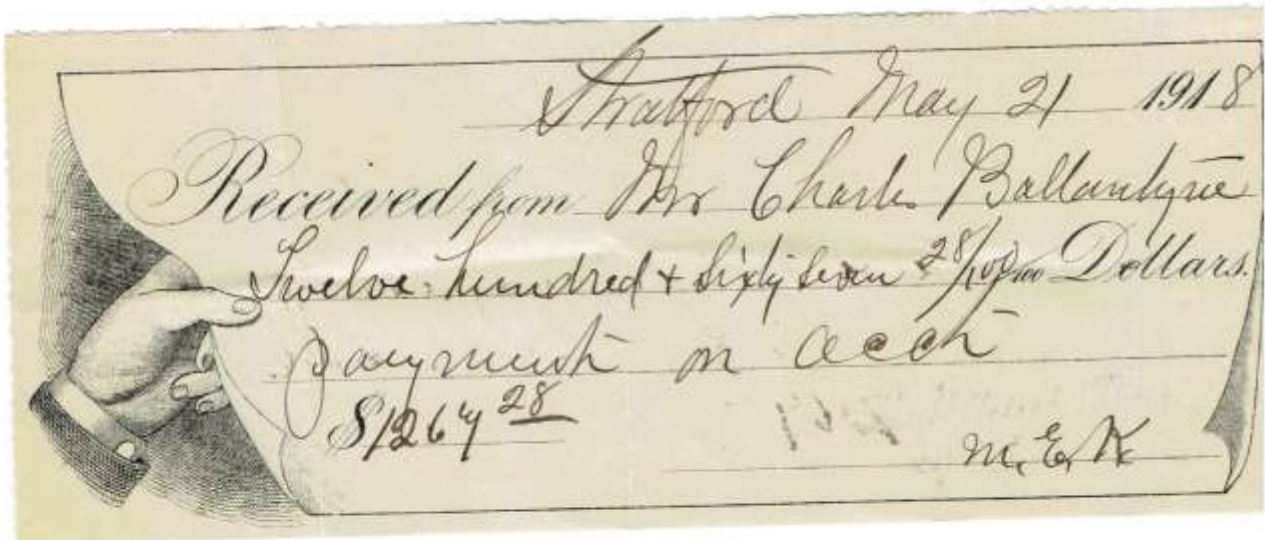
ph1024 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. front of ph1023 Edwin Erb.



ph1025 Eleanor Ballantyne Porter 20-21daac.



ph1026 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp
 Tom Ballantyne 20-21dgb. Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgb. Alice Irvine
 Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. David
 Ballantyne 20-21dgb. (likely) at David's farm L16 C3 Downie



ph1027 Charles Ballantyne 2022daf. receipt for payment for car (likely)



Ph1028 frt: Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. unk. David Ballantyne 20-21dgb.
bk: Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgbd. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.
Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab.
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. Tom Ballantyne 20-21dgb. Unk,
Unkn. Unkn. at Dave Ballantynes farm



ph1029 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. & neighbours (unk)



ph1029 Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Ellen Bennett Vallance 20-21dabd. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Mary Bennett Adams 20-21dabe. Eliz. & Marg Robertson @ Robertson farm



ph1030 Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Mary Bennett Adams 20-21dabe. Ellen Bennett Vallance 20-21dabd. holding Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb.

Township of Downie

23rd September 1914.

Mr. *Charles Ballantyne* owner of *lot 21*

Con. 3 Downie has paid into The Sterling Bank
 at Sebringville *\$ 18.00* in full of his
 assessment on The Ballantyne Municipal Drain.

Township Treasurer. *P. J. Payton*

ph1034 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf.

Anchor Fence Company,
THE FRAME & RAY FENCE CO., LIMITED.
 Stratford, Ont.

July 12th 1907

Received from *Chas. Ballantyne*

the sum of *Twenty-two* ⁴⁰ DOLLARS.

in payment *of account in full to date*

\$ 22.40

THE FRAME & RAY FENCE CO., Limited.
Wm. Payne

ph1035 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf.

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Charlie Ballantyne's 1918 Chevrolet Touring Car

Charlie Ballantyne was married to Gordon's Aunt Alice. Charlie and Alice who farmed on Lot 21 Concession 3 in Downie Township close to the McEwan farm had no children and were reputed to be wealthy. In April 1918 Charlie purchased his first motor vehicle, a Dodge Chevrolet Touring car which he ordered through Kalfleisch Brothers dealership in Stratford. Built at the Dodge Brothers factory in Detroit, Charlie's new car was to be delivered a month after being ordered. The company offered a 90 day warranty on defective parts. However, the warranty would only be honoured if the owner prepaid the transportation charges and if the vehicle had not be driven at a "speed exceeding the factory rated speed, or loaded beyond the factory rated load capacity." Furthermore the company offered "no warranty whatever in respect to tires, rims, ignition apparatus, horns or other signaling devices, starting devices, generators, batteries, speedometers, or other trade accessories". It is not clear how much Charlie paid for his new Chevrolet. There are two order forms: on the first form the price is listed as \$1290.00 plus \$20.00 freight charges, whereas on the second order form, which I have attached [ph1019], the price appears to be \$840.00. There is also a receipt dated May 21, 1918 for the amount of \$1267.28 which may have been the final negotiated price. Regardless, I am sure that Charlie was proud of his new purchase and, equally important, the Ballantyne car was much admired in the community. Here is a picture [ph1018] taken at the Peter Smith farm of Alice and Charlie with their new car. Underneath the photo Alice has written "Alice and Charlie Ballantyne. Our first car."

ph1036 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf.

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Charlie Ballantyne's new Chevrolet Touring car

In the previous blog I posted a photograph [ph1018] taken in 1918 of Charlie and Allie Ballantyne standing proudly in front of their new Dodge Chevrolet Touring car. While I use both names in reference to the car I am sure that the reality was that the car "belonged" to Charlie. Alice never learned to drive and Charlie took complete responsibility for the upkeep and maintenance of the vehicle. Here is a story as told by Gordon McEwan, that speaks to Charlie's relationship with his car. When the story begins Charlie and Alice had a hired man named Eddie Dietrich who lived in the community. "One day Charlie and Eddie were washing the family car, a very early Dodge. Cars were objects that were few and far between and therefore, objects of great pride. Just when they were finished, the car began to back down the grade that led to the garage. Shouting for Eddie to help, Charlie threw himself behind the car and held while red spots danced before his eyes. Before Alice could get out to put on the emergency brake, the car's speed backwards began to increase and the wary Eddie leaped for safety, leaving Charlie the car to himself. Now the car got out of control, Charlie barely got out of its road and he saw the fender of his new purchase buckle against a post. Eddie who had been watching the proceedings at a safe distance now poked his head around the car to ascertain Charlie's position. Seeing the face of the object whom he considered to be the cause of the happening, Charlie rid himself of some frustration by landing a round house right which sent poor Eddie head over heels down the slope. "No sooner had I done it," Charlie admitted later, "but I was sorry that I had taken it out on poor Eddie!"

Attached is a copy [ph1020] of Charlie's 1920 motor vehicle permit for the Dodge Chevrolet. In the second photograph [ph1026] a group of relatives is standing in front of another car in about the year 1912 (Tom the boy standing in front of his mother was born in 1901). The ownership of the car is uncertain but I wonder whether it belonged to Charlie's nephew Frank Ballantyne (the fellow on the left holding the camera).

ph1037 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf.

TELEPHONE 1101

Riddell & Mountain
Barristers & Solicitors

J. M. RIDDELL, O.C.
R. E. MOUNTAIN, B.A., LL.B.

51 ALBERT STREET

Stratford, Ontario

June 4th, 1957.

Gordon McEwen, Esq.,
Hardware Dealer,
ST. MARYS, Ontario.

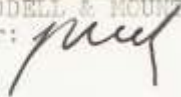
Dear Sir:-

Re: Charles S. Ballantyne Estate

We have completed the sale of 139
Elizabeth Street, Stratford, by the Charles S. Ballantyne
Estate to Herbert Davidson.

We enclose the agreement of purchase
and sale and a copy of the statement of adjustments herewith.

Out of the balance payable of
\$9,036.62 we have deducted our account as per the enclosed
receipted statement and which is based upon the usual mini-
mum fee applicable to such matters and we have deposited our
cheque for the balance as instructed in the account held by
the estate of Charles S. Ballantyne in the British Mortgage
and Trust Corporation of Ontario numbered 19612.

Yours truly,
RIDDELL & MOUNTAIN,
Per: 

JMR:bc
Encls.

P.S. - Since writing the foregoing, the British Mortgage has
telephoned to say that Account #19612 is not an Estate account
but an account in the name of Mrs. Ballantyne. I told the
British Mortgage that since that was the number of the account
into which I was told to put the money, to do so. If for
any reason you feel that this money should be transferred
into an Estate account, I suggest that you arrange to have
Mrs. Ballantyne make out a cheque payable to the Estate of
Charles S. Ballantyne and open a new account in the British

ph1038 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.

In Loving Memory of
ELIZABETH ISOBEL MONTEITH

January 19, 1915 - June 5, 1998

Age: 83 years

Eldest daughter of late

Ethel (Ballantyne) Robertson
& William Robertson

Beloved wife of the late

Allen Monteith (June 1, 1984)

Always loved & remembered by her daughter

Joan Smith & her husband Harold

Beloved grandmother of

Brad Smith & his wife Mary

Scott Smith & his wife Paula

Bonnie McLaren & her husband Rob

Beloved great-grandmother of

Jennifer, Carolyn, Katelyn, Gregory,
Curtis & Jillian Smith, Corie & Jordan McLaren

Dear sister of

Margaret Lewis & her husband Irvin

Jean Hill

Also survived by

sister-in-law: Elva Binkle

nieces & nephews

Predeceased by

brothers-in-law: Mac Hill & Floyd Binkle

Funeral service held at
Heinbuck Funeral Home, Stratford
on Sunday, June 7, 1998 at 2 p.m.

Rev. Pam Tolmay officiated

Interment in Avondale Cemetery

Stratford, Ontario

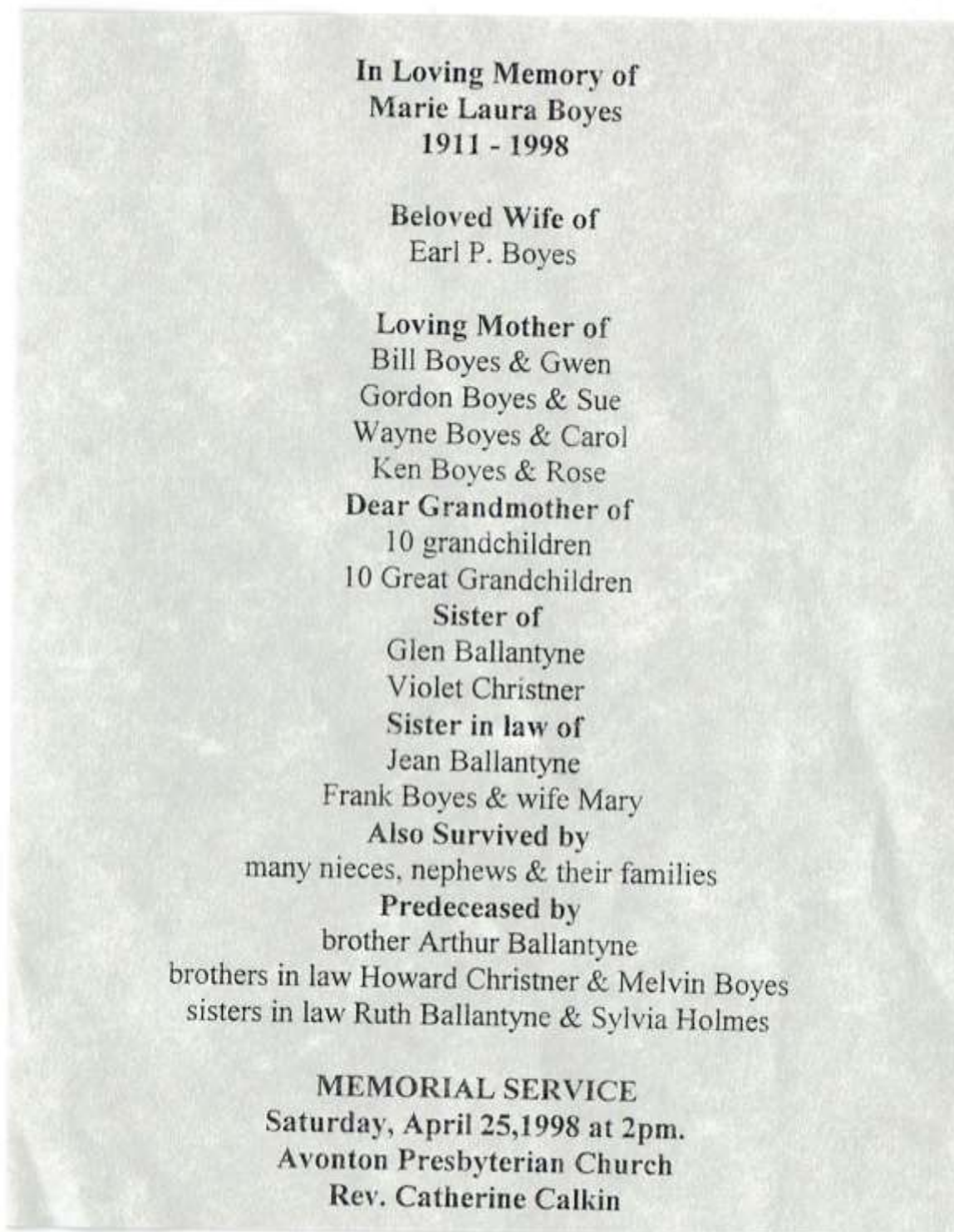
ph1039 Elixabeth Robertson Monteith



ph1041 Charles Ballantyne's 20-21daf. niece unknown



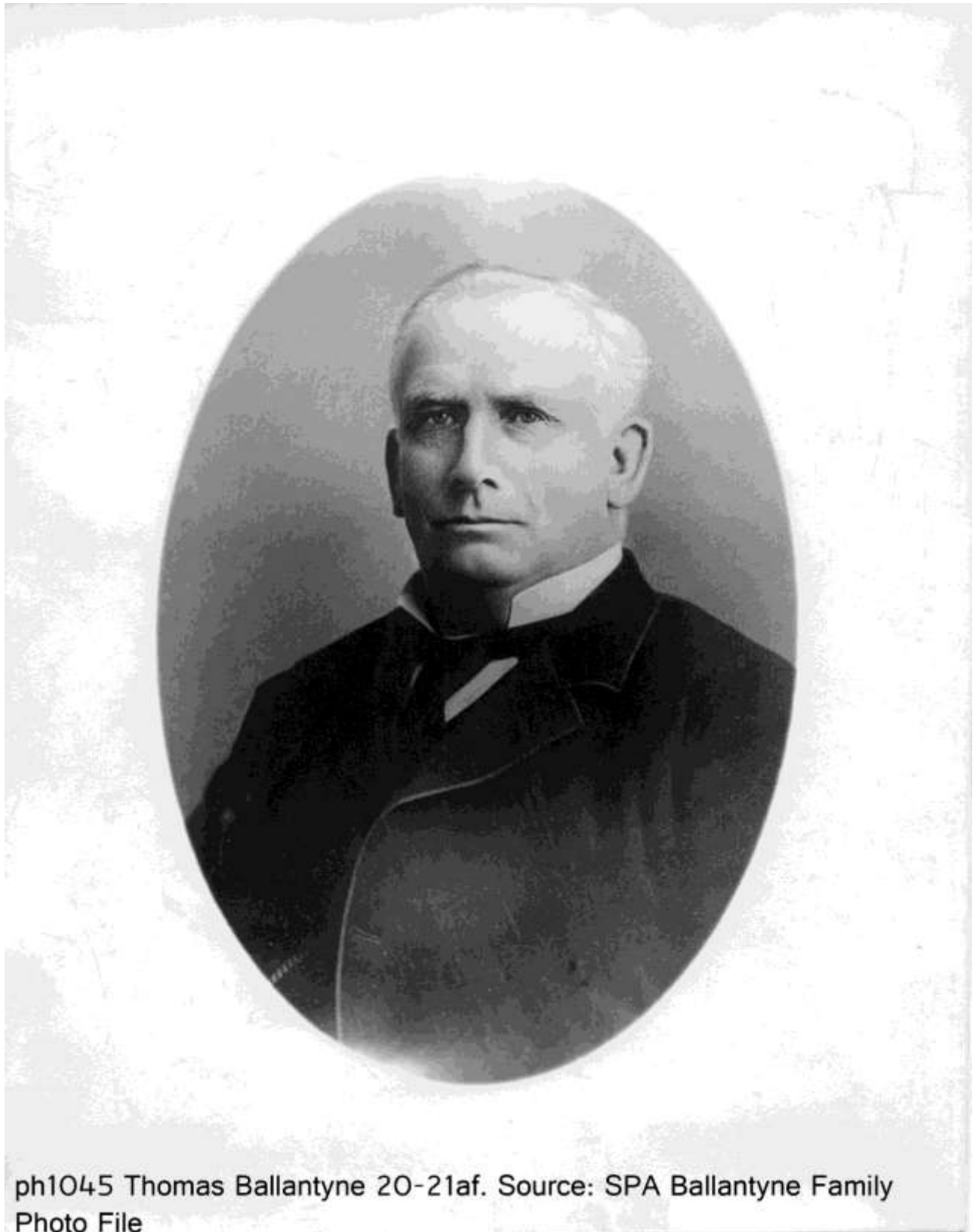
Ph1042 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. farm scene



ph1043 Marie Ballantyne Boyes 20-21adecb.



ph1044 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af. source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo Album



ph1045 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af. Source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File



ph1046 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21afd.
source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File



ph1047 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21afdb.
source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File



ph1048 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21afd bb.
source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File



ph1049 Robert Ballantyne 20-21afb.
source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File



Ph1050 Russell Ballantyne 20-21adda. James Ballantyne 20-21addb. source: SPA Ballantyne Family Photo File

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The Beginning of the Cheese Industry in Downie Township – Thomas Ballantyne

Without doubt, any discussion of the McEwan connection to the cheese industry must lead directly to Thomas Ballantyne. Thomas Ballantyne (20-21af.) and Agnes Ballantyne McEwan (20-21dc.) were doubly related. First, Agnes' father Robert was the younger brother of Thomas' father James, and second, Thomas married Agnes' younger sister Mary (20-21dh.). This means that Thomas was both first cousin and brother-in-law to Agnes McEwan. This double relationship may explain why John McEwan was willing to transfer to Thomas Ballantyne five acres of land on the north-west corner of Lot 25 Concession 4 in Downie Township at the point where the Black Creek takes a lazy bend to the east as it skirts the high rise of land on which John McEwan built his stone house.

Here is what I know about Thomas Ballantyne. Several years after his Uncle Robert left Scotland in 1839 to settle in Canada, Thomas' two older brothers emigrated and took up land near Robert. Then in 1852, Thomas, his parents and his older sister Agnes left Scotland to live in Canada. Shortly after he arrived in Canada Thomas was hired as a teacher in one of the newly established schools in the community. He was 24 years old. The year was 1853. Almost immediately, Thomas became involved in municipal politics. In 1855 Thomas became the township auditor and in the next year he was the township clerk. In the same year he married his first cousin Mary Ballantyne, the daughter of his Uncle Robert, and Thomas and Mary went to live in a log house near the school where he taught. Six years later, in 1861 Thomas quit teaching (there may have been a dispute about salary) and he returned to farming. However, it appears that farming was not totally satisfying to Thomas. During this period, new business opportunities were opening up in the dairy industry for settlers in this fertile land of Upper Canada which I will write about next time.

ph1051 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af.

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Thomas Ballantyne establishes the Black Creek Cheese Factory

By the 1860's the initial land-clearing/setting-up-home phase of pioneer settlement was largely complete in Downie Township in Upper Canada. The Agriculture and Personal Census of 1861 creates a portrait of an establishing community with solid farms, a range of denominational churches, tuition-free public schools and a growing urban society able to pay for farm produce. John McEwan who had married into the Ballantyne clan in 1847 as a 28 year old Scottish moulder, now owned 150 acres of land, at least a third of which was cleared and on which he grew a variety of crops. He was the father of growing family ranging in age from Robert who was 12, Alex (age 9), Janet (age 7), Mary (age 4), and Johnnie who was a baby. It is very likely that John owned several Ayrshire cows, a breed which originated in Scotland and had been steadily developed in Canada West. The milk from the cows would be churned by Agnes into butter for home consumption. On some farms the milk was also used to produce cheese. Of course, there was a ready market for any excess butter or cheese in the growing urban centre of Stratford. There are family stories of Fordyce Murray (Agnes McEwan's younger sister) regularly walking from Avonton to Stratford, a distance of about 12 kl. to sell her butter at the Stratford market. Already, in Oxford county to the south there were examples of two farm women with herds of cows who were producing cheese on a relatively large scale for sell in the surrounding urban centres of London or Woodstock. The huge British market was also a potential export market for cheese.

In 1861 Thomas Ballantyne (Agnes McEwan's brother-in-law) had recently resigned his position as a school teacher and had bought a 50 acre farm in the eastern part of Downie Township. He was 31 years old and the father of two children. He was active in municipal politics being first the auditor and later the clerk of the township. In July, 1867 he travelled south



to Ingersoll in Oxford County to attend a gathering at which he was elected as a vice-president of the newly-formed Dairymen's Association. Among other things the association was dedicated to the improvement of the science of cheese making in Canada West. The same year - 1867- Thomas established the Black Creek Cheese Factory on McEwan property in Downie Township. During this period several members of the Ballantyne clan played significant role in the breeding and improvement of Ayrshire cows which, of course, was central to the development of the dairy industry in Canada West. I have attached a picture from a later era of several prize Ayrshire cows owned by Robert Ballantyne and sold at the Guelph market.

ph1052 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af.



Mrs. McGonigal, Mrs. Ballantyne & Mrs. Andy Campbell
**Ph1053 Alice Irvine Ballantyne (fr) 20-21daf.Sp.
Mrs. McGonigal, Mrs. Andy Campbell**



Mrs. C. Ballantyne & Mrs. M. McGillawee
**ph1054 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.
Mrs. McGillawee ?**



Charles & Alice Ballantyne at Doto's wedding
**ph1055 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.
Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.
"at Tot's wedding"**



*Mrs. M. McGunegal, Mrs. Ballantyne, Charles Ballantyne & Lois Ann
Mrs. McGunegal & Betty, A. Ballantyne, Mr. Ewan & Gordon Calder*

**ph1066 Betty Lou McEwan Cull 20-21dcaaa. Gordon Calder
bk: Mrs McGunegal (sp ?) Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Charles Ballantyne
20-21daf. Lois Ann McEwan Moir 20-21dcacab. Mr. McGunegal, Robert
McEwan 20-21dcacac. At Dicksons Corners, Oxford Cty. 1943**



**ph1067 Ft : Mr McGunegal (sp?), Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.
Mrs. Campbell, Mrs McGunegal, Mrs McGillawee, unknown, Alice Irvine Ballantyne
20-21daf.Sp.**



ph1069 Ballantyne family: ft row right; Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Possible: Janet Ballantyne Morris 20-21daj. (ft row checked dress) , Jack Ballantyne 20-21dag. (ft left) Caroline Scott Ballantyne 20-21dae.Sp. (2) (ft 2nd from left) , Frank Morris 20-21daj.Sp. in back row others could be Ewart Morris 20-21dajb. his wife Margaret Willows Morris and daughters Willow and Heather, woman partly obscured could be Ellen Thompson Ballantyne 20-21dag.Sp.



ph1072 Beth McFarlane , Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



Ph1073 Charles Ballantyne (2nd from right) 20-21daf. others unknown



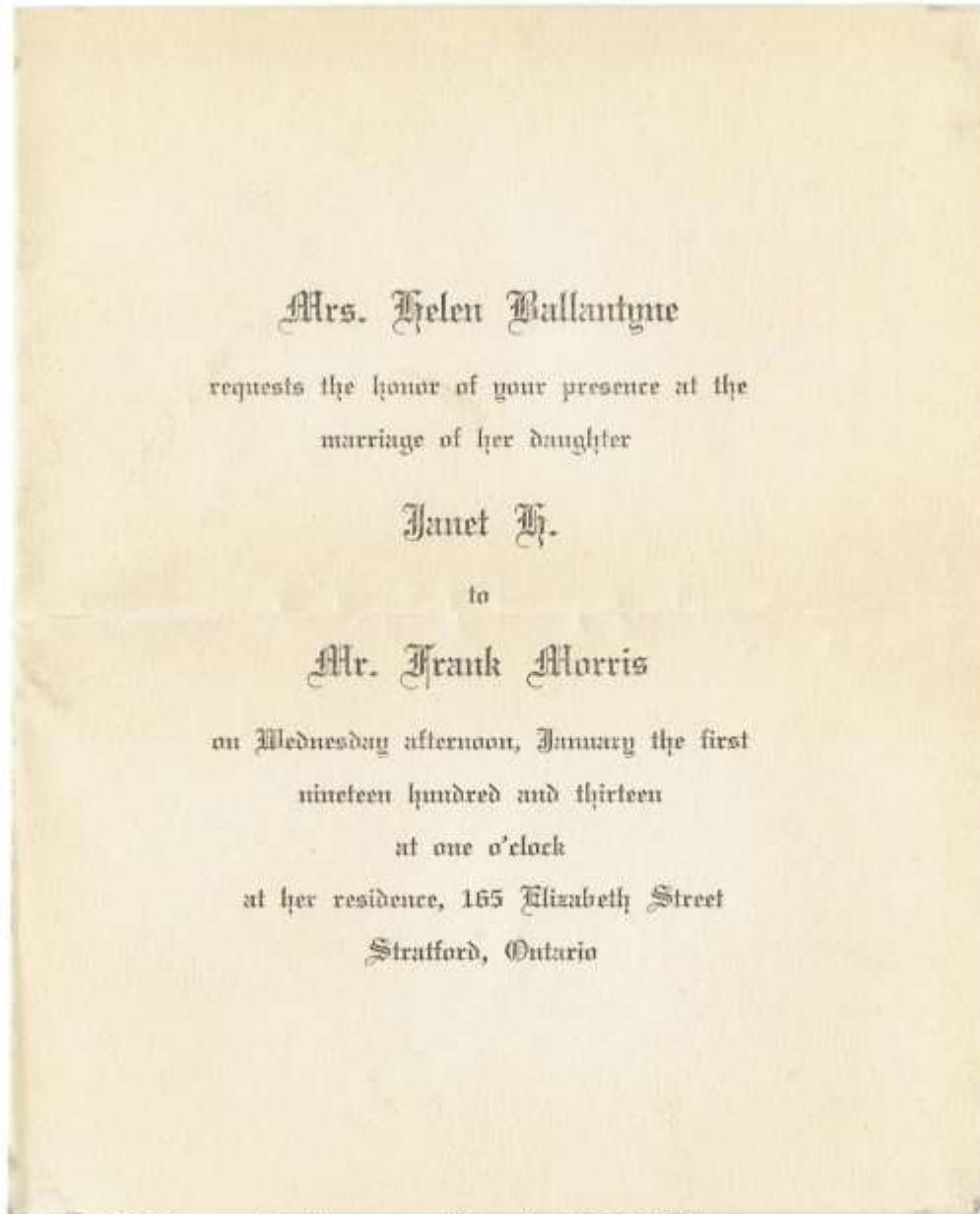
ph1075 Ballantyne home L24 C3 downie owned by Robert Ballantyne 20-21da. & later by John Ballantyne 20-21dag. (See ph900)



Ph1076 Frank Ballantyne 20-21daab. Mrs, Thompson, Jack Ballantyne 20-21dag. Ellen Thompson Ballantyne 20-21dag.Sp. at Ballantyne home at L24 C3 Downie Township, Perth Cty.



**ph1077 John Ballantyne 20-21dag. Ellen Thompson
Ballantyne 20-21dag.Sp.**



ph1078 Janet Ballantyne Morris 20-21daj.

**DOWNIE FAMILY
MOVE TO STRATFORD**

**Mr. and Mrs. James Ballantyne
and Mrs. Thompson Are
Presented by Friends**

The home of Mr. John Ballantyne, Downie, was the scene of a large gathering recently when friends to the number of eighty gathered to honor Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mrs. Thompson, prior to their departure for Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne were presented with a china cabinet by Mr. John J. Cuthbertson and Mr. Adam McEwan on behalf of the assembly, while M. Alex. McEwan gave Mrs. Thompson a book. The presentations were accompanied by numerous expressions of goodwill towards Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne and Mrs. Thompson, all of whom are held in the highest regard. Ideal neighbors and worthy friends, their departure from the community is deeply regretted.

The address was read by Mr. Michael Arbogast.

Mr. Ballantyne replied briefly and assured those present that they would be sure of a hearty welcome at his home when they came to the city. He had lived in that vicinity all his life and was much attached to it.

A musical program and dance, with refreshments, concluded the evening's merrymaking.

Ph1079 John Ballantyne 20-21dag.

MRS. JOHN BALLANTYNE

A funeral service for Mrs. John Ballantyne, the former Nellie Thompson, who had lately been a resident of the Green Acre rest home, was held at the Heinbuck funeral home, 156 Albert St., Wednesday. The service was conducted by Rev. James Ferguson of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Pallbearers were Edward Turner, Kitchener; Jack Turner, Mitchell; Ballantyne Thompson and George McIntosh, Motherwell; Ewart Morris, Sebringville; and Dr. Kenneth Ingham, Hamilton. Flowerbearers were Douglas Henderson, Listowel; Vernon Murray, Avonton; Hugh Murray and Edward Thorpe, London; and Jack Houston, Kitchener. Entombment was made in Avondale mausoleum.

**ph1080 Ellen Thompson Ballantyne
20-21dag.Sp.**



ph1081 Janet (Net) Ballantyne Morris 20-21dag.



Ewart Morris at work
ph1082 Ewart Morris 20-21dajb.



ph1083 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alive Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. 50th wedding anniversary 1947 at home at 139 Elizabeth Street Stratford



**ph1083 Alive Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Summer 1947 50th wedding anniversary
in front of their home 134 Elizabeth Street Stratford**



**ph1085 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. in front of his home 134 Elizabeth Street Stratford
1947 celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary**



**Ph1086 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.
Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Late 1940's at nephew
Gordon McEwan's 20-21dcaca. Dickson's Crns Oxford Cty**



ph1087 Alice Irvine Ballantyne birthday celebration at nephew Gordon McEwan's where she lived 7 St. George St. St Marys Ontario



ph1088 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf. birthday celebration when she lived with nephew Gordon McEwan 7 St George St St Marys Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb. left. with Mary Aitcheson's 20-21dgba. daughter

Margaret (Peggy) Morris

Margaret passed away surrounded by her loving family at Sunrise Assisted Living, Burlington, on Tuesday, January 6, 2009, in her 92nd year, formerly of Stratford. Born in Fullarton Township, she was the youngest child of Harvey Willows and the former Pauline Jordan. Beloved wife of the late Ewart Morris (1995). Loving mother of Willow and her husband Ron Beckett of Burlington, Heather and her husband Rob Seip of London and her son Brian Morris of Stratford. Much loved grandmother of Kyle Blair, Brett Blair, Tessa Morris and Katye Seip and great-grandmother of Jack. She was predeceased by her sister Evelyn Babb and brother Jack Willows. She will be fondly remembered by nieces and nephews. She loved children, animals and music and was a proud lifetime member of the Carlingford Women's Institute and a member of Central United Church. She enjoyed her beloved dog Taffy and was a pet therapy volunteer with the Perth County Humane Society. She was a passionate supporter of the Stratford Shakespeare Festival in a variety of ways. Friends and relatives may call at the W.G. Young Funeral Home, 430 Huron Street, Stratford, on Friday, January 9 from 3-5 and 7-9 p.m. The funeral service will be held at the funeral home on Saturday at 11 a.m. Rev. Cheryl-Ann Stadelbauer-Sampa will officiate. Spring burial Carlingford Cemetery. If desired, expressions of sympathy may be made to the Humane Society Perth County Branch, Heart and Stroke Foundation or to the Arthritis Society. The family would like to thank the wonderful staff, residents and volunteers of Sunrise for their exceptional care, concern and support of Margaret Morris and her family. www.wgyoungfuneralhome.com

W.G. Young Funeral Home
430 Huron Street
Stratford 519-271-7411

ph1089 Margaret Willows Morris 20-21dajb.Sp.



**ph1090 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. in Kitchen
7 St, George ST. St Marys home of Gordon McEwan
20-21dcaca. 84th birthday celebration 1961**



**ph1091 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. 7 St George St.
St Marys Ontario**



ph1092 Charlie Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alive Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. 134 Elizabeth St. Stratford



ph1093 David Ballantyne 20-21dgb.



Ph1095 Dave Ballantyne 20-21dgb.



ph1095 Elizabeth Jeffrey Ballantyne
20-21dgb.Sp.



**ph1096 David Ballantyne 20-21dgb, (likely)
Robert Ballantyne 20-21dga. (possibly)**



ph1097 Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne 20-21dg.Sp. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. David Ballantyne 20-21dgb. taken c. 1916



ph1098 Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne 20-21dg.Sp.



ph1102 Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgbd. Tom Ballantyne 20-21dgbe.



ph1103 Louise Ballantyne Smith 20-21dgbd.



**ph1104 Jim Smith 20-21dgbd.Sp. Louise Ballantyne Smith
20-21dgbd.**

STRATFORD DAILY BEACON 21 Jan 1909

1. 1909. TWO CENTS

MR. THOS. BALLANTYNE IS SCHOOL BOARD CHAIRMAN

No Opposition to His Appointment-- Supply Committee Delegated to Investigate Ventilation Conditions In all the City Public Schools

The inaugural meeting of the public school board for the year 1909 was held last evening. Mr. Thomas Ballantyne was elected chairman and the standing committees of the year were appointed. The questions of ventilation in the schools and increased accommodation will likely be taken up by the board in the near future.

There were present: Trustees Bothwell, Monteith, Easson, Scrimgeour, Williams, Leckie, Eidt, Ballantyne, Johnston and Stewart.

The certificate from the returning officer of the election of certain trustees was read by the clerk, who announced that all the declarations were signed and all the trustees were entitled to take their seats.

Chairman Appointed.

The first business of the session, the appointment of a chairman, was proceeded with, Trustee Easson moving, seconded by Trustee Scrimgeour, that Mr. Thomas Ballantyne occupy the position.

The board unanimously approved of the motion and Mr. Ballantyne was declared elected.

Mr. Ballantyne, in his maiden speech as chairman, thanked the board for electing him. There were a number of matters to be taken up during the year, but the one which required special attention was the providing of increased accommodation for the public schools. He hoped this year the matter would be taken up and settled in a more happy manner than in 1908, and he also emphasized the urgency of considering the question immediately. Mr. Ballantyne hoped to see something definite under way before spring.

Standing Committees.

The chairman appointed a committee composed of Trustee Scrimgeour, Bothwell and Leckie to strike



MR. THOS. BALLANTYNE.

the standing committee and they reported as follows:

Management—Trustees Bothwell (chairman), Williams, Monteith, Leckie and Stewart.

Supply—Trustees Scrimgeour (chairman), Easson, Johnston and Eidt.

Finance—Trustees Leckie (chairman), Bothwell, Scrimgeour.

Domestic Science and Manual Training—Trustees Johnston and Leckie.

Collegiate board representative—D. A. McLachlan.

Library board representative—J. D. Barnett.

Entrance Examiner—Geo. Malcolm.

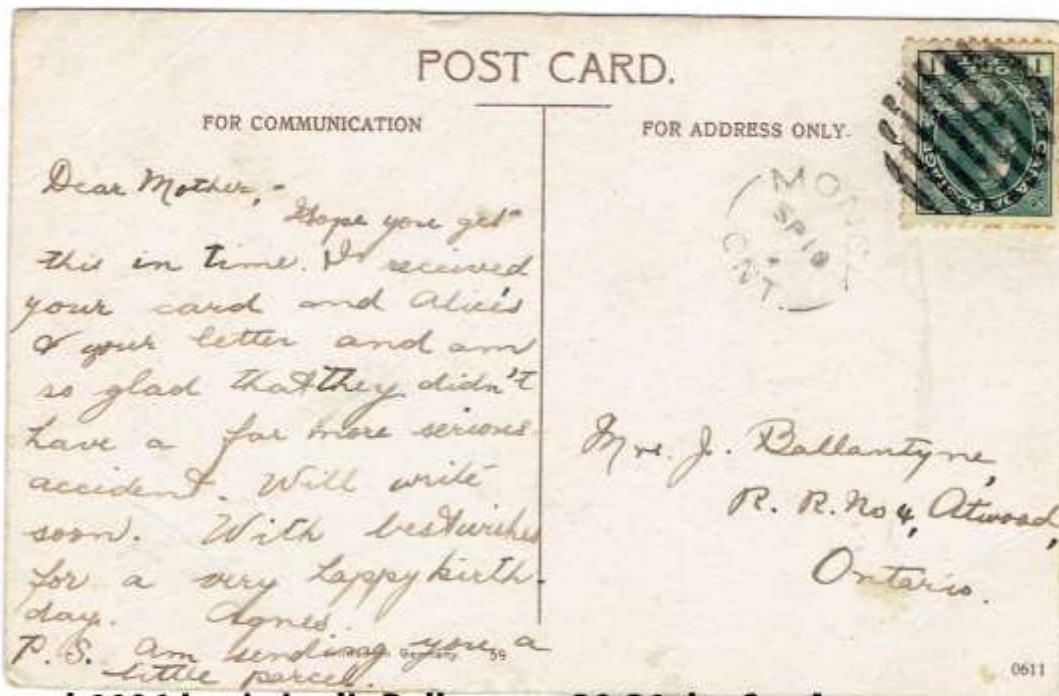
Secretary-treasurer—Wm. Davidson.

The principal and faculty of the Normal school tendered an invitation to the board to attend the formal opening on Friday night next. The invitation was accepted.

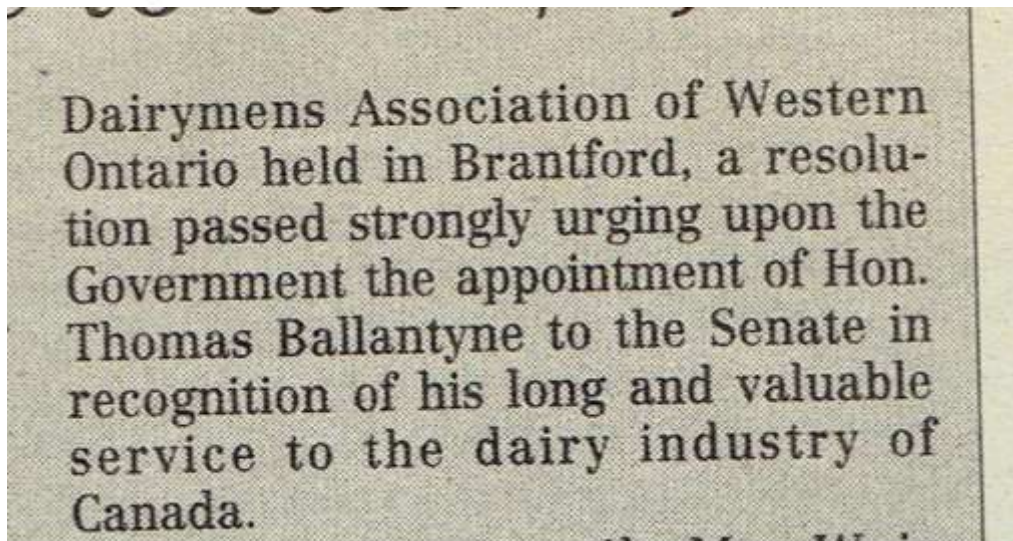
School Ventilation.

Just before adjournment, Dr. Monteith moved that the supply committee investigate the ventilation of the public schools of the city and report at the next meeting of the board, recommending a correction of any defects. Dr. Eidt seconded the motion, expressing the opinion that the subject was very important and should be considered by the board. The resolution carried, after which the board adjourned.

ph1105 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21afd. Stratford Daily Beacon
21 Jan. 1909



ph1106 Jessie Inglis Ballantyne 20-21aba.Sp. Agnes Ballantyne Saunders 20-21abaa.

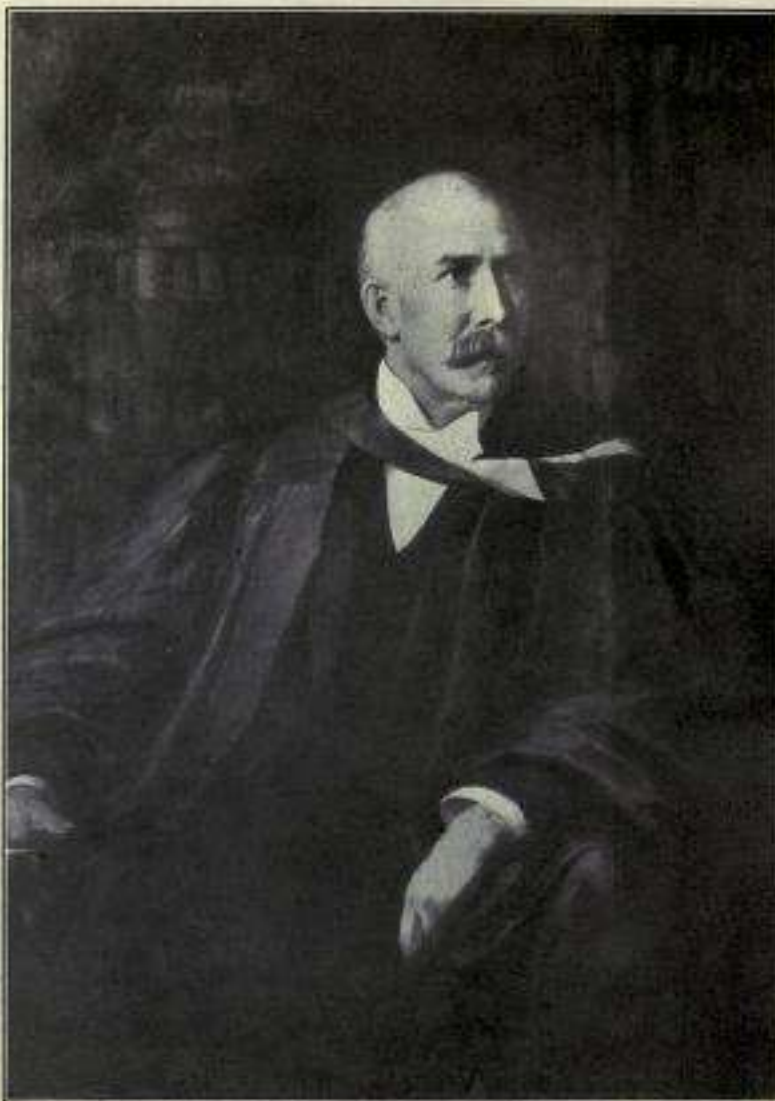


**ph1107 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21af.
St. Marys Journal Argus looking back column
29 October 2003**



ph1108 James Ballantyne 20-21afa. According to the caption James Ballantyne a lecturer at Knox College is the man with the white hat. The photo is entitled "Picnic at Go Home Bay, Aug 7, 1899. Taken from

<https://exhibits.library.utoronto.ca/files/original/4227de930993c57bd5a1dbc38f50ab1e.jpg>



From the portrait of Dr. Ballantyne, by J. W. L. Forster,
which hangs in Knox College

**ph1110 James Ballantyne 20-21afa. Accessed at
<https://archive.org/details/inmemoryofrevjam00balluoft>
In Memory of Rev. James Ballantyne, B.A., D.D. 1857-1921. Toronto
The Ryerson Press.**

Property for which this Note is Given. *\$ 70.00*
Spruce Knob
 Machine No. _____
 Year purchased *1905*

STRATFORD, CANADA, *December 16* 190*5*
 On or before the FIRST Day of *October*, 190*6*, for value received, I promise to pay to **The Stratford Bridge & Iron Works Co.,** or order, at *Stratford* the Sum of *Seventy* /100 DOLLARS, with interest at ~~seven per cent per annum till due~~, and ten per cent per annum after due till paid.

The following blanks must be filled in carefully and correctly.
 Name *John Ballantyne*
 P. O. *Stratford*
 Loc. *21* Cor. *3*
 Township *Down*
 One of _____ Acres. Hdr. of _____ Acres.
E. Holaday Jr. Agent.

I also promise and agree to furnish further security, satisfactory to you, at any time, if required. If I fail to furnish such security when demanded, or if I make any default in payment of this or any other note in your favor, or should I dispose or attempt to dispose of my land or any part thereof, or of my personal property, you may then recover this note due and payable, even before the maturity of the same, and said recovery may be immediately enforced, and all finally disposed of in the Court having jurisdiction where the Head Office of **The Stratford Bridge & Iron Works Co.** is located; and you may retain possession of the machinery or property so sold to me, for which this note is given, without process of law, until any time thereafter, without notice to me, may sell the same at public auction or private sale, the proceeds thereof, less proper charges of advertising, possession and sale, to be applied on account of the amount of the purchase price and interest then unpaid; such sale or right to sell shall in no wise affect or limit my liability for the amount hereof and for the full purchase price and interest thereon until I receive credit on account as before provided, and shall thereafter be liable to pay the balance only. Upon such sale, if any, my right to possession and delivery herein and after full payment, and all my other rights and claims therein shall forever cease. Subject to these provisions I am to have possession and use of the machinery, etc., for which this note is given, at my own risk of damage or destruction from any cause whatever; but the title therein is not in any credit to me until full payment of the purchase price and interest or any addition or renewals thereof is given herefor.

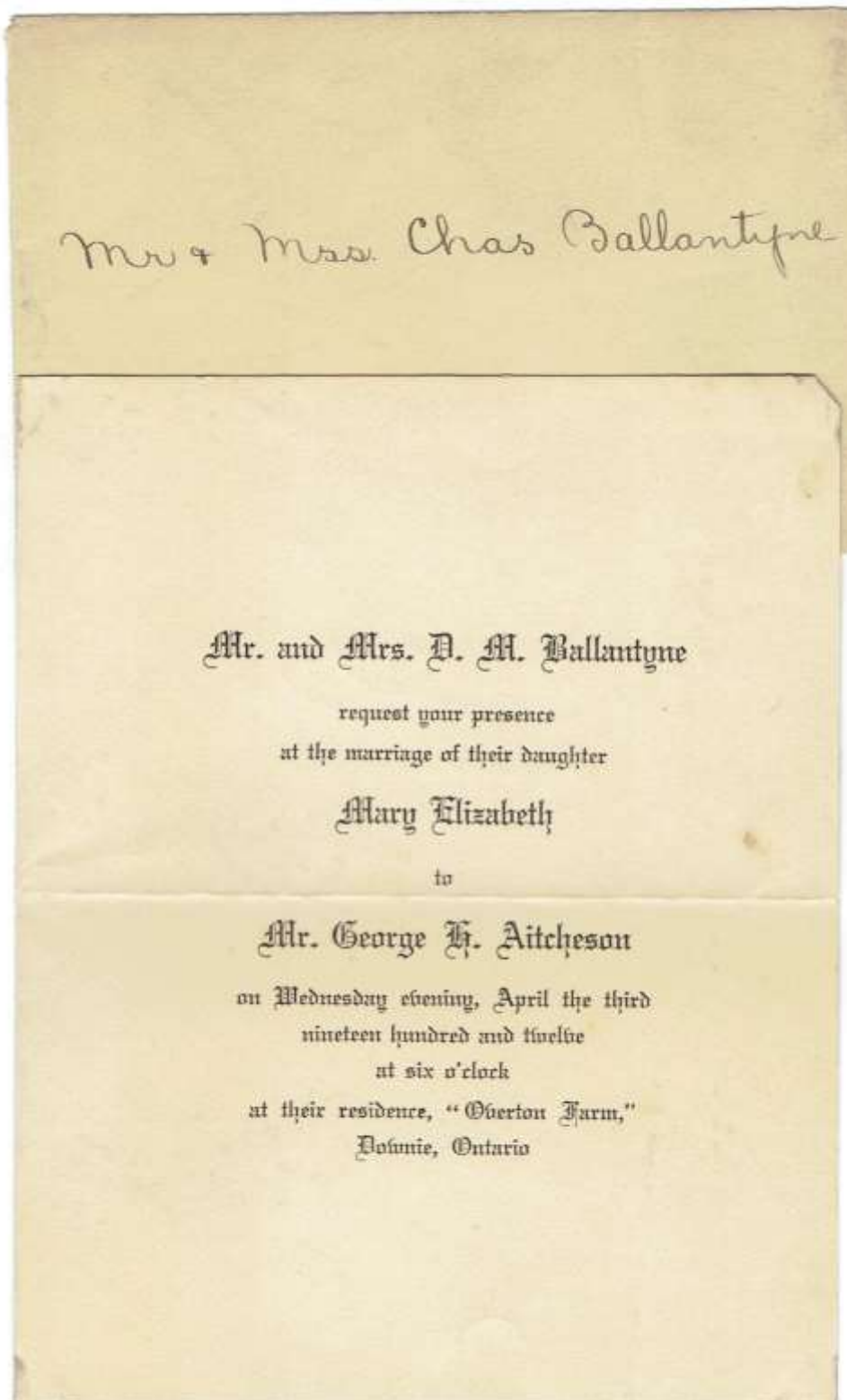
I hereby acknowledge having received a Copy of the Bargain made for the Property for which this Note is given.
 No. *578-* *Paid Oct 2/06*
John Ballantyne

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 B. OF C. STRATFORD, ONT. 0598

Ph1111 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



ph1112 Jeffrey Ballantyne 20-21dgb. (likely) Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb.
 David Ballantyne 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Jeffrey Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp.
 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21dgb.



Ph1113 Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba.



Ph1114 Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. birth noted by Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph1114 Glenn Monteith 20-21dgbab.Sp. Evelyn Aitcheson Monteith 20-21dgbab. unkn Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.



ph1115 William Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp Ethel Ballantyne Robertson dgbb. Hazel Lewis Jordon 20-21dgbbbf. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph1116 Gordon McEwan 20-21dcaca. Will Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp.

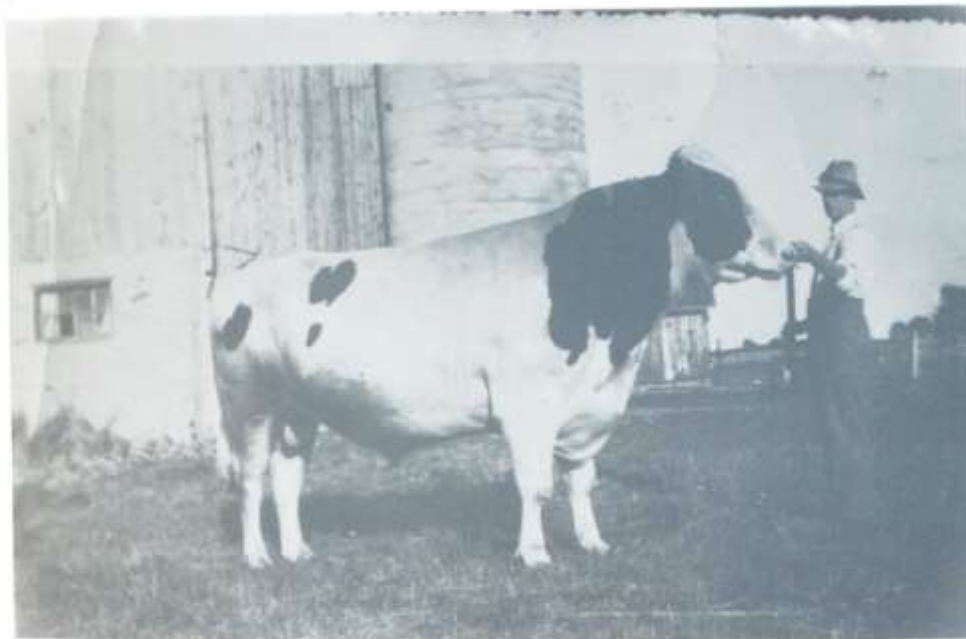


ph1117 Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgbb.



Aitcheson & Monteith

ph1119 Adults Eleanor Aitcheson Holmes 20-21dgbah. Bonnie Aitcheson Innes 20-21dgbaf. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba.Sp. Evelyn Aitcheson Monteith 20-21dgbab. Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp. Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows 20-21dgbad. Robert Aitcheson 20-21dgbag. Glenn Monteith 20-21dgbab.Sp. David Aitcheson 20-21dgbac. Children (likely) David Monteith 20-21dgbaba. Harvey Aitcheson 20-21dgbab. Nancy Aitcheson 20-21dgbaaa. Joe Monteith 20-21dgbabb. Alex Monteith 20-21dgbabc.



ph1120 Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba.Sp.

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**ph1121 Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba.Sp. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba.
Mr and Mrs Meadows (likely)**



ph1122 Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows 20-21dgbad. Almer Meadows 20-21dgbad.Sp. unkn Nacny Aitcheson Kellum 20-21dgbaaa. (likely)



ph1123 Charlotte Aitcheson Meadows 20-21dgbad. Almer Meadows 20-21dgbad.Sp. Wedding



Ph1124 Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb.



ph1125 Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. unk.



ph1126 Verna Jeffery, Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgbb.



ph1127 bk: Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgbb. unkn. Children (likely) Allan, Evelyn, David, Charlotte Aitcheson, Elizabeth Robertson 2 unknown.



Ph1128 Unkn. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dbga.



Margaret Robertson & Irwin Lewis - Wed.

ph1129 Unk child & best man Irwin Lewis 21-21dgbbb.Sp.

Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb. Jean Robertson Hill 20-21dgbbc.



ph1130 Janet Murray Hotson 20-21dea. Alexander Hotson 20-21dea.Sp. Avonbank Cemetery



**ph1135 Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba.Sp. , Mary Ballantyne
Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Allan (possibly)**



**ph1136 Mabel Erb Ballantyne 20-21adda.Sp. (possibly)
Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba.**



Ph1137 Will Robertson 20-21dgb. Sp. Ethel Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgba. Jean Robertson Hill 20-21dgbc. Marg. Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb.



ph1140 Tom Ballantyne 20-21dgbe. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba. Sp. children Allan, Evelyn, David



ph1141 Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgb. Elizabeth Jeffrey Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp. (likely Joe Aitcheson's mother)



ph1190 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph1196 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



ph1197 Charlotte (Tot) Aitcheson Meadows 20-21dgbad. Almer Meadows 20-21dgbad.Sp.



ph1198 Nancy Aitcheson Kellum 20-21 dgbaaa. Harvey Aitcheson 20-21 dgbaab.
Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper 20-21 dgbaac.



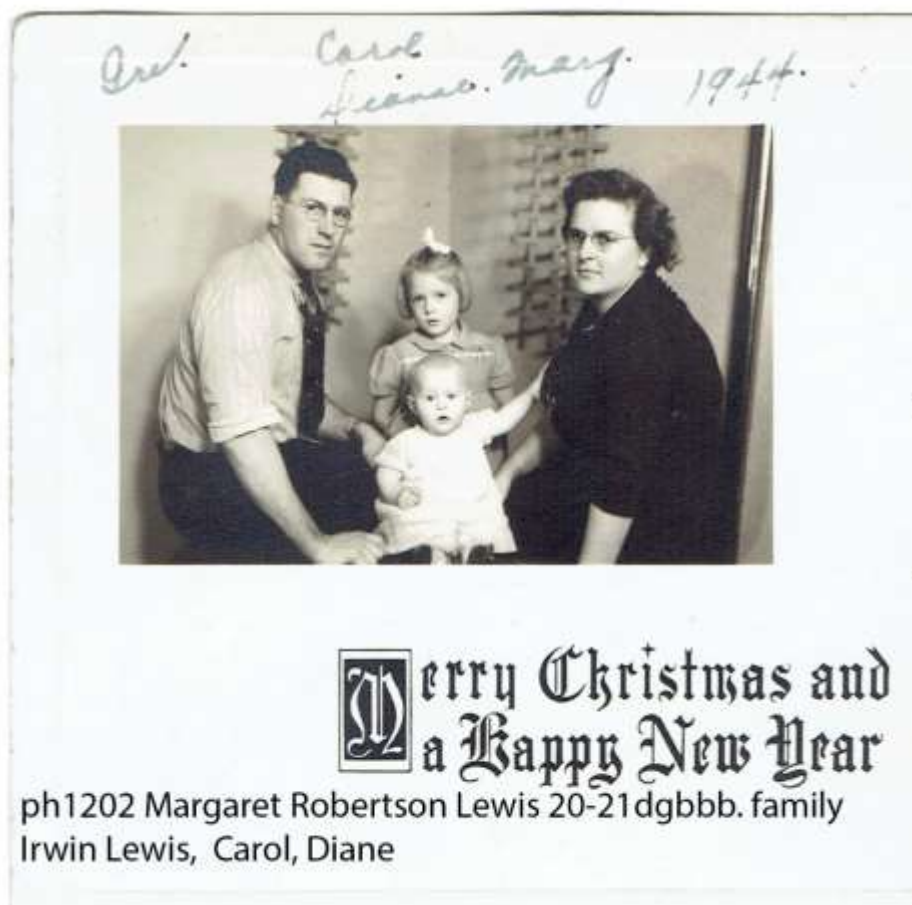
ph1199 Ethel Ballantyne
Robertson 20-21 dgbb.



ph1200 children of Marg. Robertson Lewis
20-21 dgbbb. Bk Dianne, Carol holding Hazel, Bill
front Bob, Sharyn



ph1201 Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson
20-21dgba.



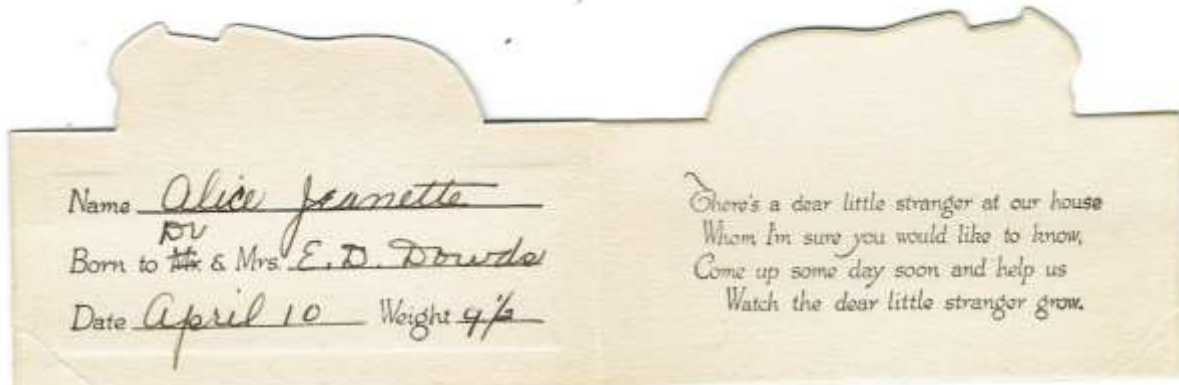
ph1202 Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb. family
Irwin Lewis, Carol, Diane



ph1203 Nelson Dundas, Irwin Lewis 20-21dgbbb.Sp. Margaret Robertson Lewsi 20-21dgbbb. Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp. Mary Ballantyne Aitcheson 20-21dgba. (one of Mary's daughters)



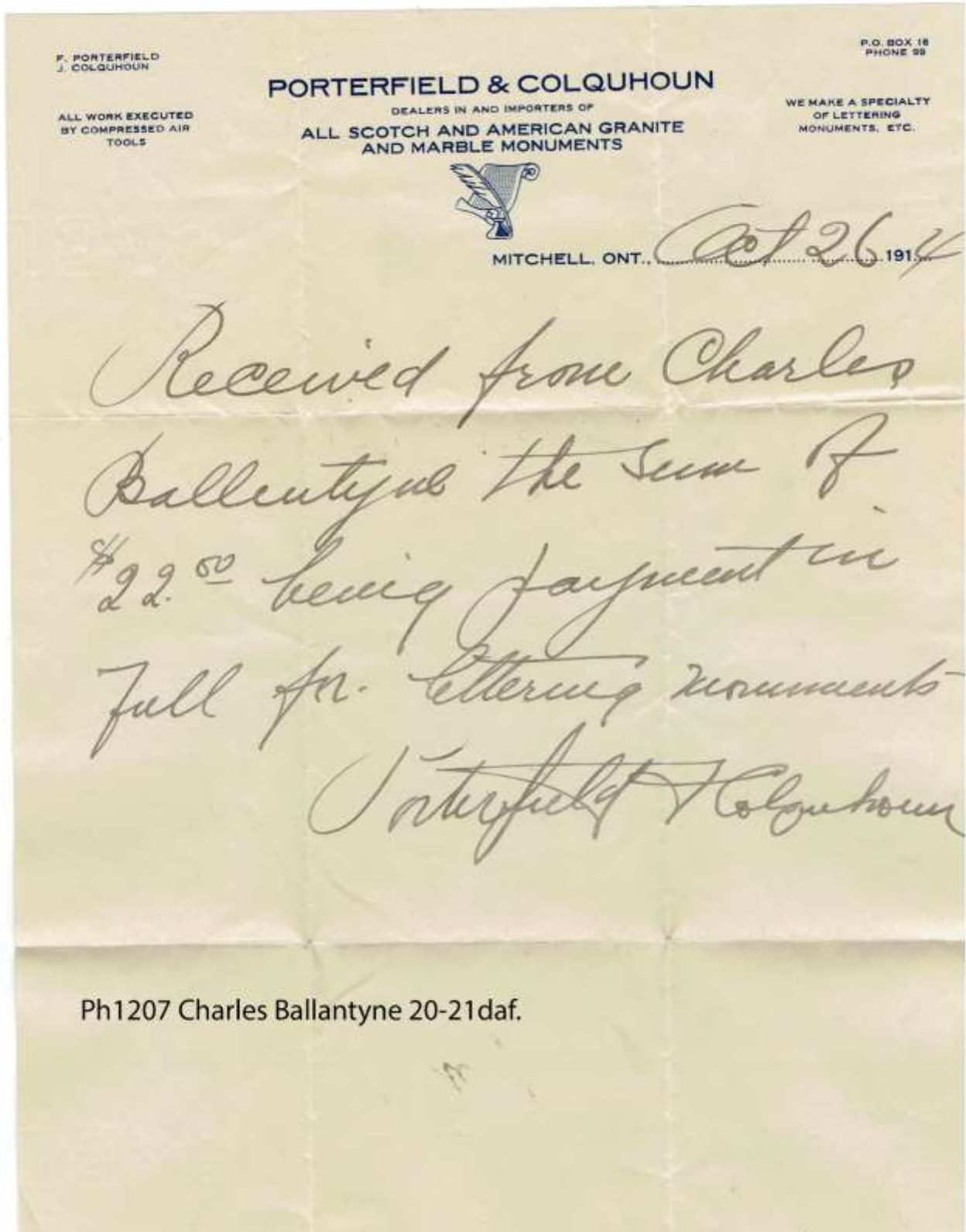
Ph1204 Roberta Dundas, Gordon McEwan 20-21dcaca., unkn Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. Lois McEwan 20-21dcaca.Sp. Alice Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. 1961 birthday McEwan home St. Marys



Ph1205 Alice Dowds 20-21daaaa.



ph1206 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.





ph1208 Robert (Fred) Ballantyne 20-21 daaa.



ph1209 Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. Unk. Lois Hearn McEwan 20-21dcacaSp. , Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp. 1983 London, Ontario



ph1210 Lois Hearn McEwan 20-21dcaca.Sp. Irene Keitsch (sp) Florence Bell Murray 20-21degb.Sp. McEwan home St. Marys



ph1211 Terry McEwan 20-21dcacd. Ivan Hearn, Harold Murray 20-21degb. Allan (Palmer) Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. At Gordon McEwan's home St. Marys



Ph1212 Margaret Robertson Lewis 20-21dgbbb. Family



ph1213 Marie Ballantyne Boyes 20-21adecb. Earl Boyes 20-21adecb.Sp. 50th Wedding picture



ph1214 Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper 20-21dgbaac. Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. Nancy Aitcheson Kellum 20-21dgbaaa.



ph1215 Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp. Lois Hearn McEwan
20-21dcaca.Sp. Gertie Tanner (?), Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
20-21dgbba. 1982



ph1216 Loiey McEwan Moir 20-21dcacab.
Gordon McEwan 20-21dcaca. Alice Irvine
Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp., Peter Moir
20-21dcacaba. 1963 McEwan home St. Marys
1963



Picture of the big elm tree
ph1216 Big Elm Tree Centre Line photo 1



ph1217 Big Elm Photo 2



ph1218 Big Elm photo 3 Centre Line



ph1219 Agnes Ballantyne Dowds 20-21 daea. Edward Goweds 20-21 daea.5p. Shelby-oakland Cemetry Shelby Ohio



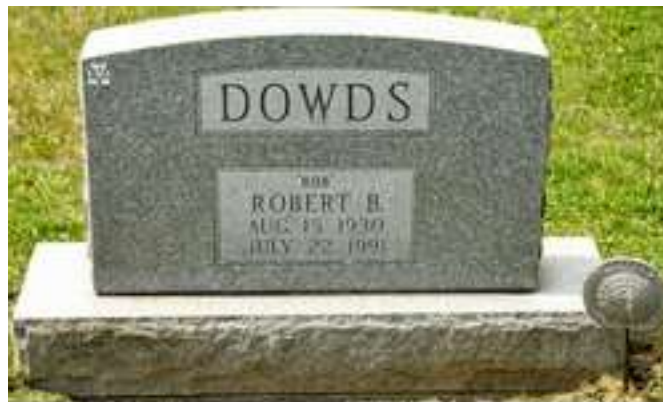
ph1220 Marjorie (Sue) Dowds Purdy 20-21daeb. Shelby-Oakland Cemetery Shelby Ohio



Ph1221 Edward Dowds 20-21daeac.



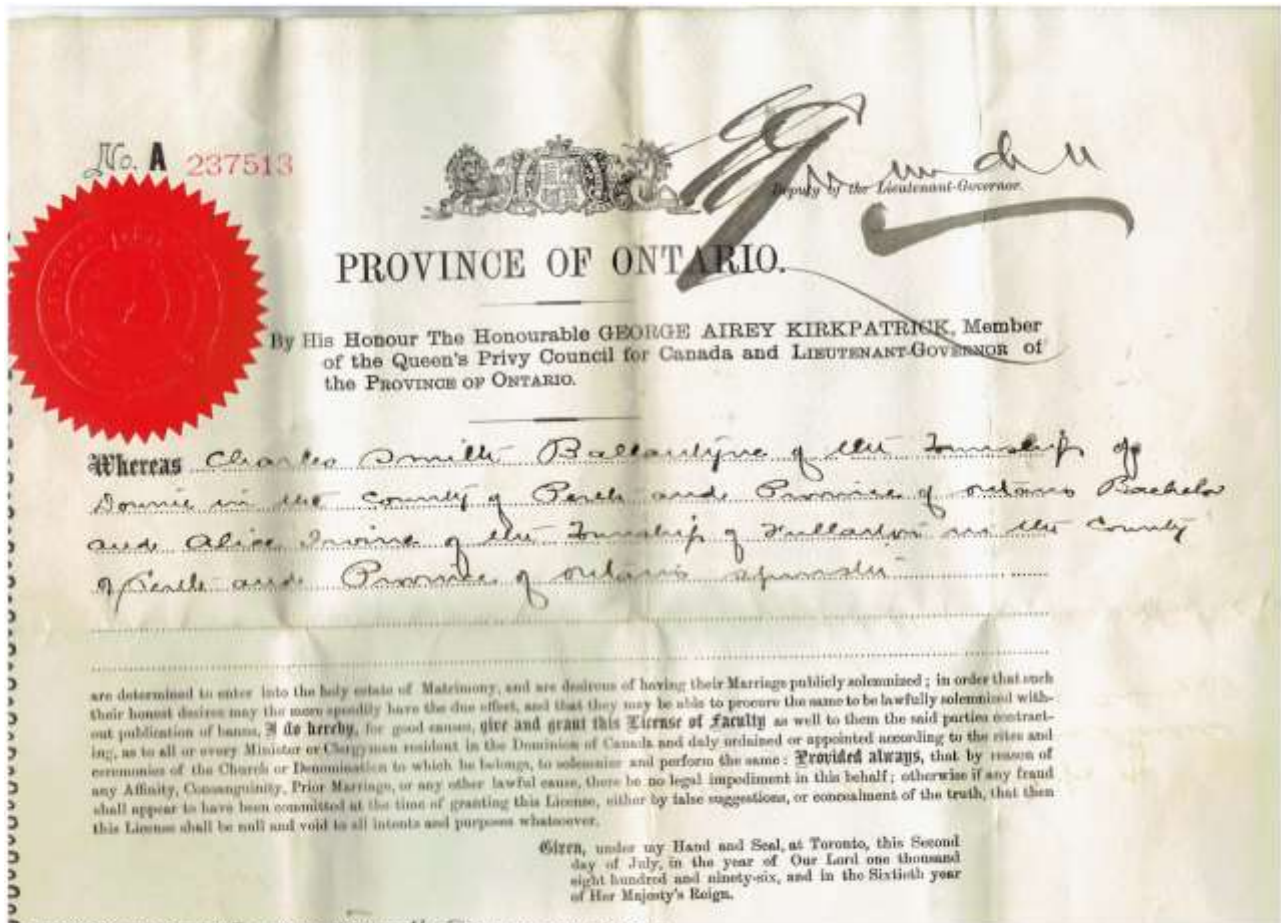
Ph1222 Edward Grant Dowds 20-21daeac, Shelby-Oakland Cemetery Shelby Ohio



Ph1223 Robert Dowds 20-21daeac. Shelby-Oakland Cememtry, Shelby, Ohio



Ph1225 Alice Dowds Johantgen 20-21daaaa. Lebanon Cemetery Lebanon, Ohio



ph1226 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp.



Ph1227 George MacEwan 20-21dcf. James MacEwan
20-21dch.



ph1228 John McEwan 20-21dcac.
Robert (Mac) Simpson 20-21dcaaa.



ph1229 John (Jack) McEwan 20-21dcac.



ph1230 Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgbc.



ph1231 Elizabeth Robertson
Monteith 20-21dgbba.

This Agreement, made in duplicate this 16th day of October 1920 between Chas Ballantyne and Edwin Erb, both of the Township of Downe Ontario, witnesses as follows: - Chas Ballantyne hereby agrees to sell his farm Lot 21 con 3 Downe to Edwin Erb for the sum of Eleven thousand dollars, possession to be given on or about the 1st day of March 1921. He will accept a first mortgage on the farm for \$6000, interest payable immediately at five and one half per cent, principal payable in five years, the balance to be British Sage Debenture, Victory Bonds and Cash. He also agrees to leave the hay unloading outfit - saw, ropes, pulleys, fork, slings, about 4 or 5 loads of hay, the pipes used at threshing, two small stoves, old Barney and whatever engine may be left.

And the said Edwin Erb hereby agrees to pay the Eleven thousand dollars as above specified on or about the first day of March whenever the Deed is executed. And he also agrees not to sell or otherwise dispose of old Barney, but to kill him and bring him when he wants him no longer.

Edwin Erb paid on this contract \$100.

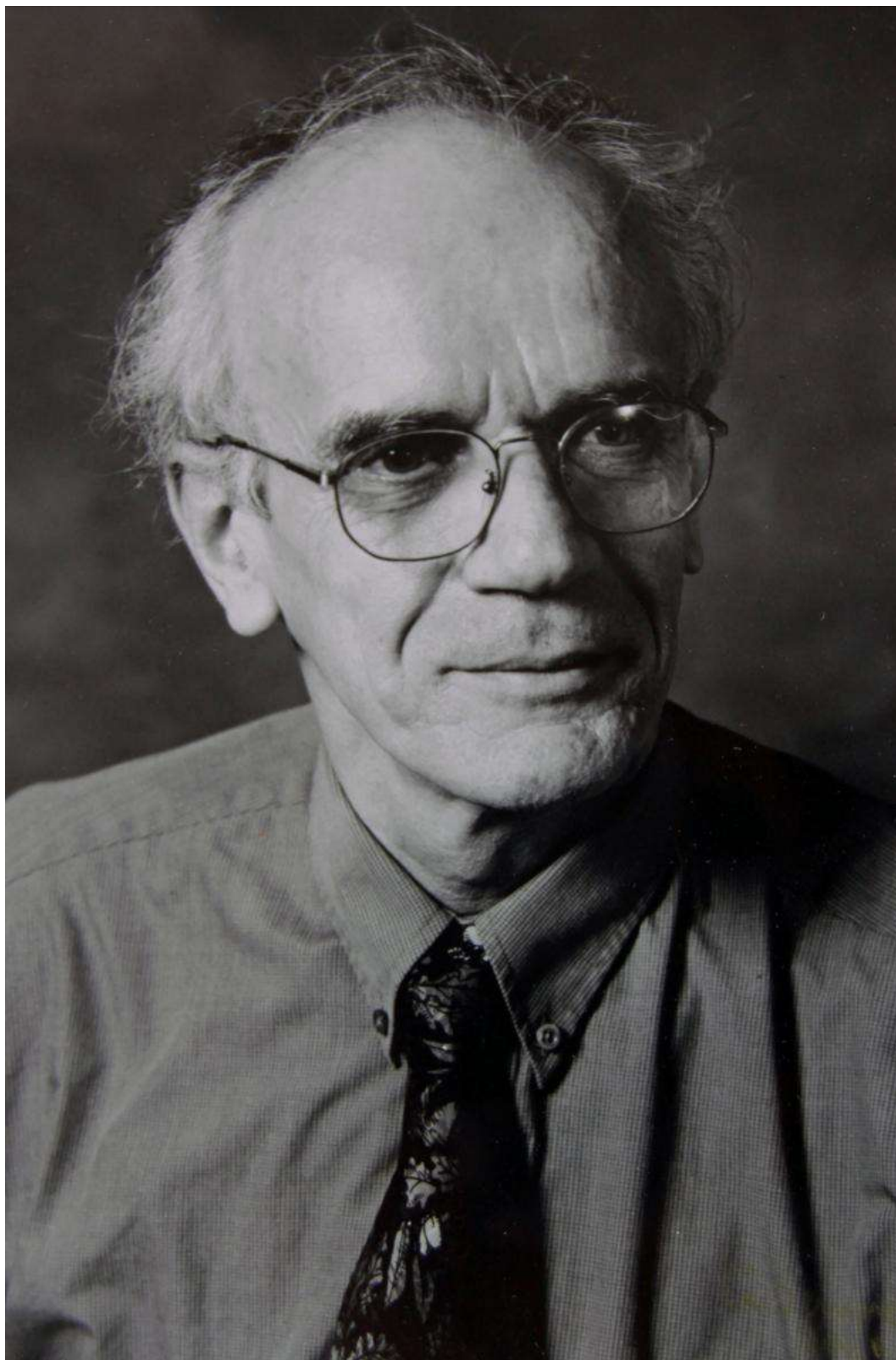
W. K. Erb
Witness

Charles Ballantyne
Edwin Erb.

ph1232 Charles Ballantyne 20-21 daf.



ph1233 Nancy Aitcheson Kellum 20-21
dgbaaa. Harvey Aitcheson 20-21dgbaab.
Marilyn Aitcheson Hooper 20-21dgbaac.



ph1234 Glenn Drover 20-21ddgbcB.Sp.



ph1235 Joan Monteith Smith 20-21dgbbaa.
 Harold Smith 20-21dgbbaa.Sp.
 Bradley 20-21dgbbaaa. Scott 20-21dgbbaab.

GEORGE AITCHESON

A funeral service for George (Joe) Aitcheson of Avonton, who died in the Stratford General Hospital on Friday, was held at the Greenwood-Gilbart funeral home, 46 Erie St., on Monday at 3:15 p.m. Rev. F. J. Barr, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, and Rev. Samuel Kerr, Exeter, a former minister of Avonton Presbyterian Church, of which the late Mr. Aitcheson was a member, officiated. Pallbearers, all elders of the Avonton Presbyterian Church, were C. B. Matthison, Gourlay Eell, Russell Ballantyne, William Smith, Allan Bain, Thompson and Vernon Murray, John Bain, and Ernest Graham. Flower-bearers were six grandsons: Laurence Meadows, Harvey Aitcheson, and David, Joseph, Alexander, and Thomas Monteith. Burial was made in Avondale cemetery. Friends and relatives from London, Strathroy, Medina, St. Marys, Listowel, Merlin, Downie, Avonton, and Stratford attended the funeral.

Ph1236 Joe Aitcheson 20-21dgba.Sp.

Address reply to
the Deputy Minister of Finance
marked "Loan Branch."
AND QUOTE NO. 128259

Department of Finance
Ottawa, Canada

Feb. 28, 1922.

D. K. Erb, Esq.,
R. R. No 3,
Stratford, Ont.

Dear Sir:-

Re. Victory Loan 1919.

Referring to your letter of the 23rd,
inst., I enclose herewith by registered mail Bond
Series T No 2 072621, Fully Registered in the name
of Charles S. Ballantyne.

Yours truly,

J.C. Saunders,
Deputy Minister of Finance.

RG.

Checked and put up by
.....
.....

ph1237 Charles Ballantyne 20-21 daf.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS

Thos. Smith, auctioneer, has been favored with instructions from the undersigned proprietor to sell by public auction on Lot 21, Concession 2, Township of Downie.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10

at twelve o'clock sharp the following valuable property:

HORSES—1 Agricultural mare rising 5 years old; 1 Agricultural mare rising 4 years old; 1 Agricultural gelding rising 3 years old; 1 Black Percheron mare rising 4 years old.

CATTLE—All high class Holsteins. 1 cow will freshen February 14th; 5 fresh milk cows; 1 cow will freshen Feb. 12th; 1 cow due to freshen Feb. 19th; 1 cow due to freshen Feb. 24th; 1 cow due to freshen March 2nd; 1 cow due to freshen March 15th; 4 heifers rising 2 years old; 6 heifers rising 1 year old; 6 young calves. The above cattle are without a doubt one of the best dairy herds in Perth County. The best sires obtainable have been used in this herd. They are large smooth cattle being capable of large production.

HOGS—2 Brood sows, one due to farrow 14th March; 6 store hogs weighing 150 lbs.

POULTRY—About 100 good laying hens.

IMPLEMENTS—Massey Harris Binder, Frost & Wood Mower 5 feet; Frost & Wood steel hay rake new, Oshawa seed drill; 2 cultivators, Deering Disc harrow, Massey Harris corn cultivator 2 rowed, Steel land roller, Manure spreader, Set Iron harrows, scuffler, 2 new walking plows, fanning mill, set scales, De Laval cream separator, root pulper, feed truck, milk truck, 2 lumber wagons; wagon box, set sleigh, steel tired buggy, Cotter, 2 sets young harness one nearly new, 2 sets single harness 1 new, Hay and stock rack combined, hay fork, estimation ladder, gridstone, forks, boots, chains, and numerous other articles.

HAY & GRAIN—Quantity of hay about 700 bus. yellow Russian oats, about 350 bus. barley, small quantity of manure.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—Shed board glass cupboard, lounge, kitchen table and chairs, beds, hanging lamp, large coal heater, new, covered, iron treasure range new, lamp, clocks, dishes, lamps, 2 lanterns, large iron pot, 5 gallon coal oil can, cast scuffle, 2 galvanized wash tubs, stove, zinc, 4 thirty gallon milk cans, milk pails, 2 strainers, 1 cream can, 1 oak barrel, 2 good robes, a quantity of good stove wood.

No reserve as the proprietor has sold his farm.

This sale will start sharp on time. Come early.

TERMS—Hay, Grain, Poultry, and all sums of \$10 and under, cash, over that amount 12 months' credit will be given on approved joint notes, bona fide property owners as security. A discount of 5 per cent. allowed for cash on credit amounts.

THOS. SMITH, Auctioneer.
O. H. KILLER, Clerk.
CHAS. BALLANTYNE, Proprietor.

ph1238 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.

This our 50th celebration was in 1947. If possible would like this returned

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**Former Downie Couple
Mark 50th Anniversary**

**Mr. and Mrs. C. Ballantyne
Hold Reception At
Elizabeth St. Residence**

**Reception to Mark
Anniversary Day**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballantyne will hold a reception at their home, 129 Elizabeth st., on Monday, March 24, in honor of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. They will be at home to their friends in the afternoon from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock and in the evening from 7:00 to 9:00 o'clock.

Monday was a day of jubilation for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballantyne, both members of pioneer families in the rural community in the vicinity of Stratford, when they celebrated their golden wedding day at their home, 129 Elizabeth st. The occasion was marked with a reception held both afternoon and evening when relatives and friends offered congratulations to the well known and highly esteemed couple.

A profusion of spring flowers arranged throughout the rooms lent an air of festivity to the gala scene. The prettily appointed table carried out a golden color scheme with a basket of daffodils flanked with yellow candles in silver candelabra as a centerpiece. Mrs. John Ballantyne poured tea and the hostesses in the dining room were Mrs. Ward Gallagher, Mitchell, and Miss Bonnie Altchison. Others assisting were Mrs. Rubina McEwan, Mrs. J. Doert, Mrs. Stewart Robertson, and Mrs. W. F. Levy, Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne were married at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Irvine, in Fullarton township on March 24, 1897. Mrs. Ballantyne was the former Miss Alice Irvine. Her husband, a native of Downie township, is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ballantyne. After their marriage the couple were engaged in farming in Mr. Ballantyne's native township for the first 24 years of their married life. They have happy reminiscence of the fact that their first home was on the farm where they first met and romance entered their lives.

On retirement from farm life the celebrants took up residence in Stratford where Mr. Ballantyne was engaged for a number of years in an implement business. He has never lost his love for out-of-door life and quite often during the summer season he responds to the call to the rural precincts and spends many happy hours lending a hand to former neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne are Presbyterians in religion and are devout members of St. Andrew's Church. They both take a place of prominence in the work of the church and for many years Mrs. Ballantyne was actively associated with the women's organization of the congregation.

The couple have no family. Mr. Ballantyne has one brother, John Ballantyne, 21 Nile st., city and his wife has two sisters, Mrs. Rubina McEwan, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Ballantyne; and Mrs. Amelia Haggby, Mitchell.

The celebrants received a number of congratulatory messages and gifts to mark the anniversary occasion.

ph1239 Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.



Ph1240 Wilfred Ballantyne 20-21 dgbca.

The Lord is my Shepherd

I shall not want;
 he makes me lie down in green pastures.
 He leads me beside still waters;
 he restores my soul.
 He leads me in paths of righteousness for
 his name sake.
 Even though I walk through the valley
 of the shadow of death,
 I fear no evil;
 for Thou art with me;
 thy rod and thy staff; they comfort me.
 Thou preparest a table before me in
 the presence of my enemies;
 Thou annointest my head with oil,
 my cup overflows.
 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
 all the days of my life;
 and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord
 for ever.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF
 GILBERT HAROLD MURRAY
 September 26, 1911 - September 7, 1995
Beloved Husband of
 Florence Bell
Loving Father of
 David Murray & wife Linda
 Keith Murray & wife Karen
Dear Grandfather of
 Paula & husband Leo Stock
 Darren Murray & wife Julie
 Bentley Murray
 Steven & Kyle Murray
Brother in Law of
 Mildred Murray
 Doris Murray
 Helen & Henry Debus
 Gordon Bell
 Adam & Iva Bell
Also Survived by
 Cousin Jack Aitcheson
 Several nieces & nephews & families

PREDECEASED BY
 Brothers George (1944) & Melbourn (1973)

FUNERAL SERVICE
 W.G.Young Funeral Home
 Saturday, September 9, 1995 at 1.30pm.
 Rev. Catherine Calkin
 Burial Avonbank Cemetery

ph1241 Harold (Ting) Murray 20-21 degb.

God hath not promised
 skies always blue,
 Flower-strewn pathways
 all our lives through;
 God hath not promised
 sun without rain,
 Joy without sorrow,
 peace without pain.

But God hath promised
 strength for the day,
 Rest for the labor,
 light for the way,
 Grace for the trials,
 help from above,
 Unfailing sympathy,
 undying love...

ph1242 Allan Aitcheson 20-21 dgbaa.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

ALLAN PALMER AITCHESON
 Age 79
 Born January 25 1913
 Died May 12 1992

Husband of the late

Ella Murray 1984
 Loving Father of

Harvey Aitcheson and his wife Barb
 Nancy Kellum and her husband Jack
 Marilyn Hooper and her husband Clare
Loving Grandfather of

Terry Aitcheson and his fiancée Jane Shantz
 Julie Barker and her husband Brad
 Lynn Humphrey and her husband Ron
 Lori Brown and her husband Dave
Great Grandfather of

Todd and Lindsay Humphrey
Loving Brother of

Evelyn Monteith
 Charlotte Meadows and her husband Almer
 Bonnie Innes and her husband Calvin
 Eleanor Holmes and her husband Robert
 David Aitcheson and his wife Kay
 Robert Aitcheson and his wife Marion
Brother-in-law of

Jean Ballantyne and Elaine Murray
Predeceased by

Mary, a sister in infancy
FUNERAL SERVICE

On Friday, May 15th 1992 at 1:30 p.m. at
 the W.G. Young Funeral Home of Stratford
 Rev. Catherine Calkin officiating
 Burial at Avonbank Cemetery



ph1244 Jean Ballantyne (unsure of connection)

to the
the weather
They visited the
then went to Gettysburg
saw monuments and guns from the
American Civil War. They visited a
wax museum also.

At Atlantic City they visited the
casinos and at Philadelphia -
Margaret's cousin Corrine
McFillan, the daughter of the late
Tom Ballantyne.

ph1245 Corrine Ballantyne McFillan
20-21dgbea. St Marys Journal Argus
Date unknown

**BALLANTYNE FACTORY
WORKING FULL TIME**

The R. M. Ballantyne, Knitting Com-
pany's factory is again running full
time. Following the cancellation of
war orders this factory in company
with others cut down its staff and con-
siderably reduced the working hours.
The full staff is not back yet but the
girls are gradually being started again
as the business increases and all are
working full time on goods for the
retail trade.

ph1246 Robert Ballantyne 20-21afb.
Stratford Beacon 27 January 1919



ph1247 Thomas Ballantyne 20-21dgbe. Grand View Memorial Park and Crematory Glendale Los Angeles California



ph1248 Mary Aitcheson Murray
20-21deg.Sp.



ph1249 George Aitcheson 20-21dgbaca.
James Aitcheson 20-21dgbacb.

**A SERVICE IN MEMORY OF
ELIZABETH ISOBEL MONTEITH (ROBERTSON)
January 19th, 1915 + + + June 5th, 1998**

GREETING

CALL TO WORSHIP (Selected verses from Scripture)

L: The eternal God is our dwelling place,
and underneath are the everlasting arms.

ALL: GOD IS OUR LIGHT AND OUR SALVATION;
WHOM THEN SHALL WE FEAR?
GOD IS THE STRONGHOLD OF OUR LIVES,
OF WHOM SHALL WE BE AFRAID?

L: Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life.

ALL: THOSE WHO BELIEVE IN ME, EVEN THOUGH THEY
DIE, WILL LIVE, AND EVERYONE WHO LIVES AND
BELIEVES IN ME WILL NEVER DIE."
THANKS BE TO GOD. AMEN.

HYMN (23rd Psalm)

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| The Lord's my Shepherd, I'll not want
He makes me down to lie
In pastures green, He leadeth me
The quiet waters by.

My soul He doth restore again;
and me to walk doth make
within the paths of righteousness,
Even for His own Name's sake.

Yes, though I walk in death's dark vale,
Yet will I fear no ill,
For Thou art with me; and Thy rod
And staff me comfort still. | My table Thou hast furnished
In presence of my foes;
My head Thou dost with oil anoint
And my cup overflows.

Goodness and mercy all my life
Shall surely follow me
And in God's house for evermore
My dwelling place shall be. |
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PRAYER OF APPROACH and CONFESSION

L: Eternal God,
we give you thanks for the gift of life,
and acknowledge the uncertainties of life on earth.
We are given a mere handful of days;
our span of life is short in your sight.

ALL: ALL FLESH IS GRASS, AND ALL ITS BEAUTY IS LIKE
THE FLOWER OF THE FIELD.
THE GRASS WITHERS, THE FLOWER FADES,
BUT YOUR WORD WILL STAND FOR EVER.

L: In this is our hope, for you are our God.
Even in the valley of the shadow of death, you are with us.

ALL: TURN YOUR EAR TO OUR CRY, AND HEAR OUR PRAYER,
FOR YOU ARE THE SAME GOD,
WHOSE YEARS SHALL HAVE NO END. AMEN.

L: Let us ask God to cleanse our hearts, to redeem

ph1250 Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba.

the goodness of God.

ALL: GOD OF THE LIVING AND THE DEAD,
WE ARE BURDENED WITH THE WEIGHT OF SIN;
WE REMEMBER OUR BROKEN PROMISES
AND MISSED OPPORTUNITIES.
YOUR GIFTS WE HAVE TAKEN FOR GRANTED,
YOUR LOVE WE HAVE FLED FROM AND IGNORED.
FORGIVE US, LIFT OUR GUILT FROM US,
TURN US TO THE FACE OF CHRIST,
THAT WE MIGHT WALK IN THE WAY OF SALVATION.
AMEN.

Words of Assurance:

L: Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.
The old life has gone; a new life has begun.
Friends, believe the good news of the gospel and be at peace.

ALL: THANKS BE TO GOD. AMEN.

Time with the Children

**THE WORD OF THE LORD - ECCLESIASTES 3:1-15
JOHN 6:35-40**

MEDITATION

AFFIRMATION OF OUR FAITH- Using the Creed on back page.

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

HYMN

Abide with me: fast falls the evening,
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide:
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see:
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness:
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still if Thou abide with me.

COMMITTAL SERVICE AND BENEDICTION.

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HONORARY PALL BEARERS - MINISTER - PAM TOLMAY

| | |
|----------------|-------------|
| Brad Smith | Scott Smith |
| Bonnie McLaren | Rob McLaren |
| Randy Binkle | Bill Lewis |

AFTER THE SERVICE EVERYONE IS INVITED TO A LUNCH BEING SERVED AT
ST. ANDREWS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Miss Robertson & Miss McFarlane
ph1251 Alice Irvine Ballantyne's
20-21daf.Sp. friends Miss Robertson and
Miss McFarlane.



ph1252 Bill Robertson 20-21dgbb.Sp. Ethel
Ballantyne Robertson 20-21dgbb.

MONTEITH

Elizabeth. It is with great sadness and loss that the family of Elizabeth Isobel Monteith announce her passing on June 5th, 1998 in her 84th year. Born in Downie Township, she was the eldest daughter of the late William Robert and the former Ethel Ballantyne. Beloved wife of the late Allen Monteith (June 1, 1984). Always loved and remembered by her daughter Joan Smith and her husband Harold, of Atwood. Dear grandmother of Brad Smith and his wife Mary, of Goderich, Scott Smith and his wife Paula, of Atwood and Bonnie McLaren and her husband Rob, of St. Pauls. Elizabeth was the proud "Grandma" of eight great-grandchildren Jennifer, Carolyn, Katelyn, Gregory, Curtis and Jillian Smith and Corie and Jordan McLaren. Also survived by two sisters Margaret Lewis and her husband Irvin, of Stratford and Jean Hill, of London, sister-in-law Elva Binkle, of Stratford and numerous nieces and nephews. Predeceased by brothers-in-law Mac Hill and Floyd Binkle. Relatives and friends will be received at the **Heinbuck Funeral Home**, 156 Albert Street, Stratford on Saturday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m., where the funeral and committal service will be held on Sunday, June 7, 1998 at 2 p.m. Rev. Pam Tolmay will officiate. Interment will be in Avondale Cemetery, Stratford. As expressions of sympathy, donations may be made to the Versa Care Centre Auxiliary, St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church or a charity of one's choice through the funeral home at 1-519-271-5062.

ph1253 Elizabeth Robertson Monteith
20-21dgbba.

Thank-you so much
for being such a
faithful visitor, phone
caller for so many
years. She loved you
like a sister.
Words can't express
our gratitude to you
for all you have done.
We certainly are going
to miss her.

Dear Lois

Thank you sincerely
for sharing our sorrow.

Your thoughtfulness
is appreciated and
will always be

^{remembered}
Thank-you for your
donation to the Cancer
Society in memory of Mom.

Love

Joan + Harold.

ph1254 Joan Monteith Smith 20-21dgbba. Lois Hearn McEwan 20-21dcaca.Sp.

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SIMPSON
At Memorial Hospital, St. Marys, on Thursday, September 6, 1979, Robert MacEwan Simpson, of RR 1, St. Marys, age 83 years. Beloved husband of Edith Louise Monteith. Dear father of Donald, Blanshard Twsp., Verna (Mrs. Floyd Willows), Stratford, Eileen (Mrs. Wallace Hosick), Toronto and Lois (Mrs. Fred Kipfer), RR 2, Tavistock. 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren survive. Predeceased by one brother and two sisters. Resting L. A. Ball Funeral Chapel, St. Marys, where the funeral service will be held Saturday, September 8 at 2 P.M. Interment in Avondale Cemetery, Stratford.

Ph1255 Robert (Mac) Simpson 20-21dcaaa.

*Happy 60th
Wedding Anniversary!*



*Congratulations
Jack and Thelma Finnie
on Your Diamond Anniversary
Open House: Saturday, April 10, 2004
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
at the Rotarian Hall, 20 Huron Street North, St. Marys
No gifts please*

ph1256 Thelma Ballantyne Finnie
20-21adeag. John (Jack) Finnie
20-21adeaq.Sp.

Interest paid for 1899
 Interest paid for 1900
 Interest paid for 1901
 Interest paid for 1902
 Interest paid for 1903
 Interest paid for 1904
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 Interest paid for 1907
 Interest paid for 1908
 Interest paid for 1909
 Interest paid for 1910

8100
 Received April 27th 1911
 Twelve months after date of promise
 to pay to John Subyout or assigns
 the sum of One thousand Dollars
 for value received
 With interest at 4% per cent per annum
 Charles Ballantyne
 Carmichael Ballantyne

Ph1257 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. Carmichael Ballantyne 20-21dae.

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| Telephone 603 r 6 | | Sebringville, Ont., <i>Dec</i> , 191 <i>4</i> | |
| <i>Mr. Chas. Ballantyne</i> | | | |
| In Account with | | Henry Hoffmeyer & Son | |
| | | <u>CONTRACTORS</u> | |
| Dealers in Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Doors, Sash and House Furnishings | | | |
| Six per cent. interest charged on all overdue accounts. | | | |
| <i>July</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>1 Pine 2x8 - 14 Pine</i> | <i>66</i> |
| <i>Aug</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>23 Pines 1x8 - 16</i> | |
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| | | <i>2 - 1x6 - 10</i> | |
| | | <i>12 - 1x10 - 10</i> | |
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| | | <i>2 - 2x12 - 16</i> | |
| | | <i>1 - 2x12 - 12</i> | |
| | | <i>20 - 2x4 - 14</i> | |
| | | <i>18 ft. 1 in. Hem.</i> | <i>21 50</i> |
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| <i>Re. Payment in full to date</i> | | | |
| <i>Henry Hoffmeyer</i> | | | |
| <i>Per Bill.</i> | | | |

ph1258 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf.

April 1, 1933.

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| <u>Receipts for 1932.</u> | | <u>What Receipts would have been at Oct 1920 Prices.</u> | |
| Eggs | 3.60 | 14.40 | @ 50 per doz. |
| Milk | 1421.68 | 4722.00 | @ 2.85 per cwt. |
| Cream | 211.30 | 528.00 | @ 50 ct per lb. fat. |
| Cattle | 163.40 | 540.00 | (Spring @ 1.35, winter @ 1.50) |
| Hogs | 225.30 | 1099.00 | Hogs @ 11 ct side pipe @ 7 each. |
| Apples | 34.05 | 68.00 | @ 2 per bag. |
| Potatoes | 12.75 | 20.00 | @ 1.50 |
| If I sold feed it would bring. | | I could spare the following. | |
| 200 bu wheat | 700.00 | 410.00 | - 200 bu wheat @ 2.05 |
| 400 - wt (32) | 120.00 | 280.00 | 400 w. oats @ 70% |
| 20 tons hay | 60.00 | 400.00 | 20 tons hay @ 20. |
| | <u>2352.58.</u> | <u>8086.40</u> | |
| | | Difference of 5734.22 | |

This is to the best of my knowledge an attempt by Charles S. Ballantyne to compare the legality of the Farmer Review Act in regard to fair treatment by both parties.
Edwin Earl applied through the act for a reduction in mortgage which was granted at this period. The P.M. of Canada R.B. Bennett, introduced the act to prevent mass failure in the farming industry. Such Charles lost his principal - a fact which shook him deeply as he felt a land mortgage was inevitable.
Lord McEwan (1978)

ph1259 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. page 1 response to Farmer Review Act

| <u>Improvements on Farm.</u> | <u>Sub Bill</u> | <u>Hospital</u> | <u>Kind Girls</u> |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1921 Cistern + Pump. 25.00 | 1922 | | |
| 1922 Fencing 29.00 | Muriel 36.00 | 58.00 | 8.00 |
| Lightning Rods on Barn 96.00 | 1924 | | |
| 1923 Milk House + Piping. 83.00 | Kathleen 30.00 | 48.00 | 25.00 |
| 1924 Partition + Sill 100.00 | 1925 | | 25.00 |
| 1927. Wiring 313.00 | 1926 | | |
| Shingling House 105.00 | Andrew 25.00 | 49.50 | 159.00 |
| 1928. Roofing Cement 48.00 | 1927 | | |
| 1929 Drive Shed Roof 95.00 | Bessie 25.00 | 42.00 | 171.00 |
| Pump House 25.00 | 1928 | | 150.00 |
| Rep Barn Walls 40.00 | 1929 | | 134.00 |
| 1930 Lightning Rods on House 79.00 | 1930 | | 30.00 |
| Shingles on half Balk Kitchen 18.00 | 1931 | | |
| Total 1056.00 | Harold 30.00 | 41.00 | 35.00 |
| | 1932. | | 36.00 |
| | | | 31.00 |
| | | \$176.50 | \$236.50 |
| | | | \$804.00 |
| | | | Total of 1188.50 |

ph1260 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. page 2 Farmers Review Act.

Reminiscences of the Ballantynes Written by Mr. Wm. Ballantyne,
Washington, D.C.

I was born in Peebles, Scotland, October 2nd, 1825. My parents names were James Ballantyne and Elizabeth Whitson. My father was the eldest son of Robert Ballantyne who followed the life of a shepherd. He was an honest upright man, most amiable in temper and greatly respected by all who knew him. I remember him; he was living at a place called Kulton Knowe, near Edglaston. I used to go up on Saturdays and on vacation days, and enjoy roaming over the hills and knolls which surround the house.

He belonged to the Established Church, while grandmother belonged to the secession Church and used to walk the distance of 4 miles to church. Being alone and such a distance from help it was deemed wise to remove to Peebles, and so they brought to father's and occupied a portion of the same house. Grandfather died at the age of 94, whilst grandmother lived to December 6th, 1851 dying at the good age of 96. For years she had been bed-ridden and was source of great care to mother, she was the oldest person in the parish, and the oldest person of the U.P. Church. She retained her faculties until two days of her death, and the night she died kept saying, "Come Lord Jesus come, I know He'll come".

Her maiden name was Agnes Porteous. I well remember when a boy I ~~used to~~ lay aside my play and read to her, such as were not to me at that time of life enjoyable, I remember them well, Van Ambrose's, "Looking unto Jesus"; Boston's "Fourfold State", "The Harrow of modern Divinity"; "The Crook in The Lot" and so forth. It was a course in theological training which I did not much desire but I will not say that it was wholly unprofitable, for I had always had a pretty clear conception of what was sound theology, and could not easily be led astray by false views of Divine Truth. It did much to give me a taste of instructive reading, rather than for novels and light literature, and for whom I entertain a very high regard. They had four sons, James my father, John, Thomas, and Robert. John followed the life of a shepherd and when I was a boy lived at Glenhighton, in Glenholm, where I used to enjoy a visit very much.

He with his family came to this country in 1849, and settled in Delaware County, New York, where he purchased a farm and lived with comfort the rest of his days, and where his children still live.

Thomas died very suddenly in Harwich when I was a boy. I remember father going to the funeral and arranging for the care of the family, some of whom afterwards I came to know personally.

Robert the youngest, millwright by trade, emigrated to Canada when I was quite a boy and settled in the county of Perth, where he lived till 1889, and where his children still live. He was a good deal of a man, and stood very high in the estimation of all who knew him. At first he worked at his trade and spent the earnings on clearing the land, and making a good farm on which he lived, until age suggested the convenience of proximity to the city, when he removed to Stratford.

My mother's family were never so near to us as the Ballantynes.

outlived his wife 25 years. Uncle James was at one time overseer of the turn-pike road leading to Edinburgh, and was a member of the City Council. He was an intelligent man and had quite a family. After the death of his wife, he with some members of the family came to Canada, but I never met him after that, and know but little of his family. One son James lived in St. Mary's, Canada, and I have not him. Uncle Alec Whitson lived in Canada opposite Detroit, I have called upon him, and found him an earnest Christian man, having built on his own farm a chapel for the use of the Methodist Church. Uncle William after whom I am named, entered Merchant Marine when a young lad and was taken prisoner by the French, during the French war; the last known of him was just before the Declaration of peace when he wrote from Amiens in France, and expected to be home soon, but never came, and there has always been a mystery about it, as nothing could be learned about him. When a boy I used to read his letters from the different places of his confinement as a prisoner in the hands of the French, and they evidence of his being a good man.

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Another uncle came to Philadelphia when a young man but as he urged his brother to leave Scotland which meant to leave his father, his letter gave great offence, so all correspondence ceased, and he was lost sight of.

My father after receiving a fair education apprenticed to a weaver in Eddleston, a small village four miles from Peebles. After the term of his apprenticeship expired he met my mother Elizabeth Whitson which resulted in their marriage on the 2nd. of June 1815. Sometime after his marriage he commenced business on his own account in Peebles but up to the time of my birth he could not boast of great success, though things began to improve, and from that time he had a fair share of patronage. A customer weaver in rural districts supplied a very important want, the farmers, shepherds had all their new clothing blankets, plaids, sheets etc. made for themselves, the wife and servants spinning the wool and lint during the winter months. Spinning wheels were not parlor ornaments but to be seen in every thrifty home, where the busy housewife plied her fingers in forming the thread to make durable and comfortable clothing for the family, and no young woman was considered in fit condition to get married until she had a good supply of blankets and sheets in her own house, spun generally by herself. The yarn was sent to the customer weaver who had it woven, dyed and made ready for use. As I remember father's establishment he had a six-roomed shop and gave employment to several hands. Our house was always full of yarn being made into cloth of all kinds, mother performing a very important part in winding the bobbins and pirns for the weavers and thus contributing her full share of the income. A more industrious, hard working woman never lived devoted to her family and always willing to render any aid possible in our pleasures and for our enjoyment. Often with her foot rocking the Scot's melodies. She was a true help-meat, an affectionate mother and a kind neighbour. Mother lived with my brother Robert after father's death and was kindly cared for by my aunt Lillias. She died in the house of my sister April 28th, 1871, age 85, having survived father 12 years. My parents lie in the cemetery of Stratford, Canada.

Some of the men who worked for father were somewhat characters. Johnnie Burlon was a genuine type of the old school, he wore knee breeches, low quartered shoes, and ruffled shirt bosom, was exceedingly fond of a gossip, and at meal times got an opportunity to gratify his desire. He was a strong Churchman and none more regular in his attendance upon its services.

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Robbie Grosert was an exceedingly kind hearted man, but very little while got on a spree, and for weeks was unfit for work, but we all liked him notwithstanding his weakness, although it greatly annoyed father. A beautiful instance of a kind act and its reward may be mentioned. A neighbour Gideon Wallace was subject to fits of insanity, and so that his family were afraid of him, and Robbie for years slept in the room with him, controlled him, and others relieved the family. His family consisted of wife, son, and daughter. The son when grown to manhood studied law, and became what we call a writer. After awhile he got a good situation in Edinburgh, and when Robbie became unable to work, William Wallace supported him in comfort till death, a truly grateful act, a kindly and considerate one.

The town of Peebles situated at the junction of the Tweed and Edalester water, was at that time a very quiet place, with I believe a population of about 3000, made up of weavers and of trades usually to be found in such a community. It was a moral town, and the people generally were a fairly good class, many of them living great economy, yet with great comfort. Some there were who indulged on Saturday night too freely in liquor. There were 4 Presbyterian Churches and one very small Episcopal Church, the Rector of which kept a boarding school of young men to eke out his otherwise limited income. Peebles was rather proud of the distinction of some of her children: The Messrs. W. and R. Chalmers, Professor Henry Calderwood, and Professor Veitch of Glasgow University. No place could be more free from excitement, and more conducive to study. The country around was hilly, but the valley of the Tweed was most beautiful, and not a few spots simply charming. It was possessed of a good library of general literature, which when as a boy I used freely; and to it I have ever been indebted for much of the knowledge of books which I acquired, for when a young man I was fond of reading, and spent large share of my time in reading.

My parents had seven children, four sons and three daughters two of whom died when young. Robert and James are my seniors and Thomas and Agnes my juniors. At an early age I was sent to school under the care of Alec Bathgate and never shall I forget my first experience. Accompanied by my brother James, I was placed in the lowest class and knowing the notes of the school, I began amusing myself by making music on my lips when the taws were thrown to me and I was directed to take them up to the desk, and receive the punishment due for my disobedience; this was my first lesson but not by any means the last with the same instrument of punishment.

ph1264 William Ballantyne 20-21ae. page 3

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My progress was not rapid, the mode of teaching was not calculated to help dull children along very rapidly. At the age of ten I went to the country to take care of cows, or to be a hard boy. Radmore Manor was the place where I remained six months and returned to the school for the winter. Next year I spent the summer in similar employment at Barberry Lakes in Midlothian. Another six months at school and then a year and a half at Chapel Hill near Peebles, another six months at school which finished my school education.

When at the age of 14 I began to assist father, I never liked the loom, but continued at it because I saw nothing else to do. While with my father I have woven about 3050 yards of cloth of one kind or another and received about £50-0-0 for it. When I left to go to Kinross, Oct. 23rd., 1843 I saved £8-0-0 for it besides paying my board, dues to the weed side Trent of Rechabites and contributions to the church etc. In the spring of 1843 I united with the Established Church of Scotland under the pastoral care of Rev. John Elliot. Mr. Elliott was what was called a Moderate - his preaching was moral duty, not spiritual truth, his prayers were stereotyped, no variation, and I could follow him to the end, yet he was kindly disposed, but no power in the town for spiritual interests.

On the 3rd. of June 1843 this same year my brother Robert married Agnes Forrest and accompanied by my brother James left for America, which they reached just one month afterwards, this proving the fore-runners of the entire family. They settled in Canada where my uncle Robert was, and where the rest of the family went they came to America in 1852, the township of Downie, County of Perth, near Stratford. On the 22nd of Oct. 1844 I left Peebles for Kinross, having obtained a position in a Dry and Grocery store of Alec Steadman at a salary of £14-0-0 a year with board. My duties consisted in travelling around the adjoining country and villages with tea and coffee, first on foot and afterwards with horse and buggy. About one half the time I was in the store, the hours were long and I had little time for mental improvements. In..... I was very ill with typhus fever and I left for Kinross in April 4th. 1847 or 1848. In the morning of May 13th. 1848 I bade good-bye to my parents and the scenes of my youth. It was a bright and beautiful morning, memory was full of the past and I was not without anxious thoughts of the future. I sailed on the Adain Carr on Monday, May 15th. 1848 and reached New York the 26th of June, bearing letters of introduction from my friend James Swane, formerly Rector of the Grammar School, Peebles, to his son Robert Carter, publisher and bookseller. I set out to visit my brother in Canada, the journey was by way of Rochester, Lewiston, and Hamilton to Stratford, Canada.

I reached New York on the 26th of Sept. and spent weeks in search of a situation and obtained employment in the printing office of Henry Luding & Co. at the wage of \$3.50 per week. I remained with them until Jan. when I entered the employ of Baker & Son 30th. July 1852. On the 8th of May 1851 I married Christine Cairns a native of Pitlochie, Fifeshire, Scotland. Our first child was James Cairns, born, 11th. April 1852. On the 18th July 1852 my parents, brother Thomas and sister reached New York from Scotland, and after spending two days with us proceeded on their way to Canada, the voyage had been trying to father and the journey inland was not less so, but he reached the home of the elder son safely, and soon revived. As it turned out it was a wise thing they came to America, father's business required constant attention, hard work, and was not remunerative, and what was worse than all else, the labour it developed on mother. A house was built for them near to brother Robert and in a short time father resumed the labor of the loom, but wages were much better, living was cheap, his family were all up and doing for themselves, so that he spent the closing years of his life in much comfort and enjoyment, near to all his family, as well as the farms of his children.

It was my pleasure to pay him a yearly visit, which was continued whilst mother lived. My father died Oct. 11th, 1863. I had visited him twice during the summer, and found him with a calm clear mind, no fear or anxiety, his great desire to part and be with Christ. He had lived a simple upright consistent life, and his death was a shock of corn fully ripe.

On the 30th. July 1852 I left New York and entered into a co-partnership with Austen Gray of Washington City to conduct a book and stationery business. In five years I bought out his interest.

My son James died Jan. 31st, 1864 and my daughter Louise Edwards died Nov. 20th., 1858

My wife died Feb. 21st. 1889.

This must
be
written
in
the
book

BALLANTYNE, Arthur John —
At Victoria Hospital, London,
Ont., on Friday, Dec. 14, 1984,
Arthur John Ballantyne of 86
Windemere Cres., Stratford, in
his 71st year. Beloved hus-
band of Jean Elizabeth Mur-
ray. Dear father of Douglas
Ballantyne, Shelia Brown and
her husband Dr. Stan Brown,
all of London. Dearly loved by
his two grandchildren, Steph-
anie and Michael Brown. Bro-
ther of Mrs. Howard (Violet)
Christner of Waterloo and Mrs.
Earl (Marie) Boyes, of R.R. 3,
Stratford, and Glen Ballantyne
and his wife Ruth of 75 Oak
St., Stratford. Funeral service
was held at the W. G. Young
Funeral Home, Stratford, on
Monday, Dec. 17th at 1.30 p.m.
Dr. David Thompson officiated.
Interment Avonbank Cemetery.

Ph1265 Arthur Ballantyne
20-21adec.

Ballantyne

Died in Usborne, on Friday, May 8th, 1908.

James Ballantyne

aged 62 years.

The Funeral

*will take place from his late residence, Thames
Road, on*

Monday, May 11th, 1908

*at 2:30 p. m. and proceed to Roy's cemetery for
interment. Service at the house at 2 o'clock.*

*Friends and acquaintances please accept this
Intimation.*

ph1266 James Ballantyne 20-21ada.

A Ballantyne Clan executive meeting was held last week at the home of Bob and Marjorie Ballantyne to discuss the re-pointing of the Ballantyne Cairn.

Attending were Glen and Ruth Ballantyne, Jack and Jean Ballantyne, Alex and Verna Strathdee and Jack and Evelyn Matthison. It was decided to contact all family members and update the family history that had not been changed the last 25 years.

It was also decided to hold a family reunion on the last Sunday in June in 1989. This will mark the 150 years since the first Ballantyne family settled on the centre line beside the big elm, two miles north of Avonton where the Cairn is situated.

Committee members will be calling on the relatives in the near future or anyone may call any of the above mentioned.

The Senior Citizens Exchange was
ph1268 Ballantyne Clan Meeting
St Marys Journal Argus 21 Oct 1989



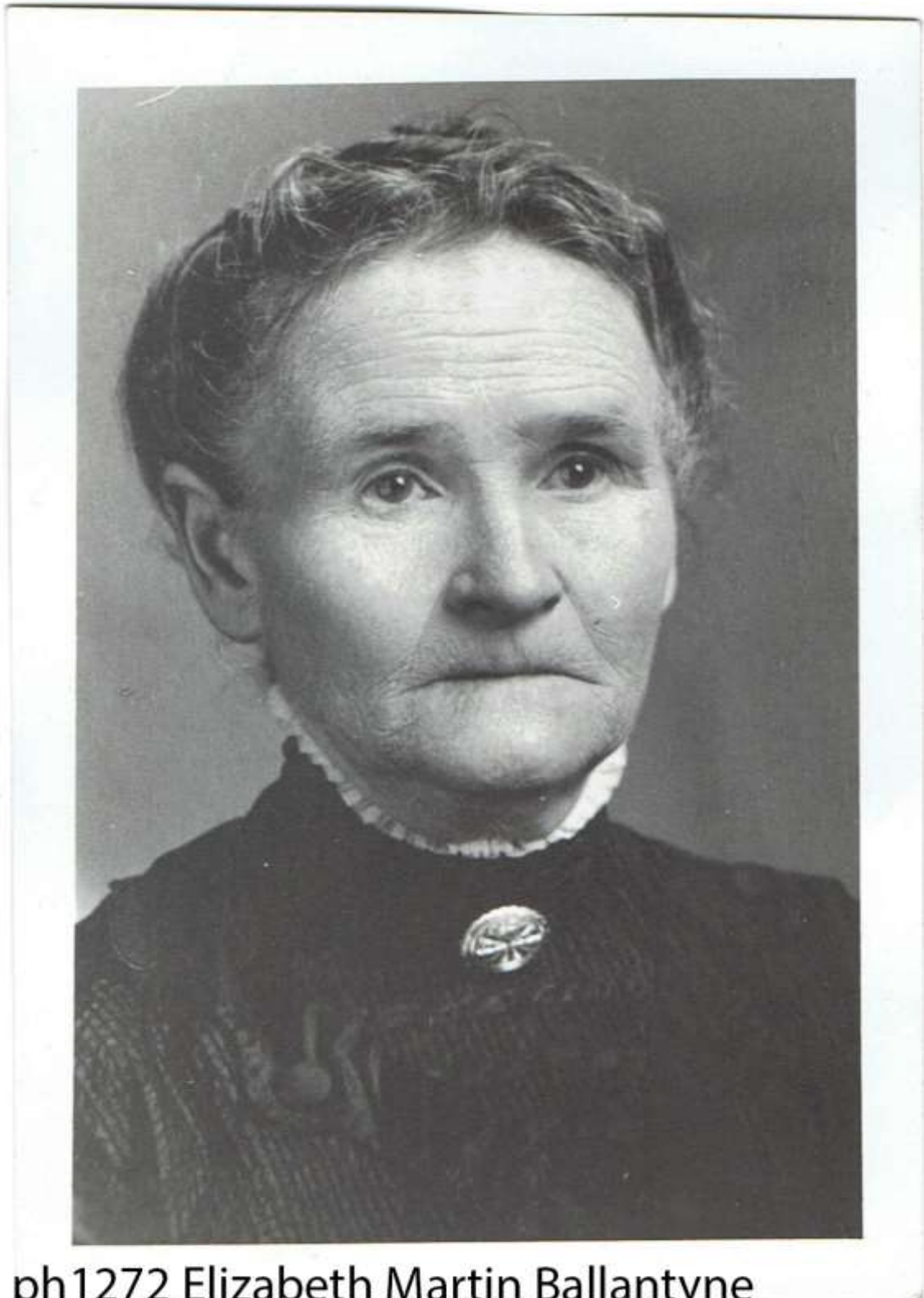
ph1269 Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.



ph1270 Allan Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa. Ella Murray Aitcheson
20-21dgbaa.Sp.



ph1271 David Ballantyne 20-21dgb.
Elizabeth Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb.Sp.



ph1272 Elizabeth Martin Ballantyne
20-21dg.Sp.



ph1273 Charles Ballantyne friends
Stratfore Mr and Mrs McGunegal



ph1274 Bk row 3rd fr. right: Ella Murray Aitcheson 20-21dgbaa.Sp
 2d fr right Elizabeth Robertson Monteith 20-21dgbba. Middle row:
 left Mildred Ballantyne Murray 20-21dega.Sp., Front: 3rd Evelyn
 Aitcheson Monteith 20-21dgbab. 2nd from right Jean Robertson Hill
 20-21dgbbc. at Robertson home

God hath not promised
 Skies always blue,
 Flower-straw pathways
 All our lives through;
 God hath not promised
 Sun without rain,
 Joy without sorrow,
 Peace without pain.

But God hath promised
 Strength for the day,
 Rest for the labor,
 Light for the way,
 Grace for the trials,
 Help from above,
 Unfailing sympathy
 Undying love

Passed Away

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In Listowel Memorial Hospital on  
 Sunday, May 24th,

1953

**R. A. (Fred) Ballantyne**

in his 72nd year.

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### FUNERAL

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Resting at his late residence, Main-st.,
 Atwood, until Tuesday morning when
 removal will be made to the Peebles
 Funeral Home where service will be held
 in the afternoon at two o'clock.

Interment in Elma Centre Cemetery

Friends will kindly accept this intimation

ph1275 Robert Ballantyne 20-21daaa.

Obituary

Elizabeth Williamson

Mrs. W. K. Williamson, the former Elizabeth Ballantyne Hotson, died peacefully at St. Marys Memorial Hospital, on Friday, Oct. 30, at the age of 94.

She was the only daughter of early residents of the Avonbank and Avonton communities, the late Alex Hotson and his wife the former Janet Murray. Born at Avonbank on Aug. 20, 1887, she married William K. Williamson, who predeceased her in 1956.

After farming at Avonbank for 30 years they retired to 178 John St., N., Stratford, where she had lived until three years ago. Since then she has resided with her daughter and son-in-law at Montrave Farm, Avonbank. She was a member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Stratford.

She is survived by son Jack Williamson, and daughter-in-law Doris of Oshawa and daughter Janet and son-in-law Jack Gibson of Avonbank, grandchildren, Mrs. John (Darleen) Corm-

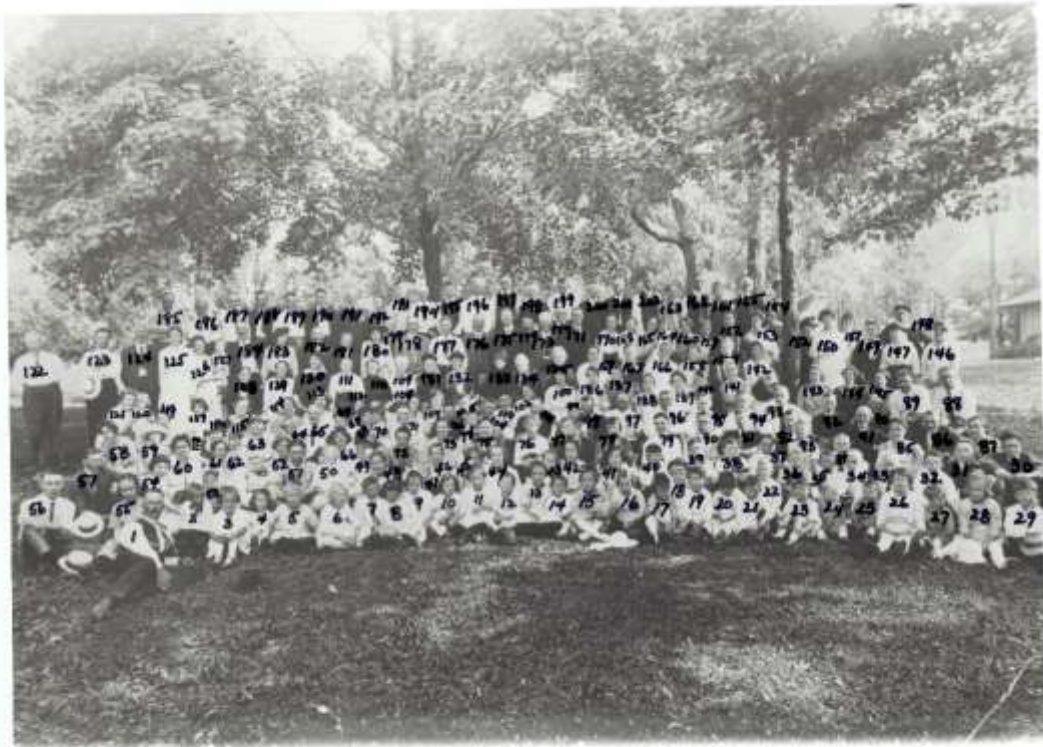
ier of Markham; Gary Williamson of Edmonton; Mrs. John (Patricia) Koelmans of Red Deer, Alberta; Mrs. Jerry (Diane) Kout of RR 2 Monkton; Margaret Gibson of Kingston; Eunice Gibson of Guelph, Alex Gibson of Avonbank and greatgrandchildren Candy Koelmans, Daniele Cormier, Emily and Pauline Koert. She is also survived by a brother Nicol Hotson of Avonbank and was predeceased by a brother Walter in 1978.

The funeral service was held at the L.A. Ball Funeral Chapel, St. Marys on Monday, Nov. 2, at 2 p.m. with Rev. James Ferguson, Stratford, officiating.

Interment was in Avonbank, Cemetery.

Pall-bearers were Murray Hotson of Avonbank, Donald Hotson of Mitchell, Jack Matthsion of St. Marys, Jerry Koert of Monkton, Alex Gibson of Avonbank and George Foley of London. Flower-bearers were grand daughters and neices.

ph1277 Bessie Hotson Williamson 20-21 deaa.



ph1278 Ballantyne Family Reunion 1921 Picture Marked copy



ph1279 Ballantyne Family Reunion Queen's Park Stratford 1921 (see marked copy ph1278)



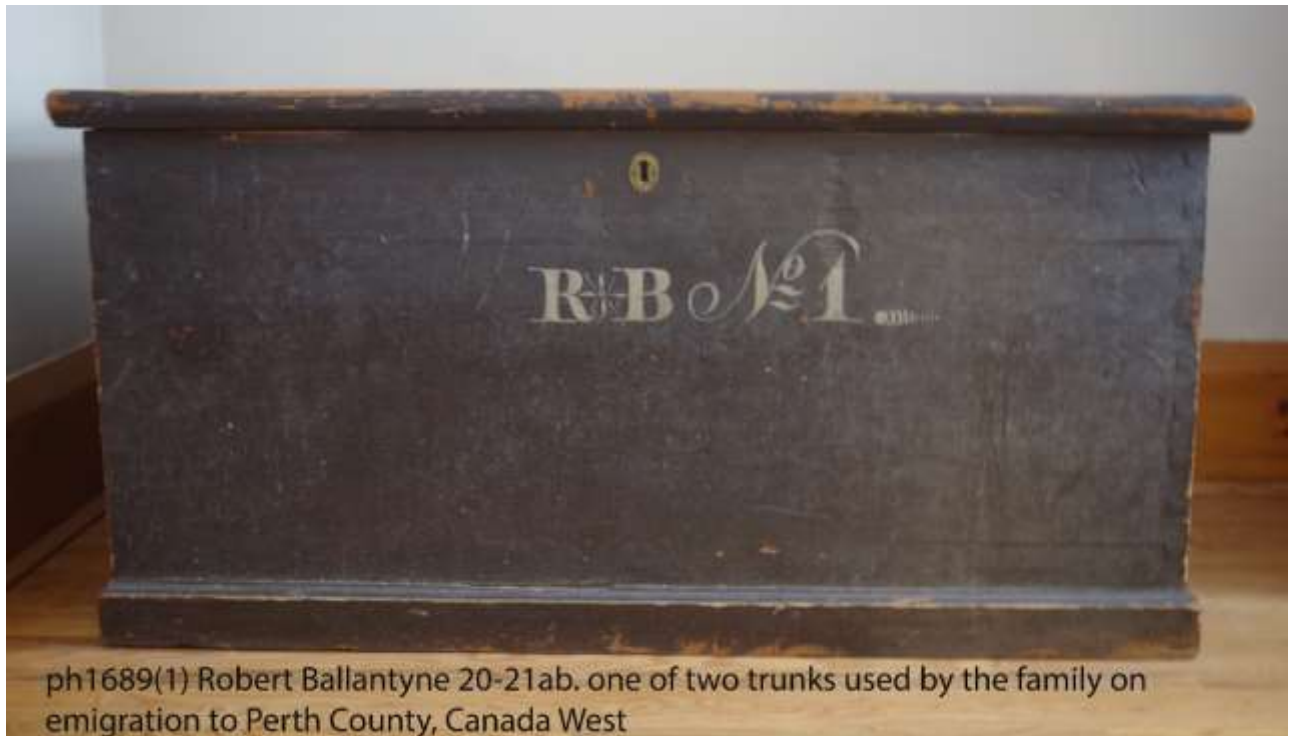
ph1351 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. farm home Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. front left likely Eliz. Jeffery Ballantyne 20-21dgb,Sp, next possibly Group 1



ph1352 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. farm Alice Irvine Ballantyne 20-21daf.Sp. (2nd left) group 2



Ph1353 Charles Ballantyne 20-21daf. farm scene group 3



ph1689(1) Robert Ballantyne 20-21ab. one of two trunks used by the family on emigration to Perth County, Canada West



ph 1689(2) Robert Ballantyne 20-21ab. Blanket box # 2



ph1866 Alice Emerson Ballantyne 20-21 daab.Sp.

