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1892 BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS FOR MEDICINE HAT
TAKEN FROM THE MEDICINE TIMES

BIRTHS

MR. & MRS. W. N. ADSIT	DAUGHTER	APRIL 22
MR. & MRS. JAMES BELLAMY	SON	DEC. 14
MR. & MRS. C. CALKINS	DAUGHTER	JULY 15
MR. & MRS. CHARLES COLTER	SON	FEB. 22
MR. & MRS. E.B. COONE	DAUGHTER	JULY 21
MR. & MRS. E. GEROW	SON	MAY 26
MR. & MRS. CHARLES GILL	DAUGHTER	DEC. 27
MR. & MRS. J. HARPER	DAUGHTER	JUNE 16
MR. & MRS. THOMAS HUTCHINSON	DAUGHTER	DEC. 2
MR. & MRS. FRANK MITCHELL	DAUGHTER	FEB. 23
MR. & MRS. R. MUIR	SON	JUNE 27
MR. & MRS. W. L. NICHOL	SON	MARCH 28
MR. & MRS. G. NICHOLSON	DAUGHTER	AUG. 31 (AT STAIR)
LATE DOCTOR ALBERT & MRS. OLVER	SON	FEB. 22
MR. & MRS. H. J. PORTER	DAUGHTER	JUNE 18
MR. & MRS. R. C. PORTER	SON	SEPT. 20 (AT DUNMORE)
MR. & MRS. W. RUTHERFORD	DAUGHTER	NOV. 8
MR. & MRS. THOMAS TWEED	DAUGHTER	NOV. 8 DIED NOV. 10
MR. & MRS. E. D. H. WILKINS	SON	AUG 7 (AT CALGARY)
MR. & MRS. THOMAS WILSON	DAUGHTER	NOV. 7
MR. & MRS. GEORGE YOUNG	SON	AUG. 8

DEATHS

BROWN, Thomas George	Oct. 25	
DEMERALS, Josephine	Aug. 29	
EWART, Jessie Herald	Feb. 3	born Oct. 15, 1891
FLEISHMAN, Infant Girl	April 10	
HAY, George Allan Jackson	Oct. 18	
IRELAND, Thomas	Sept. 16	
KENNEDY, Annie	Sept. 21	
SANDERSON, Maria McKay	Aug. 29	
TWEED, Helen	Nov. 8	
WELLBAND, Frank	Dec. 23	
WYLIE, Jessie	June 14	(at Kincorth)

MARRIAGES

AVERY - POLSON	Alfred - Pauline	Jan. 8	Methodist
BAKER - BROCK	H. A. - Annie E.	June 21	Methodist
CALDER - REYNOLDS	Dr. J. G. - Grace	Jan. 12	Presby
GAUDROW - MORAN	F. - Annie	Oct. 24	Presby
GRAYDON - ASPREY	G.H. - MRS. R	Jan. 4	
MCILWAINE - BRIAR	Andrew - Mary	Oct. 27	Presby
PORTER - FRAME	Sydney - Bella		at Moose Jaw
RICE - FLINN	Robert - Nora	Jan. 11	
ROSS - MCDONALD	Angus - Hannah	Oct. 31	Presby

QUERIES

LOOKING FOR INFORMATION ON JOSEPH HERBERT PRESTON BORN JUNE 18, 1873 IN SAVILLETOWN DEWSBURY, YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND. MOVED TO CANADA AROUND 1900 AND LIVED IN THE TORONTO AREA. WORKED AS A TUNER AT GLEN WILLIAM. HAD AT LEAST ONE DAUGHTER MARIAN AND LIVED AT ONE TIME IN BRAMPTON ONTARIO.

PLEASE CONTACT BETTY TESSMANN BOX 1105, REDCLIFF, ALBERTA T0J 2P0 IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION.

LOOKING FOR INFORMATION ON LOUISA MAUDE SOLLEY BORN ABOUT 1868 AT STRATFORD, ONTARIO. MARRIED MR. FREDERICK AND LIVING IN DETROIT MICHIGAN, U.S.A. IN 1925. MAY HAVE HAD TWO DAUGHTERS. LOUISA MAUDE PARENTS NAMES WERE STEPHEN SOLLEY AND JANE DENNE.

LOOKING FOR INFORMATION ON WILLIAM MCCUTCHEON RANCHER AROUND 1935 LAVOIE AREA (MERCHISTON RANCH) RAISED AND SHOWED CLYDESDALE HORSES AT FAIR IN VEGERVILLE WON MANY PRIZES. HE ALSO HAD SHEEP. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION YOU HAVE.

PLEASE CONTACT LYNNE RANCE 971 -21 STREET N.E. MEDICINE HAT, AB T1C 1M2

QUERIES RECEIVED THIS MONTH

DUPRE - JEAN DUPRE - BORN IN ALBERTA ABOUT 1901 - 1902
FRENCH CANADIAN, ROMAN CATHOLIC
FROM - DEBBIE RODRIGUE - 2945 - ELEGANTE PLACE
R.R. #6
VICTORIA, B.C. V9B 5T9

BOEPPLE - DANIEL AND JUSTINA BOEPPLE - LIVED IN GOLDEN PRAIRIE, SASK. DISTRICT ABOUT 1918 - JUSTINA DIED -BEFORE 1919. BURIAL PLACE UNKNOWN. DANIEL BURIED IN MEDICINE HAT HILLSIDE CEMETERY -16 SEPT 1924
FROM - MIKE REM - JOHNSON STREET, WOLFPOINT MONTANA

CHAMBERLAIN - WALTER E. BURIED 19 JULY 1915 MEDICINE HAT
- EMILY BURIED 04 MARCH 1932 MEDICINE HAT
- DAUGHTER GLADYS - MARRIED JAMES HILBUR CALKINS
CALKINS - JAMES HILBUR - BURIED 12 MARCH 1925 MEDICINE HAT
GLADYS MARRIED 2ND _____ MCINTOSH

SUBMITTED BY ADELE M. JOHNSON
QUERIES RESEARCHER

*Smith
checked listed
in paper -
15 July 18 92*

HOMESTEADERS AND EARLY FARM SETTLERS 1900'SREDCLIFF - NORTH & WEST

Theo. Kops	Lawrence Quinn	A.J. Wallace
Adam Dubeau	Harry Johnson	Dave Whitney
Ted Bardell	Keetley Johnson	Harry Bottsford
George Grieve	Frank Greenwald	Mr. Soderholm
Roy Auger	Wm. Bottsford	Wm. - Tovell
E. T. Lapp	James Myers	Roy Myers
Howard Kearney	Walter Hodges	Herb Wannamaker
L. E. Schaefer	James Haslam	Elias Viken
George Colthard	Thornton Irwin	P.H. Wedderburn
George Gibson		

REDCLIFF - NORTH & EAST

George Dickson	Robert Marty	John Marty
Rex Rose	Kniesley Bros.	Dave Masters
R.S. Further	Theo Narneko	Beawick Burk
Alex McColeman	Robt. McKnight	Fred Belisle
Lee Mansfield	Sam Kemp	Frank Schram
Forbes Schram	Andrew Forseth	Melvin Rhindahl

BOX SPRINGS

The Bedard Bros.	John Ellis	Allan Ellis
Ben Reeves	George Simpson	Timmins Family
Dave Williamson	Fred Walker	Nels Larson
Ed Reeves	Oscar Deranleau	Paul Ruell
Sol La Bere	Joe Lapointe	

MEMBER'S PROFILES

BETTY PADFIELD....born in Nova Scotia to James and Margaret (nee Metzler) Brennan. I joined the R.C.A.F. and met my husband Ken Padfield son of William and Christena (nee Dingwall) Padfield in Ontario, where we were married. We were transferred to Gypsumville, Manitoba and spent 3 years there. Our two daughters Christina and Catherine were born here.

We went to Vancouver Island next and Ken got out of the Air Force there, then we moved back to Winnipeg, Manitoba, where our son Timothy was born.

It was Ken's grandmother Gertrude (nee Shier) Padfield that really got me interested in genealogy with her stories of her life and family.

I got started searching the names of PADFIELD, SHIER, SWITZER, DINGWALL, MILNE, COX, HASSARD, PLAYFORD, STRONG, on my husband's side and BRENNAN, METZLER, MCKAY, WRIGHT, LEROUX, PURCELL, BENNETT on my mother's side since 1986.

I've written to people all over the world, Australia, New Zealand, England, United States, and almost every province of Canada as well as United States.

My main research areas are Limerick County, Ireland, Aberdeen and Angus Counties in Scotland, Somerset County in England, the Rhine area of Germany, several counties in Ontario, Dauphin and Crandall areas in Manitoba, Biggar, Sask. and Halifax and county of Nova Scotia.

I belong to Alberta Genealogical Society and the Medicine Hat branch, as well as Ontario Genealogical Society plus 4 branches.

Like most people involved in genealogy, I'm still looking for that missing bit of information that will bring everything together, but in the meantime I enjoy the challenge.

WILLIAM JOHN DOWLER

I was born in Palmerston, Ontario, raised and educated in Harriston, Minto Township, Wellington county, Ontario. The first son of George Russell Dowler and Emma Elizabeth Ellen Speers.

I married Maureen KNOWLES in Medicine Hat and have two grown children Brenda Jean and Kevin John. We are now the Grandparents of five lovely grandchildren.

I am researching DOWLER, KNOWLES, SPEERS, SHARLAND, GIBSON, CAMPBELL, STONE, BRENNAN, GOWAN, POINTON, HOCKEY, MANCHETT, STRACKEN in these areas: Ontario, Quebec, Ireland, Scotland and England.

BRIEF MENTION
THE MEDICINE HAT TIMES
THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1890

Mr. Gatt of L. B. Cochran's Cheap Cash Store spent New Year's in Calgary.

Indian Commissioner Reed was a passenger on Thursday's east bound train.

Engineer Mike Callan came down from Canmore to spend New Year's with the Hat boys.

Mrs. Hagerty who has been near the point of death is we are pleased to state recovering.

New Year's day was spent very quietly in town. Owing to the large number sick, very little calling was done.

Mr. Bridgeman left for his former home Zimmerman, Ontario on Tuesday last. He will be absent about two months.

Mr. Cowpar Coles of Maple Creek who had been the guest of Rev. Walter G. Lyon for sometime, left for home on Monday last.

Mrs. Carson, Miss Smilie and Miss Barr of Swift Current and Miss MacDonald of Calgary, attended the Brotherhood Ball.

Mr. Walter Croskill is engaged building a dwelling house for Mitchell Bros. on their ranch near the Cypress Hills.

Our nocturnal reporter was completely non plussed last night by the following query: "Is this McGinty who is being talked about and sung about so much in the east, the same Barney McGinty who used to buy oysters for the boys here in the early days."

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MEDICINE HAT FAMILY HISTORY CENTRE

HOURS OF OPERATION

TUESDAY OR THURSDAY MORNING 9:00 - 12:00

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY EVENING - 6:30 - 9:00