

PHOTO FEATURE

Michael Ignatieff - The Liberal Express



Masstown Market owner Laurie Jennings met with Liberal Candidate for Cumberland Colchester Musquodoboit Valley, Jim Burrows, Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff and Stephen MacNeill, Leader of the Nova Scotia Liberal Party (l-r) during their stopover at the Masstown Market on August 29th. (Harrington Photo)



Lillie Stewart, who is 87 years of age, and Elizabeth Collins, a youngster at 86, waited patiently for an opportunity to meet with Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff. Elizabeth is a retired school teacher and a long time Liberal supporter, and she has even received a Long Term Service Award from the Liberal Party. The two ladies were pleased when Mr. Ignatieff sat down with them for a little chat during his busy stopover at the Masstown Market. (Harrington Photo)



Lorne and Leticia Putnam, of Masstown, met Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff and Liberal Candidate for Cumberland Colchester Musquodoboit Valley, Jim Burrows at the Masstown Market. The was making four scheduled stops in Nova Scotia on on August 29th. (Harrington Photo)



Bill Wilson, Bryce Scott, Margaret Ross, Bonnie Wilson (of Little Dyke and Glenholme) and Jean MacKay (of Debert) had the opportunity to meet Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff and Liberal Candidate for Cumberland Colchester Musquodoboit Valley, Jim Burrows, at the Masstown Market. The Liberal Express tour bus was travelling through Nova Scotia. (Harrington Photo)



Masstown Market's long time employee Judy Totten was pleased to have her photo taken with Jim Burrows (Liberal Candidate for Cumberland Colchester Musquodoboit Valley), Hon. Scott Brison (MP-Kings Hants), Liberal Leader Michael Ignatieff (l to r) when the Liberal Express passed through Masstown on August 29th. (Harrington Photo)

OBITUARIES

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THURLOW (McNutt), Carolyn Louise - 53, Bible Hill, passed away July 22, 2010. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of Irene (Nibbs) McNutt, Truro and the late Cecil McNutt. She is survived by her children, Stephanie (Jason) Currie, Alton, Jason Garagan (Rachel Crozier), Courtney, B.C., Crystal Garagan (Steven Hartling), Truro; grandchildren, Taylor, Alex, Liberty, Athena, Brayden, Daya, Gylin; husband, Tony Thurlow, Truro; siblings, Eric (Tammy) McNutt, Onslow Mountain, Sharon (Clinton) Hayter, Truro, Terry McNutt, Truro, Dale (Tanya) McNutt, Truro; a niece and nephew; several aunts, uncles and cousins. No visitation by request. A Memorial Service was held July 30th in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro. On-line condolences may be made at www.colchestercommunity.com

SCOTT, Arthur Ray, 84, North River, passed way peacefully Sunday, July 25, 2010, at home. Born in Londonderry, he was a son of the late Walter and Reta (Farnan) Scott. He was a veteran of the Second World War serving overseas with the Royal Canadian Army Service Corp and the Royal Canadian Army Provost Corp. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 26, Truro. Arthur was an avid hunter and fisherman and had a great love for his hometown of Londonderry. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Freda Rushton; son Paul, Dartmouth; daughters, Susan Wilson, Truro; Krista Henderson (Glen), North River; grandchildren, Walter, Stephanie, Aidan, Emma; 5 great-grandchildren; brother, Dale, Truro; sister, Marion Howard, St. George, ON. He was predeceased by a brother, Keith; sister, Inez. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

GATTI, Maisie Lorette "Mamie", 78, Truro, passed away peacefully, Tuesday, July 27, 2010, in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born May 27, 1932, in Saint John, New Brunswick, she was raised in the loving home of the late Gordon Peppard and Myrtle "Myrt" (Cox) Webster. Mamie attended Saint James United Church, Great Village, where she was a past member of the UCW and was also a proud life member of Cavell Rebekah Lodge No. 72, Great Village. Many will remember Mamie as the friendly waitress and bartender at The Palliser, Glengarry Best Western and Keddy's. Mamie is survived by her children, Steven Gatti (Cyndy Ellis), Great Village; Margo (Keith) Woods, Halifax; Susan "Sue" (Stephen) Karrel, Great Village; Jamie (Cynthia) Gatti, Fall River; grandchildren, Shelby Gatti, Annette Woods, Mamie-Jane Karrel, David Karrel (Sarah Coleman), Sarah (David) Gatti-Yorke, Lisa Gatti; great granddaughter, Kenzie Mae Yorke. Mamie was predeceased by her husband, James Harry Gatti. Funeral service was held 2 p.m., Friday, July 30, 2010, in Saint James United Church, 47 Great Village Lornevale Road, Great Village, The Reverend Gary Yetman officiated. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

GILBERT, Ethel L. - 91, of Lakelands, Cumberland Co. passed away Saturday, July 31, 2010 at Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro surrounded by her family. Born in Oxford, she was a daughter of the late Ernest and Georgie (Wood) Gilbert. Ethel will be sadly missed by her family and friends. She is survived by a son, Ronald (Louise), Lakelands; daughters, Audrey Heward (Lorne), North Bay, Ont.; Carolyn O'Hearn (Fred), Five Islands; Diane Gilbert, Scarborough; Barbara Gilbert, Parrsboro; Bernice Fulton (Earl), Parrsboro; Joanne Gilbert, Kamloops, B.C.; Cheryl Johnson (Mike), Parrsboro; daughter in law, Norma Gilbert, Oakwood, Ont.; a sister, Lois Moore, Parrsboro; brothers, Elmer, Amherst; Vaughn (Viola), Athol; 30 grandchildren; 48 great grandchildren; 4 great-great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, J. Maxwell Gilbert; a son, Bradford; brothers, Lawson, Murray; a great grandchild, Justin Scott. Funeral service was held August 3, 2010 with Keith Selwyn-Smith, D.M. officiating. Burial in the Parrsboro United Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to a charity of choice. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

LAKE-MCGRATH, JORDAN R. - 18, of Parrsboro, Cumberland Co. passed away suddenly on Thursday, August 5, 2010 in Maccan as the result of a tragic accident. Born in Amherst, he was a son of Harold and Julie (Hughes) McGrath, Parrsboro, and James Lake (Geraldine), Truro. He is survived by brothers, Justin Lake, Ottawa; John Lake (Charlotte), Halifax; Jamie Lake (Jennifer), Hamilton, Ont.; Sherman McGrath, Parrsboro; maternal grandmother, Irma Hughes, Parrsboro; paternal grandmother, Elaine Lake, New Prospect; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral service was held August 8, 2010 at the Parrsboro Baptist Church with Rev. Greg Doyle officiating. Burial in St. George's Cemetery, Parrsboro. Memorial donations may be made to the Sports Programs of Parrsboro Regional High School, Parrsboro. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

MCKENZIE, Cecil Desmond, 85, Truro, passed away peacefully, surrounded by his loving family, on Friday evening, August 13, 2010, in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born September 25, 1924, in Selma, Hants County, he was a son of the late Daniel and Ruby (Corbett) McKenzie. Cecil attended Faith Baptist Church, Great Village. Cecil is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Muriel Ella (Spence); children, Larry (Linda) Spence, Masstown; Judy McKenzie, Alberta; Vernon McKenzie, Saskatchewan; Marilyn (Curtis) Adams, Newfoundland; Marvin McKenzie, Saskatchewan; Barbara (Stanley) Bryanton, Lower Debert; Hugh McKenzie, British Columbia; Patsy (Kenny) Smith, Great Village; Brian (Carolyn) McKenzie, Ontario; Victor (Dianna) McKenzie, Debert; Melvin McKenzie, Alberta; Glen (Angie) McKenzie, British Columbia; sister, Pearl Burns, Sydney; numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Along with his parents, he was predeceased by his sister, Ida; twin sisters, Elsie and Greta; brothers, Scott, Melvin, Wilson, Frank, William. Funeral service was held 2 p.m., Tuesday, August 17, 2010, in Faith Baptist Church, 38 Station Road, Great Village, Pastor Steve Adams officiated. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

LYNDS, Karl MacNeil - 95, Truro, passed away August 16, 2010 in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Lower Debert, he was a son of the late John and Ella (MacNeil) Lynds. In his early years, Karl worked in the Design Dept. of Eaton's in Toronto where he specialized in floats for the Christmas parades. Later he worked as a finished carpenter and built homes in Windsor, Ontario and Truro. He was a building inspector for local education institutions and was also involved with numerous real estate properties. Karl loved to travel and visited Florida for over twenty-two years consecutively. He is survived by daughter, Mary Joan Tompkins, Truro; son, Neil Lynds (Isabel), Truro; grandchildren, Michael Tompkins (Stacey), Halifax; Peter Tompkins, Truro, Jennifer Lynds (Shannon), Truro, Derek Lynds, Grande Prairie, Alta.; great-grandchild, Molly Tompkins; sister, Dorothy (Maurice) Brunet, Bible Hill; several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased by his wife, Janet Ida MacKay; brother, Frank. Funeral service was held August 20th in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro with Rev. Don MacQueen officiating. Interment in Folly Village Cemetery, Glenholme. On-line condolences may be made at www.colchestercommunity.com

RICE, Francis Forbes, 84, of Belmont, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, August 17, 2010 in the Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Annapolis Royal, he was a son of the late Reginald and Agnes (Holiday) Rice. He was a veteran of the 2nd World War serving overseas. He was a former employee of Massey Ferguson in Brantford, ON. He is survived by his wife, the former Reta Mae Fielding; step-sons, Ken Blair (Vie Legere), Truro; Fred (Anne) Blair, Hilden; step-daughters, Shirley Blair (Steve Coulter), Brantford, ON; Maxine Jollimore, River John; several step-grandchildren, step-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by sisters, Isabel "Ted" and Margaret; brother, Thomas. A graveside service and interment was held 11 a.m., Friday, August 20, in Onslow Island Cemetery, The Rev. Lori Ramsey officiated. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MOORE, WILLIAM E. - 71, of Parrsboro, Cumberland Co. passed away Tuesday, August 17, 2010 at Cumberland Regional Health Care Centre, Upper Nappan. Born in River Hebert, he was a son of the late Frederick and Mae (Peck) Moore. Bill spent 20 years serving with the Canadian Armed Forces retiring in 1976. His favorite spot was to spend time at his camp. He enjoyed playing his piano and making people laugh. Most of all, he loved his family and friends. He is survived by a daughter, Angela Moore-Emerly (James), Penetanguishene, Ont.; sons, Chris (Allana), Millford; Thomas, Freiburg, Germany; Tommy Brown, Truro; brothers, Fred and Clayton, both of Windsor, Ont.; two grandsons, Jagger and Jeremy. Cremation has taken place. Private family services will be held at a later date. Arrangements entrusted to Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

PHILLIPS, MARY - 88, of Parrsboro, Cumberland Co. passed away Wednesday, August 18, 2010 at Cumberland Regional Health Care Centre, Upper Nappan surrounded by her family. Born in Stonehouse, England, she was a daughter of the late Percival and Katherine (Peyton) Shortt. Mary loved her British heritage and enjoyed telling stories of growing up in England. She came to Canada in December of 1944 as a war bride, accompanied by her 21 month old daughter, Saundra. She became a Canadian citizen in 1970. She was proud co-owner of Phil's Restaurant and Laundromat. She is survived by daughters, Saundra Spence (George), Parrsboro; Theresa Kay (Stephen Millen), Waterloo, Ont.; Kimberley Phillips, Amherst; sons, Kevin (Rozelle Morris), Parrsboro; Kendall (Patrick Burke), Mississauga, Ont.; a sister, Peg and a brother, Peter, both of Stonehouse, England; 11 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren and a great-great granddaughter; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Rupert (1985); a daughter, Lyndis (2003); a son, Barrington in infancy (1953); a grandson, Craig in infancy (1972); brother, Gerald; step-father, Harry Pulley. Funeral service was held Saturday August 21, 2010 at Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro, Rev. Tory Byrne officiating. Burial in St. George's Cemetery, Parrsboro. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

DAVIDSON, Catherine Morrison, 96, of Bass River/Truro, passed away peacefully, Friday, August 20, 2010 in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Catherine "Kay" was born February 8, 1914, at Marble Mountain, Inverness County, to Daniel John and Margaret Morrison (Nee MacLennan). A young graduate of Mount Allison University in 1933, Catherine taught school first at Marble Mountain, then in Richmond County and later in Belmont, Upper Musquodoboit and finally Bass River. There she met and married Douglas R. Davidson of Portauquique Mountain, where they raised their four children on the Davidson family farm. Kay was integrally involved in the lives of her family; children: Margaret Forbes (Robert), Jean Giddens (Richard), Gordon (Nancy) and John (Anita); grandchildren; Heather, Andrew, John David "JD", Peter, Tim, Sheilah, Janet, Ian, Sarah, Gavin, Fiona, Sean; great-grandchildren; Fiona, Jack, Teah, Payton, William, Hunter. Funeral service was held 2:30 p.m., Monday, August 23, 2010, in Riverside United Church, Bass River, Rev. Don McQueen and Rev. Roger Moore officiated. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

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