

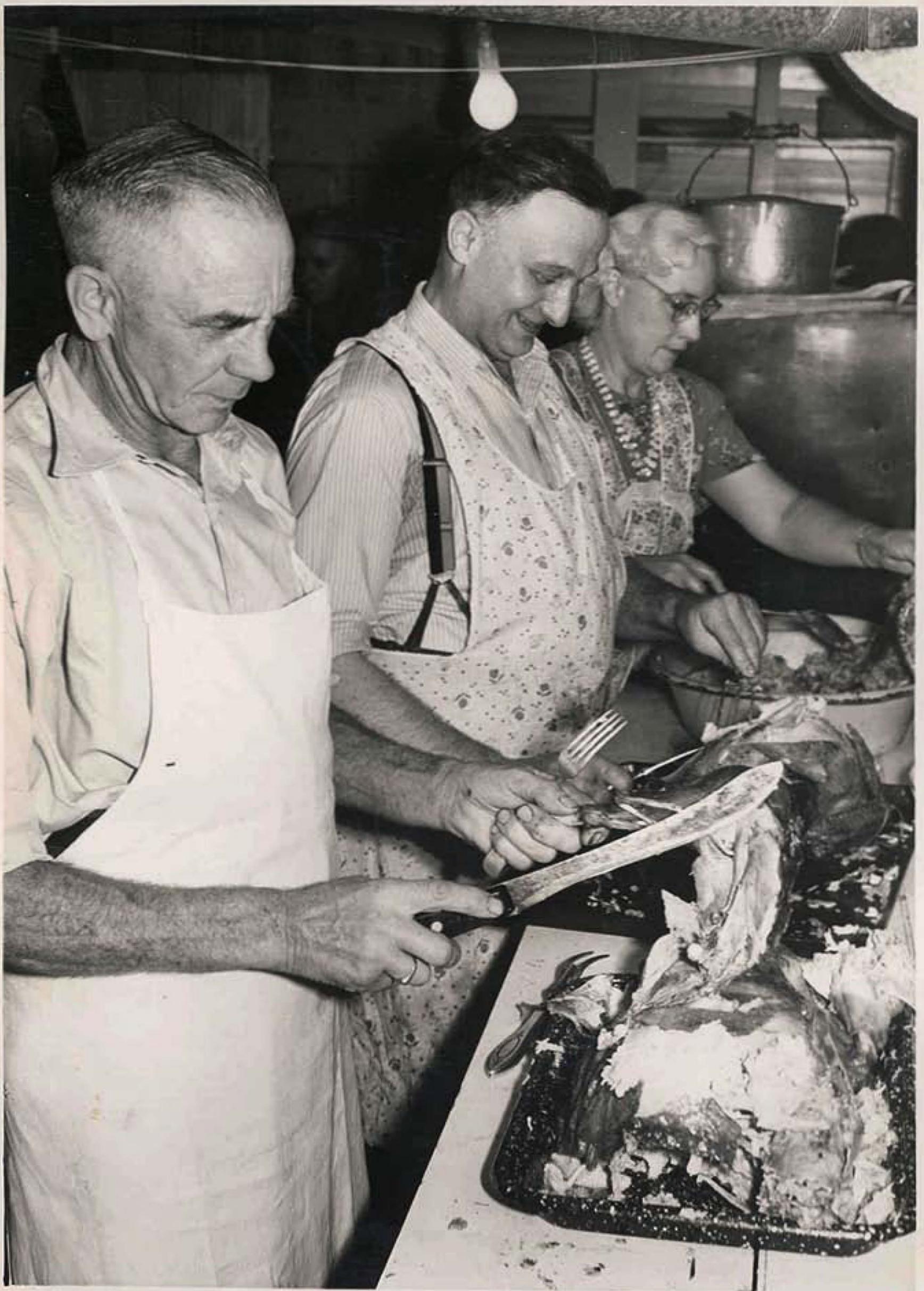


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Turkey Suppers Are Fall Event 1966

When the frost is on the pumpkin comes the time of church suppers, particularly in the rural sections of our province. One of these popular annual events was held at Temperanceville United Church October 26, when more than 300 people gorged themselves on the good things served in bounteous measure.

All told they consumed 325 pounds of turkey, 90 pies and more than 30 dozen tarts, along with vegetables, relishes and salads. In the picture above Mrs. W. James and Mrs. J. Gillham show with evident pride, the large variety of pies offered as dessert.



F. Boye

F. Nare.

Mrs. B. Palmer



Mrs. H. Lloyd
S. & Y. Nester
Mrs. D. Glass
Mrs. H. Turner
(standing)

G. Gellham
Mrs. J. Gellham
Mr. & Mrs. B. Hall
Chas. Henshaw.

Temperanceville Turkey Supper 1951



Mrs. H. Jennings Mrs. C. Beynon



Joan Hare

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LOVE- James and Mary Love travelled to Upper Canada in 1803 from Pennsylvania by horseback with babe in arms and an older child. They travelled up the so-called Yonge Street but not much better than a foot path, and settled on lot 67 Con I King in 1804. In 1804 their 3rd child was born, five more born here at this place. They moved to the second lot above Temperanceville corner and lived the rest of their lives here.

A stone was erected here "James Love died June 30, 1851 age 80.

" Mary Love died Oct. 15, 1853 age 74.

In 1799 three Love brothers came up from Pennsylvania, by horseback and camping enroute. A very tragic accident happened on this visit to Upper Canada near the Town of York. They were sleeping in a tent, when one brother thought he heard noises of an animal close by so he got up and went out to investigate. The other two brothers did not hear him go out. They heard noises outside too and went out with their gun. The first brother was shot by the second brother. He died shortly after being shot, leaving a young widow with a baby girl.

Nancy the widow took up residence in the town of York, later became a housekeeper to two bachelors, Seneca and Jesse Ketchum. Both brothers fell in love with her and wanted to marry her. They cast lots, and Jesse won.

St. James Anglican Church, record "On the 24th day of Jan. 1804 Nancy Love and Jesse Ketchum were married by me.

Rev. Geo. O'Kill Stewart"

It was Jesse Ketchum Jr.

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE RECORDS

UPPER CANADA

May 1804---Jesse Ketchum Jr.--blue eyes and fair hair age 23.

Mar. 1805--Jesse Ketchum, occupation,--Tanner on Yonge Street.
Protestant, Presbyterian---age 65.

Henry Worthington Bolitho

Taught school---

At Eversley 1843

Oak Ridges 1845

Aurora

Vaughan Township 1872

Patterson Village S.S.# 19.

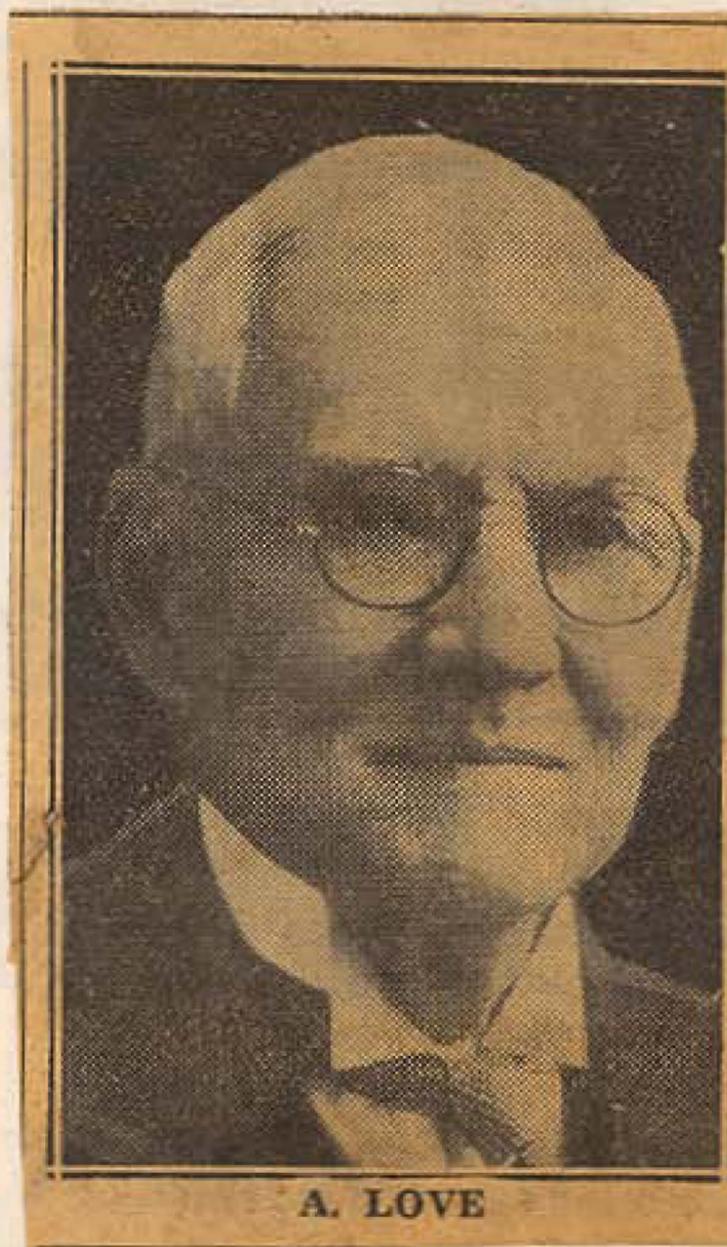
CLEARING SNOW HAS WALK TO MARK 92nd BIRTHDAY.

Aurora, Feb. 17, --A. Love to-day celebrated his 92 birthday in active style by walking down town clearing snow and greeting friends. Mrs Love has been secretary-treasurer of the public and high school boards since 1916.

Born at Temperanceville of pioneer stock, Mr. Love taught school in King Township before coming to Aurora 58 years ago. His family has owned property in King Township since 1810. Mr. Love remembers when forested land was abundant in the area.

Two daughters Mrs. F. Thornloe, Lansing, and Miss Lois Love, Aurora, were present at a birthday celebration. A son F. Love, lives in Winnipeg.

1955.



Written in about the year 1900

ALFRED LOVE, one of the highly esteemed and respected citizens of the town of Aurora, York County, who is serving as magistrate and notary public of Aurora, was born in King township, in February 1847, son of Mathew and Eliza (Beynon) Love, a pioneer family of King township.

Mathew Love was born in King township in 1811, of U.E. Loyalist stock, and his wife in Ireland in 1807, she being the daughter of John Beynon, who came to York County in 1820, and settled as a farmer in King township, where he died, leaving nine children: Jonathan, Rev. George, John, Thomas, Barnes, Eliza, Esther, who was the wife of John Lindsey, of York County, Jane, wife of John Elliott, of Toronto, and Margaret, wife of John Gamble, of York County.

Mathew Love was the son of James and Mary (Whitton) Love, who came from Wayne County, Pennsylvania, in 1799, to King township, and were the very first settlers on Lot 66, Concession 1, King township, where they spent the remainder of their lives. After coming to Canada they were connected with the Methodist Church. James and Mary Love had these children: John, born in Pennsylvania, settled and died in King township, leaving children - John, Edgar, James, Jane, Lydia, Mary and Lovian; James Love, born in Pennsylvania settled in Illinois, and had six children - Joel, Robert, Evan, Mary, Jane and Elzada, all residents of that state; Mathew was third in the order of birth; David, born in York County in 1818, married a Miss Hollingshead, settled as a farmer in King township, and had eight children - William, James, John, Robert, Henry, Mary (wife of Alfred Ireland), Lydia (on the old homestead), and George (of Markham township); Robert, born in 1826, in King township, married Mary A. Fleury, of York County, and settled on his father's old homestead, where he died, leaving a family as follows - Amos, Joseph, Anson, Martin, Lambert, Arthur, Mary E. (deceased, of Toronto), and Lydia (wife of a Mr. Harris, of Toronto); Mary, born in King township in 1828, and now deceased, was the wife of Jonathan Beynon (also deceased), of King township, and they had these children - Mariah (wife of John Newlove, of California) Elijah (deceased), Isaiah (deceased), Sarah (the wife of John Ogden of Aurora), Elizabeth, Mary J., and John (of Manitoba); and Lydia, born in King township in 1831, now deceased, was the wife of Barnes Beynon, and died in King township, leaving children - Mary (wife of John Rupert, of Toronto), Jane (wife of Thomas Pedlow, deceased, of Toronto), James B. (of Manitoba, Margaret (wife of Edward Grice, deceased, of Toronto), Ann (single, of Toronto), and Catherine (wife of John C. Wallace, of Toronto).

Mathew Love, son of James, and father of Alfred, was educated in the public schools of King township, where, when a young man he taught school for several terms. He was also a clerk for the Jesse Ketchum Tanning Company for some years, and in 1834 he married Eliza Beynon, mentioned above, and settled in King township, where he carried on farming until a few years prior to his death, where he located in Aurora, and there lived retired. He died in 1889, and his wife passed away in 1885. He was a consistent member of the Methodist Church, and was for many years a church officer. While a staunch Reformer in politics, he never aspired to public office.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Love were the parents of these children: Mariah, born in Ing township, in 1835, resides in Aurora; Ruth born in 1838, married Rev. J.F. Dyer, Emma, born in 1841, is the wife of John Sampson, of Manitoba, and has two sons - Wilbur and Walter; Miriam, Aaron and Moses, triplets, born in February, 1844, all lived to maturity; Moses died in 1878, Miriam and Aaron still surviving; Alfred; Alpheus, died when a child; Enoch W., born in 1852, and now in the milling business, married Miss Emma Lloyd of Whitchurch township, and has children - Harried (of Toronto), Mamie Lou, Charles E. (of Toronto), and George B. (at the old home).

Alfred Love received his early education in the schools of King township and he later became a pupil at the Newmarket high school, after which he taught school for twelve years. In February, 1876, he married Miss Mary Rank, born in King township in 1847, daughter of Thomas and Annie Rank. After marriage Mr. and Mrs. Love settled in King township, where he engaged in teaching until 1880, when he located in Aurora, and engaged with the J. Fleury firm as a bookkeeper, remaining eleven years. He then engaged in mercantile pursuits, and in the real estate and conveyance business for some years, and still continues in the real estate business to a certain extent. After locating in Aurora he purchased land and erected a fine brick home, where he has resided since 1883.

To Mr. and Mrs. Love have been born four children: Lois E. born in 1885, is an operator for the telephone company of Aurora; Abbie, born in 1888, and educated in the High school of Aurora, is now employed as a clerk in Toronto; Otto B., born in 1890, died in childhood; Frank S. born in 1882, is a graduate of the high school of Aurora, and of the Commercial College of Toronto, and is now employed with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company at Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Love are connected with the Methodist Church. In politics he is a Reformer. In 1890 he was elected councilman, serving one year in that capacity, and in 1893 was elected a trustee of the high school, serving continuously in that position to the present time. In 1896 Mr. Love was elected magistrate of York County, and still holds that position, and has largely the administration of justice for the town, and acts as well as assessor and collector of taxes of the town of Aurora. In 1905 Mr. Love was appointed notary public, and he is still filling that position very acceptably. He is fraternally connected with the Masonic Order at Newmarket.

Mr. Love is essentially a self-made man. Starting out in life with no capital, except a determination to succeed and a pair of willing hands, he has worked his way, step by step, to the prominent place in which he now finds himself. A conscientious, fearless public official, a business man of strict integrity, a kind and gentle husband and father, and withal a genial and pleasant companion, Mr. Love is truly a representative citizen of County York, Ontario.