



WILLIAM (BILL) CHARLTON McDOWELL
1925 - 1986

William (Bill) Charlton McDowell was born in Langton, Ontario, on January 16, 1925. His parents were Robert Guy McDowell and Ella Elizabeth McDowell. He attended Elementary School in Langton and High School in Simcoe.

Mr. McDowell graduated from Queens University in 1948 with a degree in Civil Engineering. He articulated to Col. S.W. Archibald in London and was commissioned as an Ontario Land Surveyor in June of 1949. Bill immediately went into private practice in Simcoe and in 1950, went into partnership with H.V. Jewitt, O.L.S., under the name of McDowell & Jewitt.

In 1965 he became Engineer for the County of Norfolk and on the introduction of Regional Government in 1974, he was appointed Director of Engineering for the Region of Haldimand Norfolk. He continued in this capacity until his death.

An avid curler, golfer and bridge player, he will be sadly missed by his many friends.

He is survived by his wife Dot, sons Thomas Guy, of Calgary, and William James, of Langton, his brother Robert, sister Mary and five grandchildren. He was predeceased by son Robert Henry in 1970.