IN MEMORIAM

CUAJ honours its members and friends who have passed away. We invite colleagues of the deceased to submit brief remembrances. Please limit your notice to 200 words. Send your notice to journal@cua.org or fax it to 514-395-1664.

Dr. Lorne Mitchell

Dr. Mitchell died on September 7, 2009, at the age of 94. He graduated from Queen's University in 1942, enlisted in the Royal Canadian Medical Corps and survived as a Captain during World War II in Calgary. In Calgary, he met and married Agnes Freebairn from Pincher Creek, Alberta. Together they raised 8 children, 20 grand-children and 11 great-grandchildren.

Dr. Mitchell practiced as a urologist in Calgary for over 50 years. In 1954, he returned to his love of raising Hereford cattle when he purchased the Flintrock Ranch near Pincher Creek. After retiring from the practice of medicine at 75 years old, he concentrated on rebuilding antique tractors and farm equipment, and helping out at Heritage Acres. For the past four years Lorne and Agnes have been residents of Vista Village in Pincher Creek.

He is survived by Agnes (Freebairn), his wife of 66 years, his children Rob (Maureen), John (Bonnie), Joan (Wulf) Gerhardt, Mary Freebairn, (Walter Pasieka) Gordon (Lola), Lorna (Darrell) MacLachlan, Philip (Elizabeth) and Carol Borrett.