



Dr. Frederick Delmage Carlotta McQuaig Delmage

Frederick William Delmage, M. D.—One of the most prominent members of the medical profession in St. Lawrence County is Doctor Delmage, who has successfully engaged in general practice at Hermon for more than 30 years. He was born at St. Marys, Ontario, Canada, Jan. 27, 1871, the son of James and Mary (Rutherford) Delmage.

James Delmage was a native of Ireland, as was also his wife. They were married in Quebec, Canada, and in early life Mr. Delmage was a physical director. He later was a member of the police force in Toronto and subsequently became chief of police at St. Mary's, Ontario. He lived in Chicago during the latter part of his life, but died at St. Marys in 1904. His wife died in 1924. Both are buried there. He held membership in the Episcopal Church, Masonic Lodge, and was a Conservative in politics. The following children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Delmage: 1. Mary. 2. Martha. 3. Bell. 4. Clara, married E. Vining. 5. Frederick William, the subject of this sketch. 6. Edith, a teacher. 7. Edgar. 8. Emmeline, a teacher. All live in Canada.

After his graduation from St. Marys High School, Frederick William Delmage taught school for two and one-half years. He then attended St. Marys Collegiate Institute and was graduated from the Model Training School at Stratford, Ont. He received the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the University of Toronto in 1895 and the degree of Doctor of Medicine at McGill University in 1897. He then spent two years in practice at Barre, Vt., and in May, 1899, located at Russell, N. Y. He came to Hermon in January, 1900. He is a member of the St. Lawrence County, New York State, and American Medical associations.

In 1903 Dr. Delmage was married (first) to Miss Carlotta McQuaig, the daughter of William and Ella (Hale) McQuaig, natives of Ottawa, Ont., and St. Lawrence County respectively. Both are deceased and are buried at Hermon. Carlotta (McQuaig) Delmage died in 1914, and is buried at Hermon. There were three children born to Doctor and Mrs. Delmage: 1. Rosina, a graduate of St. Lawrence University, class of 1927, now a teacher at Waterport (N. Y.) High School. 2. Marian, a graduate of St. Lawrence University, class of 1928, now a teacher of English at Alfred (N. Y.) High School. She married John E. Galloway, who is physical director at Alfred High School. 3. Rutherford E., attends St. Lawrence University, class of 1932.

Dr. Delmage was married (second) in 1920 to Miss Frances Nickerson, the daughter of Sherman Nickerson. He was a well known farmer of Canton, N. Y., and is now deceased.

Politically Dr. Delmage is a Republican. He has been president of the Hermon Board of Education for ten years and was one of the founders of the Chamber of Commerce, of which he also served as president. His lodge affiliations are: Hermon Lodge, F. and A. M. No 500, Past Master and Trustee; St. Lawrence Chapter R. A. M.; St. Lawrence Commandery, K. T.; Central City Consistory, 32nd degree; Media Temple; Hermon Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, Past Patron; and Past District Deputy Grand Lecturer.