

## In Memoriam: Clint Milligan

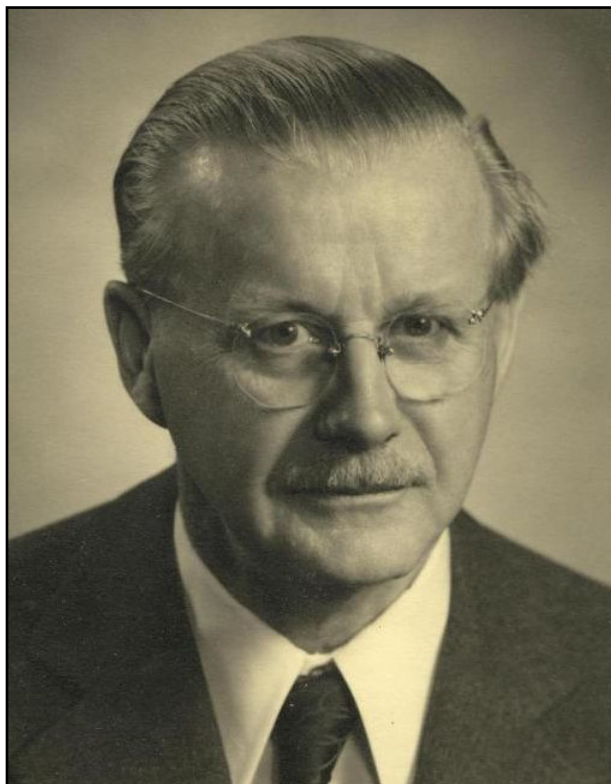
George Clinton Milligan died January 23, 2018 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, aged 98.

Clint was born at Tyne Valley, P.E.I. in 1919, as the son of Arthur Wesley and Fannie Isabelle (Brown) Milligan. He was educated at Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, where he was the Governor-General's silver medalist in 1939; at Dalhousie University, Halifax (Dipl.Eng., BSc, MSc); and at Harvard University, Boston, Mass. (AM, PhD). A veteran of the Second World War, he served in England, as meteorological officer with HQ 1 Cdn Corps in Italy and the Netherlands.

From 1950 until 1957 Clint served as a geologist with the provincial Department of Mines and Natural Resources in Manitoba. During this time he worked on Precambrian geology and mineral resource projects in the Utik-Bear lakes area, northern Superior craton, in the Lower Seal River area, as well as in the Lynn Lake belt. The latter, which was also his PhD thesis at Harvard, is captured in Mines Branch Publication 57-1: Geology of the Lynn Lake District, including a series of beautiful, full-coloured (!) geological maps and sections still used by geologists today.

Between 1962 and 1967 Clint did geological survey work in the highlands of Cape Breton for the Province of Nova Scotia. From 1957 to 1985 he taught in the Geology Department of Dalhousie and was that department's advisor to undergraduate students. The student lounge in the Life Sciences Building, Dalhousie University was named in his honour in recognition of his dedication to undergraduates. Professor Milligan was Assistant Dean of Science from 1988 to 1990 when he retired.

Dr. Clint Milligan was a life member of the Association of Professional Engineers of Nova Scotia, and of the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum, a Fellow of the Geological Association of Canada, and a former president of



the Nova Scotian Institute of Science. He was a volunteer with UNICEF Canada, the Dartmouth Food Bank, the Nova Scotia Museum and with Scientists in the Schools. Clint is survived by his daughter, Marlene Davis, daughter Betty Ann Aaboe-Milligan and her husband Kim, his son Jayar Milligan and his wife Jenny, along with five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.