

CLAREMONT

By Staff Correspondent

Copies of The Tribune are on sale every week at the Ernie Baker Grocery.

Miss Kathleen Beelby spent Saturday in Toronto.

Miss McGlashen spent a few days recently in Toronto.

It is reported that Miss Jean Ward is in rather poor health.

Mrs. Duncan Morgan is visiting at the home of Miss S. E. Evans.

Miss E. Brown of Toronto was a weekend visitor with her sister Mrs. H. G. McIntyre.

Mrs. E. Stephenson of Toronto visited with old friends here recently.

The B.Y.P.U. of the Baptist Church held their regular meeting on Monday evening. Mr. Goddard was guest speaker.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hedges is at present sick with the flu.

Birth—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Warden on Tuesday, Nov. 12, 1940, a son. (Roger Lee).

Mrs. Norman Wilson of Brooklin visited friends in the village on Saturday.

Miss Hopkins of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter recently.

Miss Enid Cook of Toronto visited over the weekend at her home here.

Mr. Dimmerjon of Toronto and formerly of Claremont was in town on Saturday called on many former friends here.

Visitors at the Warden home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sykes, also Mr. and Mrs. Merle Boose both of Toronto.

Mr. William Beaton of the Philip's plant, Oshawa was up to the village where he was a pallbearer for the Eric Pearce funeral.

Miss Clara Seal of Toronto and a former resident of the village attended the funeral here last week of the late Eric Pearce.

Mrs. A. D. Peters of Port Perry Perry visited with her daughter Mrs. George Beverley and family for a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morgan attended the funeral of a cousin, Alex. Thoms of Dunbarton on Saturday to the Erskine Church.

William Porter who has been employed on the Charles Sargent farm on the north townline has taken a new position with the Arnold farms at Pickering.

We understand four young men of this district have been called up for military service in the 22-year-

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Claremont Ladies Outshone All Others in Winning War Work Cash Prize

Claremont ladies making up the Shoulder-to-the-Wheel Club are certainly to be congratulated in winning the \$25 award being given by the magazine "Canadian Countryman."

The judges commented most favorably on the outstanding work of the Claremont group stating that it would serve as a fine inspiration for other war workers. The local ladies far outshone any of the other entries and their accomplishment should certainly be a strong incentive of groups in the district who might undertake similar projects.

As explained by Mrs. H. G. McIntyre, president, Claremont began with a Red Cross Branch of five units which quickly worked up all available funds. As a result during last winter the Women's institute divided into groups and put on different forms of entertainment to raise money and in this way made it possible for the work to be carried on. During the summer when the need for refugee help became urgent the Claremont group sponsored by the W. I. and assisted by the ladies of the community began to make quilts and clothing. In August tickets were sold on a quilt which netted \$87.00. From June 4th to October 1st 106 quilts, including refugee and finer quilts have been made and \$550 taken in. Several of the quilts sold have gone to Toronto to Chicago and to Ottawa.

For the contest the thirteen member of the group comprising the Shoulder-to-the-Wheel group made the following list during the month just ended:

township ills on Dr. N. F. Tomlinson.
Over 400 Attend Supper

Over 400 hungry people had their wants taken care of at the fowl supper sponsored by the United Church here last week. Close to \$200 will be realized from the affair. The Stouffville Orchestra was present and provided some supper music for the big crowd which was much appreciated. Despite the rather unfortunate circumstances which surrounded the drama put on by local talent the program went off without a hitch. Mrs. Eric Pearce who held the leading roll was unable to take her part due to the unfortunate passing of Mr. Pearce on the day previous. Mrs. D. Booth who had been assisting with the getting up of the play filled in the gap on short notice and did a fine job.

Farmer Overcome in Barn Death Followed Shortly

Working in the horse stable on the farm of Douglas Beach at Siloam, Walter Norton native of Uxbridge township, who lives with his son Alvin Norton near the Beach home, was overcome with weakness of some nature and fell unconscious behind the animals. This was just after the noon hour on Thursday, and within half an hour he was found by Murray Paisley who happened to enter the stables. He was rushed into the Beach home and given first aid, but died in a short time. He was in his 62nd year.

Deceased had been drawing in corn all morning, but appeared to have suffered a heart attack. Fortunately when he fell to the floor he landed clear of the horse he was near, as he had not been bruised in any way.

The funeral on Saturday afternoon to Uxbridge with service in the Fifth Line Church was very largely attended. The deceased is survived by his wife and by three sons and one daughter, namely, George of Lindsay, Alvin with whom the father lived at Siloam, and Finlay in the Midland Battalion stationed at Lindsay. The only daughter is Mrs. Harvey DeRusha of Lindsay. Brothers of the deceased were Dan. Norton, Uxbridge, Joe on the 5th of Uxbridge, and Abram of Whitby. Mrs. Mason in Barrie was a sister.

ALEXANDER THOM
Alexander Thom, 77, a lifelong resident of Pickering Township, died Thursday at his home. An active member of Erskine United Church. Mr. Thom was on the board of managers. Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Frank White, and one sister, Miss Agnes Thom.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETS NOVEMBER 25
Ontario County Council has been called by Warden Leslie A. McMull-

Men's knitted Articles—23 pairs socks, 7 pairs mitts, 5 pairs rifle mitts, 6 sweaters, 2 scarfs, 1 pair wristlets.

Men's and Boys' Articles—12 large size hospital bedgowns, 12 suits pyjamas, 6 men's work shirts, 6 suits boys' pyjamas, 5 pair boys' pants, Windbreaker.

Ladies' Articles—6 ladies dresses, 6 ladies' dresses, 6 ladies slips, 7 ladies' aprons; 12 pair ladies' bloomers, 6 ladies' nightgowns.

Girls' Articles—1 knitted parka; 6 dresses, 6 skirts, 6 blouses, 9 dresses, 6 nighties, 1 cloth fur-trimmed parka; 12 pairs panties; 12 slips; 4 knitted sweaters, 6 children's coats,

Baby Garments—6 nighties, 6 dresses, 6 slips, 6 baby jackets, 6 pairs booties, 12 bands, 3 knitted bonnets, 1 knitted sweater, 18 diapers.

Other Articles—12 terry towels, 24 pillow-covers, pieced and quilted 20 refugee quilts.

Served a hot supper, followed by games and made \$36.25. Gave War Saving Stamps for prizes.

Held a Euchre and cleared \$8.75. Served suppers to bowlers and cleared \$8.75. Pieced, quilted and sold 15 quilts, and, after taking out expenses, cleared \$87.00. Held an exhibition of the Group's month's work and charged 10c admission. From this was made \$11.70.

The thirteen ladies who comprised the Claremont Club are: Mrs. Will Birkett, Mrs. D. A. Pugh, Mrs. H. G. McIntyre, Mrs. Condy, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Jno. Coates, Mrs. Hudson, Mrs. Roy Ward, Mrs. W. P. Jones, Mrs. Frank Barclay, Mrs. Ernie Baker, Mrs. Will Porter and Mrs. Wallace.

Men to meet at the Court House on Monday afternoon, November 25th, at two o'clock, for the final session of the year.

So far as is known now, there is no contentious question on the docket for this session although anything is liable to come up.

Business of the session will be largely routine, with all of the committees reporting.

The Thank-offering meeting of the Mission Circle will meet at the Baptist parsonage on Wednesday,

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Brougham

Messrs. David and Charles Liscombe of Toronto visited at the home of their father on Sunday.

Mr. Albert Harvey of Toronto called on friends on Sunday.

Miss Mary Malcolm of Toronto spent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. Thomas Robertson had a business trip to Toronto one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter who formerly lived in the Gannon apartment have moved to Liverpool.

Earl Bell suffered a sprained knee during a friendly scuffle recently and has been off work. He is a thresher with Dean Mairs.

Messrs. Alex. Eli and son Norman Mairs of Scugog were recent guests at the home of their cousin Mr. Dean Mairs.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Wm. Gray, jr., on Wednesday last, when about 35 friends and relatives gathered to help Mr. Gray celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Madill of Roach's Point visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Madill over the weekend.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. Charles Storey, whose father (the

late T. C. Gostick died at his home in Stouffville.

It was with deepest regret, that we learn of the death of Mr. Wm. Devit, at his home in Brooklin. Mr. and Mrs. Devit were well and favorably known in our midst, having lived for a number of years on the homestead just east of the village, now occupied by his son Carl.

Mr. D. Mairs and family visited at the home of D. Dawson of Claremont on Sunday.

The Firemen held their Euchre and Dance in the Hall on Friday night, with a good crowd in attendance. The prize winners were: Ladies 1st. Miss Ruby Booth. Ladies 2nd—Mrs. Arch Bunker. Gent's 1st. Gordon Philip, and Gent's 2nd. Mr. A. Bunker.

Miss Nora Ham has been laid up with a severe attack of Flu. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dingman of Whitby had dinner with A. B. and Mrs. Matthews on Sunday.

The W. I. held their regular meeting on Tuesday last at the home of Mrs. M. Hamilton, and Rev. I. Kennedy gave a very interesting talk on "Peace and Present Conditions." There was a fine display of work done by members for Red Cross and War Relief. An invitation was accepted to visit Brooklin W.I. at their meeting on Nov. 27th. Attendance was 45. Roll call was answered by suggestions for Peace and Home." Mesdams Hamilton, Beer, Mairs, and Madill served a dainty lunch.

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