

# CLAREMONT

By Staff Correspondent

Mr. Thos. Gregg has taken a position as caretaker of the United Church replacing Mr. Condy who resigned last week.

Mrs. L. Feasby of Sandford visited relatives here last Wednesday. Jack Lehman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Lehman of the townline has taken a position in Toronto.

Mrs. Roy Alsop and family moved from their townline home to Toronto where Mr. Alsop is employed for the winter months.

The townline ladies are selling tickets on a handsome rug, the proceeds of which will go to the British War Victims' Fund.

Mr. Vince Baker has been under the doctor's care for several weeks, and his many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Elmer Sherk is filling a carpentering contract at Dean Malr's store, Brougham, where the upstairs is being remodelled for an apartment.

Miss Marjorie Ward, R.N., and her sister Mrs. Alan Fry of Toronto visited over the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradberry and children of Uxbridge visited at the Connor home last week.

Miss Margaret Briscoe of Brooklin visited at her home here over the weekend.

Mrs. Robert Fuller was in Pickering on Saturday, and expected to begin work there at the Munitions Plant this week.

Mrs. Bud Norton also Mrs. Jess Warden are now working at the Pickering Plant.

Mr. Wm. Dickinson we understand will move from his 9th concession residence at the end of this month, and will make his home in the house formerly occupied by the late Mrs. Wm. Hill.

Mrs. Daniels, wife of the local Baptist pastor is improving after an illness which has confined her to the parsonage for several weeks.

Mrs. Sanders who has been spending some time with relatives at Lemonville has returned to her home here for a few days. She has been residing here with her daughter since her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Knott have vacated the house in the Beal apartment and have moved to Toronto where Mr. Knott has taken a position.

We understand Mr. Obijah Forsyth has left this locality to spend the remainder of the winter in Toronto at the home of his son Roy.

The annual meeting of the Claremont North Pickering Branch of Red Cross will be held on Friday, January 30, in the Community Hall, Claremont, at 8 p.m. Good program. You are urged to be present. Altona people please note the meeting.

Moved to Town  
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lintner and family have left the farm and taken up residence in the house owned by the late Mrs. M. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. Lintner have been operating the Sargeant farm on the townline. Mr. Lintner is now working at the Pickering Plant.

Douglas Norton Wed  
The wedding was quietly solemnized last week of Douglas Norton, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Norton and Miss Simpson whose home is just east of the town of Uxbridge. Douglas is a brother of Bud Norton well-known Claremont boy. The couple will reside in Oshawa.

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Pickering Sunday Schools Raised Nearly \$400 for Missions Last Year.  
Approximately \$400 was raised by Pickering Township Sunday Schools, it was revealed at the annual Convention held in the Baptist Church here last Wednesday. A splendid attendance was registered at the sessions. The work of the Sunday Schools is conducted by one hundred and thirty-nine officers, who have in their charge 335 pupils, 33 of whom are on the nursery roll.

It was pointed out that there had been a marked increase in the church attendance of the school pupils, and the addition of 44 pupils to the church membership roll was given as proof of this. Officers elected for 1942 are as follows: Pres., Edgar Ward, Balsam; vice Pres., Mr. McIntosh, Dunbarton; Pres., Girls' Work, Mrs. G. C. Jones, Mt. Zion; Pres. Boys' Work, A. Kayes, Whitevale; Supt. Adult Work, Mrs. B. Reesor, Altona; Teachers' Training, Rev. Jenkins, Pickering and Rev. Madden, Dunbarton; Decision, N. F. Goddard, Claremont; Temperance, R. Mowbray, Kinsale; Home Dept., Mrs. Wm. Gee, Greenwood; Missionary Supt., Rev. I. E. Kennedy; Children's Work Dept., Mrs. L. Hagerman, Whitevale.

## Ont. County's Oldest Resident Dead

William Pile Was in His 100th Year—Was a Successful Farmer.

William Pile, nonagenarian and Ontario County's oldest man, passed away Sunday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. A. P. Parish, near Brooklin, in his 100th year. Had he lived until next August he would have reached the century mark. His birthday for a number of years has been more or less a community event.

The deceased was born on the 4th concession of Whitby Township on August 22, 1842, the son of James Pile, who came out from England, and Agnes Mathison, a native of Scotland, both being early settlers in this district. He farmed successfully the greater part of his life, on the 5th concession of Whitby Township, but had lived retired for a number of years. He was a quiet man, of good habits, and one who had a great many friends. His wife, the late Rachael Duff, member of a well-known pioneer family, died in 1925.

Mr. Pile attended Ashburn Presbyterian Church until the time of union when he began attendance at Brooklin United Church.

Surviving are two daughters Mrs. Parish, of Brooklin, and Mrs. R. O. Ward, of Stouffville, also one sister, Mrs. James Tweedie, of Whitby, and a brother, John, near Brandon, Manitoba.

There are three grandchildren, Charles Ward, Stouffville; Mrs. P. R. Stover, Stouffville; and Miss (Reta) Parish, Brooklin, and three great-grandchildren, Douglas, Roy and June Ward in Stouffville.

## Brougham

Miss Mary Malcolm who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis is improving as well as can be expected.

Mr. Wm. Bassett and daughter Mrs. Maskell and Miss Jean, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Art. Bassett of Ringwood on Sunday.

Mr. Harry Degeer visited his home near Hampton on Sunday.

The W. J. Brown family of Toronto visited his parents F. C. and Mrs. Brown on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hambron and daughter Bernice of Pickering visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Matthews one day last week.

Mrs. D. Dolphin who has been on the sick list is somewhat improved.

Mr. Dean Mairs has the carpenters busy building an apartment over his hardware store, which will later be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Annis.

The W.M.S. held their annual meeting on Thursday afternoon last at the home of Mrs. A. J. Gray. Officers for the coming year were elected. Rev. I. E. Kennedy was present and installed the following: President, Mrs. T. Norton; Sec'y, Miss Annie Bayles; Treas., Mrs. John Miller; Press Sec'y, Mrs. T. C. Brown; Vice Presidents, Mrs. John White and Mrs. Wm. Gray.

A very pleasant evening was spent in the "Hall" on Tuesday, when the members of the W. I. entertained their husbands to a "Pork and Bean" supper. About sixty were present. After the banquet, the rest of the evening was spent at progressive euchre. Prize winners being, gents, Mr. H. Philip of Toronto; and ladies, Mrs. L. Matthews.

## PICKERING ARP BEGAN TUESDAY

ARP work in Pickering Township began in earnest with the announcement by the recently appointed local Civilian Defense Committee and the preliminary course of lectures began on Tuesday night. Joseph Banigan, chairman of the committee, was in charge of the first lecture.

As a preparation for the course, motion pictures of ARP work during actual air raids on London were shown to a large audience in the Community Club at Pickering. Loaned by the provincial government, the films were shown through the courtesy of Mr. Wilson, of General Motors.

Mr. Banigan, as head of the local committee, is supported by C. E. Morley as vice-chairman; W. C. Murkar, secretary, and the following:

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## Markham Swamps Newmarket 16 to 0

Markham went on a scoring spree Thursday night to hand Newmarket a resounding 16-0 lacing. The rout was a scheduled O.H.A. Intermediate B. fixture in the latter town.

Newmarket — Goal, Bossonneau; defense, Jacks, Mackie; centre, Webster; wings, Novak, Jackson; alternates, Morrison, Townstep, Suckling, Harden, King, Wilson.

Markham — Goal J. Harper; defense, B. Harper, Armstrong; centre, B. Bangey; wings, B. Lawrie, Baker; alternates, E. Lawrie, H. Lawrie, Parkinson, G. Scott, F. Scott.

Referee—N. E. Collings, Bradford. The Intermediates are scheduled to play their first home game in Unionville arena this coming Friday night, January 23.

## TANKARD POSTPONED

The extremely mild weather over last weekend forced the cancellation of the annual curling Tankard which was scheduled to be played at Agincourt. Messrs. Harry Brilling and M. E. Watts had been chosen to skip the local rinks for the event.

## Dunbarton Man Charged in Accident

Also Faces Reckless Driving Count After Worker Sent to Hospital With Injuries

Struck by a car while on his way to the Dominion Industries Limited plant at Pickering, Harry Jackson, Orchard Boulevard, North Oshawa is in hospital with severe spinal injuries.

George F. Moore, of Dunbarton, faces charges of hit-and-run and reckless driving.

Moore, aged 20, appeared before Magistrate F. S. Ebbs in Oshawa police court Thursday and was remanded until January 20, on both charges. Bail was set at \$1,000.

According to Provincial Constable James Sutherland, of Whitby, who arrested Moore after he had been

located at work in the plant by Corp. Watson, of the plant guard, the accident occurred shortly before 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

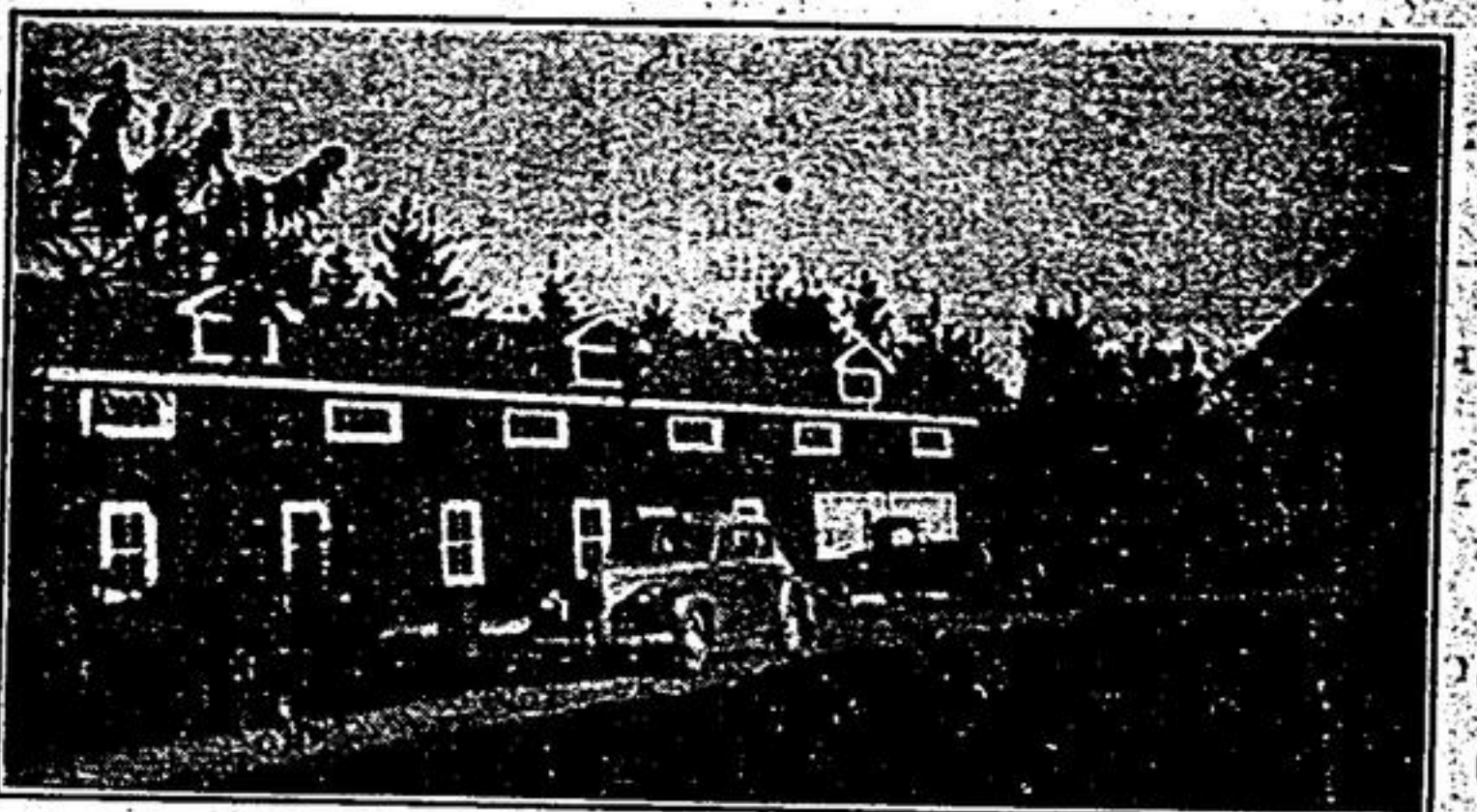
Jackson and Richardson Tilling of Oshawa, were apparently walking along the east side of the road, running from the Kingston road to the plant, facing oncoming traffic, the officer stated. "Both men were struck from behind by Moore's car, which was also going south."

The officer stated Moore had told

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him he had turned out to pass two cars in a row going the same direction and felt a slight bump. "He said he thought the jar was caused by a pot-hole in the road and he kept on going," the officer related.

Tilling received minor lacerations and a badly bruised ankle. According to hospital officials, Jackson's injuries, while not "critical," are "serious." X-rays are being taken to determine the extent of injury to the spine.



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