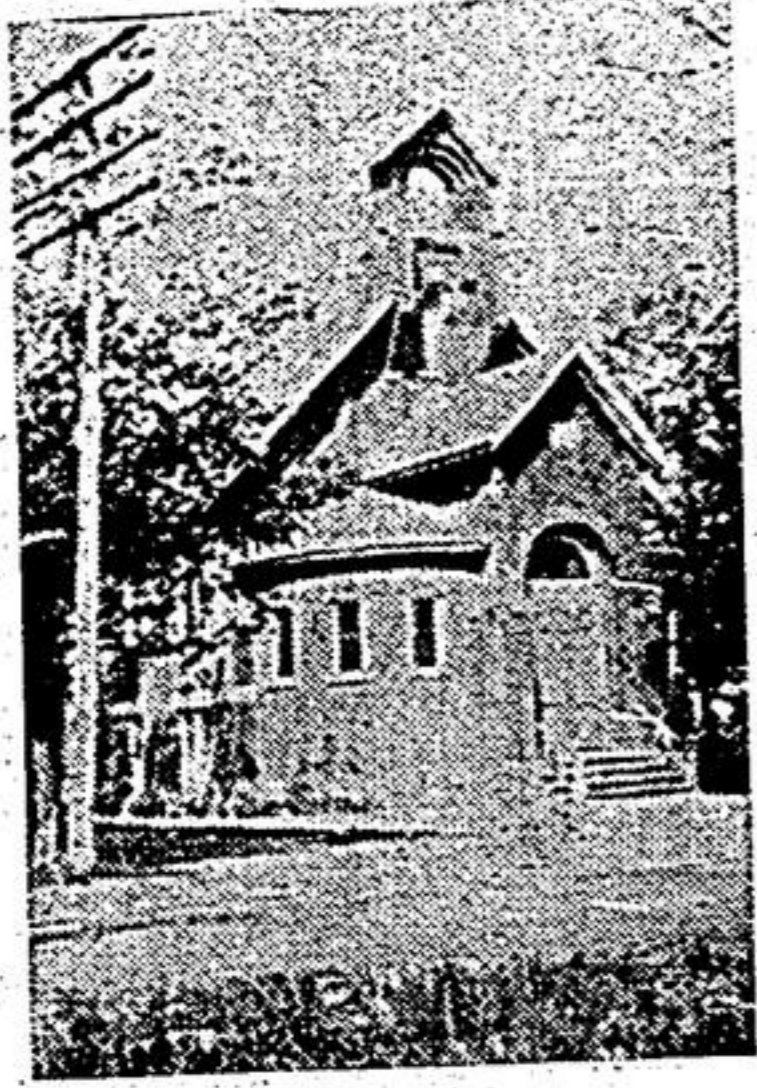


Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

Local agent—Mowder's Store

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES HERE



Anniversary services at the Claremont United Church will be held next Sunday, June 25th, at 11.00 and 7.30 o'clock. The speaker in the morning will be Rev. W.H. Bexton, local Baptist minister, and in the evening, Rev. W. C. Smith, of Port Perry. The special music for the day will be supplied by the Baptist Male Quartette and the United Choir.

Reeve Wm. Reesor was in Whitby on Monday and learned that the disquieting reports about Thos. Graham being dead are quite untrue. No one seems to know where the report about Mr. Graham originated, but probably with this disclosure we will all know where it now ends.

Rural School Goes Up in Flames

One of the most mysterious fires to occur in the Claremont district for sometime destroyed the brick school house known as Cedar Creek School, two miles east of Claremont. The building was comparatively new, having been erected ten or twelve years ago. The strange thing about the loss is that the fire occurred in the night, and no one had been in the building after classes were dismissed at four o'clock on the previous afternoon. As no one saw the fire until the building was doomed, there wasn't a scrap of anything saved. The building was insured for \$3,500, with an additional \$600 on contents. School desks are all classed as part of the building, and are supposed to be covered by the insurance on building. This is a point all trustees should make a mental note of. The trustees at Cedar Creek school are W.Pugh, W.Pegg, Mr. Snider.

Well-Known Village Residence is Sold

Originally known as the Hamilton home, and more lately occupied by the Misses McGlashan is in the process of being sold this week. Charles DeRusha was the buyer. The Misses McGlashan will shortly hold an auction sale of household effects and move to Toronto. The structure stands just south of the "four corners" on the Brock Rd. Back as early as 1840, John Hamilton whose wife was Mary McGlashan of York Mills, moved to lots 19 and 20, in the 9th concession. Here he lived until his death in 1887 in his 99th year. The McGlashans have made many friends during their residence here, and an invitation to these folks to visit the home before they leave is extended elsewhere in these columns.

Uxbridge Pays Big Sheep Claims

The Uxbridge Township Council met on Saturday for general business, and at two o'clock as a Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed, and a number of communications read. Amongst these were letters from the Minister of Highways; and also from Mr. J.F. Kelly and Mr. G.H. Mitchell, M.L.A.'s for Muskoka-Ont. and North York, all of whom expressed their desire to co-operate as far as possible in having Highway No. 47 completed to Stouffville. At two o'clock the Council resolved into a Court of Revision of the Assessment Roll. As no appeals had been received the Court, after having a few changes in ownership recorded, confirmed the Roll, and resumed the business of the Council. Road accounts amounting to \$514.34 were passed for payment, and general accounts, including bills for sheep killed by dogs of \$220.00 amounting to \$661.69, were also passed for payment. The next regular meeting of the Council will be held on July 10th, at 7.30 o'clock p.m.

BROUGHAM

Mr. Wm. Bassett has sold his house and lots here to Mr. Brennen of Toronto, who takes possession in a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crocker of Toronto, also Mrs. R. W. Witter, Miss May Stephenson of Pickering, and J. C. Prucyk, R.C.A.F. and Mrs. Prucyk of Trenton, were guests of Mrs. L. Matthews on Sunday.

Mr. B. Carter and Mrs. E. Jackson of Green River, visited A. J. Gray and family on Sunday. Brougham Units Ten-cent-a-week Club sent \$10 to North Pickering branch of the Red Cross last week. These donations are welcome from all interested people in the community. You don't have to "join the club." Contributions may be handed to Mrs. R. Burrell, Mrs. B. Harvey, or Mrs. T. Robertson at any time, and in any amount that is convenient.

Mr. and Mrs. English were at Port Carling on Sunday, visiting her mother, who is very ill.

Mrs. Wroe and family have moved to Whitby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hicks, also Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford of Whitby, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Madill were Sunday guests at the A. B. Matthews home.

Mr. Gordon Grey was at Guelph on Friday, attending the Bee-keep-

AT HOME

The Misses A. & J. McGlashan will be at home to their friends on Tuesday, June 27th, from 2 to 4 p.m. in the afternoon, and from 8 to 10 p.m. in the evening, before leaving Claremont to take up residence in Toronto.

ers convention held in the O.A.C. Mrs. R. Harden and little daughter arrived home from Briarhurst Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gannon of Oshawa, and Miss Gladys Gannon, R.N. of Toronto, visited their home here on Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Beer has greatly improved the appearance of her house, by giving it a coat of paint.

Remembrance service for our local cemetery was held on Sunday afternoon. Owing to the unpleasant weather, only a short service was held on the grounds—this was followed by service in the church, Rev. I. E. Kennedy in charge, assisted by a mixed quartette from Pickering, Mr. Murkar as leader.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Ross Raine on Tuesday, June 13th, with a good attendance. The president, Mrs. Hamilton was in charge of the meeting. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. An invitation was received from Clargmont branch to visit them at their August meeting. This was accepted. Mrs. Sheppard gave a report of the District Annual which was held at Brooklin. Conveners were appointed for the different committees as follows:—Agriculture, Mrs. W.Gray; Citizenship, Mrs. Burrell; Historical Research, Mrs. T. Norton; Home Economics, Mrs. M. Burk; Social Welfare, Mrs. Glen; Publicity, Mrs. Matthews. The meeting closed with an "Old Fashioned" spelling match, conducted by Mrs. Norton, with Mrs. Payer and Mrs. Burrell as leaders. Hostesses, Mrs. Raine, Mrs. Wm. Gray and Mrs. Coulombe, served a dainty lunch.

WARTIME ROMANCE

Dear oh dear, what some people will do to keep their old car running. An advertisement under the wanted heading we read last week read thus: "Bachelor with Ford coach wants to correspond with a widow with two good tires." Applications were to be addressed to a box number in care of the newspaper.

SINK MILLION TONS



Mines laid by R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. planes have sunk more than 1,000,000 tons of enemy shipping since the spring of 1940, the British air ministry announced. The planes mine the thousands of square miles of water along the enemy coast from the Bay of Biscay to the Gulf of Danzig. The offensive checks import of raw materials from Norway, Sweden and Spain and interrupts the coal and iron ore traffic between Germany and Sweden.

To get the best hay, cut it early, says a bulletin from the Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa. O.K. Mr. Gardiner, but tell it to the weather man.

Cedar Beach Gardens

North Shore, Musselman's Lake
DANCING EVERY SATURDAY EVENING
Max Boag and his 10-piece Orchestra
Old Time and Modern WEDNESDAY EVENINGS
Harry Miller and his orchestra
Dancing commences at 8.30 p.m.

C.C.F. SWEEPS SASKATCHEWAN

The outcome of the election in Saskatchewan last week in which the C.C.F. was swept into power, was highly disappointing to both Liberals and Conservatives, and will likely alter the date of any Dominion election. Had the Liberals made a better showing in last week's contest there was a certainty that Canada would go to the polls sometime in October, but Ottawa will be inclined to view the western decision as not favorable to them and may postpone the election until next year.

The Conservatives never won a seat, and the C.C.F. swept the province by taking all but eight seats which went to the Liberals.

New Barn Goes Up in Record Time

The big new L-shaped barn on the farm of Ralph Wellman just east of here was raised by Walter Symes and company in record time on Friday afternoon. Walter Ward and John Scott headed the two teams, and it was a race to the finish. The main barn was 30x96 and the straw barn 34x65. Stan, Thompson is doing the cement work. Nearly four hundred men and women sat down to the evening meal, which was served in sumptuous style, by the ladies, neighbours, and Claremont Institute. It required seventy-five pies and baskets of cookies to fill the hungry crowd. Many came from some distance, as far away as Manchester, Victoria Square. The carpenters intend to complete the straw barn and roof at once, in readiness to receive the big hay crop expected.

COUNTY FOREST IN FINE SHAPE

The committee on Reforestation in a report submitted by the chairman, Reeve Ray Ferguson, of Uxbridge to County Council, advised that they visited the county forest in Uxbridge Township in May and found it to be in good condition. The committee expressed regret that a representative of the Forestry Dept. who had promised to be present on the tour, did not put in an appearance. The committee recommended that, owing to the increasing fire hazard a truck, be purchased to haul the water tank and sprayer to the scene of any fire. The report was adopted.

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John Manley, Master of Ceremonies
Round and Square Dancing.
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