

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

Local agent—Mowder's Store

75 on Friday, has Eighteen Great Grandchildren

Miss Darlene Norton who is employed at Sarco Ltd. here, has been away from her work for some days through illness.

Word of the death of Hugh Pugh, Whitevale, township treasurer, came with shocking suddenness to residents of Claremont and district on Tuesday morning. Fuller announcement and funeral notice elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Overland and Mr. Gilbert Fairbanks of Toronto were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Overland. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Overland are also holidaying at the Overland home here.

Members of the Forget-Me-Not Club including Mrs. Bud Norton, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Holman and Mrs. Lehman are at Washago Beach this week enjoying a holiday. The girls have taken two cottages at this resort for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Shirley Hudson of Ottawa visited friends in the village last week.

Mr. Taylor from the West has been in town visiting his brother James, and other relatives in the vicinity.

Mrs. Alma Flewell and friend of Ajax were visitors in Niagara Falls last week.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist Church were hosts at a picnic held at the James Coates' home last week, for members of the Mission Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Carruthers visited in Glen Major on Sunday. Mr. Carruthers is holidaying this week from his work at Ajax.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Slack of Brougham visited at the farmer's home on Sunday.

The Women's Institute held a picnic at Greenwood Park on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. DeRusha, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Redman, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Constable were holidaying at Washago Beach last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Slack, we understand are moving into their newly acquired home, the former Saunders property.

Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy," and that other quotation, "Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work," were being balanced off against the Bible story that some folk seem to think puts the former texts in reverse, and which refers to the rescue of an ass on the Sabbath day.

In any event nobody wants to work on Sunday. If he or she is not deterred by reason of christian beliefs, then there is the human demand for rest. However, the peas just had to be harvested and this accounts for what you may have seen on Sunday on the John Scott farm.

Folks were wending their way, (or no, they don't wend it to church any more—they just skiff along in cars), and while they were travelling to church on Sunday morning, drawing in went on full pace on the Scott acreage south of the village. Mr. Scott declares he finished in time to allow him to attend church himself in the evening a salve to his conscience, says John.

It appears to have been a great emergency, and those who have grown peas best know how important it is to harvest them on the exact day they are ready for the podding machine, called pea harvester. There were five acres on the Scott place, and they yielded some eight tons of peas which will account for something like 16,000 to 20,000 cans of peas. Frank Gostick is still harvesting his crop of pods, while other growers include Robert Jackson, Lorne Bath, Ross Evans, J. Martin and Norman Buran. There wasn't a crop failure on the farm of any one of the places here mentioned and all of them had considerable acreage, although Mr. Scott was probably the largest producer. In one instance, the crop on a farm became too ripe and is being left for seed under instructions from the Canning Co. at Whitby.

JUMPER AT SHIPYARDS NOW



A decade ago Margaret Bell Ryan began breaking national and foreign high-jumping records, some of which still stand. Now she is a riveter, bucket and fitter in the mammoth Boeing plant at Vancouver, B.C., helping to make the Catalina patrol bombers which scour the seas. "Fair and fleet" are the words to describe her. She started setting the mark for timber-toppers in her junior high school days and has been breaking records ever since.

This Friday, July 28th, Mrs. Abram Mantle of Claremont will mark her 75th birthday. Mrs. Mantle is at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Hardy, Victoria Corners at present due to ill health. Mrs. Mantle was born on the 3rd concession of Uxbridge, and she and her husband who passed away six years ago, farmed on the 4th of Uxbridge for many years. Fourteen years ago the couple made their home in Claremont, and marked their golden wedding anniversary here in 1936.

To the union came four daughters and four sons, Mrs. Fred Redshaw, Claremont, Mrs. F. Hardy, Victoria Corners, Mrs. Johnson of Toronto, Mrs. Murray, Albany, N.Y., Freeman, Elmer and Cecile of Toronto and Percy of Lindsay. An only brother is David Law of Franklin. There are 32 grandchildren and eighteen great grandchildren.

SUMMER WEDDING IN WHITEVALE, ONT.

Rev. J. R. Bick officiated at a summer wedding in Whitevale United Church, when Marion Olive Hagerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hagerman, became the bride of Mr. John Neil Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Petty, Cherrywood. Mrs. N. K. Robinson was at the organ, accompanying Mrs. Gordon Hagerman, soloist. Entering the church on the arm of her father, the bride wore a gown of white sheer with a fingertip veil of embroidered net held by a heart-shaped headdress. She carried a bouquet of red roses and swansonia. Miss Jean Linton, cousin of the bride was the attendant, in a turquoise blue sheer dress with a floral bandeau. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and snapdragons. Mr. Thos. B. Tyner, Marlbank, attended the groom and the ushers were Mr. William Ormerod and Mr. Stanley Milroy.

The reception was held in the garden of the home of the bride's parents Mrs. Hagerman received wearing a dusky pink ensemble, assisted by the mother of the groom, who wore a frock of grey and white. For travelling the bride changed to a silk jersey frock of canary yellow with black accessories.

KIDD-BYAM

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Byam, Uxbridge township, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, July 15th, when their second daughter, Nancy Evelyn, was united in marriage to Telford Vance Kidd, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Kidd, of Goodwood. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. E. Atkinson, of Uxbridge, assisted by B. Garrett, of Goodwood. Miss Dorothy Hockley, of Claremont played the wedding music.

The house was decorated with summer flowers, and the ceremony took place under an arch trimmed with pink and white streamers.

The pretty bride, given in marriage by her father, looked charming in a floor-length gown of white sheer and lace over organza. Her floor-length-halo veil was trimmed with seed pearls, and she carried a bouquet of American beauty roses. The bridesmaid was Miss Minnie Byam, sister of the bride. Mr. Marvin Maye, of Goodwood, was best man.

During the signing of the register, Miss Edith Peters, of Port Perry, sang "O Perfect Love."

A long table trimmed with pink streamers was set out on the lawn, on which the wedding cake made a pretty centrepiece. About fifty guests sat down to partake of a bountiful supper. The waitresses were Miss Wilda Burns and Miss Alexa Stone.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold locket, to the bridesmaid, a string of pearls, and to the best man, a cigarette lighter.

Many beautiful gifts were received from the friends and relatives.

Later, amid showers of confetti and good wishes, the happy couple left for Niagara Falls, by motor and boat. On their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Goodwood.

Guests were present from Toronto, Oshawa, Orono, Utica, Claremont, Port Perry, Seagrave, Quaker Hill and Goodwood.

CEILING PRICE EXCEEDED GIVEN STIFF SENTENCE

Prosecuted for infraction of the War Time Prices and Trade regulations, in selling a used car for \$1,075, the price ceiling for such a car being \$929.81, Ralph M. Parkinson was fined by Magistrate Ian MacRae \$500, with the option of two months in jail.

This is the heaviest sentence so far recorded in any case prosecuted by the London branch of the W.P.T.B.

Crown counsel pointed out that accused had been fined \$100 and costs on a similar charge earlier this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Coates, Harold and Percy Redshaw were all visitors at the Fred Redshaw home during the weekend.

HAIL, WIND AND RAIN WRECK CROPS NEAR BROUGHAM

A terrific storm, accompanied by hail and wind swept this section of the country on Wednesday night, and again on Thursday afternoon, completely ruining the crops of some of the No. 7 farmers in the Brougham area. The hail lasted for nearly an hour, and some was still visible the next morning. The transformer at the corner of the Brook Rd. and No. 7 Highway was blown out, although no fire occurred. Grain fields on the farms of Thos. Philip, John White, Ralph Holby and Walter Pascoe were particularly hard hit, one of the men losing a litter of pigs through drowning. At the Arthur Carlton home windows were shattered in the house by the hail. Garden vegetables and flower beds were cut to shreds by the downpour.

NOTED SHOWMAN DIES

Jos. E. C. Marks, one of the famous seven Marks brothers whose stock companies were well known among the theatre goers in Ontario for over 50 years, passed away at the Great War Memorial Hospital in Perth last Thursday.

NOTICE!

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Pickering will pay ten dollars (\$10) reward for evidence leading to the arrest and conviction of any person found guilty of depositing refuse on any road under the jurisdiction of this corporation, contrary to Bylaw No. 1312.

WM. REESOR, Reeve, L. T. JOHNSTON, clerk

BROUGHAM

Congratulations to our newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. M. Annis, who were married on Saturday afternoon. We welcome Mrs. Annis to our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Brown of Toronto spent a couple of days with his parents T. C. and Mrs. Brown. Mr. Brown still remains in a very weak condition.

Mr. Russel Gray of Research Ltd. returned to the city after having a week's holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crocker also Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crocker and little daughters, Gwen and Linda of Toronto visited Mrs. L. Matthews on Sunday.

Miss Beatty of New York was a recent guest of Mrs. Thos. Beer.

Mrs. Crawford has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Wannop.

A very severe hail storm passed over this district last week, doing much damage to field and garden crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Gray and family visited his brother Albert and Mrs. Gray on Sunday.

Mr. D. Gannon accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gannon and Bonnie are spending a week with friends around Haliburton.

Mrs. Henley of Stratford is visiting her Aunt Miss I. Bate.

Pte. Murray Hicks of Camp Borden was around calling on friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Liscombe and family of Oshawa called on his father on Sunday.

Mrs. A. B. Matthews spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. G. Harbron of Myrtle.

Mr. Geo. Burton of Gormley visited with his sister and brother over the weekend.

Mrs. Moore of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Watt of Markham visited Mrs. Gannon on Sunday.

Miss McLaughlan and Miss Courtice, Toronto, Miss Gladys Gannon R.N. of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gannon and Bonnie of Oshawa were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Gannon on Thursday helping Mrs. Gannon and Gladys celebrate their birthdays.

Send the Tribune to absent friends.

BRITAIN CONTRACTS FOR 100 MILLION LBS. BEEF FROM CANADA

Hon. Jas. G. Gardner, Minister of Agriculture announced July 14 that negotiations have been completed for a contract to supply the United Kingdom with a minimum quantity of one hundred million pounds of beef during the two-year period 1944 and 1945, and in addition to this minimum quantity all further surpluses of beef as they become available. The negotiation of this contract has the effect of assuring floor prices for beef on a revised scale.

In the case of Special ("Red Brand") beef and Commercial beef of "Blue Brand" quality, the Meat Board will purchase for export to the United Kingdom an agreed quantity at prices 25 cents below their respective ceilings. If further surplus quantities of "Red" and "Blue" brand beef are offered to the Meat Board, the Board will purchase all such additional quantities at prices 50 cents below the ceiling.

Other qualities of beef will be purchased on the following basis— Choice of good quality cows— 75 cents below the ceiling Commercial quality not qualifying for "blue" brand—\$1.25 below the ceiling.

Accumulation of beef of lower qualities will be avoided by inclusion in the exports of substantial quantities of boneless manufacturing beef.

The above prices constitute in effect floor prices since the Meat Board will be prepared to buy all quantities offered to it.

If present trends of marketings continue and if high quality cattle come to market in an orderly manner, it is expected that the minimum quantities provided for in the United Kingdom contract will maintain the prices of "Red" and "Blue" brand beef at a point not lower than 25 cents below the ceiling.

In any case, however, no matter how heavy or irregular the marketings may be, the producers of "Red" and "Blue" brand beef will have the complete assurance of the protection of floor prices at not less than 50 cents below the ceiling.

These new floor price arrangements will come into effect on August 21, 1944, and will replace the variable and graduated floors which have been in effect during the 1943-44 season. Under last year's arrangements, the floor prices ranged from \$2.25 below the ceiling during the late summer and autumn months to 25 cents below the ceiling in the late spring and early summer months. The new floor prices will remain level throughout the year.

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
Bruce Goude

Dancing commences at 8.30 p.m.

CAN POSTPONE OPENING OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Any secondary school board may postpone the opening of high schools up to a month this fall if a sufficient number of pupils are engaged in harvesting, preserving, processing and canning, it was announced last week by the Ontario Department of Education. Boards must notify the department of extensions after Sept. 5, which was named as the date for high schools to open.

Send the Tribune to absent friends.



... ask yourself this Question

One look in your mirror will give you the answer . . . Am I man or mouse . . . am I one of those who lets the other fellow face all the danger, take all the risks? Look yourself straight in the eye and ask yourself this one question . . . Have I the guts? The guts to wear the G.S. badge on my sleeve—to fight that my home, my people may be free.

You'll need months of thorough training to make you fighting-fit. Your place is beside every man who has the courage to see it through. Canada's Army needs you NOW, and needs you for overseas service.



VOLUNTEER TO-DAY JOIN THE CANADIAN ARMY FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE