

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

Local dealers—Mowder's Store and Overland's Store.

Congratulations are being passed on to Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Hoskins of Mt. Zion on the birth of a daughter.

Friends and members of the Claremont United Church Sunday School honored Miss Darlene Norton with a card shower last weekend on the occasion of her nineteenth birthday. Darlene is in Hamilton Sanitarium and is sincerely missed by her host of friends in the village.

LOST—"Mama's Baby Boy" in or around Claremont or vicinity—overgrown thirteen-year-old boy who last seen, he was wearing knee pants and white blouse. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts please report same to Mrs. W. R. Evans of the Good Fellowship Class Play. The above mentioned boy will be needed on Friday evening, April 27th, when the play will be presented in the Community Hall, Claremont.

Gordon Morley R.C.A.F. who is still overseas wired a lovely bouquet of flowers to his mother here, Mrs. F. Morley, and they were on display in the church on Sunday morning to add to the service.

Mr. Keith Drake of Toronto visited here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lee of Kinsale, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jones of Brooklin were in the village on Saturday.

A hedge with a history was recently removed by Mr. Harry Porter from his property in the village. The hedge was planted by Mrs. Porter's grandfather, Joseph Law and there it has stood for many years. Mr. Porter intends to replace it with another low hedge which will further enhance the scenery about their residence.

Mr. Adam Spears, township assessor was in the village last week making his annual rounds.

The B.Y.P.U. of the Baptist Church met on Monday evening for their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lewis.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. John Soden who is in Oshawa Hospital is not improving in health and required a further blood transfusion on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ham and Mrs. Duncan Dolphin were down visiting him at the hospital.

On Sunday evening, April 22nd, Mr. Humphrey of Whitby, moderator of the Whitby and Lindsay Association will have charge of the service in the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurtubee of the northend, visited over the weekend with relatives in Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gauslin visited on Sunday at the home of her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Slack.

The wood sale held by Mr. Fred Mowder last week realized a total of \$1222 under the hammer of A.S. Farmer. The top price was realized for a number of buttermilk logs, which brought \$3 each. Five oak logs brought \$16 and a number of hydro poles sold for \$9.50.

It was the 5th birthday for the Good Fellowship Class who met at the Manse of the United Church on Tuesday, April 10th, with 32 present. An interesting program was prepared by Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Pugh. Rev. Kennedy took the chair for the election of officers. The executive remained the same for the coming year with more added to the quilt committee. Following the business and games, lunch was served and a delicious birthday cake consumed. The May meeting will be held at Mr. and Mrs. L. Hilt's home.

Cigarettes have been mailed to the following boys overseas from the Forget-Me-Not Club, Henry Rasmussen, Gordon Gregg, Carson Wagg, Neil Smith, Vic Robinson, Stanley Linton, Harold Hopkins, Bob Holman, Mike Brown and Fonzie Manion.

A. B. Jim Reynolds of the R.C.N.V.R. has returned to St. Hyacinth, Que. after spending a leave with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Reynolds. Jim, as many of us know, has spent several months in the hospital since his leave at home last October, and we are pleased to have him well again.

AUCTION SALE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

The undersigned has received instructions to sell, by public auction on

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

In the Village of Claremont
The following property belonging to the estate of the late

MRS. JANE BUSHBY.

Dining Room Table and Chairs

3 Bedroom Suites

Electric Radio

Electric Bed Lamp

Rocking Chair

Glasses

Cupboards

Tables

Kitchen Chairs

Quantity of Dishes

Linen

Bedding

Curtains

Floor Covering

Cooking Utensils

Matts

Sewing Machine

Washing Machine

Coal Oil Stove and Oven

Good Cheer Cook Stove

Heater, with Oven

Pails

Dust Mops

Lawn Mower

Garden Tools

Numerous Other Articles

The property, consisting of 4/4 acre, more or less, with frame house of 7 rooms, cellar, cistern, hard water and hydro, barn suitable for garage, will be offered for sale subject to reserve bid.

Sale at 1 p.m. Terms, Cash

John Scott, Clerk

Elmer Wilbur, Auctioneer

Salvage collection throughout the Claremont area is continuing. Material may be left at the United Church shed, or call the office of this paper and the truck will pick it up.

Fire Breaks Out in Bush Lots

Fire broke out last week in wood lots on the former Mill Valley property and destroyed several cords of wood belonging to Cecil Lee. Messrs. Ed. Davis and H. Davis were on hand at the time doing work for Messrs. DeRusha and Redshaw and gave the alarm. Claremont Brigade answered the call promptly and distinguished the outbreak in short order.

More Properties Changing Hands

Mr. and Mrs. Giles who occupy a small acreage on the second side-road west of the village, have purchased the Will Palmer residence in town and situated on the 9th concession just west of the four corners. The Giles place will be taken over by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alsop from Stouffville who have disposed of their residence in Stouffville. The sale has also been reported of the Brown Restaurant Block on the four corners to Mr. Ernie Baker, although no confirmation of this transaction could be obtained, the beginning of this week. Mrs. Baker who operates the restaurant is not in good health.

Lifelong Resident of Brougham Dead

Life-time resident of Brougham, Thomas Beer, passed away at his residence there on Saturday, April 14th. He was in his 73rd year and had not been in the best of health for some time. Deceased was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Beer. Besides his wife, the former Annie Beattie, the late Thomas Beer is survived by one son Donald of Brougham, a brother, Albert Beer, also of Brougham, and one sister, Mrs. Villa Wright, Georgetown. There are three grandchildren.

Funeral service was conducted on Monday by Rev. I. E. Kennedy and interment made in Brougham Cemetery. Pallbearers were; Messrs. M. Hamilton, Thos. Gammage, W. Slack, C. Phillips, W. Hamilton and Carl Devitt.

USED SPREADER INCREASES IN VALUE WITH TWO YEARS USE

A manure spreader bought two years ago at the Marshall sale in King Twp. for \$215 sold at the Charles Moynihan sale in Whitchurch Twp. for \$225. A threshing machine about 25 years old brought \$785 and a 10-20 tractor on steel \$680. In all the sale realized over \$4,000.

BROUGHAM

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crocker and granddaughter Gwen of Toronto visited Mrs. L. Matthews on Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Ellicott also Miss Pearl Barrett spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mr. D. Gannon left last week on a business trip to Haliburton district.

A very serious accident happened last Monday when Mr. John Moore fell to the ground while shingling a roof for Mr. D. Mairs. The unfortunate man was rushed to St. Michael's Hospital where it was found he had a badly fractured neck. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ellicott of Peterborough visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ellicott, during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gannon and daughter Bonnie visited his mother Mrs. D. Gannon on Sunday.

Mrs. Truck of Belleville visited at the Gannon home one day last week.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Mr. F. L. Green whose death occurred on Sunday evening.

The Euchre and Dance sponsored by the W.I. in the hall on Wednesday night was fairly well attended for this time of year when every one seems to be busy. The prize winners were Mrs. White, Mrs. Sheppard, Mr. R. Carlton and Mr. C. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Matthews were at Whitby one day last week to meet their nephew, Mr. Roy Dingman, who is home after serving four years overseas.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Wilson and Mrs. Osborne. Twenty-five members and four visitors were present. A letter was read from Russian Relief acknowledging a donation sent by this branch some time ago, also a letter on "Jam for Britain." Plans were made for as many as possible to attend the Co-operation Program dealing with "Citizenship in the Rural Community" to be held at Claremont on April 23rd, at 10 a.m. Easton's bus will take the ladies from here. The remainder of the program was turned over to the Social Welfare Convenor, Mrs. Glen, assisted by Mrs. Knox, Mrs. Warlop, Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Sheppard. The meeting closed by singing "God Save the King" followed by a very dainty lunch served by the hostesses, Mrs. Burk, Mrs. W. C. Wilson, Mrs. Farley, Mrs. Hettie and Mrs. Osborne.

Former Cherrywood Mother Passes

The death of Mrs. John Timbers at the home of her daughter Mrs. Wesley Thompson in Port Perry on Friday, April 13, removes a woman who was well known in the Cherrywood district until recent years. Mrs. Timbers was an aunt of Messrs. Win. and Fred Timbers of Stouffville, and her husband for many years was a well known apicarist at Cherrywood where he died 27 years ago. The aged mother who was in her 81st year had lived at Sandford just prior to moving with her daughter to Port Perry. Still another daughter Miss Lillie Timbers lives in the United States. Mrs. Timbers' maiden name was Sarah Ann Balderson and her remains were resting at the funeral parlors in Port Perry from which place the funeral proceeded to Bethel cemetery, 5th line, Markham, on Monday afternoon.

BROOKLIN WOULD PLANT TREES IN MEMORY OF MEN

Brooklin Horticultural Society proposes planting trees in the municipality in memory of those who have served in the armed forces during the present war. Whitchurch Township Council was advised at its meeting. The society requested the approval of the council for this venture.

WAS RESIDENT OF LOCUST HILL FOR 45 YEARS

Resident of Locust Hill for 45 years Mrs. James Dimma passed away at the family home there on Thursday, April 12 after an illness of some two months. She had been a widow for 29 years. Highly respected and greatly admired by many friends, Mrs. Dimma was a member of Zion United Church for many years.

Surviving are an only daughter Marjorie, Mrs. Greystone of Montreal, and three sons Frank and Leslie of Locust Hill, and Elsworth in Halifax.

The funeral on Saturday, proceeded to St. Andrew's cemetery, Markham for burial, and was attended by many relatives and old friends of the family.

We hope to see Mrs. Henry Shank home in the near future. She has been in the General Hospital for the past four weeks with a foot operation.

Young Peoples' crokinole on

Thursday evening at the home of Murray Beeby.

Mr. Roy Carter is now moved up on the C. White farm. We are fortunate this family is not moving out

Man Breaks Neck in Fall, Expects to Recover

Engaged shingling a barn for Mr. Dean Mairs at Brougham, Mr. John Moore fell about 15 feet to the ground, and sustained a broken neck. Rushed to St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto, his injury was attended to, and it is hoped that he will make recovery. It is believed that Mr. Moore was seized with a weak spell when he took the tumble, which was the second one he had experienced in not a very great length of time. His condition the early part of this week was one of restlessness, resulting from shock and the cast newly placed on his neck.

Pioneer Miller Dies at Greenwood

Fred L. Green, one of the pioneer millers of Pickering Township, and grandson of the original F. Green, from whom Greenwood village derived its name, died at his home there on Sunday. He was in his 81st year.

Fred L. Green was a son of the late S. J. Green under whom he served his apprenticeship as a miller. He took charge of the business himself in 1886, and operated the mill for over forty years.

He is survived by his wife, the former Kate E. Stevenson. Funeral service was conducted at the family residence, Greenwood, on Wednesday afternoon, with interment in Salem Cemetery.

GREEN RIVER

Mr. Carl Robinson and lady friend of Toronto are visiting with Mrs. A. Hoover.

Mrs. A. Treewartha and Miss Lydia Fuller called on friends in the community on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Gray has suffered another attack in the past week with her heart.

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SLAIN AFTER 'CHUTE JUMP'

Lieut. Jeff Nicklin of Winnipeg, Man., former rugby star of the Blue Bombers, was one of the first to jump and one of the first Canadians to die on D-Day beyond the Rhine. When he floated to land, he caught on a tree and the Germans shot him hanging as he tried to get out of his chute.

GREENWOOD

We are sorry to report that Mr. John Soden is not improving as fast as his friends would like to see.

Mr. Cole is getting along very nicely, but still in the hospital.

Marion McVey and friend of Toronto were at the parsonage over the weekend.

Mr. Allan Clark of Oshawa was with his parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Parrot of Ashburn, visited with John and Mrs. Middleton on Sunday.

The euchre party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark last Saturday.

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day night in aid of the soldier's boxes overseas was well attended, proceeds amounting to nine dollars. The prizes went to Miss Joyce Miniker, Ross Disney, Mrs. Frank Disney and Allan Clark.

The W.M.S. held their meeting in the Kinsale hall last Tuesday. The president Miss M. Brown presided, after the worship period, minutes of last meeting were read. Main item of business was the supply bale which has to be ready by June. The program was taken from the missionary monthly, followed by a report of the Presbyteral meeting at Oshawa given by Mrs. M. Pegg and Mrs. McVey. Meeting closed with the last verse of hymn 261.

3-ACT-COMEDY

"MAMA'S BABY BOY"

A Riot of Laughter

Presented under the auspices of the GOODFELLOWSHIP CLASS OF UNITED CHURCH Community Hall, Claremont

FRIDAY, APRIL 27th