

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

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

Mr. David Scott and family of Oshawa have been visiting during the past week at the home of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Scott were also visitors here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pallister of Altona, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Coates.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist Church will entertain the Mission Band to a picnic on the lawn of the parsonage on July 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradbury of Uxbridge and family visited at the home of Mrs. Lonsdale and Mrs. Conner on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Cooper spent a couple of days in Toronto during the past week.

Mr. Risebrough from Manitoba has been renewing old acquaintances here during the past week. He was a former resident here before going west.

Miss Ilene Cooper of Toronto, has been having a week's holiday at her home here.

There will be no prayer service in the United Church this week owing to the union picnic on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coates from Toronto, and Mrs. John Coates visited relatives in Uxbridge on Sunday.

Mr. Taylor of Milwaukee, U.S. visited at the home of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Taylor last week.

C. A. Overland has brightened up his home and store with a coat of paint. Mr. Jas. Briscoe has been the artist.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson and family of Tweed have been visiting at the Frank Loyst home.

Friends will be sorry to learn that the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Strickland has been removed to the Sick Children's Hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Gleason has returned home from holidaying at Ballydown Beach, Lake Simcoe. Mrs. M. Wilker accompanied her on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Overland were hosts on Sunday to no less than eighteen of their relatives which was quite a houseful. Gathering included Mr. and Mrs. Studebaker, Miss Dorothy Studebaker and Mr. Ken Short of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Little and son Michael, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and two daughters, Weston, Mrs. Morrison (sister of Mrs. Overland) from Vegreville, Alta., Mrs. Voutillier and daughters of Edmonton.

About thirty-five adults and children gathered at Greenwood Park on Wednesday afternoon for the annual Women's Institute picnic. Although the party left Claremont in the rain, the sun was shining when they arrived at the park. There were games and sports for all and supper. Some remained in the evening for the baseball game between Claremont and Greenwood.

Dr. N. F. Tomlinson and Mrs. Tomlinson and family are holidaying in Muskoka.

Patrons of the Claremont Library take note that the library will be closed for holidays from Saturday,



L.A.C. Gordon Morley, R.C.A.F. has returned after three years overseas as a radio operator with a ground crew. He went overseas in March 1942, and for a time was stationed in England. On D-Day he went in with the troops, through Normandy and into Germany. He had reached Celle, in Germany before turning back. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morley, his parents, were recipients of many souvenirs of the countries he had visited. Gordon was well known in Claremont, and the village people are glad to see him back.

July 28th until August 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnston were visitors in Richmond Hill and Toronto during the weekend and enjoyed a boat trip to Hanlan's Pt. and Queenston.

The peas are ripening fast in this locality where 245 acres are being grown for the Green River winery operated for the VanCamp Co. The company considers this one of their finest areas, and have taken all possible precautions to protect the crop. Only recently pea fields at Whitevale were disinfected by airplane. The plane flew six to ten feet above the ground on the farms of Frank Lee and R. N. Armstrong. The VanCamp company paid two-thirds of the cost of such spraying.

NEW BOOKS IN LIBRARY

Verdict on India—Beverley Nichols spent a year travelling through the country. He was a guest at the Viceroy's palace, a visitor in a peasant's hut, sharing his quarters with some goats, hens, and a bullock, and a patient in a hospital with four murderers for his companions. "Verdict on India" is his report.

God is My Co-Pilot—Col. Robt. L. Scott.

Wings of the Morning—The biography of Mark Brown, a young Canadian, who died fighting over Sicily in 1941.

Mackenzie King—A brief portrait sketch by Emil Ludwig.

Pleasant Valley—Louis Bromfield's lifelong experience on an Ohio farm.

Ten Years to Alamein—by the well-known correspondent, Matthew Halton, who saw the early beginnings of the Nazi tide in 1933.

Woman is Killed in Greenwood Crash

Miss Matilda Sellars, 43, of Toronto, was fatally injured in an accident which occurred on Sunday afternoon when two cars collided at the sideroad intersection at Greenwood Hill.

Miss Sellars was passenger in a car driven by John Armstrong, of Ajax, and died within a few minutes following the impact. She was given first aid at the scene by Dr. W. Baldwin.

According to Constable Jack Irvine of Pickering, the Armstrong car was proceeding north when it collided with a westbound auto driven by Kenneth Carson of Pickering Twp. Neither of the two men was hurt, although the impact is said to have driven the one machine some distance up on to the parsonage lawn of Rev. McVey. Police say an inquest is likely.

Pickering Steps Up Pay for Weed Cutting

Pickering Township council in special session on Monday evening closed a contract with a Construction Co. for the erection of a new bridge to be built on the 1st concession at lot 32 at a cost of \$1720.25. The floor area will be 30x20 with abutments extra.

It was also decided to increase the rate per hour being paid for man, team and mower from 75c to 90 cents, and to make it known that every farmer is urged to take on this work, thus helping to meet the weed menace in a definite way.

Little Pigs \$10

Pigs have their ups and downs, but at present they are mostly up. Down in Addington county sellers are asking as high as \$9, but here in York and in the environs of Stouffville a dealer sold nine small porkers seven weeks old for \$10 each last week. The purchaser said that so long as pork sold live weight at last week's price of better than \$21 per cwt., he could still make money out of the little fellows when they had their growth.

Apparently farmers are rushing into hogs again since there is promise of a stiff market for quite a long time.

Concerning the higher price and the hog situation the Farmer's Advocate says:

Sooner or later the Government will have to answer some very pointed questions regarding the disappearance of hogs in Canada and the regrettable diminution in the volume of our bacon exports. Officials have calculated that packers can pay up to \$17.75 per hundred, Toronto basis, for hogs intended for export bacon, and when more than that is paid it is obvious that the

product is intended for local consumption. Some markets are paying \$20 per hundred, and hogs are rolling in carloads in the direction of the big money.

Of course one can be realistic but short-sighted enough to argue that this is a good thing for hog raisers. Why should anyone associated with the agricultural industry complain about hogs rolling to the market that pays the highest price? That is a crass, materialistic point of view, and in the end damaging to Canada's reputation, and to the bacon industry. Throughout this war Canadian agriculture has done a magnificent job and, secretly, hog raisers have felt a bit proud of the fact that they were doing something to help Britain during the great crisis. The need has not abated yet. Canadians have fought and died to liberate the people of Europe from the German yoke under which it must be admitted, they were getting something to eat. Now that the war is over and won Britain has reduced her bacon ration in order to feed the hungry people of Europe, many of whom will starve to death during the coming winter. If the surplus-producing countries do not share their food supplies.

With hog production down this year to the extent of 2 million head the best we can do is to shorten our own very generous diet and thus help others to pull through the very critical period of nine months to a year.

Our behaviour now will be remembered in the years to come. It will be remembered when we are trying to secure a large share of the British bacon market when again there is plenty of product and stomachs are not so empty.

CHARGE DISMISSED AS ACCUSED BRINGS WITNESSES

"I guess that's the answer," commented Magistrate F. S. Ebbs as each of the three witnesses called by the accused, George Matthews, Claremont, identified the documents produced in court as the orders they had given Matthews to get beer and liquor for them as they were busy on their farms. Matthews, who was charged with having a number of liquor permits other than his own in his possession, had been arrested early on the morning of July 6 when found drunk in his truck in Oshawa. The charge of having liquor permits illegally was dismissed by His Worship.

Admitting that he had too many drinks and had done the wrong thing in starting for home that night rather than remaining in Oshawa, Matthews declared that he had legitimately secured the four cases of beer and two bottles of liquor found in his possession for three neighbors. Called to the stand each of the three men in question Messrs. H. Spang, Roy Barrick and Everett Hockley identified the books as their property, and the orders as those they had given to Matthews.

BROUGHAM

Miss Ethel Brodie of Toronto, visited Mrs. Geo. Philip one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Baker of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gillman.

Miss Margaret Burton of Detroit, is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. M. Hamilton and other friends.

Miss Barbara Mairs is holidaying with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Dawson of Claremont.

Mr. Frank Carter and family have moved to their farm home a mile west of the village.

Mrs. N. Deeger was rushed to Oshawa hospital on Friday, when she underwent an operation for appendicitis. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Willson of Toronto visited Mrs. Thos. Beer on Sunday.



FARM IMPROVEMENT LOANS

Under the Farm Improvement Loans Act a farmer may now borrow on special terms to buy agricultural implements, livestock or a farm electric system, and for fencing, drainage, repairs to buildings or other farm improvements.

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STOUFFVILLE BRANCH
A. G. Thompson, Manager

PROCLAMATION

In accordance with our usual custom, and the wishes of a large number of our business men, I hereby proclaim

MONDAY, AUGUST 6th
CIVIC HOLIDAY

For the Village of Stouffville and I call upon all business places and others who can do so, to observe the same.

A. V. NOLAN, Reeve

GREENWOOD

The rain of Saturday and Sunday has held up haying for a few days, with fall wheat ripening. It looks as though the harvest will be here before haying is completed.

Mrs. W. Gee of Toronto, visited with relatives here last week and took in the W.A. picnic, which everybody seemed to enjoy in spite of the threatening rain.

Mrs. Bralk of Toronto, is spending a few days at the home of her niece, Mrs. McVey.

Lou and Mrs. Blakely and son are spending their holidays at the home of Fred and Mrs. Byers.

Mrs. A. Rogers and brother Richard Wilson of Brooklin, visited with Mrs. Percy Wilson and Leslie on Sunday afternoon.

Apples in this vicinity seem to be very scarce on the trees, probably something will come along that will take their place.

Russel Philip from Buffalo is at his home here, due to the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Thos. Philip, sr.

Township of Uxbridge

Destroy all Noxious WEEDS

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| Hawkweed | Bladder Campion | Sow Thistle |
| Wild Lettuce | Tumbling-Weed | Bindweed |
| Docks | Common Milkweed | Canada Thistle |
| Wild Mustard | Common Burdock | Wild Carrot |
| Stinkweed | Pepper Grass | Dodder |
| White Cockle | Common Ragweed | Chicory |
| Polson Ivy | Russian Thistle | Ox-Eye Daisy |
| Spurges | Cinquefoils | Blue Weed |

THE WEED CONTROL ACT SAYS:

CLAUSE 5:
Every occupant of land, or if the land is unoccupied, the owner, shall destroy all weeds designed noxious by the regulations as often in every year as is sufficient to prevent the ripening of their seeds.

CLAUSE 23:
Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Act or refuses to obey any lawful order of an Inspector, given under authority of this Act, shall incur a penalty of not less than \$10.00, nor more than \$50.00, for every such offence.

Weeds have no place in a progressive Township

Do your share to prevent their spread

W. G. CASSIE, Weed Inspector,
Township of Uxbridge

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Until further notice we are paying the following prices for LIVE POULTRY delivered to our Plant in Whitby:

TOP GRADE HEAVY FOWL	25 1/2c. lb.
TOP GRADE LIGHT FOWL, 4 to 5 lbs.	22c. lb.
TOP GRADE LIGHT FOWL, under 4 lbs.	20c. lb.
TOP GRADE BROILERS, 2 to 3 lbs.	28c. lb.
TOP GRADE Roasting Chickens, over 4 1/2 lbs.	31 1/2c. lb.
TOP GRADE Roasting Chickens, under 4 1/2 lbs.	29c. lb.
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