

# Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

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

Miss Betty Pretty of Toronto visited over the weekend at her home here.

Mrs. Towner has been confined to her home through illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Booth and children of Toronto visited one day last week at the home of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eoos.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hopkins have left for their new home in Port Colborne.

Mr. and Mrs. David Coates and son of Brooklin visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Redshaw on Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Lye and children of Toronto were visitors here one day last week.

Mr. Fred Redshaw who has been in hospital in Toronto since his fall here recently when he injured the heel of one foot, has returned home, although it will be some time before he is able to walk freely.

Miss Jean Gregg of Richmond Hill visited over the weekend at her home here.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mr. Edgar Slack is slowly improving in health after his serious illness, and is now able to enjoy a short walk outside.

A peach tree in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Barber is out in full bloom which indicates a bounteous fruit crop this year.

Miss A. Zellers of Mongolia has rented a portion of the E. & S Telephone building at the four corners, and expects to open a beauty shop there shortly. At present Russell Gray is busy wiring the place for hydro.

Ted Lenson, Toronto celery retailer, and owner of a lot at the Brock Rd. and the C.P.R. where he grew this crop for some time, has flown to Belgium, his homeland, for a visit, we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and son of Cannington and Mr. and Mrs. R. Stickwood and son of Mt. Zion were Sunday visitors at the Robt. Dawson home.

Indicating that the letters from Ottawa written by Jack Smith, M.P. for North York, gave him the same feeling as a pan of dish water, one of our readers let us know on Monday that the pen-pushing member was not making any more impression on him that a fly on an elephant's tusk. "Fact is," said this age old gentleman, "I think the member for North York is not too sound any way you take him politically, and that's that."

A number of friends attended the funeral last week, of the late Mrs. Thomas Sanderson who with her husband resided for a number of years at the corner of the Brock Rd. and the Uxbridge-Pickering townline. The late Mrs. Sanderson came originally from England and lived for some time at Ashburn before coming to the Claremont area. For the last few years deceased has resided near Brooklin. She is survived by her husband. Interment was made in the Groveside Cemetery, Brooklin.

## Serious Fire Narrowly Averted at Farm Home

A blaze originating from a fire in the kitchen stove caught the roof of the house on the farm of Dave Dawson just north of the village one day last week and threatened to envelop the structure for a time. However, the prompt action of Bob Dawson, and hastily summoned neighbors, plus the Claremont Fire Brigade which was on the job in a matter of minutes, squelched the outbreak, but not before it had charred a considerable area of the roof. Water added to the damage in the upper floor of the house.

## Change to Semi-Serve Store After Sixteen Years

A display announcement carried in this issue announces the opening of C. A. Overland's as a semi-serve store, on Saturday of this week, with a special lucky draw being made for the occasion. Mr. Overland has conducted a store in Claremont for the last sixteen years, and has enjoyed a good trade. The appreciation of Mr. and Mrs. Overland is extended to their customers for their patronage over the years, and the change in their store, it is expected will facilitate even better service.

## CHERRYWOOD

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Torrance on the arrival of a son at the Grace Hospital, Toronto. A little playmate for John.

We welcome home Clarence Udell who arrived home from Overseas on Wednesday. Clarence is staying with his grandmother, Mrs. Burk.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Reg. Sommerville is ill and is in the Oshawa hospital. We wish Mrs. Sommerville a speedy recovery.

Miss Blanche Petty visited with her friend Miss Fern Reynolds of Toronto for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ireson had dinner on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hollinger.

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## To Close Claremont Continuation School Dept. Official Says

Pickering and Claremont continuation schools will definitely be closed if the new scheme of the Dept. of Education at Queen's Park, is enforced, the students sent to Whitby. Dept. official said on Monday that Stouffville didn't have a chance to get any of them, although it is well known that many would like to go that way. If the new scheme is brought into existence it will increase the cost of secondary education sharply. Higher salaries are promised the teachers going into the scheme.

## GREENWOOD

Misses Marion and Evelyn McVey of Toronto visited with the village folk over the weekend.

Capt. Silcox is spending a two week's holiday at his home, this coming Sunday, the 26th he will occupy the pulpit in the church at 11.15, Sunday school at 10.15.

The National Film Board will show pictures in the church, on Wednesday evening, 29th, sponsored by group 2 of our W.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green and Kitty of Buffalo visited with Mrs. F. L. Green and Edna over the weekend.

Miss Betty McPhail of Toronto, was a visitor at the Andrew Pegg home on Sunday.

John Middleton met with a very unfortunate accident last Monday, while hauling hay, when the horses made a quick start, knocking him off the load, resulting in a broken leg. He returned home from the Oshawa hospital on Saturday evening, but will be laid up for some time, we are hoping for a speedy recovery.

Miss Doreen Pegg and Beatrice Maclean spent the weekend at their homes.

Rev. Mr. McVey of Toronto gave a very fine address at our "Mother's Day" service last Sunday. The little son (Robert Lloyd) of Charles and Mrs. McTaggart and daughter (Cairn Jane) of Frank and Mrs. Hayward were baptized.

## WHITEVALE

On Empire Day, May 23, the Women's Institute presented Whitevale Public School with a new flag. On behalf of the Institute Mrs. Chas. Hilts made the presentation. Mr. J. Heal and Rev. Mr. J. McLachan were the speakers for the afternoon. After the ceremonies were concluded baseball game was played between Green River and Whitevale schools.

At the evening service of worship in the Grant African Methodist Episcopal Church, on Sunday, May 26, Mr. J. Heal, Whitevale will preach and the combined choirs of Green River Baptist Church and First Baptist Church, Whitevale, will sing. All who journey to Dr. Perry's Church will be made very welcome.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Whitevale United Church held their May meeting at the home of Mrs. J. A. Pugh at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon. The word for roll call was "labour."

Mrs. A. E. Fleming is entertaining her sister, Mrs. L. Nevin of Toronto for awhile.

Mrs. Grant Van. Baricom is back in Whitevale with her new son. We welcome the new citizen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tweedie entertained guests on Sunday, May 19.

Mrs. Isabel Smith of Toronto is staying with Mr. and Mrs. G. Van Baricom for a while.

Ronnie and Gordon Hilts spent the weekend in Markham with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Raymer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacMillan of Toronto visited with Mrs. Norman Burke on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Baker of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Hamlin on Sunday.

Mr. Tommy Young of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fitch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Johnson of Toronto visited during the weekend at the home of Mrs. D. Pugh.

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Mrs. Jas. Campbell and daughter Miss Ella Campbell R.N., also Mr. and Mrs. O. Campbell and son Bruce all of Toronto called on Mrs. L. Matthews on Sunday evening.

The many friends of Mrs. D. Mairs are sorry to hear that she has been indisposed during the past week, but all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Jno. White is busy excavating for two new houses, which he intends building on the south east corner of his farm.

Mr. Carl Devitt and family are now living in the house lately vacated by Mrs. Cuyler, across from the school.

Mr. Jno Knox and family spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Wilkinson accompanied by several pupils from Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 journeyed via bus to Toronto on Saturday where they visited the museum and other historical places.

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held in the hall on Tuesday afternoon, May 14th, with a good attendance. Letters of thanks were read from members who had been remembered during illness. Mrs. Sheppard was appointed to attend the District annual to be held on June 12th and also to take part in the Memorial service held at that time. The secretary gave the financial report for the year, showing total receipts of \$742.06 with an expenditure of \$629.43 which included grants to Hospital for Sick Children, Cancer Research Fund, Navy League, Princess Alice Fund and remembrances to the boys who faithfully did their bit for their country. Mrs. Glen then gave a report on Social Welfare. Mrs. W. Gray reported on Agriculture. Mrs. Burk on Home Economics and Mrs. Norton who was unable to be present sent a report on Historical Research. Election of Officers then took place when the following officers were elected for the coming year, President Mrs. T. Robertson re-elected with Mrs. Birrell and Mrs. Sheppard as 1st and 2nd Vice-Presidents; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. N. Burk; Assistant, Mrs. E. E. Annis; Press Secretary, Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Matthews; District Director, Mrs. Wm. Gray; Organists, Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. Birrell; Flower Committee, Mrs. E. E. Annis, Mrs. A. Gray and Mrs. Matthews; Directors, Mrs. N. Butron, Mrs. R. Raine, Mrs. O. Butron, Mrs. A. Gray, Mrs. Wannop. A social time was spent around the tables when Mrs. Wm. Milne, Mrs. F. Cassie and Mrs. B. Holtby served a dainty lunch.

## BALSAM AND MT. ZION NEWS

The Active Service Class met at the home of Mrs. Roy Wilkin on Wednesday evening with a good attendance.

An executive meeting of the Brooklin Junior Farmers met on Thursday night at the home of Mr. Earl Disney.

We are sorry to hear that Miss Barbara Coultis has the measles. Mrs. Hugh Pugh is looking after her father, Mr. S. H. Jones for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moat and grandson of Toronto spent Sunday with Wm. Harbron.

Earl Wilson, Jack and Leonard Davies were in Toronto and took in the "Rodeo" at the Maple Leaf Gardens on Saturday night.

Mr. Richard Wilson of Brooklin spent Sunday at the Geo. Wilson home.

We are very pleased to report that Mrs. Cecil Jones is improving from her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Disney visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Albright of Pine Grove.

Next Sunday, Capt. Silcox of Greenwood will have charge of the service at 7.30.

Miss Aileen Carson of Oshawa was home for the weekend.

## THURSDAY NIGHT IS FOTO NITE

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## Big Summer Hotel Would be Finest of It's Kind

Chartered Company Proposes to Build Luxury Summer Resort at Pickering Waterfront — Asked Fixed Assessment

A chartered company, yet unnamed, propose to erect a luxury summer hotel at lot 23, con. 1, on the Pickering township waterfront, south of Dunbarton which would cost in the neighborhood of \$100,000. The spokesman for the company has asked that Pickering township establish a fixed assessment for the property. They contend that the hotel will create jobs for some forty people when in operation, and will be a large consumer of farm products, as it will operate twelve months of the year.

The hotel will consist of 58 individual buildings, each with its own private 3-piece tile bath, and will give accommodation for 174 regular guests. There would be separate dormitories for the employees, a special sewage disposal plant and power house, the whole covering an area of about sixteen acres.

It is hoped to attract American tourists and others who would be likely to patronize this millionaire house on the banks of Lake Ontario. Winter sporting activities are planned for Frenchman's Bay to keep the place going all-year round.

## Eighteen Divorce Cases Granted Probation Period

Decrees nisi were granted in six divorce actions by Mr. Justice D. C. Wells on the concluding day of the spring non-jury Assizes in Whitby, bringing the total number granted during the session to 18.

Friday His Lordship granted decrees nisi in actions brought by Roy Winter of Oshawa; Charlotte Beer, of Toronto, formerly of Brougham; L. J. Towns, who is with the occupation forces in Germany; Frederick C. Mason of Oshawa; Rosina Burke of Longford Mills; and Victor Hrycak of Pickering. One other divorce action heard earlier was from Aurora.

## BORN AT BROUGHAM MRS. THOMPSON AGED 91, DEAD

Sarah Jane Thompson, widow of the late John Heard, died at the home of her son Wilfred in Allandale, Monday, May 6, 1946. She was in her 91st year and had been confined to her bed for nearly three years.

Born October 25, 1855 at Brougham in Pickering township, she was a daughter of Chas. Thompson and Elizabeth Locke. She lived in Angus, Thornton and Allandale. Since 1928 she had lived with her son, Wilfred Heard. She is survived by two daughters, two sons, 17 grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband 51 years.

The funeral service, Wednesday, May 8, was conducted by Col. and Mrs. Burton and Capt and Mrs. Jas. Brown of the Salvation Army.

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