

# Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent Local dealers—Mowder's Store and Overland's Store.

Additional Claremont news on front page of this issue. Buy a Tribune each week at Overland's or Mowder's Store.

Mrs. Michell and daughter Ruby of Whitevale were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Empringham.

Mrs. Luther Pilkey is slowly improving since her serious illness. Mrs. Tarr, her sister from Stouffville is assisting in the home.

James Milliken of St. George, Ont. was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawson during the weekend.

We understand that Andrew Brooks of Claremont has taken a position with a lumber company at White River.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mason of St. George, Ont., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hinan.

Miss Mary Morgan and Miss Verena Pilkey enjoyed a trip to Niagara on Thursday.

The Goodfellowship Class of the United Church will hold a corn roast at the local park on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wellman, also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linton and daughter motored to Niagara for a holiday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harton of Toronto visited over the weekend at the home of Mrs. Blanche Cook.

Mrs. Shipley who has been living with her sister, Mrs. David Gregg has gone to visit with relatives in London.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nichol, also Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nichol of Toronto visited with Miss Margaret Graham and other friends here recently.

Mr. Jud Ward is making some improvements to his home with the assistance of Wm. Cowie. New siding is being placed on this well-known Main St. residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stephenson of Oshawa visited friends here on Saturday.

Mrs. E. Lewis has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Sanger of Brampton.

Mrs. Ross Middleton spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Loss Hill is very proud of her peach tree which was grown from a pit she planted three years ago. This year it had forty peaches which is very good for so young a tree.

### Claremont Man Weds Whitby Girl

A quiet wedding took place in the Governor's residence of the County jail, at Whitby, when Jean Paul Sutherland, daughter of Governor and Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, was married to Alfred Allan Pretty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pretty of Claremont. Rev. David Marshall of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church officiated.

Miss Pearl Potter of Calgary was bridesmaid while Mr. R. Andrews of Pickering was the best man.

Mrs. Peter Spratt played the wedding music and Mrs. Castle Smith sang "I Love You Truly" during the signing of the register.

After a short wedding trip the bride and groom will reside in Whitby.

### DUNBARTON WOMAN CLAIMED SHE HAD BEEN PUSHED TO GROUND

Appearing in Police Court at Whitby, Mary Borrowdale, Dunbarton storekeeper, pleaded not guilty to a charge of assault laid by Rose Hackett, a neighbor.

Mrs. Hackett claimed that Mrs. Borrowdale had pushed her while she was carrying two pails of water, and had caused her to fall, cutting her knee and mouth. Mrs. Hackett also admitted that she had risen from the ground and tossed the contents of one of the pails over Mrs. Borrowdale.

Mrs. Borrowdale as a witness in her own defense, stated that she did not push the complainant, but that Mrs. Hackett, expecting physical retaliation after hot words, had started to run, but had tripped and fallen.

Magistrate F. S. Ebbs felt that there was no need for argument in the case, and that the whole incident was very unfortunate. The case was dismissed.

### KAISER WELCOMES WAR RECORD PROBE



"Tit for tat" is apparently the motto of Henry Kaiser, U.S. west coast shipbuilder, who says he is "eager" to have his war record investigated as suggested by Senator Styles Bridges. In turn, Kaiser, shown here, asked for an investigation of the steel industry's war record.

## 8,000 Mile Trip to West Coast, Delightful Journey for Altona Farmers

Returning last week from an 8,000 mile motor trip to the West coast and back to Stouffville, Mr. and Mrs. David Nighswander of Altona were free to confess that "there is no place like home." They didn't add "be is ever so humble," for the Nighswander residence and acreage at Altona are on the broad and expansive lines, with those useful improvements that can bring the present country home to a very desirable place to live so far as the material things are concerned. Mr. and Mrs. Nighswander together with their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lehman of Atha left here on July 8th, for what proved to be eight weeks of delightful touring during which time they enjoyed visits with many old friends and relatives of former days. Mr. Lehman, for instance, met his sister, Mrs. Knupp at High River for the first time in 36 years. Likewise, Mr. Nighswander was delighted to meet his cousin, Mrs. Gus Spanke for the first time in 46 years. The entire trip was made without serious mishap. Perhaps the nearest thing to an accident was when they were passing through the Rockies, and encountered a large boulder which had become dislodged and rolled down the side of the mountain to rest on the road. Mr. Nighswander at the wheel failed to give the obstacle the required clearance, but the collision was not serious.

The four people travelled from home direct to North Bay, Sudbury, Sault Ste. Marie and across the line into the States, finally arriving at Winnipeg.

They proceeded on to Brandon, Regina, Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary and Banff, visiting friends and relatives along the way. At Mather, Sask., they met Oscar Yake, and at Deloraine, Jake Brownberger who is 94, and does his own housework. He was once a harnessmaker in Stouffville, and recalled the residents who lived on Main St., quite vividly. At Brandon they had a visit with Mrs. Nighswander's cousin, Mrs. Arthur Raymer, the former Elizabeth Wideman and then at Regina another cousin Mrs. Kent, the former Ella Lehman of Delhi. Later they were fortunate to meet a sister of Mr. John Scott (Mary Scott), of Claremont, Mrs. William Forsyth, and when farther north they called on the Hughes family. (Annie Boothby). They found Mr. Hughes in rather poor health. Jos. Dillet, an old Scarborough boy, was pleased to meet the travellers at Saskatoon. "Probably the only very dry and backward crop we encountered in the West was at or around Wainwright," said Mr. Nighswander in his casual perusal of the trip, and it was really amazing how he could follow through the journey and recall names of people they met without reference to any notes whatever. In fact the scribe interviewed him back in the barn looking at the season's crop all threshed when he was away, which indicates that Fred and Joe had been carrying on just the same with the head of the family absent.

It was at Wainwright the group first saw a copy of The Tribune, and later they saw several at other places. Here they visited Mrs. Isaac Stouffer and family. At Edmonton they met Henry Barkey, brother of Isaac of Stouffville, also Jos. Burkholder and his sister. When they got down to Lacombe, the tourists made a side trip of ninety miles to visit the Wideman boys, brothers of Wesley Wideman on the 8th of Markham. Then at Didsbury they were greeted by Isaac Burkholder and Ezra Sherk. Of course, many more old friends were met than can be mentioned in

## High School Teacher Dead, was Born in Pickering

The death of Elmer Austin Stephenson who died suddenly at the Oshawa General Hospital removes a prominent Whitby school teacher and a former Pickering boy who attended school at Claremont. He was only 45 years of age, thus his death was very untimely.

In the four years that he had been teaching shop work, mathematics and physical training to students at the Whitby High School, Mr. Stephenson also found time to organize a boys' club for youngsters, to teach Sunday School at All Saints' Anglican Church, to have charge of the Whitby High School Cadet Corps, hold an executive position in the Whitby Kinsmen Club and be an active member of Brougham Lodge, A.F. and A.M.

Born in Pickering, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James A. Stephenson, of Pickering Township, he was educated in Whitby and Claremont, and obtained teaching degrees at Normal School and at Queen's University, Kingston. Before going to Whitby to teach, he had been at Fairbank School, Toronto, and at Kingston.

Married to the former Norma Stuart, of Egansville, Mr. Stephenson is survived by his wife and two sons, Eric and Frank, and by two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Levi Norton (Ethel), Uxbridge, Mrs. Edith Harper, Oscar and Rex of Toronto.

### ATHA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. David Tran and Laurie are spending their holidays in Kingston with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Overland.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dunkeld and family motored to Ottawa on Thursday. They visited the Parliament

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New role for Lieut.-Col. Joan B. Kennedy, efficient officer administering the C.W.A.C. during its organization, is that of associate private secretary to Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister for veterans' affairs. She finds civilian life "grand" now that she has turned her energy into peacetime channels and looks even more attractive in "civvies" than she did in the trim uniform she wore during war years.

buildings and spent Friday sight-seeing through the city, also spent a day at the Thousand Islands, Kingston and Brockville.

Mr. Lapp and Mr. Bell of Toronto, called on the Madill Bros. on Sunday afternoon.

Friends from Victoria Square were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Robertson.

Mrs. Eli Lehman and Grace spent Thursday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hill, Claremont, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace.

Mr. Atkinson and Mr. Ernie Caruthers spent Tuesday in Hamilton.

### ALTONA

Col. Lapp, son of a former resident of the Altona district Seth Lapp, remembered as a cement contractor, has been visiting his boyhood scenes here. He was accompanied by a friend from Seattle.

Donald Pugh occupied the pulpit in the Mennonite church on Sunday evening, thereby delivering his initial sermon, marking the beginning of his career as a minister. It is a fine thing to have our young men stepping into the ministry, and we wish this lad every success.

Altona corner may not be the dust centre of the earth, but it is certainly a bad and dangerous spot on windy days. Every car that passes the corner store leaves a cloud of dust. Something should be done by Pickering township to alley this nuisance in such a public place, both from a sanitary standpoint and from the safety view. Yes, we might say from the financial angle too, because it is poor business to place gravel on busy road without calcium or oil, because it only blows away leaving nothing in a year or two for the money expended.

Our cement contractor Stan Thompson and his wife set out for Coboconk, on a motor trip. However, when their car broke down in the northern town, they returned by train.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith now living on the Nighswander place, are enjoying a motor trip to Scottsdale, Pa., in the vicinity of Pittsburgh. Little Janet Ruth, their years old

### REARRESTED ON SPY CHARGES



R.C.M.P. announce the rearrest in Ottawa of conspiracy and of breaking the Official Secrets Act of 1939. He was remanded until Sept. 16, and released on \$3,000 bail. One of the original suspects detained last February 15, Dr. Shugar was freed when Magistrate Glen Strike, Ottawa, declared evidence insufficient to commit him, and he returned to work with the national health department. He was recently released from his duties.

daughter is staying at home entertaining her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Smith.  
Mr. and Mrs. Millard Reesor were on an extended motor trip, and while in Quebec they blew a tire. When they were quoted \$60 as the price of a new tire, Millard thought this was a black market holdup, and refused to pay that price. Instead, he proceeded to patch the wrecked one, and must have done a very good job, since it carried them home again.

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