

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

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

Friends in Claremont regretted to learn of the passing of Howard Mothersill of Kingston and a former resident here. The late Mr. Mothersill is survived by his wife, one son and two daughters, also two grandchildren. Deceased was employed at the former H. G. McIntyre plant here along with his son George, while the family resided in Claremont. Interment was made in Oshawa. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Overland along with other friends attended from this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Evans were in Aurora on Sunday for the occasion of Mrs. John Chapman's 92nd birthday.

Miss Harvey of Oshawa, visited with friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hammond of Brooklin visited in the village on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Hockley also Betty Story of Toronto visited over the weekend at their homes here.

On Monday evening, Sept. 30th, an evening of song and music will be presented in the local Baptist Church by the Salvation Army, Broadview branch.

Friends regret the sudden illness of Mrs. Frank Gostick who was removed to Toronto General Hospital last week.

Mrs. James Grant of Toronto visited over the weekend at her sister's home, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Briscoe.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark of Windsor (nee Anna Forsyth) on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Lonsdale and Mrs. Conner have been holidaying with relatives in Toronto, Cookstown and Schomberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Empringham, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Empringham and Allen, were visitors at the Jos. Empringham home, Mt. Zion, on Sunday.

Mrs. Mills, sr., and Mr. and Mrs. W. Mills of Toronto were visitors at the Dave Dawson home on Sunday.

L. W. Douglas of Bobcaygeon was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Overland on Sunday.

Mr. Overland was in Erin a week ago attending the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Mary Pearcey, who was in her 86th year.

The popularity of The Tribune as the local paper for Claremont and district was well exemplified last week when counter sales in the village reach 90 copies. This is in addition to the hundreds who take The Tribune through the mail as regular subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Evans on Sunday attended the birthday party held in honor of Mrs. Harriet Chapman, Aurora. Mrs. Chapman celebrated her 92nd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Evans and family spent Sunday at the Underhill's in Aurora.

The old apple is again the cause of man's downfall. On Monday Mr. Bob Redshaw while picking apples in the orchard on the old Evans farm, fell from the tree when the ladder slipped. He sustained a rather bad shaking up but it is hoped he will be all right after the shock is over.

Hard Time to Fill Teaching Staff

Claremont Continuation School has experienced difficulty in securing a teaching staff, and Mrs. K. Laushway, principal, is carrying on alone at the moment. Mr. Wolfe who joined the staff this year, resigned shortly after school opened to take a position with the Imperial Oil Co. Despite the reduced staff school is held as usual. Mr. John Davidson of Greenbank was engaged, but just prior to taking on his new duties, Mr. Davidson was taken ill, so that the school is still short-handed. We understand the suggestion has been made that the students be transported to Stouffville for the time being, and that Mrs. Laushway could carry on with the Stouffville staff. The idea was said to be acceptable to Stouffville Board and Principal, but no definite word is forthcoming as to whether such a plan will materialize.

Claremont Man Meets Tragic End

Cause of Tragedy a Mystery—Albert Lee Highly Respected.

Tragedy struck the village of Claremont late Friday night when Albert Lee, life-long resident of the community was found outside his home with a shot gun wound through the heart and lungs. According to information told the police, the unfortunate man had on various occasions threatened to shoot himself, but his remarks were never taken seriously by the housekeeper. However, he is said to have said the same thing late Friday night, and shortly after went outside. A shot was heard when Mr. Richard Cooper, another occupant of the house ran out and found Mr. Lee lying about 16 feet from the gun. Death must have been instantaneous.

Son of Thos. Lee of Claremont, Albert spent all his life in the community, and was well thought of. He had been employed for 15 years by the township of Pickering, and at time of his death was operating a township truck. He was a good workman, and gave excellent satisfaction to his employers.

The funeral on Monday was largely attended, service being conducted by Rev. L. E. Kennedy assisted by Rev. L. Wenham. Interment was made in Claremont cemetery.

Faces Charge Over Unemployment Fund

Charged with obtaining unemployment insurance by making false statements, William A. Knox of Brougham came up for hearing at Whitby last week, and the case was remanded until this week after considerable evidence had been heard. The government was prosecuting the case.

There were five charges of the indictment, in which claims were made that between September, 1945, and April, 1946, the accused had drawn unemployment insurance while he was operating a general store in Brougham.

Investigators gave evidence that Knox had made an application for unemployment benefits, and had received cheques covering the weekly amounts. They also showed that Knox had a license to buy unemployment insurance stamps as an employer, and their subsequent investigation showed that he had been owner of a general store in Brougham.

Defence witnesses, Knox, his wife and his son, said that the accused had purchased the store as a business for his son, then in the army and soon to go overseas. They further stated that Knox, who had been employed at Ajax previously, had left the management of the store to his wife, had only helped occasionally with the business, and had taken no money from the concern. In fact the evidence given was that he had paid the taxes and mortgage interest out of his own funds.

The case gives rise to the unfairness of the unemployment insurance. Many people were made to pay this insurance at Ajax who had no hope of gaining any benefit from the payment, people like housewives and elderly men who were retired from work, but had gone to Ajax to help out in an emergency. It was generally understood that there housewives and others would draw a percentage of their payment when unemployed. Sound opinion is that they never should have been assessed in the first place. Of course, this opinion is no reflection on the Brougham case whatever.

Weekly circulation of The Tribune is over 2,600 copies.

BROUGHAM

Miss Eleanor and Master Kenneth Beer of Toronto spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. T. Beer.

Mrs. Wm. Burton and daughter Mary of Detroit returned to their home last week after a pleasant holiday with friends around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Brodie, also Dora, Margaret and Donald and Mrs. Brodie Sr., all of Gormley, called on Mr. and Mrs. M. Hamilton on Sunday.

Mrs. D. S. Witter and daughter Joan of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Crocker and Mrs. R. W. Witter of Toronto called on Mrs. L. Matthews one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ellicott and daughter of Toronto spent Sunday with his parents Wm. and Mrs. Ellicott.

Miss Hazel Hamilton and Miss Lynde Carswell of Oshawa spent a few days last week with Walter and Mrs. Hamilton.

Mrs. Lemon, also Mr. and Mrs. W. Slack were at Ashburn, on Saturday attending the wedding of the latter's niece, Miss Mary Lynde and Mr. Donald H. Pinder of Whitby.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Forsythe of Markham called on Mrs. T. C. Brown one day last week.

Mrs. W. Knox who is training at the Oshawa Hospital spent the weekend at her home here.

Miss Beulah Hamilton of Newcastle and Miss Dorothy Harlock of Stouffville spent the weekend at their homes here.

Rev. Mr. Totton, representing The Lord's Day Alliance, was guest speaker in St. John's Church on Sunday last. Mr. Totton was a former minister on this circuit when services were held in the Methodist Church here.

Mrs. Thos. Robertson was in Toronto on Thursday afternoon attending the funeral of a friend, the late Mrs. Midgley of Greenwood.

Mrs. G. Phillip entertained a niece and other friends from Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnston are getting settled in their new house this week. We welcome Mrs. Johnston and Allan to our midst, after spending some time in Toronto.

Mr. Jas. Smith also Mrs. Gordon Smith of South Dakota are visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. T. C. Brown. It is seven years since he visited this, his home district. Although eighty-six years of age he is still hale and healthy.

Miss Sewell, R.N. of Meaford who is assisting Mrs. Rhoten as P.H. nurse in this district has spent the last couple of weeks with Mrs. L. Matthews.

SAMUEL H. JONES DIES IN 82ND YEAR

The death occurred in Pickering township on Thursday, Sept. 19, 1946, of Samuel H. Jones, in his 82nd year, beloved husband of the late Sarah Hortop, and father of Alma (Mrs. J. Palframm), Sudbury; Muriel (Mrs. H. Pugh) of Dublin, Gladys (Mrs. E. Bock), Grant of Ottawa, and Edward of Pickering township.

Funeral took place from the family home at lot 7, con. 8, Pickering, on Sunday afternoon for interment at Salem cemetery.

DRAWS TIME FOR BROOKLIN CRASH

Pleading guilty before Magistrate F.S. Ebbs to a careless driving charge, William C. Harding, Brooklin, was fined \$25 and costs in court at Whitby.

The charge arose out of a collision at the junction of No. 12 and No. 7 Highways at Brooklin on August 31 when accused collided with a car driven by James McDonald, Pickering, causing injuries to the latter, his wife and child. Damages to each auto was estimated at approximately \$200.

"The injuries were not serious," stated R. D. Humphreys, K.C., acting for the accused. "McDonald's wife has made a complete recovery. Harding's father runs a garage and all claims will be settled."

The defence submitted that instead of stopping at the intersection, accused turned north through a filling station driveway and in going over the curb his foot slipped off the brake and on to the accelerator, thereby throwing the car into the path of McDonald's machine.

"I ask the court to take consideration of the fact that accused is only 20 years old and has served four years in the army," concluded Mr. Humphreys.

Institutes Plan for 50th Anniversary

The 50th anniversary of the founding of Women's Institutes will be celebrated at a day of special ceremonies to be held at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, on June 18, 1947, and a special committee of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario is working on ambitious plans for this historic event. The theme of the celebration will be "We Treasure the Past—We Face the Future." It is the hope of the F.W.I.O. that Women's Institute members all over the Province will start to plan now to attend and make their 50th Anniversary a memorable occasion.

The first Women's Institute was started at Stoney Creek, Ontario, on February 19, 1897. From this little village, the idea has spread until now Women's Institutes or sister organizations are found all over the world.

To commemorate the founding of the Women's Institutes, an Adelaide Hoodless Scholarship Fund is to be built up. Mrs. Adelaide Hoodless, the founder of the movement, was keenly interested in the education of rural women in the art of Home-making, and the fund in her honour will be used to help finance rural girls registering in the Home Economics courses at the Ontario Agricultural College.

Fall Sales Selling Well

Best Holstein cow in the sale sold for \$140 at the William Slack estate sale on the Pickering-Uxbridge townline east of Stouffville last Thursday afternoon. Heifers went at \$55 each, and an aged mare sold for \$60. A sow and ten pigs brought an even hundred, and a sow and nine pigs sold at \$90. Chunks of pigs 50 to 60 pounds realized \$23 each. Mixed grain went at \$28 per ton, and oats 45c a bushel. Total sale reached close to the \$4,000 mark.

Mrs. Slack who has sold the farm is taking up residence at Goodwood.

Mr. Billy Base, entertained about twenty of his friends to a corn and twiner roast last Thursday evening. It was held on the three acre lot recently purchased by Ed. Boniface from Les. McCullough. A good time was had by all.

MRS. HARRIET CHAPMAN HAS 93RD BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Harriet Chapman, Aurora, celebrated her 93rd birthday last week. A native of Pickering township, she won the prize on Labor Day for being the oldest lady on the grounds at the Canadian Legion celebration. A member of Aurora United church, she has resided in Aurora 33 years since the death of her husband. She is in full possession of her faculties, and has a remarkable memory for her age. Two daughters, Mrs. William Profit and Mrs. George Wilson, and a son, Perry, reside in Aurora. Mrs. Arthur Storey, Snowball, is another daughter. A family reunion was planned for Sunday—Aurora Era.

GREENWOOD

Carol McVey of Toronto spent the weekend at the Lloyd Pegg home.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Mt. Zion, who celebrated their fortieth anniversary last Thursday.

The hydro men are putting in poles on the school road, a number have had their buildings wired for some time.

There will not be any Sunday School or Church service this coming Sunday on account of the anniversary services at Mt. Zion at 11 o'clock in the morning and 7:30 in the evening.

Ross Disney's new cement block garage is nearing completion.

We understand that Mr. K. Beelby has sold his farm to a Mr. Graham of the base-line.

Immunization Program TOWNSHIP OF PICKERING Sept. 30th to Oct. 8th

PREVENTABLE DISEASES: Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, yet 800 children's lives were lost last year in Canada.

Increase in Diphtheria cases: Parents inquire about reinforcing dose. Provincial Department of Health outlines the procedure for prevention of Diphtheria:

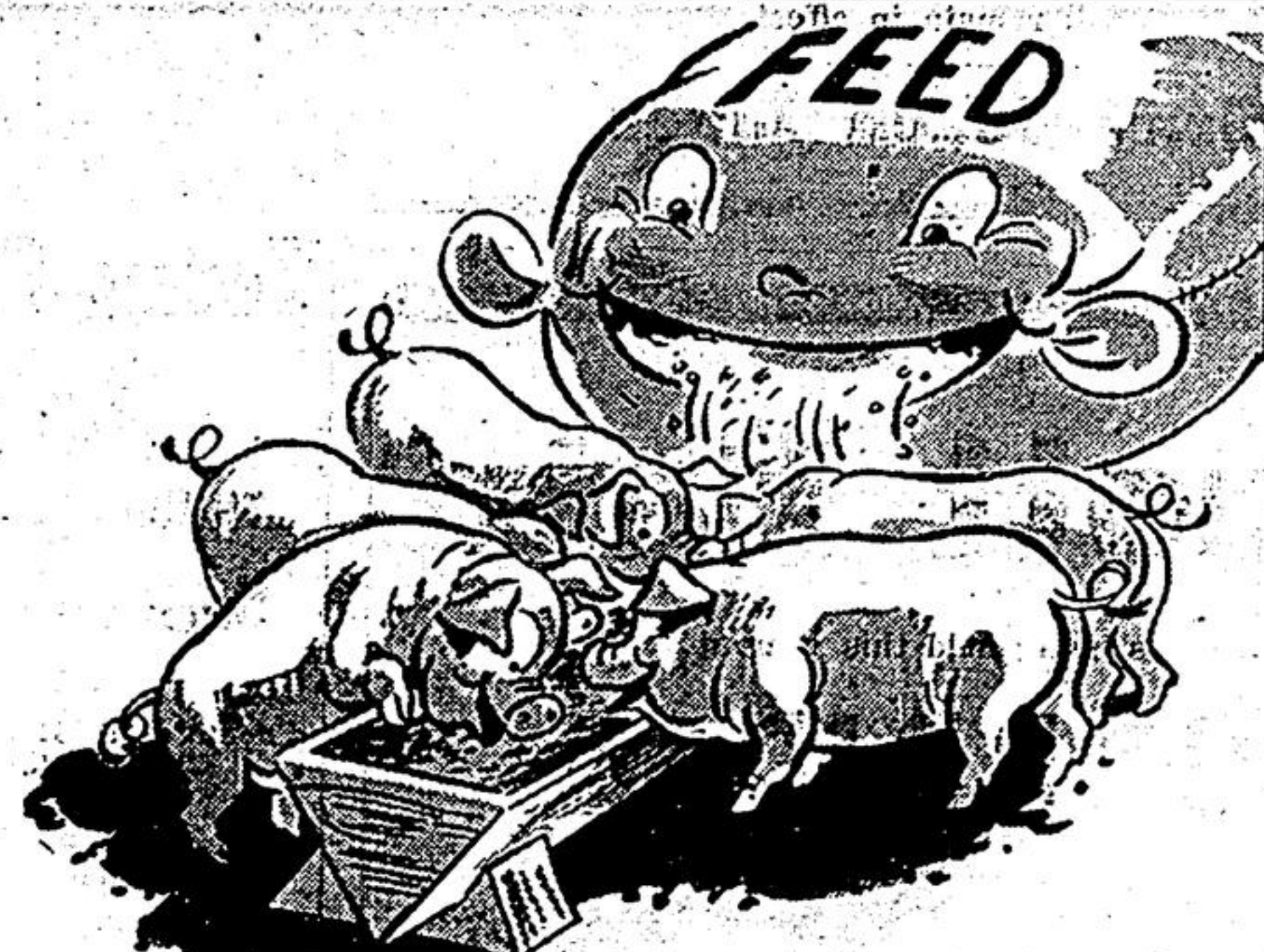
1. Infants 6 to 12 months of age should receive a full course of Diphtheria Toxoid.
2. At the age of 18 months, this child should receive a reinforcing dose.
3. Another reinforcing dose should be given before the child enters school.
4. Again, at the end of a 3 to 4 year period, the reinforcing dose should be repeated.

Your own doctor will give your child the inoculations to prevent these diseases, or he may be inoculated at any of the following Schools by the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. N. F. Tomlinson. Choose the school that is nearest to you.

Date	Location	No.	Time
Sept. 30	Balsam	No. 7	1.00 p.m.
	Mt. Zion	No. 13	1.30 p.m.
	Cedar Creek	No. 14	2.00 p.m.
	Claremont	No. 15	2.30 p.m.
Oct. 1	Altona	No. 17	1.00 p.m.
	Atha	No. 16	1.30 p.m.
	7th Con.	No. 12	2.00 p.m.
	Green River	No. 11	1.00 p.m.
Oct. 2	Whitevale	No. 8	2.00 p.m.
	Brougham	No. 10	3.00 p.m.
	Greenwood	No. 9	1.00 p.m.
	Kinsale	No. 2	1.30 p.m.
Oct. 3	Audley	No. 5	2.00 p.m.
	Brook Rd.	No. 6	3.00 p.m.
	Cherrywood	No. 7	1.00 p.m.
	Rouge	No. 3w	2.00 p.m.
Oct. 4	Dunbarton	No. 3	1.00 p.m.
	Base Line	No. 2	3.00 p.m.
Oct. 7	Pickering	No. 4V	1.00 p.m.
	Pickering	No. 4E	2.30 p.m.
Oct. 8	Union	No. 1	3.00 p.m.
	Pickering	No. 1	3.45 p.m.

DANFORTH BUS LINES DAILY SERVICE EFFECTIVE SEPT. 29th

TORONTO		BROUGHAM		CLAREMONT	
EAST BOUND	READ DOWN	WEST BOUND	READ UP	WEST BOUND	READ UP
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.	Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.	Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.	Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.	Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.	Sun. & Ex. Sun. & Ex.
Hol. Only	Hol. Only	Hol. Only	Hol. Only	Hol. Only	Hol. Only
9.45	5.45	2.00	10.00	9.15	8.45
10.10	6.10	2.25	10.25	9.40	8.20
10.20	6.20	2.35	10.35	9.50	8.10
10.35	6.35	2.50	10.50	10.05	7.55
10.38	6.38	2.53	10.53	10.08	7.52
10.40	6.40	2.55	10.55	10.10	7.50
10.50	6.50	3.05	11.05	10.20	7.40
11.00	7.00	3.15	11.15	10.30	7.30
11.05	7.05	3.20	11.20	10.35	7.25
11.15	7.15	3.30	11.30	10.45	7.15
11.30	7.30	3.45	11.45	11.00	7.00



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