

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

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

Dr. Dean Moe of Georgetown, Ohio, also his mother, Mrs. Jack Moe of Hillsboro, Ohio, her daughter Edna from Cincinnati and Mrs. H. L. Palmer, Toronto, visited last week at the home of Mrs. J. Spenceley.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGeechie (nee) Ann Symes on their recent marriage, from the fifth line folks.

Miss Doris Dolphin has been visiting with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Cowan of Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McMillan of Toronto visited over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lewis in Claremont. Mr. Lewis returned home last week from the Oshawa Hospital, where he recently underwent an operation.

The Misses Renfrew of Toronto were visitors in the village one day last week.

Rev. H.R. and Mrs. Stephens and daughter Muriel were visitors here one day last week. Rev. Stephens was minister in the local Baptist Church some years ago.

Mrs. Wenham and her mother, Mrs. Sparrow, were in Toronto on Friday.

Mrs. Mina McMaster of Greenbank, visited her brother John Phillips, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Pilkey John and Judy, one day last week. Dwight Wenham has been visiting in Greenwood at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robb and family of Toronto had Sunday night tea at the Walter Symes home.

Mrs. W. Miller of Oshawa has been visiting her sister Miss Emma Brown and attended the 60th anniversary of the ladies circle on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Scott, Fenelon Falls were in the village last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward were recent visitors in Toronto.

Mr. Jas. Johnson, former resident, and son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Johnson of North Claremont, renewed old acquaintances here last week.

A shower was held at the Walter Symes home on Friday evening for Mr. and Mrs. McGeechie. Many lovely gifts were presented to the young couple.

Mrs. Renfrew, the former Bessie McNab attended the funeral of the late Andrew Miller last week.

Mr. Levi Linton is holidaying in Perth for a week.

Mrs. Thos. Gregg has been holidaying in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Whittman Phillips and sons, Hugh and Willson of Regina, Sask., had Thursday evening tea with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pilkey and family also, Mrs. John Phillips.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Mac Patterson who have attained 25 years of married life. Relatives and friends surprised them with a party at the home of their daughter, and son-in-law, Lloyd and Mrs. Greig.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hardy, Clifford Gordon spent a day in Toronto recently with Mr. and Mrs. James Evans and Keith. Mr. Hardy and Mr. Evans and son had a very enjoyable aeroplane ride over the city of Toronto from Barker's airfield. A trip which they will long remember as it was their first ride.

Football Game Here On Holiday Program

Rogers Electric of the Toronto football league will be in Claremont for a game with the local booters at the big sports day program arranged for August 4th here. A full schedule of softball will be run in the afternoon prior to the football. The committee in charge of the day would also like to acknowledge the following additional prizes: from the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. 2 616 tires; Imperial Oil, 5 gals. motor oil; McEachney-Pickering, gift.

Tie Ball Game with Dunbarton Ends in Near Riot

Stopped midway through the 6th innings with Claremont up and the bases loaded, the regular league game here with Dunbarton ended in a wild meleé of protests and counter protests on Friday night. Claremont started the game minus three of their star performers, Borland, Johnston and Miller. However the local boys held their own against the visitors until the 4th innings when Dunbarton forged ahead with six runs, to make the score 14-3. In the sixth innings Claremont added a couple and Ross Redshaw slugged a homer with the bases loaded to tie the score. There were two out at the time. At this juncture the Dunbarton team trotted off the field game was called on account of darkness. Umpire Middleton behind the plate had his hands full from the outset, keeping the boys in line, and although there were no blows struck, tempers flared high at the conclusion. Both teams it is said, agreed prior to the start of the game, to complete seven innings.

BROUGHAM

Miss Helen Burrows of Oshawa is holidaying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burrows.

The Sunday School Picnic which was planned for last Tuesday, was postponed for a week due to the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Annis spent the weekend in the Haliburton district.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox visited with their sons near Inneskillen one day last week.

Mrs. F. Hicks visited with friends around Bracebridge over the weekend.

The usual Monday morning clothes lines were unusually bare this week owing to the power failure. The storm on Sunday knocked out the transformer just north of the highway on the Brock Rd. and the power shortage left most of the village's washing machines idle.

Miss Barbara Mairs spent a few days last week with friends in Oshawa.

Mrs. Oscar Wilson of Ajax spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton.

A head of timothy seed 9 inches long grown on the farm of M. Malcolm is considered an abnormal growth.

Mrs. A. B. Matthews returned home on Sunday after spending a week with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. John Gilman has been confined to her bed through illness during the past week. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Linda Carswell of Oshawa is visiting with her grandparents, Walter and Mrs. Hamilton.

Mr. Robt. Brennan and Mr. Geo. Tremblay of Toronto were around renewing old acquaintances on Saturday afternoon.

Miss G. Ham of Oshawa visited with her friend, Miss Barbara Mairs for a couple of days this week.

Miss M. McGregor of Vancouver, but who is now staying in Toronto, had tea on Sunday with Mrs. L. Matthews. Miss McGregor is a granddaughter of the late Brock Hubbard who was well known to some of our older residents. Miss McGregor is on the Vancouver public school staff, and is attending a special course at Jarvis Collegiate, Toronto.

Married at Cherrywood 57 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Summerfeldt of Cannington celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary very quietly at their home on Wednesday.

They were married at Cherrywood on July 16th, 1890, by Rev. Mr. Reeber of Unionville. They came to Cannington 30 years ago when Mr. Summerfeldt and his son John, took over the funeral director business which they still operate. Prior to coming to Cannington Mr. Summerfeldt had a hardware business in Mount Albert.

Mr. Summerfeldt is 87 years of age and Mrs. Summerfeldt is 78. Both are quite active and enjoying good health. They have two children, Mrs. Ted McMillen of Midland and John.

Due to Civic Holiday falling next Monday, Aug. 4th, Pickering Township council will be holding their regular August session on Tuesday afternoon at the municipal building at Brougham.

ATHA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Marton from Port Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Hill from Claremont were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robb and George from Markham were dinner guests with the Carruthers family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and Jack attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Humphrey at Agincourt on Saturday evening.

Mr. Jack Wallace spent the weekend in Claremont with Bruce Lehman while Mr. and Mrs. Lehman motored to Belhaven to visit her cousin, Mrs. King.

Around forty neighbors gathered on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Tran to honor and wish Mr. Geo. Tran many happy birthdays. Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Tran.

Mr. Ab. Lewis from Peterboro, spent a few days last week with Mrs. L. Hoover and Mrs. Vanzant.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byer attended the wedding at Lindsay on Saturday of Miss Hancock, formerly of Ringwood to Mr. Parkins.

Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Hill spent Monday in Toronto.

Miss Joyce is visiting at Warton with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Barkey.

Master Grant Wagg, Stouffville, spent a few days last week with his sister, Mrs. E. Carruthers.

Miss Eileen Drask is spending her holidays in Leaskdale with her cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Featherstone, Peter and Joan from Milliken called on several neighbors in the district on Monday afternoon.

Happy birthday to little Ruth Ann Carruthers who celebrated her first birthday on Friday, July 25. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper and Mr. and Mrs. Gren Draper called to wish Ruth Ann many happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Turnbull and son, Jerry of Toronto spent Friday with Mrs. Hoover and Verne.

Mrs. Charles Carnochan from Blackstock is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dunkeld.

Mrs. Charlie White from Moose Jaw, Sask., Mrs. Joe Stonehouse of Rexton, Man., also Mr. Topper from Saskatchewan and Mr. Dave Middleton of Maple, Mr. and Mrs. Len. Cox of Port Whitby have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Pallister.

BALSAM

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Westgarth of Lindsay spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. Day.

Mrs. Stan. Neil and daughter of Toronto are holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harbison.

Dorothy and Joan Graham spent a few days last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Smith of Prospect.

A chivari gang welcomed the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Lynde Wilson back from their honeymoon on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones are holidaying in Muskoka for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Thompson and Myrna who are remaining for the week.

Mr. Bob Jones and Miss Ceverena Jones from Saskatchewan are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. Kenneth Jones of Toronto spent Saturday at his home.

Oppose Closing of Continuation Schools

A meeting called at Whitby last week for educational representatives from Pickering and Whitby townships and Whitby town debated the proposed high school area for that district but could reach no decision. Question of costs was not known, which would naturally increase when transportation was added to present school maintenance charges. If Pickering, Whitby, and Whitby township formed an area, there would be an assessment of over \$7,000,000 and while this area would be substantial as one unit, it is being serviced today by various schools. Would the closing down of some, and enlarging of others reduce or increase costs?

The Dept. of Education do not hold out lower costs by reason of larger areas, but they claim better educational services would result.

Various representatives of the different areas and bodies were allowed to address the meeting and air their views in this somewhat controversial subject.

William Murkar of Pickering told the gathering that he was a comparative newcomer to such discussions and that he did not know a great deal about the proposed plan. However, he said that it would appear as though the proposed change is much more serious now than it would have been 25 years ago.

Mr. Murkar said that recently he had been told that the days of the Continuation Schools were numbered and that he was extremely sorry to hear this because under the present system many rural pupils received a two-year secondary school education who would not normally do so if they were forced to go any distance to a high school. He said that he was assured that the ratepayers of school district No. 4 west, were behind the continuation school and that he would not like to take the responsibility of closing the continuation school as would appear to be the only solution if a new and enlarged district was formed.

Mr. Croxall, a representative of the Brooklin Continuation School also declared that he would not be in favor of any definite move in a matter like this until the ratepayers of the area had been advised of the plan possibly in an open meeting.

Thomas Hammond of the Claremont Continuation School Board, concurred with the two previous speakers by saying that he would not like to take the responsibility of signing away the Claremont school without the sanction of the ratepayers of the area.

Francis J. McIntyre, chairman of the Whitby School Board and an ex-officio member of the special committee, told the meeting that the proposal was one that required a great deal of thought on the part of members of the bodies from the different municipalities. He said that he was sure in his own mind that the proposals had a great deal of merit in them in many ways and that it would seem that if such action was taken it would surely mean the closing eventually of all continuation schools.

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AUDLEY

Mrs. Mitchell's mother returned to her home in North York on Sunday after a week on the farm.

Friends from Oshawa visited the Geo. Lawrence family on Saturday last. The new house has just been covered with white asbestos siding and looks attractive.

R. P. Wjnter and family are looking for a house to move in to in a month or so, as the purchaser is preparing to take possession then.

The electric storm on Sunday was a heavy one and this is about all that the hay fields can stand. The ground for wheat harvest and corn cultivation is rendered very soft.

Master Carl Disney of Whitby is visiting with his aunt at Grasmere for a week.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Ben Bryant upon the sudden loss of her mother. Several from here attended the funeral services at Whitby on Saturday.

Syd Wonnacott and family attended the Hancock-Wonnacott picnic at Orono on Saturday last.

Gordon West had the misfortune to get his jeep mixed up in an accident while returning from Montreal recently.

Mel. Cox had the misfortune to get into an accident on No. 2 highway last week while driving the Winter's truck.

Mrs. Jones of Toronto has been visiting her sisters the Mesdames Gard and Dick Winter.

Ed. Adair, wife and friends of Toronto were recent visitors with Dick and Mrs. Winter.

Mr. Cobham and family of Tor-

Interesting Visitors At Brougham

Mrs. Brown had some interesting callers recently from Peoria, Ill. Mrs. Jessie Blandin, Dusty, daughter of the late George Blandin, and the late Latena Alger, and the daughter of Mrs. Dusty, Mrs. Lutena Dusty Bavin. They were accompanied by Mrs. Albert Akhurst of Greenbank and her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Blakeley. They were delighted to find some one who had known and remembered Mrs. Dusty's parents.

She was born on the Blandin farm which they visited. Mrs. Brown is now the historian of the village. She and her late husband were born here and their parents before them were early settlers. Another caller came, a Mrs. M. W. Abbott who is compiling a genealogy of the Woodruff family. She was formerly Susan Woodruff and she lives in Milford, Conn., and Mrs. Brown was able to give her much information of the Powel Woodruff, Nelson and Hawkins, and their families.

Powel Woodruff built the Old Central Tavern now the Woodward store. Van Buren was his son. She was able to tell Mrs. Brown that the Nelson Woodruff family who went to Washington territory had passed away, but a new generation of grandchildren of Washington, are still there, but Brougham has forgotten the family.

Onto are holidaying on the McBrady farm. The boys with their Pinto pony are learning the ways of the bucking broncho.

CIVIC HOLIDAY

(Monday, August 4th)

CLAREMONT FIELD DAY

Baseball at 12:30 sharp

12.30 Ajax vs. Pickering
1.30 Kinsale vs. Dunbarton
2.30 Claremont vs. Pickering Vets
1st Prize \$25; 2nd \$15

Children's Races - Money Prizes
MEN'S OPEN RACE

Bingo on Grounds - Good Prizes
BOOTH OPEN ALL DAY

6.30 FOOTBALL GAME
Picked Toronto Team vs. Claremont

Airoplane Trips, Afternoon

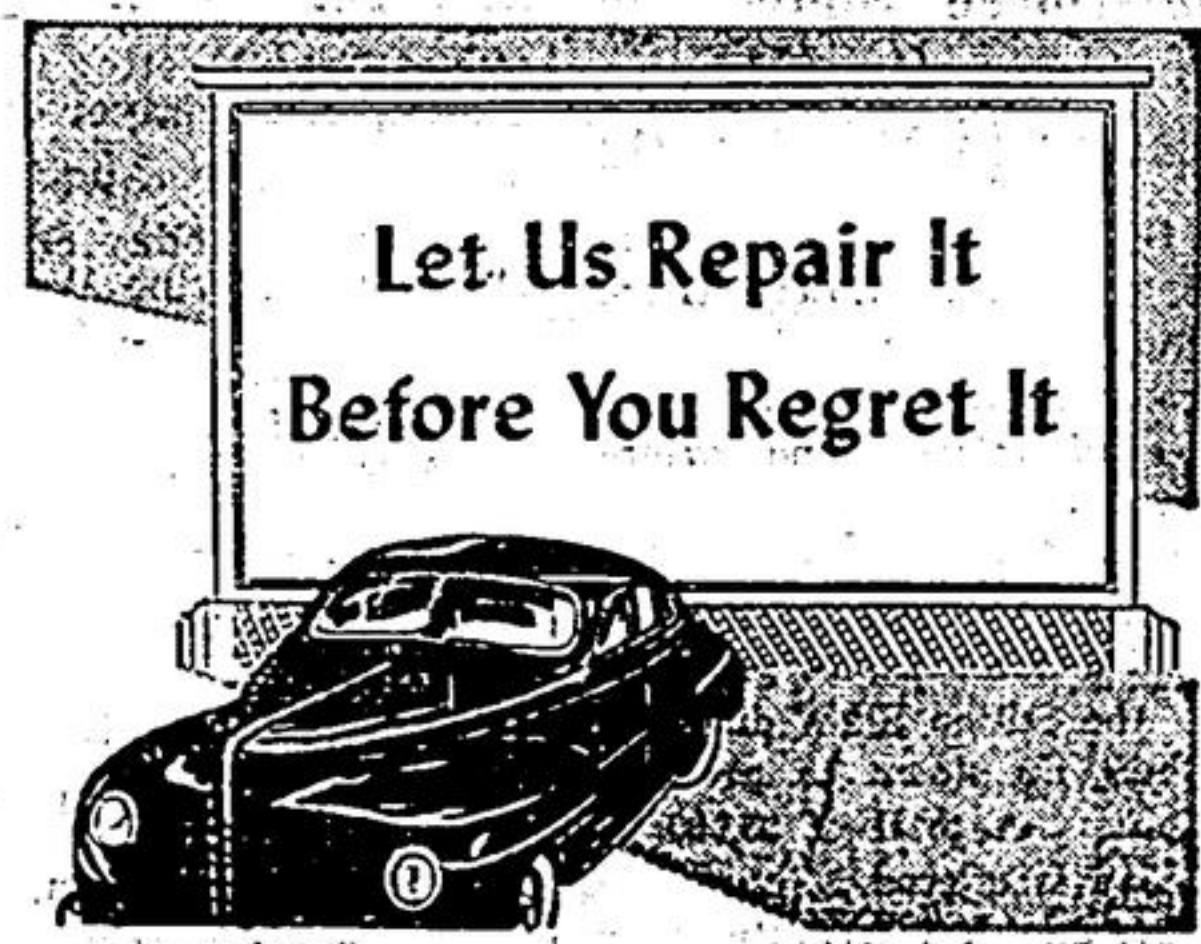
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