

Claremont and District

By Staff Correspondent

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

Mr. Andrew Story is slowly improving after a tonsil operation. Mrs. M. Forsyth was in Whitby on Friday.

Members of the Bowling club here held a corn roast on Tuesday evening last.

Mr. Ed. Shirk and son Elmer of Stouffville visited with friends at Smith's Falls over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norton, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boose, also Mrs. Jess Warden of Greenwood motored to Niagara Falls on Sunday last.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 30 at the home of Mrs. Ruth Middleton. The topic will be "A year's visit with the Link and Visitor."

Miss Mabel Sanderson of Toronto visited over the weekend at the home of her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. M. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lee of Stouffville visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Esther Palmer who has been in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gibson of Oshawa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hardy here on Sunday last.

A large number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Story when many useful and beautiful gifts were presented to Miss Marjorie Petty the "Bride-to-be." A pleasant time spent by all you may be sure.

We understand Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Redshaw intend moving on the farm made vacant by the death of his father, Mr. Geo. Redshaw. We understand Mrs. Geo. Redshaw has rented rooms from Miss Margaret Graham and will move in the near future.

Latest inducement to get children to Sunday School is a bus service. Calvary Baptist church, Oshawa, started a route last week. It will service the district thereabout, and will be a stimulant for children to attend Sunday School. Children living in outlying districts will appreciate the service, officials said.

The John Beeby farm recently purchased by L. Lawson has again changed hands, the latest owner Mr. Dowling, Toronto, who made the purchase for his son who will come here from Erindale. Mr. Lawson will hold a public auction on October 7th, we understand.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dolan Richmond Hill visited with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson on Sunday last.

The Claremont High School boys baseball team played Brooklin team last week and were defeated 25 to 5. A return game will be played here this Thursday.

Miss Edna Benns of Toronto visited over the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Vingehold who have been living down on the 8th of Pickering have moved into the rooms vacated by Mrs. Chas. De-Rusha.

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

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Russ Pilkey intend starting farming in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bryan, also Mrs. Burton of Cobourg, called on old friends here on Wednesday last week.

We are sorry to know that Mrs. Tom Gregg has been confined to her home through ill health.

Mrs. N. Sanderson has had her house repainted.

Mr. and Mrs. Tansley who purchased the house belonging to the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Leggett has been making quite a few improvements on it.

Mr. Edgar Ward we understand has had a new silo built on the farm he purchased from Mr. M. Forsyth.

Mrs. Binstead was in Toronto a few days last week attending the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. Chandler who passed away quite suddenly.

Former Brooklin Man Pays College Course By Raising Bees

Back on the depression days in Brooklin, Herbert Parkin was faced with the problem of how he was to earn money during vacation time. His friends were eking \$10 a month working on neighboring farms but he arrived at another plan which has since paid handsomely. His father had three hives of bees that were continually swarming. He sent for government bulletins to see if he could learn something of bee culture. At the end of his first summer's labor he harvested an eight-gallon milk pail of honey which he sold for eight cents a pound and net proceeds were equal to money earned by his friends, and the work, to him, more interesting.

Herbert finished his advanced collegiate schooling at Whitby and attended the Normal School in Toronto to become a teacher in 1934. He taught for four years at Tyrone, then to Cordova Mines for two years and at Lakefield for another two years as assistant principal. During all this time he increased his knowledge in the care of bees during vacations. He added to his number of hives and throughout his teaching career looked after about 100 colonies. A man of such stature naturally had ambitions above those of his fellow men and he decided to become a doctor and entered Queen's University in 1943. He was becoming such an expert apiarist by this time that he could see his way clear to make the bees support him for six years at medical school, maintain his wife and two children at a home in Norwood and put some folding money in the bank besides.

Of course, he had to step up his apiaries to support such a program and today he has 400 bee colonies either in Norwood or around the townships of Dummer, Belmont and Asphodel.

Claremont Baptist Church are holding their 126th anniversary services this Sunday, Sept. 28, with services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The guest speaker will be a former pastor, Rev. Walter Daniel. Special music will be rendered by Mrs. Fowler from Temple Baptist Church, Toronto.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mitchell, Claremont, announce the engagement of their only daughter Florence Evelyn to Austin Flint Metcalfe, only son of Mrs. Wm. Metcalfe and the late Mr. Wm. Metcalfe, Whitevale; the marriage to take place in the United Church, Claremont on Saturday, Oct. 11, at 3 p.m.

Teachers Snowball on Mid-Summer Tour

Now that the summer holidays are over, that is, for most of us, and we have settled down to "the common round and the daily task," we thought it might be of interest to know how some of our school teachers spent their holidays, says Mrs. Ken Fletcher, writing in the Oshawa Times. We are thinking in this particular instance of Mrs. A. Pauley, teacher of Grades 1 and 2 in Harmony Public School, in East Whitby, and with this thought in mind, we prevailed on her to write an account of her trip.

A group composed of 64 ladies, mostly teachers, left Hamilton July 2 in two trailer buses equipped with living facilities. They travelled by Detroit and Chicago, through the northern States up to Calgary and attended the annual stampede. During the tour of the city the Natural Historical Park was visited which contains several exhibits of dinosaur models in life size.

Banff with its beautiful mountain peaks and hot springs was much enjoyed especially the twilight drive up Norquay mountains to the famous skiing slides where elk, bear, beaver and mountain goats were seen in their natural haunts. The greenish blue waters of Lake Louise in its Switzerland-like setting mid encircling snow-capped peaks is a lovely climax to the scenic drive from Banff.

On the way to Vancouver they visited the Grand Coulee Dam in the Columbia River. Enough cement was used in the making of this gigantic project to build a highway across the continent and back again. This dam provides electricity and irrigation for a large part of the State of Washington.

Three days' leisure in Vancouver permitted them to enjoy a day in Stanley Park with its beautiful flowers, totem poles, drives and natural scenery. A boat trip to Victoria, where sight-seeing buses drove them to the famous Butchart Gardens, Parliament Buildings, and other points of interest.

Crossing the border again to Seattle and Portland they followed the scenic highway along the Columbia River visiting the salmon fish hatcheries at Bonneville Dam and watching the large salmon jumping several feet over the cement steps which were built to permit them access to their spawning grounds.

At Crater Lake in Oregon snow-balling was the pastime and the high altitude demanded warm clothing.

From Oregon to San Francisco Bay are the coastal red-woods which grow nowhere else. Many of these trees are three hundred feet tall and centuries old.

Entering San Francisco byways of Lion's Gate Bridge which is the tallest and longest single span suspension bridge in the world, they viewed the city of the seven peaks. Crossing the bay bridge to Oakland the famous island of Alcatraz could be seen.

On the way to Yosemite National Park were beautiful orchards of peaches, figs, grapes and oranges. At Los Angeles they visited Hollywood, Catalina Islands, Long Beach, Santa Monica and toured among the beautiful homes in Beverley Hills.

After crossing the desert for miles in southern California and Nevada, enduring extreme heat and seeing little vegetation except cacti they called at Boulder Dam in the Colorado River. This gigantic project produces electricity for the surrounding cities as far as Los Angeles as well as making irrigation of large tracts of land possible.

In Arizona the magnificent Grand Canyon of the Colorado River is truly one of the seven wonders of the world.

Continuing to Salt Lake City they rested a few days and bathed in the lake which is twenty-seven per cent salt. At the Mormon Tabernacle they enjoyed two organ recitals and viewed the beautiful Yellowstone Park was the next stop and it was one of the highlights of the trip. Old Faithful geyser and many others played regularly high into the air and the colorings of the various pools and springs were beyond description. Coming out the east entrance in Wyoming they wended their way across the fertile States of Iowa and Illinois to Chicago and Detroit where a day in each city was much enjoyed.

After travelling 95,000 miles and viewing a variety of landscapes everyone was happy to return to Ontario again.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr and Mrs. F.E.N. Reesor, Locust Hill, Ont., will be at home to their relatives, friends and neighbours on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Monday, Oct. 6, 1947, from two to four o'clock in the afternoon and from seven to nine o'clock in the evening. 21-2

STAGE SET FOR NATIONAL CONTESTS YOUNG FARMERS

This year one of the principal features of many of the Agricultural Fairs and Exhibitions in Canada has been the contest of the members of the Boys' and Girls' Farm Clubs, co-ordinated through the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work, one of the most progressive and hopeful movements for Canadian agriculture.

At the fairs and exhibitions eliminations have been held preliminary to the National Contests to be held in Toronto, November 16 to 21, as a kind of curtain raiser to the Royal Winter Fair, which will be held November 18 to November 25, in Toronto.

This year the National Contests of the Boys' and Girls' Farm Clubs will include eight projects, with a total of about 94 members in the contesting teams. The projects are: dairy cattle, beef cattle, swine, poultry, seed grain, seed potatoes, clothing and food. The last was added this year. Last year clothing was added and it will be held again this year and the judges will have to decide on the best laundered and repaired cotton blouses, cotton dresses, costume selection, with a parade of four models dressed for a specific occasion, such as school or church. Contestants will also have to be prepared to demonstrate their ability, by exacting examples, to do hand sewing, machine sewing and pattern adjustment.

The food project will include the making up of family menus, school lunches, the ability of the contestants to prepare certain foods, selected from salads, muffins, tea biscuits, cream soups, floating island custard, and then answer some questions by the women judges known to be top bracket cooks.

The boys and girls who will make up the National Contest teams will come from every province. After the contests they will see the sights of the Royal Winter Fair, then go on a trip to Hamilton and Niagara Falls before visiting Ottawa on November 21, where they will visit the Parliament Buildings and see other places of interest in the Capital, before leaving for their homes in the evening.

A. E. MacLaurin, General Secretary of the Boys' and Girls' Farm Clubs, says that interest in the work of the clubs was never more keen than now. Membership of the clubs is now at 41,000, an increase of more than 2,500 over 1946.

Uxbridge Township Native Passes On

On September 15 Jonathan Gourlie died suddenly at the home of his sister Mrs. William May, Uxbridge Township, in his 73rd year. Interment was made in Goodwood cemetery. Surviving the deceased are the following sisters: Edith (Mrs. William May) of Goodwood; Mary (Mrs. J. W. Forsyth), Goodwood; Lizzie, (Mrs. Silas Toole), Whitevale; Bella (Mrs. J. Carter), Whitevale, and Jessie (Mrs. William Sinclair) of Cherrywood.

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BROUGHAM

Mrs. Walter Hamilton was at Goodwood one day last week attending the funeral of her uncle, the late John Gourlie.

Congratulations to Mr and Mrs. Ronald Stableford on the birth of a daughter at East General Hospital on Saturday, Sept. 13, 1947.

Mrs. J. Carter and son Oscar of Whitevale, called on her daughter, Mrs. W. Hamilton one day last week.

Mr Eric Woodward and sister, Miss Mildred Woodward are now in Toronto where they have both secured employment.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. Shirk (Rita Milne) on the arrival of a young son, a birthday present for his mother.

Miss Zella Seebeck was a recent guest at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. Seebeck.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Harden and Patsy were guests of Mrs. Hamlin of Whitevale on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford of Toronto visited on Sunday with their cousins A. J. and Mrs. Gray.

Miss S. Wilson (our local school teacher) spent the weekend at her home in Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knox and family from near Hampton, also Mr. and Mrs. Hardy and Billie from Toronto were weekend guests at the home of Mr and Mrs. William Knox.

A very enjoyable evening was held in the Township Hall on Friday last when a large gathering of neighbors and friends met to bid farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Raine who are moving from this district after living here a number of years. Mr. Milton Burk was master of ceremonies. The first part of the evening was spent in playing euchre, after which Mr. and Mrs. Raine were called to the platform, Mr. Burk read a very suitable address expressing regret at Mr. and Mrs. Raine leaving our community where they have been a great help

—In church and Sunday school work also in Women's Institute and Citizens League, always ready to lend a helping hand where ever needed. They were presented with a radio and table. Mr. and Mrs. Raine in a few well chosen words thanked the friends for the gifts. Lunch was served, followed by dancing.

Township of Uxbridge School Holiday

I hereby proclaim Wednesday, October 1st a public holiday for all school children in the Township of Uxbridge, in order that they may attend the Scott Township Fair in Uxbridge. By order,
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Sept. 23, 1947

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