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Deaths

BALL, Rev. Alfred F.—On Sunday, May 21, 1950, Rev. Alfred F. Ball of 110 Albert St., Orillia, beloved husband of Annie Slack and loving father of Mrs. Harold Macklin (Cora). Interment at Uxbridge Cemetery.

COX, Arthur Richard—At his home, 219 Victor Ave., Toronto, on Friday, May 19, 1950, Arthur Richard Cox, in his 88th year, beloved husband of Mary Ann Underwood, and dear father of Frankie Myrel, Hazel (Mrs. Wilfred Tid-

ball), and Bessie (Mrs. Andrew Thomson). Interment Armadale Free Methodist cemetery.

CLARK, Annie—Entered into rest at Greenwood, on Saturday, May 20, 1950, Annie Johnson Jardine, beloved wife of William Graham Clarke, and dear mother of Dorothy (Mrs. Percy Jones), of Pickering Township; Phyllis (Mrs. Pielt), of Hamilton, and William and Allan of Greenwood. Interment Salem cemetery.

Mrs. Robt. Irwin Buried at Stouffville

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Robert Irwin of Stouffville were conducted by Rev. Douglas Davis on Friday afternoon, May 19th, from O'Neill's Parlours, interment being made in the plot in Stouffville Cemetery. The pallbearers were Joseph Mertens, William Henry Connor, E. R. Sinclair, Stanley Mitchell, Gordon Birkett and Mervyn Watts.

Mrs. Irwin had suffered an attack of influenza, and was improving but succumbed to heart failure in her home on Albert St. on Tuesday afternoon in her 76th year. She was born on the tenth concession of Markham, on what was later known as the Robert Spofford farm. Her maiden name was Frances Lucinda Hodgson, her parents being Thomas Hodgson and Mary Fields Hodgson. Following her marriage to Robert Irwin, the couple lived for a time south of Stouffville, then moved to the property east of Ringwood where they farmed for many years. Mr. Irwin was a workman on the townline road many years. Some years ago he passed on, and after selling the farm, Mrs. Irwin bought her present home on Albert St., directly north of the Gold Fish Supply property.

The late Mrs. Irwin and her husband attended Stouffville United Church. Mrs. Henry Grice, also of Albert St., Stouffville, is the only surviving sister, a brother and a sister having predeceased Mrs. Irwin. Also surviving are a niece, Mrs. Geo. Maye of Goodwood, and a nephew Clarence Stafford also of this district.



Horses marooned in a hay stack near Morris, Man., are seen in this air view of devastated farmland. Throughout the area, other horses and cattle that have not been shot

or died of starvation, are gathered on islands of mud, so weak they can hardly stand.



EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

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H. S. Hallman, Pastor.

Nice Display at Spring Flower Show

A fine display of spring flowers helped to welcome those who came to enjoy the Horticultural meeting in the United Church basement last Friday evening. These flowers were judged by one of our local growers, Mr. Don Lewis, who later on the program gave reasons for his judging.

A mixed quartette consisting of Mrs. A. McConochie, Mrs. C. Brillinger, Mr. Floyd Forsyth and Mr. G. Pearce sang several selections. Mrs. Bramham gave a piano solo.

Mr. Pearce interviewed Mr. John Assinck, formerly of the Netherlands and now at Merlin Baker's, on conditions in his own country and their methods of farming. This was a very interesting part of the program.

The speaker for the evening, Mr. Roy Cadwell, M.A. of Toronto, gave a very impressive talk on the need for conservation in Canada after which he showed slides to illustrate some of the conditions existing at the present time. It is very necessary to plant trees to conserve moisture if we do not wish our land to become a desert. The reforestation done around Vivian is a good example of what should be done in many places.

Prize winners for May 19 show were as follows:

House plant in bloom—Mrs. M. Storey, Lorne Gillion, Mrs. O. Lehman.

House plant for foliage—Mrs. Bert Tait.

Six daffodils—Jean Pipher, Mrs. O. Burton, M. Mertens.

Largest daffodil in show—Anne Lehman.

Six tulips—Jean Pipher, Mrs. M. Storey.

Dining table centre—Jean Pipher, Mrs. Dixon, Mrs. P. Stover.

Novel floral arrangement—Mrs. Timbers, Jean Pipher, Mrs. M. Storey.

Diminutive bouquet — Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. P. Stover, Mrs. Lorne Gillion.

Z. S. PHIMISTER, SUPT. OF TORONTO SCHOOLS, SPEAKS AT TEACHERS AND TRUSTEES BANQUET

At the St. John the Baptist Anglican Church near Richmond Hill nearly 145 teachers, trustees and their wives of Markham and Whitchurch Townships heard an inspiring address from the Superintendent of Toronto Schools, Mr. Z. S. Phimister, who has studied school systems in England and was a delegate to U.N.E.S.C.O. He said that rural trustees would be willing to accept any change they were certain would be for the betterment of the school children in their care. He stressed 3 questions to judge the standard of

education in any school.

1. Does this school use the environment in which it finds itself?
2. Are the right attitudes of cooperation and mutual respect being developed?
3. Are we developing a definite wish to keep on learning?

Mr. Phimister pointed out the advantages of having the new readers supplied by the school boards with the aid of a special grant and the aim of the new course to better human relationships. He concluded by urging each trustee to feel proud to have a face to the future.

Mr. James Warren expressed the appreciation of the group when he thanked Mr. Phimister.

During the banquet musical selections were given by the talented String Quartette from Northern Collegiate. Later Mrs. Nellie Leuty of Cooksville rendered delightful solos.

Mr. Merlyn Baker replied to the toast to the trustees, proposed by Mr. Robert Thomas.

A letter from Mr. MacKellop, thanking the teachers for a gift they sent him during his recent illness, was read. The teachers expressed their pleasure at having their Inspector with them again when Miss Myrna Coulson proposed a toast to him.

Mr. Martin, one of the township's music teachers, announced that his pupils would be holding a music festival in Markham.

The president, Mr. A. M. Hill, who, with his committee, Mr. George Green, Mrs. Flatt, Mrs. D. Wilson, Mrs. J. McWhirter and Miss B. Sutchliffe, planned the banquet, expressed his personal thanks to Mr. Phimister and all those who took part and his pleasure that the attendance at the third annual banquet had exceeded the former two.

Important Meeting

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