

CLAREMONT and PICKERING TWP. DISTRICT

The Baptist ladies will be holding their bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 11th, in their Sunday School room.

Mrs. Mina McMaster of Greenbank and Mrs. Herman Walker of Port Perry visited Mrs. Ernest Pilkey and family one day last week.

Mrs. D. Pugh visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward and family of Oshawa visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward.

Mrs. Stephenson of Aurora is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward.

We regret the sudden illness of Mrs. David Gregg which necessitated her removal to the East General Hospital, Toronto, on Monday, Sept. 25th. We trust she may soon be restored to health.

Mrs. Lackey Sr. of Frankford has been visiting for a few days with Rev. Harold and Mrs. Lackey and children.

The death occurred on Saturday, Sept. 30th, in Oshawa Hospital of Mary Carter, wife of the late James Carter, in her 80th year. The late Mrs. Carter was well known in and around Claremont district for the past 35 years, and was a member of the United Church and Women's Institute of Claremont. A couple of years ago owing to ill health she sold her home here to Mr. and Mrs. Peddie of Glen Major, and went to live with her daughter in Toronto, and recently with a son in Oshawa. Funeral services were held in Claremont United Church on Monday, Oct. 2nd, at three o'clock, thence to the Union Cemetery for interment. She leaves to mourn her loss a daughter, Mrs. Edith Wacey of Peterboro, five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

The Goodfellowship Class will be held on Tuesday evening, Oct. 10th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Redshaw and Mrs. Towner.

The Woman's Missionary Society will be held on Thursday, Oct. 12th, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Nelson Tomlinson. Mrs. McIntyre's group is in charge of the program. A good attendance is hoped for.

Congratulations to Miss Ida Brignall (formerly of Claremont) who has been with Evangeline Shops of Toronto for the past year on being transferred to Peterborough where she will manage the new Evangeline shop being opened there about Nov. 1st.

Miss Mary Neale, missionary to the young people in and around Sault Ste. Marie, for the Canadian Sunday School Association, spoke of her work in organizing Sunday Schools, Vacation Schools and Bible teaching in public schools. She showed slides of various groups and places in connection with her work at Claremont United Sunday School last Sunday morning. Miss Neale has been enjoying a few weeks' holidays with her mother but was returning to her work in the north on Sunday evening.

Township Road Staff Gets Pay Boost

Seven comprising the Township Road Staff appeared before Pickering Township Council on Oct. 2nd to ask for a raise in pay. The spokesman stated they felt they were not receiving enough pay at 70 cents an hour, and asked for a raise of 15 cents.

Councillor Balsdon said, "I think they're entitled to more money."

It was recalled they came to council in October last year, and requested a ten-cent raise, but only received five cents which became effective in November. Council felt they were good, hard-working men, working ten hours a day, 6 days a week, and sometimes were called to do some work on the seventh. In 1946 these men were receiving 40 cents an hour, one man recalled.

"Maybe we should ask \$1.," the spokesman ventured.

"I'll move we give them the 85 before you do," stated Councillor Zinkie. Councillor Balsdon seconded the motion, which was carried.

Pickering Twp. Wins Speeding Appeal

It is not often that a speeding charge is appealed before a County Judge, but this was done by Pickering Township on Monday, and the appeal heard by Judge Coleman was successful. The appeal followed the dismissal by Magistrate Frank E. Ebbs of a speeding charge which Pickering Township police laid against Thomas J. Driver, 29, of Toronto.

The driver's defence to the charge was that the police clocked him with an old car which "belched smoke and fire," when it drew along side of him. Last week, when the case was heard, the bench said, "There is no other police force in the province using such old cars as this, to chase speeders."

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rusnell, Mrs. Stan Slack and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sherk on Sunday afternoon.

BROUGHAM

Mrs. R. Birrell, District President of W.I., visited the Brooklin Branch on Wednesday afternoon and gave an address.

Mrs. L. W. Sheppard spent the weekend with her daughter Muriel also Mrs. Begg of Toronto, while she is receiving medical treatment in Toronto.

Mrs. Woodward who has been ill during the past week is now somewhat improved.

Mrs. Russell who has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. N. Burton suffered a stroke one day last week and is now in a very weak condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Madden of Toronto and Mrs. Lida Douglas of Chicago called on Mr. L. W. Sheppard on Sunday. Mrs. Douglas and Mr. Sheppard were school mates and this is their first meeting in the past thirty-four years.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Wannopp on the arrival of a little daughter.

Mrs. C. Bate and friends from Port Hope called on Mrs. Beer Sr. on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mairs had Sunday dinner with Toronto friends.

Anniversary services will be held in St. John's Church on Oct. 29th with service at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Keep this date open.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gray and sons visited his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gray, on Sunday.

Mrs. Coulter, Mr. Ted Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Toronto called at the Sheppard home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pascoe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Toronto also Miss Sharp and lady friend of Oshawa called on Mr. and Mrs. Al Harvey on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Hopkins suffered a badly sprained ankle last week but is able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gillman visited Toronto friends during the weekend.

Miss Barbara Mairs spent the weekend with Toronto friends.

The many friends of Mrs. Wm. Ellicott are sorry she is still confined to her bed but wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wright and Mrs. L. Matthews spent Friday afternoon with Brooklin friends.

Mrs. Todd spent the weekend at her home in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ellicott of Toronto visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ellicott, on Sunday.

Keep in mind the Women's Institute euchre each Tuesday evening. Come and bring a friend.

The euchre in the hall last Tuesday evening, sponsored by the Women's Institute, was not as well attended as was wished for but all report a pleasant evening.

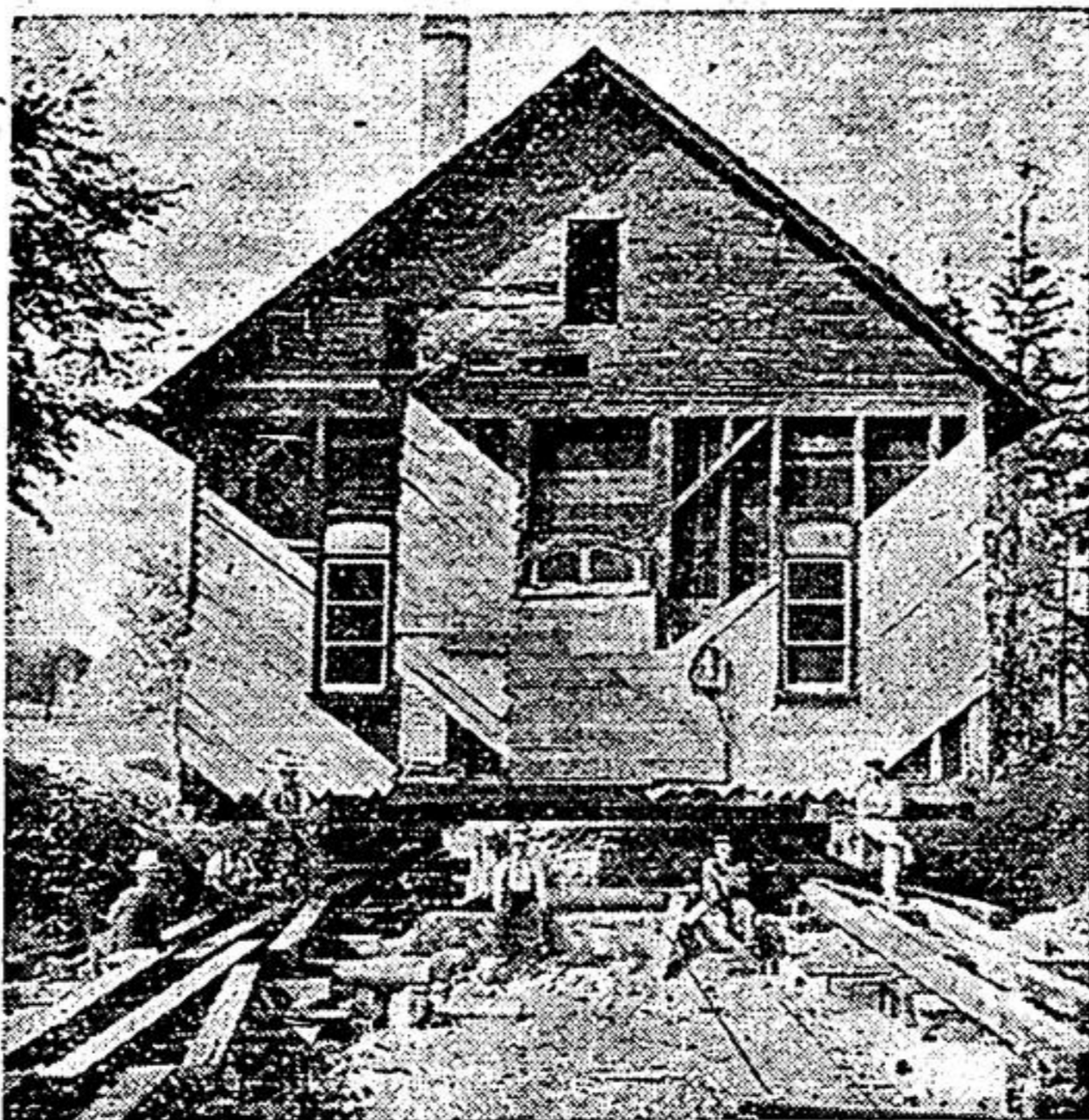
Prize winners were Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. C. Plaxton, Mrs. Robt. Miller, Mr. Donald White, Mr. Bert Beer and Mr. Gordon Riddle.

The Women's Institute will hold their next regular meeting in the township hall on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 10th. A special invitation is extended to all young married ladies. Roll Call—your favorite song. Hostesses are Mrs. W. Ellicott, Mrs. H. Malcolm, Mrs. Gillman, Mrs. Spang and Mrs. Wm. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gray attended the Beelby-Raine wedding in Greenwood Church on Saturday afternoon and later the reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raine, near Nestleton.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Peters (nee Marion Carter) who were married on Saturday evening.

Literally On The Skids



Green River Baptist Church on No. 7 Highway had to be moved back 50 feet from the

highway to allow for extension and a new basement. Workmen rest at the completion of the job.

Council Has Busy Session Handling Complaints

Complaints took up a large part of the time at the October session of Pickering Township Council on Monday, Oct. 2nd — complaints about the necessity of ditching roads and clearing away the brush growing in ditches, the cost of calcium compared with the good it did, and high assessment and taxes.

Mr. Hill presented a sorry picture of the condition of Fairport Road north where, he stated, there were large holes, and dogwood and trees growing profusely in the ditches.

"I think both sides should be ditched," he protested. "You've never been over it when it's rough. It's 18 years ago since Ward was going to ditch that road. Some of the places you've got to have 5 feet of water in it before it starts to run." He stated Fairport Rd. north didn't want any calcium put on, they could have it done more cheaply by another party than by the township.

"In 1950 it cost us \$116 for calcium for 1 1/4 miles, and we can get it done for \$35. It would take 28 bags," he stated, and added "in 1949 Ward put 3 bags on—we followed him down."

Deputy-Reeve Todd concluded the ditching problem by saying "I move we do both sides right now and get it done." Councillor Burk seconded the motion, which was carried.

Mr. Jack Martin of Rosebank Subdivision stated the need of ditching on Rosebank Road and Old Forest Road. He inquired about the dog-catcher, and if there was any hope of something being done by him by spring. He was assured a bylaw was being prepared, but as some loop-holes had been found in it, further clarification was necessary.

Mr. Martin suggested some of the township equipment might be stabled in the southern part of the township—perhaps a snowplow for instance—to save the long run down there from headquarters. He again complained of the difficulty of reaching Chief of Police Trinnell on the phone and was assured everything possible was being done to secure a Pickering phone for the chief. Mr. Martin's next question was "When are we going to get water in Pickering?"

"Never," promptly answered a bystander.

"I wouldn't say that," Mr. Martin rejoined.

"What is a calendar month?" asked Reeve Westney when Mr. Martin asked for clarification of the wording on tax bills re overdue payments, the penalty being 1/2 of 1% on taxes overdue for each calendar month. Mr. Martin said he and other's wanted to know if taxes were due on the 15th of the month, if you paid on the 15th of the next month, was that one or two months' penalty.

"What did the collector say?" the Reeve queried.

"He said, 'You've got me there, take it in to them'" (the council). Council agreed a calendar month was from the first to the end of any month, and declared they would be more explicit in the wording on the bills in future.

There were no sheep or dog claims. Twenty-three building permits were issued for the month, for an estimated value of \$65,475.

Total road expenditure for the month was \$6,469.16, while hospitalization and T.B. aftercare totalled \$584.52.

Insurance on the municipal building was renewed for 3 years, the amount being raised from \$3,000 to \$6,000.

Owing to unsettled financial conditions, all except one applicant withdrew their tenders on the debenture issue of half a million dollars re the Area High School. Councillor Burk moved council call for new tenders, to close Oct. 10th, at 8 p.m. This was seconded by Deputy-Reeve Todd, and the motion was carried.

Dr. McEwen was present to call council's attention to places he felt the Building Inspector should investigate.

Mr. Hurley of lot 32 of the 8th con., felt 20 rods of ditching should be done to save repetition of gravel being washed off the road into his orchard, and washing out small trees.

GREENWOOD

The Mission Band will meet this Saturday, Oct. 7th, at the parsonage.

The W.M.S. for the circuit meets this Thursday at the home of Mrs. F. Gibson with Mrs. Minaker in charge of the program.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Lawson Parks of Oshawa is improving from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. A. Morden is accompanying her brother on a trip to Vancouver for a month.

Plane Crash Kills Two In Dagmar Hills Near Here

Two young Toronto fliers were killed just before dark Sunday night when their rented plane crashed in the Dagmar Hills, a few miles east of Claremont.

Witnesses and police said the pilot had buzzed the cottage of his girl friend several times before going into a spin and hitting a hilltop. Cottage is near Chalk Lake.

The dead are Donald Dodd, 21, 110 Mona Dr., pilot, and Charles Bennett Mist, 20, of 67 Brentcliffe Rd. Both were licensed pilots.

They rented the plane, a nearly new \$6,000 Cessna 140, from Central Airways Co., at the Island Airport. The manager of the company, Robert S. Wong, said they told him they planned to do some local flying for 45 minutes. They were killed just about the time the aircraft was due back at the airport.

The two young fliers motored to the Dagmar Hills Sunday morning

and spent part of their day at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. David Pitka, and their daughter Norah. Donald Dodds, the pilot, and Norah had met this summer and had become friends.

Dodds and Mist promised to return to Toronto and obtain an aircraft and return to the Pitka cottage and bomb it with a flour sack.

Police and witnesses said the plane buzzed the Pitka cottage several times, and dropped the flour bomb. But on the final low flight in the hill country the plane went into a spin and hit a hilltop.

The fliers were killed instantly. One witness at the scene said wreckage was scattered more than 150 feet.

Five other witnesses saw the fatal spin and crash and rushed up the hill with a fire extinguisher. There was no fire but they pulled the bodies from the wreckage.

Messrs. M. McTaggart, Walter Carson, Wm. and Milt. Pegg, attended the cattle sale on the Manitoulin Island last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byers last Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Tate of Eldorado has been spending a few days with Mrs. Perry Wilson.

A television set has found its way to the home of Mr. Gowan.

The regular meeting of the Evening Auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Monkman on Wednesday evening, Sept. 27th, with the members of the Afternoon Auxiliary as guests. The president, Mrs. E. Pegg, presided and was in charge of the worship service, assisted by Mrs. R. Jackman and Miss B. McLean.

A report on the school for leaders held at Whitby Ladies' College was given by Miss Sheila Pegg, assisted by Misses Joyce Closson and Joanne Morden. Mrs.

T. Norton, Presbyterian President, was guest speaker and gave a very interesting talk on her impression from the school for leaders. The October meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Pegg.

Assessment More than Seven and Half Million

The new 1951 assessment roll in Pickering Township shows a total assessment of approximately \$7,744,000, which is an increase of \$318,000 over this year. The figures reveal that the population too, has jumped to 9,200, an increase of 600 over the previous tabulation.

The supplementary assessment for 1950 added approximately \$119,000 to the roll, and the few minor appeals against this assessment which is on new buildings under construction since January of this year, were dealt with without the sitting of a Court of Revision.

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