

# CLAREMONT and PICKERING TWP. DISTRICT

The chicken-pox is still with us. A number of new cases have been reported.

Mrs. Raymond Pilkey of Toronto was guest of Mrs. Towner on Sunday.

Mr. W. Thompson is feeling quite poorly again, and Mrs. Hamm also is not feeling so well. Miss Macdonald of Toronto has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lewis during the past week.

Mrs. D. Woodburn and Mrs. B. Hockley and young son of Toronto spent Friday evening and Saturday visiting with Mrs. Mantle and Mrs. N. Sanderson and family.

We understand the condition of Dr. Clark has been much improved since his complete rest in a Toronto hospital. It is expected he will return home shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Cooke spent from Friday until Sunday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harton and Mrs. Cooke Sr. at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Evans Ward accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wearn attended church services at Pinegrove last Sunday evening, when students from Toronto Bible College were in charge of the service.

Congratulations are due the ladies of the Baptist Church for realizing the sum of four hundred dollars from their recent bazaar. The hundred additional from last week's reporting, was made last Saturday, when the balance of articles were disposed of.

Don't fail to get in on the silverware draw at Padgett's General Store. Contest opens this Thursday and you might win a fine chest of Rogers silverware on Dec. 16th. See the display adv. in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wood were in Guelph on Monday afternoon attending the funeral of the late Mr. Garraway, friend of the family.

The annual nomination meeting for the trustees for the village of Claremont will be held on Friday evening, Nov. 24th, at 8 p.m., in the Community Hall.

A miscellaneous shower of many beautiful and useful household articles was presented to our popular Miss Joan Sanderson last Friday evening, whose marriage to Mr. Douglas Bryant of Pickering will take place in Claremont United Church on Dec. 2nd.

The Baptist Sunday School Christmas concert will be held on Friday evening, Dec. 22, in the Sunday School room. Lantern slides in keeping with Christmas will be one of the attractions. Remember the date, Dec. 22.

The party of twelve deer hunters of which Mr. W. Ward was a member returned home last week without having obtained the usual prize. Although numerous tracks were found no animal was sighted.

The Baptist Ladies' Circle will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 28th, at the home of Mrs. Ruth Middleton, commencing at 2.30 o'clock. Mrs. C. Gostick's group will have charge of the program. All ladies are expected to be present.

The Claremont Young People held their weekly meeting on Nov. 13th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. McConnell. The discussion period was led by Gordon Rowe, the topic being "Missions." All young people are asked to attend following meetings. They are for all young men and women.

The Claremont Fire Engine was called out last week to a fire at Mr. Appleby's farm on the east townline. It was reported that a fire had been started at the base of a tree and it was feared that it would spread into the surrounding leaves. It was soon extinguished.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward, Mr. and Mrs. M. Forsythe and Mr. and Mrs. F. Cooper of Claremont, also Mrs. S. Cooke of Lansing, attended the birthday party last Sunday of a sister, Mrs. Stephenson at Aurora, with all members of her immediate family, including Dr. Fred Underhill of Erie, Penn., being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linton, Miss Mildred Linton and Mrs. Paul Wellman and children, attended Cannington United Church anniversary service last Sunday morning. Newly installed church lights and re-decoration of church were dedicated during the service. The above party were dinner guests of Rev. I. and Mrs. Kennedy and Bruce. Miss Mildred remained a guest until after the evening church service.

A vase containing a dozen beautiful large white and mauve mums were on the altar table on Sunday morning, a memorial to Rev. A. and Mrs. McLellan of the United Church. A large basket of beautiful mixed mums stood beside the vase in memory of the late Mr. M. Wilker. These flowers were tributes from each family.

The Goodfellowship Class held their monthly meeting last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pugh with 21 members and two visitors present. The main theme "Remembrance" was taken by Rev. H. Lackey. Mrs. Carruthers gave a reading, "A Soldier on Crutches," and Mrs. DeRusha another on "Gratitude," while Mrs. W. Evans and Mr. Boniface gave humorous readings, and

## Santa Claus Parade Here on Dec. 16th

Santa Claus has again been booked by the Claremont Business Men's Association to visit the village on Saturday, Dec. 16th. Bob Madill is the parade chairman, and at a special meeting of the association last week it was agreed to continue again this year with the parade which proved so successful last Christmas.

Every merchant is asked to contribute towards a float if at all possible. There'll be favors for the kiddies, and a turkey draw.

### CLAREMONT

So far, there has been a great deal of interest shown in the Claremont Film Library by different organizations, schools and churches in the township of Pickering.

Last Friday evening five members were given their final test and they all passed as trained projectionists with honours, after only two or three lessons. There is another class getting under way this week, so if you know anyone interested in learning to operate the projector and sound equipment we will be glad to hear from them.

Many groups seem anxious to take advantage of membership in the Film Circuit which is now being organized, but they have failed to send in their cheque or money order.

As you know, no organization can function unless it is properly financed, and this film circuit is no exception. Just as soon as ten more applications are received from groups in the township, we will start our circuit rolling. We already have the loan of a projector and also the films are here to go ahead with.

Each month members will receive the loan of a projector, along with a block of films for showings right in their own community. Besides this, they can book a film programme for other occasions. This is free to members. And we will also train one or two projectionists for you without charge.

As soon as you become a member of the film council, you have a vote in its affairs. The council will be composed of only members, or representatives appointed by member groups.

From now on, rental on our sound equipment will be \$3.00 per programme for all showings not already booked with this office. This is the rate for non-member groups, and will be payable when the equipment is picked up.

Right now we are anxious to get back application forms along with cheques from all interested groups. All money received will be held in trust for the organization, and all money received from memberships will be used for the purchase of equipment. Monies received from rentals will go toward operating costs such as express charges and repairs on equipment—but no salaries are paid to the librarian or operators. So—won't you fill out the enclosed application form and return it to us without delay? As all our time is donated, we will appreciate your co-operation very much.

Clare Keever, chairman, Claremont Film Council.

Mr. W. Evans contributed a cornet solo. A social time was held at the close.

The November meeting of the W.I. was held last Thursday afternoon with a large attendance of members and some visitors at the home of the treasurer, Mrs. W. Glidden. Mrs. Lehman was in charge of the meeting. The roll was answered by naming the first ownership of members home, and proved very interesting. Each member also contributed an article of apparel to be sent to Europe's needy babies. For the Remembrance day, a couple of suitable poems were read by Mrs. H. Johnson, with an interval of a moment of silence between, and all singing a verse of "Oh God Our Help in Ages Past," at the close. Mrs. G. McConnell gave a very interesting report of part of the Central Area's Convention held recently in the Royal York, dealing with the activities of the Junior girls clubs, and the guest speaker's address during the banquet hour. Mrs. Reynolds on "Historical Research," spoke of the late Josiah Wedgwood's fine contribution to the world with colorful and decorative art pottery and moulding of classical vases in England during his lifetime from 1730 to 1795. A collection of old prized china pieces, including cups and saucers, plates, bon-bon dishes, dogs were on display with history given by the various owners. A letter from Mrs. Badgerow was read, expressing thanks for cards of sympathy from the Institute, in the recent passing of her mother. Lunch was served by the committee at the close.

### BROUGHAM

Mr. Lloyd Johnson has been somewhat indisposed during the past week, due to a severe cold.

Mrs. L. Hall of Brooklin visited her cousin, Mrs. L. Matthews, on Thursday last.

Miss Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hurlbert and Clare of Toronto visited at the Sheppard home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dobson and Jane also Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Beaverton visited Mrs. Geo. Philip one day recently.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. B. Ritchie in the loss of her sister, the late Miss Wilcox, who passed away in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knox accompanied by Mr. Harry Knox and Miss Tink visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hardy of Toronto on Sunday.

Quitting seems to be the order of the day these last few weeks as the ladies are preparing for the bazaar which is to be held next Saturday afternoon, Nov. 25. Come and buy your Christmas gifts.

Mrs. H. Shea of Toronto visited with friends and attended the Women's Institute. She also attended the 40th anniversary of the Women's Institute.

The many friends of "Mr. Fred Hamilton are glad to know he was able to return home last week after his sojourn in the hospital where he underwent a serious operation.

Mrs. Campbell and Miss E. Campbell R.N. also Mrs. R. W. Witter and daughter, Miss Gladys Witter, all of Toronto, visited Mrs. L. Matthews on Sunday afternoon.

David Frame, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frame, Brock Rd. south, was rushed to Oshawa Hospital on Friday for an emergency operation for appendicitis—reports on Monday were that he had come through the ordeal successfully.

Sixteen tractors made short work of the fall plowing on the Fred Hamilton farm last week. Misfortune fell heavy on Mr. Hamilton with a barn fire and a trip to the hospital, and the neighboring farmers rallied around to help this unfortunate resident get his work done.

The W.M.S. Auxiliary of St. John's church held their November meeting at the home of Mrs. Manson Ellicott with a good attendance. The president was in charge of the worship and business session. A competition was arranged with Mrs. H. Miller and Mrs. H. Barclay as leaders to try to enlist new members, the slogan "Advance." A nominating committee was appointed, members being the president, Mrs. M. Ellicott, the secretary, Mrs. H. Plaxton and the treasurer, Mrs. F. Cassie. Mrs. Geo. Duncan, program convener, assisted by Mrs. Willson, Mrs. A. Miller, Mrs. Wm. Gray, Mrs. H. Malcolm and Mrs. Burk, gave the program, "The United Church re-enters Japan through the Church of Christ." A tasty lunch was served by the hostesses and a pleasant half hour spent over the tea-cups.

The Brougham Women's Institute met Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 14th, for the monthly meeting. The program was in charge of Mrs. Manson Ellicott, convener of Community Activities and Public Relations. The paper given on these subjects, brought out some good ideas for the members of any organization to practice to help their community, dependability and co-operation of members and that old slogan "never too old to learn." In public relation, a project for the betterment of the school children of the different schools in the section was mentioned. Mrs. Masters of Brougham gave two very entertaining recitations which were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Milton Burk spoke on "Current Events" which brought notable doings to us, of the fast moving world of 1950. The weekly euche of the Women's Institute held the same evening was very much enjoyed. The prize winners were Mrs. Walter Booth, Mrs. M. Ellicott, Miss Irene Riddel, Mr. Howard Plaxton, Mr. Herbert Jarvis, Mr. Gordon Riddel.

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### Election Likely in Pickering Township

With the annual nomination meeting in Pickering Township coming up this Friday afternoon, there are again election rumbles, particularly in the southern part of the township.

Dr. N. E. McEwen has again declared his intention to step into the field, while at least one new council candidate is expected from the lakefront area.

No statement has been forthcoming from Reeve W. H. Westney as to his intentions to remain as reeve. Should Mr. Westney decide to retire this term, a two-way fight is almost a certainty both for the reeveship and the deputy's office.

### GREENWOOD

Miss Helen Minaker of the Oshawa hospital was home over the weekend with her parents.

Mr. Arthur Lang of Toronto is visiting at the Wesley Sadler home. He recently returned from a trip to England.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Morden moved last Saturday to their new home, the Mrs. Rankin house.

Anniversary services will be held this Sunday, Nov. 26th. Rev. McQuade of Oshawa will preach at the morning service at 11 o'clock, and Rev. Robinson of Pickering Anglican Church will be the evening speaker at 7.30. Special music. The Y.P.S. meets at the M. Pegg home this Thursday night.

### President of the Rebekah's Lodge Comes to Brougham

Joy Rebekah Lodge, Brougham, and Kinoven Lodge, Brooklin, were co-hostesses at a meeting in Brougham Township Hall on Monday, Nov. 13th, with an attendance of about two hundred. Mrs. Jean Burtch, President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario, from St. Catharines was guest of honour. Also present were Sisters Irene Willis, District Deputy President, Oshawa District No. 7 West; Sister Mabel Disney, Past President, Brother Dr. McKinney of Brooklin, Deputy Grand Master, and Brother Donald Beer, District Deputy Grand Master.

The Degree Staff of Benevolent Lodge, Whitby, put on the degree for two new candidates.

Sister Jean Burtch, President, gave a very enlightening talk on Lodge Work, as well as did Dr. McKinney.

Sister Arksey, Noble Grand of Kinoven Lodge, presented Sister Lela Beer and Sister Nina Sheppard with lovely corsages.

On behalf of Joy Rebekah Lodge and Benevolent Lodge, Sister Arksey, Noble Grand of Benevolent, in a few well spoken words, pre-

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### Local Institute Marks 40 Years

The Women's Institute of Brougham celebrated its 40th anniversary on Friday evening, Nov. 17th, by holding a community concert in the township hall. Mr. Albert Harvey, being master of ceremonies, started with a get-acquainted sing song. Mrs. B. Harvey was at the piano.

Mr. R. J. Barber showed pictures on the screen of Brougham taken in 1935 which were very interesting, and a short, showing a mongoose killing a python.

Fiddle and guitar selections by Bob and Eric of lively airs, and some dance numbers were also given later on in the program.

Mr. Kenny recited the "Crémation of Sam McGee," by Robert Service, and his portrayal of the character in this poem was wonderful to listen to. It is twenty years since Mr. Kenny gave this selection, and the Women's Institute feel honored that he could be

sented our President Sister Burtch with a pair of corn flower corn-pops, and Sister Maud Ellicott presented the Degree Staff Captain of Whitby with a beautiful plate, and Sister Majorie Tweedle on behalf of Girls of Joy Rebekah Lodge made a presentation to Sister Lela Beer, Noble Grand, with a lovely evening bag.

The evening closed with a social luncheon served by the lunch committee.

with them on this particular occasion.

Two solos by Peggy Woods Clark were beautifully rendered and enjoyed by all.

A short play given by Institute members, "Mrs. 1950 Entertains Members of 1897." This was composed by one of the members, Mrs. T. Norton, and was used as part of a program at a meeting some time ago when Mrs. Norton was convener of Historical Research.

Mr. Bob Clark, ventriloquist, was really funny and clever, with his entertainment.

Mr. Gordon Hagerman gave the audience a wonderful treat by playing four pieces on the saxophone. Mr. Al Harvey accompanied him on the piano. Mrs. Hagerman, when unexpectedly called upon, consented very graciously to sing and richly deserved the applause she received.

Life membership pins were presented by the president, Mrs. Lloyd Johnston to Mrs. T. Beer, Mrs. L. Johnston Sr., Mrs. B. Harvey and Mrs. T. Brown. Mrs. Brown was not present to receive her pin.

Two recitations given by Mrs. B. Masters of Brougham were greatly enjoyed and appreciated.

Mrs. M. Birrell, District President of South Ontario, was asked to speak and gave a short address.

Mr. Kenny's presentation of "Miss Jean Whistlebreeches" was very amusing and caused many a laugh.

A very satisfactory celebration of a 40th Anniversary ended by a delicious lunch being served, including a three tiered decorated birthday cake.

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