

# CLAREMONT and PICKERING TWP. DISTRICT

Two large and very attractive pictures, one of Queen Elizabeth and one of the Duke of Edinburgh, have been purchased by the Canadian Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary. They were presented at a joint meeting of these two organizations last Thursday evening. Other highlights of the meeting were discussions about various activities planned for the coming months, including a bingo for April 27th and the sports festival for July 4th. The showing of the blueprints for completion of the hall met with interest and approval and a social hour concluded the meeting.

Euchre prize winners at the Legion Hall on Monday, April 6th, were Mrs. Milne, Mrs. Ross Redshaw, Gordon Riddle and Wes Lehman, Mrs. Ethel Murray won the Share the Wealth Bingo.

The Easter meeting of the W.M.S. was held last Tuesday afternoon in the S.S. room. The president, Mrs. Johnson, and secretary, Mrs. Pilkey, were in their respective places. The meeting opened by the singing of "Crown Him with Many Crowns" and all repeating "The Lord's Prayer." Reading of minutes followed and two letters. Roll call was answered by a verse from the sayings of Jesus. A responsive service was used with six members taking part in reading scripture assigned. A solo sung by Mrs. R. Jackson and a piano solo played by Mrs. H. Gregg were much enjoyed. Rev. H. Lackey brought the special Easter message. A moment of silence was observed by members standing in memory of the sudden passing of a member for many years, Miss Jennie Pilkey, whom it had been hoped would have been present at this special meeting for shut-ins, as well as the regular members. A social half hour was enjoyed at the close.

Ladies from both churches have been busy quilting during the past few weeks.

Miss Marian Taylor visited during the Easter week with cousins at Uxbridge.

Miss McDonald of Toronto was a weekend visitor with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lewis. We regret that Mrs. Lewis is suffering with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson of Toronto were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. Hammond and family.

Mrs. Lackey Sr. of Frankford is visiting with her son, Rev. and Mrs. H. Lackey and family during the week.

The fire siren sounded about six o'clock Monday morning when stovepipes caught fire and had extended to the ceiling of the kitchen at the home of Mr. Mrs. Roy Coppins up the 4th of Uxbridge. Fortunately it was soon extinguished and before extensive damage had been done.

## Claremont Couple 50 Years Married

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Evans who were born and raised east of Claremont celebrated their golden wedding last Wednesday afternoon and evening, April 8th, at their village home, to which they retired from the farm several years ago. About 160 old friends and relatives called to offer congratulations. Mrs. Bert Jones, Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Judson Ward poured tea and the daughters, Mrs. V. Baker, Mrs. B. Jones, Mrs. C. Dopping, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. W. Evans served. The family presented their parents with a tri-light floor lamp and the grandchildren the gift of an electric kettle. They also received numerous gifts and cards. Mr. and Mrs. Evans were married in the Methodist parsonage on the same day Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones had their nuptial knot tied but a few hours earlier. Mrs. Judson Ward and Mr. Evans were bridesmaid and best man, and were present last Wednesday. The youngest son, Edgar, is living on the farm homestead, which is the former home of the late Canadian artist Tom Thompson. The sons, Will and Edgar, were door men for the occasion.

Alberta has fewer than 1,000,000 people subsisting on 44,000,000 acres of land.

<b>SEEDS</b>	
Sweet Clover (white)	\$4.00 bus.
Timothy	9.00 bus.
Spring Rye	3.00 bus.
Erban Oats	1.25 bus.

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A basket of beautiful mixed flowers adorned the altar table of the United Church on Sunday, a tribute to the affection and esteem the late Miss Jennie Pilkey held in the hearts of her neighbours.

## Jennie Pilkey Dies at Stouffville

Miss Jennie Pilkey, a life long resident of Claremont, passed away on Tuesday, April 7th, after a few days illness, in the Stouffville Brierbush Hospital. She was a daughter of Joseph and Mary Ann Pilkey who farmed on the 8th concession of Pickering, Mr. J. Roy now occupies the farm. Her parents retired to Claremont nearly fifty years ago. Miss Pilkey taught school for a number of years at Atha Cedar Creek, Mongolla, Niagara Falls and Saskatchewan. Since the death of her parents many years ago Miss Pilkey has lived in the same home alone. She suffered from a heart condition the past twelve years or more and was forced to live quietly. She enjoyed having visitors and was of a bright, witty, entertaining nature and took a keen interest in community affairs. She was a member of the Methodist and later the United Church and the Woman's Missionary Society. The funeral service was last Friday afternoon, April 10th, in the United Church by her pastor, Rev. H. Lackey. Mrs. W. Evans sang a beautiful solo, "Morning." Pallbearers were nephews, Clifford, Leonard and Russel Pilkey, B. Knight, Lloyd Pugh and Reginald Sanderson. A brother, Lyman Pilkey, and a sister, Mrs. Adelia Mantle of Claremont, survive. Interment was made in St. John's Cemetery on the 7th of Pickering. On April 9th, another sister, Mary Ellen Whiting of Strathroy passed away after a lingering illness. Funeral services were held on Monday, April 13th. Mr. Fred Pugh, a brother-in-law, and Mrs. Nelson Sanderson, a niece of deceased, were present.

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## Township Asked To Approve Second Half Million-Dollar High School

Percy Neale, chairman of the Pickering District High School, met council to discuss an application by the Board for approval of debenture issue of \$510,000 for a new high school to be built at Ajax, during last week's meeting of township council.

Four by-laws were considered. One, a by-law to borrow \$90,000 upon debentures for school purposes was given only two readings. Another by-law was passed increasing the salaries of certain employees. The third by-law passed was to name a warble fly inspector and the fourth set a speed limit through the hamlet of Greenwood.

Daylight Saving Time will be adopted in Pickering Township to begin and end in conformity with the city of Toronto.

During March, five sheep were killed by dogs in Pickering Township costing the township a total of \$175. All the sheep belonged to Edward Pugh who claimed a \$5 bounty for shooting one dog.

## ATTENTION

Are you looking for an opportunity to earn easy money? You may do so by phoning Jim Thomas, Markham 3371 or Stouffville 1532, day or night, concerning an accident, fire, burglary, or any unusual story or incident. All calls must be made immediately and payment will be awarded according to importance.

## BROUGHAM

The W.M.S. of St. John's United Church will hold their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, April 16, at the home of Mrs. W. C. Willson. Convener will be Mrs. B. Ritchie and her group consisting of Mrs. Geo. Philip, Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. H. Shea. Roll call is "abundance."

The Easter Thank-Offering service of the W.M.S. will be held in the church on Sunday evening, April 19, at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Mrs. M. Fisher of Brooklin. Everyone welcome.

The W.M.S. held a crokinole party and pie social in the hall on Friday evening last. Prize winners were: ladies, Mrs. W. Willson, Mrs. Shea; gents, Everson Norton, N. Burton; girls, Jean Barclay, Freda Philip; boys, George, Malcolm, Howard Malcolm Jr.

Mrs. W. H. Elliott spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Gordon of Toronto. Mrs. Hardy of Toronto visited with her sister here on Sunday.

Mr. Jack Lescombe has purchased the old Burrow's residence and moved it by truck to Brock Road south on Wednesday of last week. He intends to place a foundation under the residence.

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## BALSAM AND MT. ZION

A number from here attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Evans of Claremont and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jones of Glen Major on Wednesday, April 8. Congratulations to both couples.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Maynard of Winnipeg have been visiting for a time with Mrs. Frank Disney.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. L. Kahn on being grandparents; a wee daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kahn on Friday, April 10.

Donald and Carl Wilson have just recovered from the measles.

Winners at the euchre on Friday night were Miss Mary McAvoy and Mr. Walter Ward.

About 100 friends gathered in the basement of the church on Saturday night and presented the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Les Wilson, with a miscellaneous shower.

Mrs. H. R. Monkman of Saskatoon called Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones. Friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. Monkman was called today, April 13.

## PICKERING Police Chief Asks Defence Committee

Chief Constable L. W. Trinnell of Pickering Township, has urged the township council to set up a Civil Defence Committee. The Chief made request at the April meeting of the council held at Brougham. Later in the meeting, the council members noted their agreement with such a recommendation and asked the Chief for any assistance he may be able to give in setting up such a committee.

Chief Trinnell's suggestion was presented to the council as part of his monthly police report. His letter stated: "May I suggest the setting up of a Civil Defence Committee. We are at present without any organization to take over in case of national emergency. We may never have a war, but if one should occur, this vital area is totally without any means of coping with the many needs, and we would just be running around in circles."

Councillors passed a motion that "we heartily agree with your (Chief Trinnell) recommendation re setting up a Civil Defence Committee. We would appreciate any help or information you could forward to us, and we are waiting an early reply."

Truant Officer Resigns  
Notice was received that Peter A. White had resigned as truant officer. Councillors accepted his resignation. The resignation took effect on March 31.

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## Her 95th Birthday

Pickering Township's grand old lady, Mrs. H. Woodruff Powell, Saturday celebrated her 95th birthday. Mrs. Powell resides at the home of her daughter, Miss Rena Powell, about three miles west of the town of Whitby where the Pickering Beach sidetrack joins Highway No. 2. Although nearing the century mark, Mrs. Powell, the former Mary Richards, is still brimfull of energy and is cheered by visits from her great grandchildren. Because of failing health, Mrs. Powell quietly observed the occasion.

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## Dairy Farmers Planning To Use More Advertising

A \$400,000.00 June advertising budget this year is the objective of the Dairy Farmers of Canada, according to Secretary-Manager Erle Kitchen, Toronto. This total has never been reached by the three previous set-asides. The nearest approach to this figure was in 1930 when \$344,000 was realized.

Mr. Kitchen pointed out that, based on June 1932 milk production, this year's objective is just under 80 percent of the amount possible and represents an increase of 23 percent over the 1932 set-aside of \$325,000.

Discussing the need for a greater set-aside, O. J. W. Shugg, director of publicity for the Dairy Farmers of Canada, said that new, abnormal conditions influencing the dairy industry's course at the present time made it imperative that both product advertising and public relations programs be expanded to meet the new situation.

There must be a greater frequency of impact on the public and even a \$400,000 fund would be strained to do the job dairy producers require. All dairy producers organizations must lend their support if the new objective was to be reached, Mr. Shugg said.

"Wearing a copper ring will not cure arthritis," says a physician. Of course not, but it's probably as good a remedy as any.

## ATHA NEWS

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## WEDDING WILSON - DISNEY

Baskets of daffodils, tulips and snapdragons decorated Mt. Zion United Church for the wedding of Marion Elizabeth Anne, daughter of Mrs. Disney and the late Frank Disney, and Leslie Eugene Wilson, son of Mrs. Wilson and the late Perry Wilson of Greenwood, Rev. A. C. Luffman of Baltimore, performed the ceremony. Mrs. W. Evans of Claremont was pianist and accompanied Mr. Lorne Carson who sang "O Promise Me before the ceremony and "O Perfect Love" during the signing of the register.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Cecil Disney, the bride was gown'd in white satin with a bodice of Chantilly lace. The skirt had inserts of lace panels. A satin head-dress held her fingertip veil of nylon net. She carried a cascade of calla lilies. Miss Evelyn Disney, sister of the bride, was maid of honour and Miss Joyce Disney, niece of the bride, was bridesmaid. They wore similar gowns of rose and blue taffeta respectively. Sashes and pleated headresses were of matching velvet. Miss Sheila Disney, niece of the bride, was flower girl and also wore blue taffeta. All the attendants carried bouquets of spring flowers. Bob McVey of Toronto was best man and the ushers were Earl Disney, Mt. Zion, and Douglas Morden, Greenwood.

The reception followed in the church basement. Both mothers chose navy blue dresses with navy and white accessories and corsages of pink carnations.

Later the couple left for a wedding trip to Montreal and on their return will live in Greenwood.

All must be washed and disinfected after each sale. All stock submitted for sale to be examined by a Veterinarian. All stock must be registered in sales book to show who consigned the animal and who purchased. This chiefly to deter rustlers. Recommendations regarding the care and feeding of rail shipped animals were made to the Railways in an effort to stop shipping fever. Speakers of the day spoke of the definitely poor export market but they took an optimistic view of Canada's ability to absorb her own beef products within her own country due to the rising population. Many details were presented to the Beef Producers to stimulate their interest in their stock with an eye to an optimistic future in the Beef Industry.

## South Ontario Federation of Agriculture

The South Ontario Federation of Agriculture met last month at the home of John H. Hamer of Myrtle, the newly appointed secretary.

Discussion of the financial report brought about the feeling that too many farmers are ignorant of the great effort put forth to aid and improve the well-being of agriculture.

Too many farmers are refusing to share the cost of the benefits already received. An individual laborer pays more a month to his union than a farmer is asked to pay in a year to his Federation of Agriculture. All farmers benefit when the OFA starts an action as was only too well proven last month in our Ontario government, so why do they not support their organization with funds and appreciation.

Various committees were delegated to approach the township councils which were not paying their share and this press report asks the co-operation of all engaged in agriculture.

The year books of the OFA were distributed and instructions given that they be sent to all absent directors.

The "monthly" publication "The Co-operator" was ordered to be subscribed to for each director.

Anson Gerrow reported on his attendance at a director's meeting in Toronto. Discussion took place as he told of the Edible Oils bill and the feeling of the meeting was one of great appreciation and wise move made by the members of our government.

Gerrow told of Mr. Ferguson's report of several recommendations made concerning the Municipal and Assessment acts. The Minister of Municipal Affairs had suggested that when the act comes up for revision a member of the Federation's Assessment committee might sit in with the Department officials to consider the proposed changes.

Mr. Gerrow reported that Mr. Black, Manager of the United Livestock Sales Agency told of satisfactory progress to date in administration of the new central sales agency.

Since the hog producers are pioneering in this field he said they could expect some problems in the beginning but generally speaking progress is being made and prices have improved to producers.

A report was given concerning the handling of strikes in packing plants. It had been suggested that agriculture generally speaking, should be declared an industry in the national interest and those engaged in the handling and processing of food would sacrifice the right to strike. It was felt that this was a timely recommendation against the time that railway employees or packing houses could upset the whole economy.

Feed grain marketing also was discussed and the OFA assured that definite action would be taken before July next.

A. Johns and John Hamer attended the meeting of the Beef Producers' Association of Ontario. The Association dealt with many problems among which was the problem of cattle rustling. A fund has been started as reward for information leading to the apprehension of rustlers. Each County Council has been asked for fifty dollars to finance this. The Provincial police and the Association are co-operating in this problem and the police were present taking part in the panel discussion suggesting how the farmers could help by more positive identification of cattle and prompt reports of any loss.

The problem of veterinarians carrying disease by not disinfecting boots after visiting each stable was reported on and the Veterinarian's Association was appealed to that this problem could be dealt with in their Association.

Community sales and problems arising from these sales brought forth the following regulations: All community sales arenas must have cement floors.

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STEAK, ROUND, SIRLOIN, T-BONE, lb.	65c
STEAK ROAST, lb.	60c
PORK CHOPS, lb.	50c
SHORT RIB ROAST, lb.	45c
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PRIME RIB ROAST, lb.	50c
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