

# CLAREMONT and PICKERING TWP. DISTRICT

The W.I. will be held February 17th in the Community Hall at 2 o'clock. Roll call, "How did you meet your husband?" Motto by Mrs. C. Reynolds. Historical Research and Current events by Mrs. Carson. Lunch committee, Mrs. R. Jackson, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. W. Pegg, Mrs. F. Evans, Mrs. Fryer and Mrs. M. Anderson. Visitors welcome.

Miss Beverly Barclay is visiting among friends at Green River after school hours while her parents are holidaying in the south.

Mrs. Redshaw visited with members of her family at Brooklin and Brougham on Sunday.

Neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Story last Friday night to honour their hosts at a Farewell Party. Mr. and Mrs. Story were presented with a lovely table lamp and a large mirror. Their son was given a wallet. This well known family is moving shortly to Victoria Square. They will be greatly missed since Mr. Story was born on the home farm here. Mr. Harry Found, father of Mrs. Story who has made his home with the family since the death of his wife will accompany the family to their new home.

Miss Dorothy Hockley is home quite ill with chicken pox we regret to say and hope she may soon be restored.

An interested group of Institute members and friends watched the step by step proceedings in recovering an arm chair by Mr. Lippert in the Community Hall last Tuesday evening. After measuring, the pieces were pinned together on the wrong side of the material, clipped where necessary, slipped off the chair, stitched on the machine and slipped over the top of chair into position right side of material and each section fitting perfectly. A pleated frill about 10 inches from floor completed a fine looking piece of furniture, that any housewife would be proud to possess. Mr. and Mrs. Lippert were warmly thanked by all present.

Mr. Nelson Sanderson suffered a slight stroke last week at his boarding house in Toronto where he is confined to bed.

The Good Fellowship Class were very pleased with the response of the general public to the drama "Here Comes Charlie" by Goodwood group, which they sponsored in the Community Hall last Friday.

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## GREEN RIVER

Mrs. V. Postill was a weekend visitor with Mrs. Hobson and Mrs. Prankett of Toronto. Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alf Michell and family in the recent loss of their sister, Mrs. Burrows.

Little Ann Draper entertained some friends at a birthday party on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowles, Sr. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Bowles and Carol Ann. Sorry to report that Miss N. Fewler had the misfortune to fall and hurt her back.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Duncan and family of Markham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harlock of Manilla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cook had dinner on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Beaman and family of Toronto.

Mr. W. Chafen attended the annual banquet of the Quarter Century Club of the Toronto Hydro held at the Royal York Hotel on Friday. Mr. Chafen has completed twenty five years service with the Hydro.

Sorry to report Mrs. J. Cook suffered a nasty fall recently.

Mr. J. Nighswander and Reg also Ted Cook visited with Mrs. Ellis of Orangeville over the weekend and Reg and Ted journeyed on to Collingwood and report the skiing grand.

Cottage prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Shank on Tues., Feb. 16th at 8:15 p.m.

All C.G.I.T. girls take note. Please bring a Valentine, sandwiches, cookies or candy to your party on Friday night. Your leaders are looking for you all at the party.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Carter entertained their family to dinner on Sunday for tea. Mr. and Mrs. B. Dunn of Brougham were guests.

Mr. F. Ward has been in the hospital for the past few days undergoing a minor operation. We trust he shall be fully restored shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linton, Mr. M. Forsyth and Mrs. J. Ward visited with Miss S.E. Evans on Sunday afternoon.

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## ATHA NEWS

We welcome our new neighbours Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Byer to our community.

The Carruther's family were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Stouffville.

We are very pleased to see Allan Lehman back to school again.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Forgie entertained 26 guests on Sunday evening, the occasion was Mrs. John Forgie's birthday. Mr. Forgie with a few chosen words thanked his family for their gifts and kind thoughts, after a dainty supper was served with all the trimmings. The Carruther's family were among those present.

Many happy birthdays to Mrs. Fred Draper who had another birthday on Feb. 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Draper were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Hurly and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gren Draper and family were supper guests with Mrs. Zellers and Alta on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Witter, also Miss Gladys Witter of Toronto called on Mrs. Matthews on Saturday afternoon.

The many friends of Mrs. W. C. Willson are sorry to hear that she has not been enjoying good health during the past few weeks. All join in wishing she will soon be her usual self.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Devitt on the arrival of a little daughter, Diane Elizabeth, a sister for Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassie visited with her sister, Mrs. Feasby and other friends at Oshawa on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Redshaw is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Todd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Houghton and family of Wilcox Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brooks of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. George Brooks, Mr. John Brooks of Agincourt, Mr. Russ Gostick and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Connor visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. Connor on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Middleton and daughter Bonnie of Cherrywood visited with Mrs. Lemon on Monday.

The regular weekly Euchre was held as usual on Tuesday evening last week when the following were winners: Ladies, Mrs. J. Greig, Mrs. Geo. Duncan and Mrs. Baker; Gents, Mr. Walter Carlton, Mr. Ross Carlton and Mr. Howard Pugh.

The regular meeting of the W.A. of St. John's Church was held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Millep on Wednesday evening with a good attendance. Mrs. Burton, the president, was in charge. The secretary read letters from the Fred Victor Mission, the Scott Mission and the Bible Society in appreciation of donations received by them and also letters of "thanks" from those who had been remembered during illness. It was also decided to send a donation to the Polio Fund. The Devotional was taken by Mrs. Wm. Ellicott and the program by Mrs. Geo. Duncan, assisted by Mrs. Lackey. A social cup of tea, served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. Miller and Mrs. H. Malcolm brought to a close another pleasant evening.

The regular meeting of the W.M.S. of St. John's Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Lackey on Thursday, February 18 at 2:30 p.m.

## Pickering Rallies to Aid Of Destitute Families

Organizations and residents of Pickering Village, Ajax and surrounding districts have rallied to the aid of the ten families who recently suffered the loss of their homes and belongings through fire. Nine families were rendered homeless in Pickering Village and one at Fairport Beach. The response to the drive was so great that each family has been completely outfitted with clothing and other necessary articles. On Saturday afternoon a rummage sale was held in the Pickering Village Community Hall and the returns were divided equally among the needy. Besides the ten families who received aid, eight additional relief cases benefited from the drive. The Ontario Division of the Red Cross, the O.E.S., and the various churches contributed a large amount of clothing, furniture, shoes, dishes and canned goods. The W.I. took charge of the rummage sale. The Clerk of Pickering Village, Mr. Bruce Hogarth acted as treasurer for the drive.

## Uxbridge Township Road Budget \$30,000 for '54

At the regular meeting of Uxbridge Township Council on Monday afternoon, the 1954 road appropriation levelled off at \$30,000. This is the same figure as in 1953 although an additional \$7,000 was added on later when it was decided to build a new \$10,000 bridge at Sandy Hook. The budget will be broken up into the following categories: Maintenance, \$16,000; New machinery, \$7,500; Construction \$4,000; Bridges and culverts \$1,000; Miscellaneous, \$1,200.

## AUCTION SALE

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2 wagons on steel  
Hay rack  
Team cultivator  
M-H disc, team size  
Single plow  
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Set harrows, 5 sec.  
2 sets harrows, 4 sections  
8 600 x 16 wheels and rims  
I.H.C. milking machine, 2 units  
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Milk strainer  
Set of scales, 200 lbs.  
Fanning mill  
Pig crate  
Chicken picker  
Wheelbarrow  
2 cross cut saws  
2 sets of sloop sleighs  
2 hay fork ropes, nearly new, 150 ft.  
Hay fork  
Feed barrels  
Many other articles too numerous to mention.

## ALTONA

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Norman Bunker in the loss of her brother John Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis were in Brampton on Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Prouse.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and Ronnie have moved to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carters' where he is employed.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Logan who were married on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Goudie and family had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Merv Bunker on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and children had supper Sunday evening with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wideman. Mrs. Wideman's brother Mr. Blake Robinson from Saskatchewan has been visiting her for a couple of weeks.

## GLEN MAJOR

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fiss and family, Miss Della Johnson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and family.

## GOODWOOD

B.Y.P.U. will meet Friday evening. The Temperance Group led by George Baldwin will be in charge and everyone is invited to attend.

Mission Band will meet Friday afternoon at Mrs. Jones' home.

Sorry to report that Mrs. Jack Todd has been very ill with chicken pox.

A shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woodland last Saturday evening in honour of the former Miss Winnie Rummenie. Winnie will make her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Percy, Edith and Mary of Markham had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. May last Thursday.

Baptist Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Dan Wagg last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Reuben May was in charge of the program and chose the topic "Christ should have priority."

Mrs. Ronald James and Marilyn spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wagg.

We regret to report that Bobby Symes, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Symes had the misfortune to fall and sprain an ankle. Bobby will be home from school for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gribben and family have moved to Uxbridge where they are building a new home.

Mrs. A. Pugh of Leaside is visiting with her brother Mr. D. McDonald and Mrs. McDonald.

Mr. Howard Harper is spending a week in Ottawa.

The Merry Mixers' skating party will be held in Uxbridge Saturday evening, Feb. 13th. Those not wishing to skate are invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Meyers for games.

The W.A. met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Russel Storry with nineteen ladies present. Mrs. Howard Harper was in charge of the Devotion and read a very interesting paper on the topic "Spirit". The program was presented by Mrs. Les. Meyers and followed the "Good Neighbour" theme. Readings were given by Mrs. Meyers, Mrs. Bacon, Mrs. Bunker and Mrs. Hewlett. These were followed by a contest in which all members participated.

The Merry Mixers' play, "Here Comes Charlie" was very well received at Claremont last Friday evening and the cast enjoyed a very nice lunch served by the Claremont ladies following the performance. The play will be presented in Mount Albert March 4.

The W.A. ladies have spent a number of days quilting during the past three weeks and have finished several quilts.

The Group Committee of the Goodwood Cubs and Scouts met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Taylor. It was decided that the financial campaign of the Boy Scouts across Canada is being conducted at this

## Pickering Hospital Objective \$2,000

A campaign objective \$2,000 for Pickering Village has been announced by Cye E. Morley, chairman for Pickering Village of the Building Fund Campaign for the Ajax and Pickering Township General Hospital.

The \$2,000 will be used purchase bassinets for the obstetrical ward of the new hospital and will be a special gift from the residents of Pickering Village.

The following members of the committee will be active canvassing within the next week in order that the quota of \$2,000 be raised as soon as possible. Contributions may be pledged over a six-month period if this plan is most suitable to the subscribers.

Mrs. John Ashton, Mrs. L. Briggs, Mrs. John Bryant, Mr. George Frenette, Mrs. Chs. Joliffe, Mrs. John Lay, Mr. Morley, Mr. and Mrs. L. Morrison, Mrs. Wm. McEachin Jr., Mrs. Frank Prouse, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Ruddy, Mr. Fred Stork, Mr. Tom Gibbs, Mr. Wm. Goudy.

## Ask Dog Be Removed from Whitevale Hamlet

Pickering Township Council received a petition signed a number of residents Whitevale last week to take immediate action against a loose dog which is running loose in the village. Dogcatcher Cliff Schwalm reported that he had attempted to confine the animal but was ordered off the property by the owner.

The dog, a partly grown pit is reported to have pursued a number of ladies who ventured along a particular section of the road. No one is actually believed to have been bitten by the animal.

Council have informed dogcatcher to pick up the dog while he is running at large on the road and following disease inspection hold the animal for the required length of time.

There's no better way than buying or selling than to the classified ad columns The Stouffville Tribune.

time of year the Goodwood Scouts will sponsor a variety concert in the Town Hall March 17th in an effort to raise the necessary funds to operate the Scout Troup Cub Pack for the forthcoming year with this one project. Tickets to the affair will be made available through Cubs and Scouts and other interested parties in the future. The next Group Committee meeting will be Feb. 22 at the home of Don Kennedy.



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