

CLAREMONT and PICKERING TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Elise and son Art, of Toronto, also Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Constable of Newmarket were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Filkey and family.

Mr. Sam Chambers attended Markham Fair on Sat. last. The Ontario and York County Council won the film award called the "S. E. McDougall Award" on their 5th Anniversary, this being the club which has made the greatest progress. There are about 212,000 members. The award will be presented at a dinner to be held in Prescott.

Bob Greer attended the Silver Arrow Boy Scout re-union at Camp Samac, Oshawa, last weekend, and Miss Ann Keevil attended the dance in connection on Saturday night.

The Pickering and Dist. High School board and staff dinner is being held in the High School Cafeteria to meet the new Principal.

Dr. and Mrs. Tomlinson accompanied by Mrs. Wilkes and Mrs. Evans enjoyed a motor trip to Gravenhurst on Sunday afternoon. The autumn scenery was beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. Devit and Dale were Sunday visitors with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Evans of Port Perry.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. Hockley on the arrival of a son at Ajax Hospital last week.

A busload from Claremont and Brougham churches attended the Billy Graham Service in the Coliseum last Friday evening, and it is expected that another load will go on Tuesday evening and on Saturday three loads comprising the two congregations, Baptist and United, will attend a block of seats having been arranged for by Rev. Lowden.

Communion service was held in the United Church last Sunday morning, and Mrs. Carl Norton had her membership transferred from Brooklin to Claremont.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark of Zephyr were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Coates. Mr. and Mrs. E. Stephenson of Oshawa visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Ward during the past weekend.

Promotion Day was observed in the United Sunday School last Sunday. Pupils were welcomed into their new classes by the various teachers. Mission Band will be held next Sunday after Sunday School. All boys and girls are invited to attend, up to and including 12 years of age.

The W.L. was held on Wed., Sept. 21st, in the Community Hall, with President Mrs. Peddie in the chair. Members answered the roll call by mentioning a custom of another country. Three comparative newcomers to Canada, one born and educated in Germany, and two others arrivals from England during the past year, gave interesting highlights of their birthplace and activities. A piano has been purchased recently for use in the hall basement by the W.L. and Mrs. H. Gregg led in the opening singing, and later contributed a lively piano solo. The Institute expects to hold a euchre party in the hall shortly, to pay for the piano. Numerous kinds of cookies and a cup of tea were served by the lunch committee.

Messrs Tom Hammond, Earl Beare and Merv Waits attended the men's trebles bowling tournament held at Uxbridge on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The entry was so large that a number had to be turned away. Thanksgiving

Turkeys were given to the winners. The annual Co-op turkey dinner held in the basement of the United Church on Wednesday evening of last week was a fine success.

Carpenters are enlarging the offices at the Claremont Co-operative this week. During the past month a considerable amount of repair work has been done on the exterior of some of the buildings.

Mr. G. M. Forsyth attended Markham Fair on Saturday afternoon where he met many old acquaintances whom he hadn't seen for many years. More than fifty years ago he entered some fine horses in the show class at the Fair and won several prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter enjoyed the beautiful autumn scenery on Sunday when they motored into Northern Ontario. A number of other residents took advantage of the perfect weather and travelled north. Visitors from Toronto called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McGuire over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Wallace of Weston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beare on Sunday.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. J. Briscoe has returned home from the hospital and is progressing nicely.

Many from here attended the Markham Fair on Friday and Saturday.

Several car loads of residents journeyed to Toronto last week to attend the Billy Graham meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beelby of Toronto visited here over the weekend.

Mr. Ross Evans spent a few days in Toronto last week with relatives.

One of the largest crowds of the season attended the Claremont-Altona softball playoff game on Monday evening. The fifth and final game will be played on Friday night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

Assessment Climbs a Half Million

Pickering Township assessment is up \$690,368.08 this year according to the official roll returned to council by Assessment Commissioner Delbert Gauslin on Monday. Total Twp. assessment now stands at \$10,636,835.90. Population figures are also up, increasing 485 to stand at 12,874.

The assessment officer reported that the gain in assessment was primarily due to new building. Average new house assessment in the municipality is about \$3,000.

Will Defend Action
By resolution of councillors Newman and Scott, Pickering Township Council will defend any action entered by Mr. Polanyi of East Rouge over alleged damages to his land by reason of certain changes in the roadway in this section. Councillor Lawson opposed the resolution. The figure of \$1,000 was cited as possible damage figure. Solicitor Moore of Whitby will defend the municipality.

Cow Bitten
Council agreed to pay \$200 to W. Holmes of Cherrywood for a cow which was bitten in the udder by dogs and had to be destroyed. Two cows were attacked at the time but one re-

BROUGHAM

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Institute will be held in the Township Hall on Tuesday afternoon, October 11. Hostesses—Mrs. R. Ellicott and Mrs. Bradshaw. The program, "Agriculture and Canadian Industry" will be in charge of Mrs. L. Johnston. Roll Call—Bring a Cookie Recipe and three cookies made from the recipe.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pascoe on the arrival of another daughter, a sister for Donna-Lea.

Mr. Wm. Gray is home from the hospital and recuperating at his home. All join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Miss Barbara Mairs who is now nursing in the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, spent Thursday last at her home here. It is reported that Mrs. Woodward has sold her store here, and expects to give up possession in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harvey of Tall Pines, Haliburton, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Harvey one day last week.

Mrs. R. W. Witter and daughter Gladys, also Miss Barrett, all of Toronto, visited with Mrs. Matthews on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks and family have moved into their new house which they recently built.

Mrs. Thos. Norton suffered a serious heart attack one day last week and is now confined in the Woman's College Hospital in Toronto. We all join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox and Mrs. Matthews called on Mrs. W. Hamilton, who is recuperating at the home of her daughter Mrs. Carswell, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sheppard and sons of Iondale Heights visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sheppard on Sunday afternoon.

ATHA

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McAloney and Brian visited on Sunday with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton, Orchard Beach.

Atha extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William McBride, Whitby, formerly of Atha, who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday at their home in Whitby.

Many happy birthdays to Mr. Albert Draper who celebrated his birthday on Sunday, with their family at home to help celebrate. Dinner was served with all the trimmings.

Several from here attended Markham Fair on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tran attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. McBride in Whitby on Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. Carruthers and Ernie attended the Campbell-Waller wedding on Saturday afternoon at Greenwood United Church.

The Carruthers were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. A. Draper on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Ham and girls, Stouffville, were supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Bielby on Sunday evening.

Many Happy Birthdays to Ann Sheridan who had a few of her friends in to help celebrate her 10th birthday on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dunkeld and Dougie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bielby spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Couillard at Greensville.

Mrs. Marshman had guests on Sunday for dinner.

Mrs. Gertie Hoover entertained Sunday dinner guests from Toronto.

Mrs. MacDonald visited her daughter in Stouffville one day last week.

GOODWOOD

Mrs. George Stewart spent a few days with relatives in Goodwood.

Mission Band will be held in the church basement on Thursday at 3 o'clock and B.Y.P.U. at 8.15 on Thursday evening.

A number of Goodwood folk report a very good display at Markham fair this year. Several Goodwood folk entered articles in the exhibit classes.

A very pleasant evening was spent in the Baptist Church basement on Friday evening when Rev. and Mrs. Benson Jones were presented with a floral 400-day clock. The evening was made pleasant by singing, readings and a recording of their wedding and reception, which took place in Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. Rae Smith visited a few days with her daughter, Mrs. John May, this week.

Mrs. Fred Woodland has returned home after spending a few days with relatives in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Watson spent Sunday with her.

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Call Bids
The township will call for bids on \$95,000 worth of debentures to be sold shortly. The debenture funds are to finance two new public school additions.

GLEN MAJOR

Mr. Alec Hingston and boys, Toronto, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hingston.

Mrs. Charles Fiss entertained at her home on Saturday for Miss Erla Jones prior to her coming marriage. It was a pantry shower.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones spent one day last week in Toronto.

Several from here attended Lindsay Fair last week.

Miss Mabel Baker, Watford, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fiss.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Geo. Pickett, in the loss of her beloved father, Mr. Geo. McConnell, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones, Toronto, spent the weekend at the Joneses.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gates Sr., and Mrs. Ernest Gates called on the Hingstons and Jones, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and Shirley visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Biggs, Brooklin.

Mr. Ross Walls, Brooklin, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmonds and family spent Saturday at their cottage here.

Mr. Alec Hingston and boys spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hingston. We are glad to know Mr. Hingston is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and family at Pine Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones spent the weekend at the Joneses.

Several from here attended Markham Fair on Saturday.

The community was shocked to hear of the death of Mr. C. A. Neville in England on Sept. 27. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Neville in the loss of her beloved husband.

GREEN RIVER

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Archie White on the arrival of a son at the East Toronto Hospital.

Little Peter Collandine entertained some friends to a corn-roast and birthday party on Saturday last.

Sorry to report that Allan Michell is not improving so well as his many friends would like. We hope for much improvement in the near future.

Once again wedding bells are ringing in our midst.

We understand that the farm owned by Mr. Houston has been purchased by a buyer from Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Houston are moving near Lindsay.

Pleased to report that Mrs. John Michell, also Grace Michell are feeling some better and that Mrs. Scott, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Michell when she suffered, a stroke has recovered sufficiently to be moved to her home in Toronto.

Mrs. J. Davies returned home on Saturday after spending a few days visiting friends in Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Yetta and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Smetham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Davies and Glen of Leaside visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. Davies on Sunday.

Cottage Prayer Meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Beelby at Mark-

ham on Tues., Oct. 11, at 8 p.m.

Last Sunday the Wilson family held their re-union at the Park where trees in their brilliant foliage and the bright autumn sunshine provided a perfect setting for almost 45 members, who are all descendants of one of the oldest families in this community. Members were present from Windsor, Burlington, Welland, Weston, Ajax, Toronto, Thistletown Markham and Whitevale.

Mr. Ashenhurst was born

Uxbridge Twp. Couple Fifty-five Years Married



On Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ashenhurst of Uxbridge celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary. They were honored with a dinner at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Clayton Hill, 5th concession of Uxbridge, north of Claremont.

In October, 1900, Mr. and Mrs. Ashenhurst were married in the Stouffville Anglican Church. A day at Markham Fair constituted their honeymoon. They travelled from Goodwood to Stouffville by horse and buggy and then to Markham on the train.

Mr. Ashenhurst was born

on the fifth concession, the son of Robert Ashenhurst. He attended Webb Public School, Mrs. Ashenhurst was born near Claremont and attended school at Cedar Creek. Following their marriage, the happy couple resided on a farm on the 4th concession of Uxbridge for 47 years. Mr. Garfield Bennett now owns the property. For the past 7 years they have been living in the town of Uxbridge.

To the couple were born four girls, Ola (Mrs. Howard Forsyth) of Goodwood; Greta; Mrs. Clayton Hill) 5th line, Uxbridge; Laura (Mrs. Mal-

colm Tucker) of Apsley, and Hilda (Mrs. Bruce Bailey) of Utica. They have 3 grandchildren, John Hill, Lorna Hill and Allan Bailey.

The celebrated Uxbridge residents were the recipients of many cards, flowers and gifts. They also received radio congratulations. Although both are more than 75 years old, they enjoy excellent health. The Tribune takes this opportunity of extending congratulations to this fine couple and wishes them many more years of health and happiness.

JUST WHAT IS Your Newspaper



This question has many answers. Here are a few:

- It's a public service
It serves this community with news, advertising, editorial comment, and entertainment. It promotes projects which it believes will make this a better place in which to live.
- It's a manufacturing plant
It converts ink, paper, metal, and power into a finished product. It gives employment, year round, to heads of families.
- It's a business
It enjoys full status as both a wholesaler (of newspapers) and a retailer. It plays its full part in the commercial life of the community.
- It's a service establishment
It tries to give information and guidance both through its columns and personally through its staff. Its classified section is the local market place. It is the 20th century town crier and community counsellor.
- It's a 100% home institution
It serves this district first, last and always. Its weekly payroll remains almost entirely in the area. Its taxes help support local schools and local government. It buys all possible supplies and services locally.
- It's the voice of the people
Its printed reports, comments and pictures mirror this community in such a way that we may understand both its problems and its opportunities. It is a vital factor in the operation both of free, responsible government and in the life of free democratic individuals.

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EDITOR'S MAIL

To the Editor:
When the leaves begin falling, a fellow starts thinking he had better get at that car trunk. The picnic basket, barbecue grill and Geiger counter must come out. Back in go the snow shovel, ice chopper and skid chains.

-G.A.G.

Last year advertising book matches and wooden matches used 18 million pounds of paraffin produced by the petroleum industry. The paraffin helps to transfer the flame from the head of the match to the stick.

SOONER OR LATER YOU'LL NEED IT!

Get **PRESTONE** BRAND **ANTI-FREEZE** NOW at

W. G. GARRETT & SON
YOUR LOCAL SHELL DEALER

Men's TOP COATS on Sale

Gabardine for longer wear, and comfort, in your favourite fall shades. Reg. up to \$29.50—

sale price **\$19.50**

MEN'S PANTS

These trousers are made of extra good quality suiting materials—full, roomy cut—smartly tailored. A good selection of materials and patterns to choose from. Worthwhile savings at this low price of—

\$9.95 pr.

COTTON FLANNEL PLAID AND CHECKED SHIRTS

Well made, good weight flannel, full, rich colors. All made with Sport Shirt style collar, 2 breast pockets, generously cut with long sleeves. Good choice of plaids and checks — S. M. & L. sizes, made to sell for \$4.95—

Sale Price \$2.98

PENMAN'S WORK SOCKS

All Wool with nylon reinforced heel and toe for extra wear, good weight—

Special 69c pr.



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Turkey Dinner & Concert

IN TRINITY-UNITED CHURCH, UXBRIDGE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

5.30 - 8.00 p.m.

An excellent Concert by AVRO-ORENDA CHOIR, Malton, Ontario.

Adults - \$1.50 Children - 75c

PICKERING DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Night Classes

REGISTRATION: Tues., Oct. 11, 7.30 - 9.30 p.m.

CLASSES: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 7.30 - 9.30 p.m.

October 11 to December 15

January 10 to March 15

Total - 40 Nights

POSSIBLE COURSES

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| 1. Basic English | 10. Shopwork |
| 2. Public Speaking | 11. Agriculture |
| 3. Arts and Crafts | 12. Matriculation Subjects (Grades 12 & 13) |
| 4. Weaving | 13. Physical Education (For Elementary Teachers only) |
| 5. Sewing (Beginners) | |
| 6. Sewing (Advanced) | |
| 7. Bookkeeping | |
| 8. Typewriting | |

FEES: Payable in Advance - No Refunds
Resident - \$5.00 - Non Resident - \$10.00

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