CLAREMONT and PICKERING TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

day of last week. last week.

sponsored by Weston's Bakery. Mr. Ross Evans visited with Toronto relatives on Saturday.

village have expressed their feelings concerning the need for a new fire alarm system. The old siren which was removed from the top of Ward's Garage has never been relocated. Under the present system, calls to members of the brigade are made only by telephone.

Mr. Roy McLeod has obtained the dealership for Philco television and appliances. A handsome TV set would make a wonderful Christmas gift.

A number of homes in the village have been gaily decorated for the Christmas holiday

The weekly euchres usually held every Monday evening have been cancelled until after the New Year.

The W.I. will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 21st, in the Community Hall. Motto-"If religion has done nothing for your temper, it has done nothing for your soul." Roll-Call-Your Choice in the local Santa Claus Parade. Guest speaker, Mrs. Lackey. Christmas. treat for shut-ins. Lunch Comm .- Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Gregg. Clarence Baker will provide in-

strumental music. Everyone welcome. The Baptist Church Annual Christmas Concert will take place on Friday evening, Dec. 16th, at 8 o'clock. All the con-

gregation are invited. Mrs. Howard Hockley visited with relatives in Uxbridge

on Sunday. Mrs. Wallace enjoyed a visit and dinner with Mrs. Connor

on Sunday. . Miss Sylvia Johnston has been confined in the Oshawa Hospital during the past week with an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mason of Toronto visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norton on Sunday.

Mrs. Ross Redshaw's father had the misfortune of falling out of the opened door of the sand truck he was driving last week at Gormley, crushing the bones in his knee, legs and ankles and is in a serious condition in the hospital.

Mrs. Cook of Lansing was a Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooke and family. The Christmas Sunday School Concert will take place on Friday evening of this week in the United Church, commencing at \$.15. All the congregation and friends are invited.

The mid-week prayer and Bible Study Meeting will be discontinued until after the New Year in the United S.S. room.

-Mission Band, whose members sulted as follows: Hon. Presisold boxes of Christmas cards dent, Mrs. N. Burton; Pres. Mrs. and contributed around \$50 to- H. Miller; Vice Pres., Mrs. Thos. of the church. Rev. Mr. Moore for the business, followed by a wards the allocation. There are | Philip; Secretary, Mrs. George 25 missionary monthlies and 15 Willson; Treas., Mrs. H. Barc-World Friends subscribed forand there are 22 paid-up mem- thews; Pianist, Mrs. L. Johnbers of the W.M.S.

- which was greatly enjoyed.

reported offices filled for the Ellicott; Card Convener, Mrs. New Year, with the exception Cassie. of President - Mrs. Johnson was appointed, after Mrs. Car- Mrs. M. Ellicott who gave a hu- E Pascoe; Pianists, Mrs. Pascoe and daughter of Goodwood and declined to accept. Rev. H. Lac- closed in the usual way, follow-

Claremont shoppers — make a bee-line to Houston's for Mrs. Ken Madill on the arrival your free Weather chart cal- of a little daughter. endar for 1956. Mr. John Houston also has a free Rust-Craft ham will hold their annual calendar of memory, to help Christmas concert on Thursday personal dates in the coming there, so come and see him. year.

Statistics show that some 55 of every 100 Canadian households have a car.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Taylor, celebrated a birthday on Thurs-Mr. Jack Mansell's mother pass-ed away suddenly in Toronto With Armed Holdup Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Redman and sons enjoyed a Christmas on Sons enjoyed a Christmas party in Toronto on Saturday, Of Brougham Snack Bar

Smith of Greenwood, William | completed with the arrest of A number of residents in the R. Conham, Thomas J. Fenton, Gary Smith at his home east and David Ross Fenton all of of Brougham. Toronto were rounded up. by | Mr. Thomson was alone in Toronto and Provincial Police the Grill when the thieves walkon Saturday and charged with ed in. Two of the men tied the

ing the early hours of Friday phone. morning. It was the second | Some of the youths involved holdup within a month at the in the Brougham holdup are

Police closed their ring ar- Dec. 9th. In the series of breakound the youths after Toronto ins and hold-ups, about \$2,000 Constable John Gallagher pick- in cash, stamps, cigarettes and ed up a green car loaded with other articles were stolen.

Four youths, Gary Douglas cigarettes. The roundup was

the holdup of the Brougham owner up while the others Country Grill, operated by Mr. emptied the shelves of merchan-William Thomson. The armed dise. They then went upstairs robbery, which netted the thie- and took two diamond rings ves approximately \$500 worth valued at \$100 apiece. Upon of cigarettes, chocolate bars leaving, they took a mantel and jewellery, took place dur- radio and disconnected the tele-

Country Grill on No. 7 High- also charged with other thefts over a period from Oct. 31st to

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lehman

Misses Muriel and Myrtle

Gostick were Sunday visitors

the Baptist S.S. will be held

Don't forget the Christmas

concerts of both S. S. to be

The Sigma-C boys meet in

Christmas Tree and Concert

The Evening W.A. held their

The Sacrament of the Lord's

The drama given last Friday

night by Evening W.A. was

was well received by a fair

of Toronto called on relatives

The regular and annual mee-

ting of the Afternoon W.A. was

held at Mrs. P. Clarke's home

last Thursday, with 12 mem-

bers present. Group one took

containing the word "Hope".

officers as follows - Honorary

call was answered by a verse Dec. 5.

Messrs Les and Ken Devitt

Supper will be observed this

day School at 10 a.m.

audience.

last Sunday.

Hennings on Wednesday eve- sion.

regular meeting at Mrs. G.

at the church on Dec. 22nd. -

Tuesday night.

the basement of the church on hot luncheon prior to the meet-

Sunday, the 18th, at 11.15; Sun- given by the teachers and staff

program with Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Sydney Knowlton of Brooklin

McLean, Mrs. Pascoe and Mrs. in the sudden passing of their

Wilson taking part. The roll little son, Lloyd, on Monday,

The business part of the meet- last Wednesday at the home of

ing was in charge of the presi- Mrs. Reg. Hoskins. Mrs. Walter

dent, Mrs. Wilson. The commit- Carson was in charge of the

tees chosen at the November worship and each member do-

meeting reported on the cover- nated a number for the Christ-

ing for the kitchen floor and mas programme. The president

stack chairs for the basement Mrs. Hoskins took the chair

Pres., Mrs. P. Wilson; President, banquet at the Northminster

Mrs. P. Clarke; 1st and 2nd Vice Church, Oshawa, last Wednes-

Mrs. Minaker; Secretary, Mrs. Sunday visitors at the Cecil

P. Wilson; Asst., May Brown; Jones home were Mrs. Howard

took charge of the Election of social hour and lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonnis and Mr. and Mrs. Rosenburg of Toronto, and family of Shelbourne were also Mr. and Mrs Wm Wyman Sunday visitors with Mrs. of Bracebridge were recent Lehman and family. guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Eng-

Mr. D A Beer ran his regu- with their parents, Mr. and lar Christmas Ssopping bus to Mrs. F. Gostick. Oshawa on Saturday afternoon | Sorry to report that quite last, and will be running it number in our village are il again this coming Saturday, with colds. leaving Brougham at 1 pm. and Mrs. Shank is nursing her returning, leave Oshawa at 5. aunt who is quite ill in Toronto. We are sorry to hear that Their many friends were

Mrs. Stan Jewell of Sunderland pleased to hear that Able Sea-(but who is well known to man Bob Findlay of HMCS of many in this district) is now in Cape Breton flew home on Frithe Woman's College Hospital, day last for a month's holidays. Toronto. All join in wishing The White Gift Service her a speedy recovery.

Keep in mind the W.M.S. next Sunday morning at 9.45. meeting in the Church, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 15th.

Miss Margaret Burton of De- held on Friday December 16th troit visited with her sister, at 8 p.m. Mrs. M. Hamilton, on Sunday. Anyone wishing to give dona-A gloom was cast over this tions toward the boxes for shutdistrict on Sunday when it be- ins please bring them by next came known that Mr. Wm. Sunday or leave at Mrs. Alf Clark had passed away sudden- Michell's by . Wednesday, Dec. ly on Saturday evening. Mr. 21st. Clark has resided in this com-

munity for several years, having purchased the property known as the "Crawford property" later owned by the late Stanley Noble. Mr. Clark was down street as usual for his paper when he became ill, but succeeded in reaching home before he passed away. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow; one son and two daughters. Interment took place at Mimico ning.

on Tuesday. The Woman's Institute sponsored their regular weekly Euchre on Tuesday evening last when the following were lucky winners: Mrs. H. Malcolm, Mrs. Ray Ellicott and Mrs. M. Ellicott. Mr. D. Lennox, Mr. H.

Plaxton and Master T. Degeer. The regular yearly meeting of the Woman's Association of The W.M.S. members held St. John's Church was held at their meeting last Thursday the home of Mrs. Geo. Duncan afternoon in the S.S. room, with on Wednesday evening last, a fair attendance, and President with a good attendance. The and Secretary in their chairs. President, Mrs. N. Burton gave Christmas hymns were sung. a report of the recent meeting the Devotional portion of the munity goes to Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Loyst, president for the held at Port Perry. The secrepast 2 years, resigned, owing tary read a letter from Albert to pressure of family duties in College at Belleville. It was dethe coming year. Mrs. Carson, cided to remember all the shutfirst vice-president, presided ins at Christmas. Mrs. Cassie during the programme, during gave the Card for the month. which time Mrs. T. Gregg play- The meeting was then turned ed a Christmas piano number over to Mrs. Cassie who conducted the election of officers Mrs. Jackson reported for the for the coming year, which relay; Press Secretary, Mrs. Mat- President, Mrs. A. Pegg; past the Oshawa Milk Producers ston; Parsonage Committee -The nominating committee Mrs. Geo. Duncan and Mrs! Wm. presidents, Mrs. Brooks and day night.

The program was taken by Corr., Mrs. M. Pegg; Treas., Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Harry Harper, son, who had been first vice morous reading on "Christmas and Mrs. Wilson; Group leaders, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis and president for a number of years down Home." The meeting Mrs. W. Brown, May Brown family of Altona. key was in charge of the elec- ed by a dainty lunch provided Parsonage, Mrs. Minaker; Citi- tune to have his fruit storage tion. New allocation is \$350.00. by the Hostesses, Mrs. George zenship, Mrs. A. Pegg; Flower building burned on Saturday. Duncan and Mrs. K. Pascoe.

Congratulations to Mr. and ature, Mrs. Wilson The Sunday School of Broug-

you remember the important evening, Dec. 22. Santa will be and family, . Stouffville, were

Christmas shopping is a mad race for presents that usually brated her 9th on Saturday, De. Mt. Zion S.S. Dec. 23rd. ends in a tie.

Claremont Baptist Church

SAMONIA SANONIA SANONI

MINISTER: JAMES SINCLAIR LOWDEN

- SUNDAY SERVICES -

10 a.m.—Church School — Classes for all ages. 11 a.m.-Can We Believe The Virgin Birth?

7.30 p.m .- Bethlehem And Its Good News. "The Christmas bells some like best are on cash registers.

ACCORDING TO THE PROPERTY AND A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE

Ontario Co-ops Net a Half Million Dollars

million dollars," J. E. Nephew 848 in cash. Patronage returns of Woodstock, Ont., and presi- for 1954 totalled \$207,199.

ughout Ontario attended the U.C.O. two-day meeting.

1954 earnings of \$304,058.

year totalled \$397,481, of which 703.

CHERRYWOOD

Mrs. M. Hollinger

presented by the nominating

Pres., Mrs. R. Tindall; Vice-

Pres., Mrs. G. Todd; Secretary,

Mrs. N. Laughlin; Treasurer,

Mrs. D. Milne; Corr. Secty., Mrs.

W Holmes. Other officers to be

elected were left over till Jan-

uary, when Rev. Shapter takes

over the work on this pastoral

charge. Encouraging reports

were read from the Treasurer,

and the members felt we had

had a very successful year.

Mrs. J. Thompson was our

guest, and contributed two ac-

cordion solos to the program,

which were very much enjoyed.

The devotional period was tak-

en by Mrs. D. Milne, the theme

the World," in which was

stressed the need of the lov-

ing loyalty of all of us to the

Newborn King in order that

His Kingdom would come in

fulfillment of the prophecy of

Isaiah. Christmas carols were

used at this meeting and the

president used a Christmas Call

to Worship. . The, group in

charge had served a delicious

ing which was greatly enjoyed

Sunday with a number of gifts

received for Fred Victor Mis-

The children and a number

of mothers enjoyed a Christmas

party in the hall on Saturday,

of the Cherrywood United

Miss Mary Anna Morrish vis-

ited with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Roy Morrish over the

BALSAM

and MT. ZION

Mrs. B. Jamieson

The sympathy of this com-

The Active Service Class met

Several from here attended

Church Sunday School.

White Gift was observed on

by all present."

of which was "The Hope of

committee:

"This is the first time in its | co-operatives will receive \$349, history that United Co-operat- 634 in common shares, while ives of Ontario netted half a non-members will receive \$47,-

dent of U.C.O. told delegates Distribution of petroleum durof the 60,000 farmer-member or- ing the past 12 months amountganization at its annual meet-jed in excess of 10 million gal- box social in the school on ing held December 12 and 13 lons, compared with 8 million | Wednesday evening. The presiat the Royal York Hotel, To- in 1954. The development of dent, Bob Betson, conducted propane as a domestic heating the business. The annual re-Some 500 delegates from over and tractor fuel is currently ports were read and bags of 150 co-operatives located thro- occupying the attention of candy were given to the chil-

The volume handled in the | Charlie Clemence auctioned Net carnings for the year livestock division represented the boxes, realizing a total of ended Sept. 30, 1955, totalled approximately one-third of the twenty-five dollars for Club \$504,875. This represented an total stock arriving at the On- work. The election of officers increase of \$200,817 over the tario stock yads. Gross value for 1956 took place, resulting in

AUDLEY

Mildred Puckrin The December meeting of the Next Sunday, Church and Woman's Assn. of the United Sunday School will be combin-Church was held in the church ed, starting at 2 p.m. The hall on Wednesday. It was the children are going to present annual business meeting and the Christmas Story. Parents the election of officers for 1956. are invited to attend. Sunday Rev. G. H. Thomas of Markham School will meet first at 1.39 conducted this election and infor distribution of papers, etc. stalled this slate of officers, as

The Sunday, School supper will be on Thursday, December 22 at 6.30 at the church. Each family is asked to bring a hot and a cold dish.

The Audley School concert is this Friday evening at 8 o clock and the Baggotsville children will have their concert on the following Wednesday, Dec.

spent the weekend with Mr. dom.

and Mrs. J. MacKenzie of Ham-Carol Atkinson of Almonds

spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Puckrin. Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Clemence visited Mrs. S. Puckrin and

Miss Margaret Puckrin of Oshawa on Sunday evening. Mrs. Puckrin and Margaret will be glad to have friends call on them at their new home

at 707 Hortop Avenue, Oshawa. The Community Club held a

954 earnings of \$304,058.

Of stock handled was \$21,953, the following list: — Bast Pres.,
Patronage returns for the 596, with net earnings at \$63, Fred Puckrin; Pres., Bob Betson; 1st Vice, Wm. Brown; 2nd Vice, Geo. Izatt; Sec-Treas., Mrs. Bert Guthrie; Press Secty., Mrs. Fred Puckrin; Entertainment Comm., Mrs. C. Clemence, Mrs. Wm. Guthrie Jr., Mrs. Geo. Izatt; Lorraine Matthews, Mrs. Arch Bell, Eleanor Bell and Marvin Barlow; Lunch Committee - Mrs. R. E. Hedge, Mrs. Geo. Izatt, Mrs. C. White, Mrs. F. Puckrin; Flower Committee-Mrs. Wm. Guthrie Jr.; Mrs. Charlie Bell, Mrs. Arch Bell, Mrs. Dick Winter, Mrs. Ben Bryant; Directors - Wm. Guthrie Jr., Bert Guthrie, Geo. Puckrin, Chas. Clemence; Wel-

> Before the Second World War, Britain exported coal to Canada, Now, with British mines socialized, Canada ex-Mr. and Mrs. James Davidson ports coal to the United King-

coming Committee-Dick Win-

ter, Lorne Saunder.

Sparkling New

Skating Outfits

summoned to the scene but the outbreak had gained too much

property of Mr. L. W. Burt,

Fire brigades from Pickering

Village and Brougham were More people will be satisfied with their lot if they put in headway by the time the trucks more fertilizer and grass seed this fall.

MY THANKS

ly 3,000 bushels of apples, the unknown.

I would like to extend my appreciation to the electors of Pickering Township and the many supporters who made possible my election for reeve for 1956.

Nearly 3,000 Bushels

Of Apples Destroyed

A fire on Saturday afternoon arrived. The loss was only a

completely destroyed a two-portion of this year's apple

storey building containing near- crop. The cause of the blaze is

south-east of Claremont, on the A couple without children

6th concession of Pickering, always manages to find trouble

The loss is estimated at \$7,500. of some other sort to fill the

In Weekend Fire

I would also extend Best Wishes to the electorate for the coming year.

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Rev. H. G. Adams, converted Priest from Stouffville, will be the guest speaker.

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Claremont, Ont. ,

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Spofford dinner guests with Mr. and Shirley Empringham. Mrs. Joe Tran on Sunday.

and Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Moore;

Many happy birthdays to Miss Marie Draper who cele-

cember 10. Many Happy Birthdays to gathered to bid farewell to Mr. Dec. Sth.

were student teachers at Atha ful gifts. The evening was School last week.

spent the week at her home their many friends very kindly

The Carruthers family atling Mr. and Mrs. Avis best tended the farewell party held wishes in their new home. at Miss Anna Houser's home in | Mr. and Mrs. David Tran Markham, on Wednesday even- spent Thursday and Friday of ing last week. Twenty-five or last week with her sister in

Comm., Mrs. Reg Clarke; Liter-Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jones and Mr. and Mrs. B. Jamieson attended their uncle's funeral,

the late Hugh Draper at Brooklin on Wednesday. The Young People met Sunday night at the home of Miss

Christmas Tree dates are as follows: - Balsam School Dec. 21st; Mt. Zion School Dec. 22nd;

little Dougle Dunkeld, who had and Mrs. Jack Avis and daughhis first birthday on Thursday, ter Ann, before leaving for their new home in Whitby. Mr. Pegg. also Mr. Nelson They were given many beautispent singing hymns and car-Miss Eileen Draper, Toronto, cls. Mr. and Mrs. Avis thanked for their lovely gifts and kind Mrs. Coffan and Mrs. Fore- wishes after a dainty lunch was man spent Friday evening with served. The pleasant evening Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tran and closed with singing "Blest Be the Tie that Binds' and wish-

thirty friends and neighbours! Hamilton, Miss Anna Laurie.