

CLAREMONT and PICKERING TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

Mrs. J. H. Brown of London visited with Mr. Chambers for three days last week.

There were two weddings of interest at the United Church Parsonage on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Cora Redshaw was married to Mr. Walter Davis, north of Altona, and her granddaughter, Miss Joan Redshaw, was married to Mr. George Postill of Green River.

Mr. Len Lye and Mr. Bud Norton have entered the hospital in Toronto for operations. We wish them a speedy recovery. Mr. Roy is presently in the Brierbush Hospital at Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Allman of Toronto visited with his parents on Sunday.

Friends from Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Redman on Sunday.

Mr. Tom Davis is presently convalescing at home following an operation. We are sorry to report that Mrs. Ed Lewis is not feeling too well. She was admitted to hospital recently.

Work on the drain at the four corners was started last week. The fire siren, a much discussed issue in the village, has been erected adjacent to the Community Hall. It has not been hooked up as yet to an electric current.

The Annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held last Wednesday afternoon with President Mrs. Peddie and Mrs. Torrance, Secy-Treas., in their chairs. Reports of the various departments were read and adopted in a group. Miss O. Forsyth gave an interesting talk on the men and women who have contributed to the development of the sciences throughout the world, beginning with Abraham Lincoln and the abolition of slavery. Gladstone, one of the greatest of debaters, with a wonderful gift of eloquence, and an exquisitely beautiful voice, left behind him a great record of reforms and wise domestic measures. Madam Curie, who carried on her research after the death of her husband, with insulin, to find a cure for diabetes, and Doctors Banting and Best and a number of other untiring researchers down to the present time. A vote of appreciation was tendered the speaker for her splendid talk. A sing-song was enjoyed with Mrs. Gregg at the piano and Mrs. W. Evans leading. The Annual election of officers took place. Mrs. Edgar Evans moved a vote of appreciation be tendered the retiring president who for the past two years has contributed time and effort in providing funds through quilting, and in making the regular meetings especially interesting.

Plans are being laid for a bus load of members to attend the Shakespearean Festival at Stratford on Avon. The new slate of officers will be presented later. Mr. and Mrs. R. Tansley visited for a couple of days in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Coates and son from Brooklin visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coates. The latter couple were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson of Markham one day last week.

W.I. to Sponsor Trip
Have you ever attended the Stratford Shakespearean Festival? Would you like to see "The Merry Wives of Windsor" or "Henry V"? If enough people are interested, the Women's Institute will sponsor a trip this summer. Anyone (man or woman) in Claremont or district may go. The price of the tickets are \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 or \$5.00. Transportation cost will be \$3.00 each. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. G. McConnell or Miss Viola Forsyth NOT later than May 1.

On Wednesday evening last, a shower in honour of Miss Joan Redshaw and Mr. George Postill was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Redshaw. Many guests were present and enjoyed a sing-song and dance following the presentation and luncheon. Miss Shirley Taylor at the piano and Mr. Davis of Glasgow provided the music. A splendid evening was reported by all present, whose best wishes are extended to this young couple in their forthcoming marriage.

GLEN MAJOR
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Davidson, Mrs. C. Davidson and Mrs. Jessie Van Loven, Oshawa, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Faulkner of Goodwood called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tran on Sunday.

Miss Vickie Third, Markham, is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fiss.

Mr. George Nokes spent the weekend at his home. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and Shirley visited on Sunday with relatives in Brooklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Warden of Toronto called on Mrs. F. Nokes and boys on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Holman of Brooklin visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and family.

Storks really are vicious birds, says a writer. Hard to believe when you think of all the happiness they bring.

"JULIUS CAESAR" AT PICKERING HIGH

A new venture in High School dramatics will be presented at the Pickering District High School on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week. The play, Julius Caesar by Wm. Shakespeare, will be presented on an apron stage. The aisles of the school auditorium are to be used by the group as was done at the Stratford Festival.

Mr. Charles Joliffe, the drama director, spent last summer at Stratford, playing in the Shakespearean Festival and has brought many fine ideas back to the school. Two actors, Ken Chafen, who plays the part of Brutus, and Mike Wallace who plays Anthony, have been outstanding in previous festival performances, while Bill Sibeon was a talented supporting actor. Altogether there are 33 in the entire cast. The second act of this play was in the Drama Festival finals at Hart House this spring.

Admission for adults is 75c, for students 50c. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

GREENWOOD

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour this Sunday morning, the 29th.

The Board of Stewards met in the basement of the church on Monday night.

The Y.P.U. met in the church basement last Sunday night. Mrs. E. Pegg attended the funeral of her grandmother in the City last Thursday.

We are pleased to see Mr. I. McLean home from the hospital, where he spent a few days for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce of Toronto spent last weekend with Percy and Mrs. Clarke.

Mrs. M. Pegg attended the W.M.S. Presbyterian Meeting at Belleville for 2 days this week. Those celebrating birthdays this week are - Mrs. Wes Sadler, Mrs. John Middleton, Irvan McLean and Ken McTaggart.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McVey and children and a cousin from Scotland were visitors at the Les Wilson home last Sunday.

Nearly 60 percent of American men aged 65-69 are still in the labor force, as well as 40 percent of those in the 70-74 bracket.

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BROUGHAM

Winners at the weekly Euchre held on Tuesday evening were Mrs. Malcolm, Mrs. A. J. Gray and Miss Seebeck, Mr. H. Malcolm, Mr. H. Plaxton and Mr. W. Carlton. The travelling prizes went to Mrs. H. Shea and Mr. N. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazen of Holland are enjoying a visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stolk and family. Mrs. R. W. Witter and daughter Gladys of Toronto called on Mrs. Matthews on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball of Toronto, also Miss Ball of Niagara Falls, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sheppard on Sunday.

Reserve Saturday afternoon, April 28th, for the Friendly Bible Class Bazaar to be held in the Township Hall. There will be sewing, homemade baking for sale, also a fishpond for the children.

Mrs. Reese and daughter Pat, also Mr. and Mrs. Middlestaff and baby of Toronto visited the former's parents, Henry and Mrs. Shea on Saturday. Mrs. Jackson who has spent the past two weeks with Mrs. Shea, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knox and Mrs. Matthews called on the latter's brother, Mr. Martin Routley of Brooklin on Sunday. Mr. Routley is recuperating at his home here after his recent stay in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sheppard and family of Iondale Heights, also Miss Muriel Sheppard of Toronto visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sheppard, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McDowell and family, also Mrs. Ingles of Acton, Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Shea of Norval, Mrs. Doulet of Brantford, Mr. and Mrs. Veal and family of Blackwater, also Mr. and Mrs. Layle of Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Shea on Sunday.

The W. A. will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening, May 2nd, at the home of Mrs. Reaman with Mrs. A. Gray assisting.

GREEN RIVER

Sorry to hear that Mr. E. Seigreff is confined to the house with a heart attack; we wish him a very speedy recovery.

Mrs. A. Coakwell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. Willson of Brougham.

Miss E. Switzer of Toronto visited her sister, Mrs. E. Forsyth of Markham.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Postill who were married on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchings of Claremont visited the A. Hutchings' home on Sunday. The Family Film Night will be held in the 1st Baptist Church, Whitevale, on Thursday, April 26th at 8 p.m.

The Ladies Aid held their Annual Business Meeting on Wednesday last at Mr. A. Pearce's home. Officers elected for the coming year are - Pres. Mrs. A. Pearce; Vice Pres. Mrs. R. Hamilton; Secy. Mrs. Alf. Mitchell; Treas. Miss R. Hutchings; Pianist, Mrs. D. Draper; Visitors to Sick - Mrs. D. Shank; Mrs. E. Forsyth and Mrs. W. Fleischer; Social Committee: Mrs. L. Lehman, Mrs. W. Mitchell and Mrs. E. Forsyth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pearce and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Pearce.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Forsyth visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. Hamilton on Sunday evening.

ALTONA

The Altona 4-H Amateur Cook Club met on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Crosier in Stouffville, with the President, Kathleen Betz in charge. Meeting opened with the theme song "The Amateur Cooks. Roll Call - My favorite recipe for fruit loaf. Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. The girls reported what dishes they had made at home and the reaction of the family, then followed a brief discussion for the purpose of preparing for Achievement Day. Demonstrations of Fruit Crisp, Rice Custard and Toffee Cookies were made by the two girls for each product, which were sampled later. Home Assignment for next meeting - Make a list of all the food products of wheat, oats and corn you are familiar with. Cook cereal at least once either for breakfast or dessert, and report in Record Book. The meeting closed with "The Queen", to meet again on Saturday, April 28. The above is sponsored by the Women's Institute through the Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

Nearly a thousand people attended the official opening of Altona Feed and Supplies new store on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week and 100 door prizes were given away during the three nights. Representatives of a number of firms, with which Fred Lewis deals, were on hand with displays of their products. In the evening, before the draws were made, a number of the salesmen congratulated Fred on his modern up-to-date, country store. Everyone in the community also wishes Fred every success.

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On Sunday, April 23, 1956, Mr. Wm. Gray of Brougham passed away in the East General Hospital after a lengthy illness. Mr. Gray was born in Scarborough in 1887. He was the son of the late William Gray and Mary Jane Dunn of Green River.

In 1913 he married Georgina Judd and had farmed in Pickering township for the last forty-three years. He made many friends and acquaintances with his cheerful disposition. He was a member of the IOOF Lodge. He is survived by his widow, Ena, and two grandchildren, Jimmy and Patsy Gray. A son Allan, deceased him 13 years ago, also an infant daughter. Four brothers, Albert of Brougham, George and Alex of Claremont, Henry of Green River; also three sisters, Mrs. J. Nighswander and Ida of Green River, Mrs. N. Symington (Lina of Toronto).

Funeral service was conducted by Rev. R. Hardy at the funeral Chapel of J. W. Dixon, Markham. Interment, Whitevale Cemetery. Pallbearers were R. Carter, G. Duncan, M. Patterson, A. Pearce, G. Wilson and J. Phillips.

REPORT FROM OTTAWA

By Michael Starr
M.P., Ontario Riding

The Budget Debate has now been disposed of in the House of Commons and more departmental estimates are being introduced for scrutiny and discussion by the Members of the Committee of the Whole House.

The Special Estimates Committee, which was set up as an experiment last year, is again functioning this Session. We have just completed the Estimates of the Department of National Health and Welfare, at which time we discussed the Federal formula of National Health as submitted to the Provinces for approval. The Federal formula is firm and it was intimated by Hon. Paul Martin, the Minister, that no bargaining in this respect will be entertained. Before this National Health plan formula, as submitted by the Federal Government, can come into effect it is necessary that the majority of the people approve of it, and this majority will be represented by the acceptance of the plan by six Provinces, which of necessity must include the Province of Ontario or Quebec. So far only two Provinces have advised Ottawa that they accept this formula and they are British Columbia and Saskatchewan. Both these Provinces have had health plans in effect and by accepting the Federal proposal they will save millions of dollars for the Provincial Treasury.

The National Health plan will come into effect only when the Provinces accept the offer made by the Federal Government in the matter of the Federal contribution towards such a plan. It is to be hoped that arguments will be forthcoming as rapidly as possible so that the people of Canada will be able to have the advantage of a hospital plan which is expected to be an improvement over the present private schemes that are in existence.

During the sittings of this Committee a strong plan was made for an increase in Old Age Pensions from \$40.00 to \$65.00 and the reduction of the qualification age from seventy to sixty-five. Mr. Martin rejected this proposal and in doing so said that the Federal Government is bearing 70% of the cost of Health and Welfare in Canada. He stated that the Old Age Pension bill was running to 22% of the entire health and

welfare outlay. He sympathized with Old Age Pensioners and commented that the Federal Government was aware of the plight of these people, but he said there should be a sharing of responsibility. He felt that it would be only fair to say that if the Federal Government has a responsibility, so have the Provinces. Some of the Provinces now pay allowances to supplement the Federal payment but others do not. It is now definitely established that the Federal Government is not prepared, at least in this Session, to make any changes in the benefits to Old Age Pensioners.

A reliable source here in Ottawa reports that the controversial magazine tax, which was the hot spot of this year's debate on the Budget, will undergo some modifications as a result of widespread criticism. The changes, it is rumoured, will be changes of form which will leave intact the principle of imposing a 20% levy on advertising receipts of special Canadian editions of United States magazines.

It is reported here that TIME magazine was able to pull strings down Washington way which resulted in President Eisenhower raising the magazine tax issue at his Warm Springs conference with Prime Minister St. Laurent. The Prime Minister is not amused and the tax, it is understood, will stay.

Cash income of Canadian farmers last year from sale of farm products and participation payments on grain crops of previous years was 1.8% lower than 1954. This drop in the all-Canadian total was due mainly to decreases in the Prairie Provinces, the largest being in Saskatchewan. There were four Provinces who had increases and they were Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island.

Farm milk production was 3% larger this February than last year and creamery butter about 7% larger. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics figures issued on April 13, 1956, show that the total motor vehicles off assembly lines was down 5.5% in the first quarter. This represents a rise in commercial vehicles but a larger drop in passenger cars.

There has been a discussion on the Trans-Canada Hwy. in the House and Members have lamented the delays that have been experienced in the construction of the Trans-Canada Highway, and its prolonged date of completion. Some have advocated that the Federal Government should bear at least ninety percent of the total cost of this construction, stating that the Provinces were unable under the present arrangement to fulfill their share of the cost because of their own responsibilities in the construction of provincial highways. It is very doubtful if the Government would consider such a suggestion.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McNair on Saturday evening. Congratulations to the newlyweds Albert Davis and his bride who were married Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jakeman and Brad, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dickinson and girls were recent visitors at the Merv. Bunker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Horst from Pennsylvania, who are on their wedding trip, visited for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nighswander and family.

BALSAM

Mrs. W. P. Jones returned to her home last Monday after spending the winter with her daughter Mrs. Oscar Stephenson at Port Credit.

Messrs. Allan Clark, Grant Carson, Donald Jamieson, Miss Shirley Empringham and Miss Anna Wilson attended the Oshawa Presbyterian Young Peoples convention banquet at Orono last Saturday night.

The Active Service Class met last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Lewis Jones. A safety film, "One Little Indian" was shown at the first of the programme. A short worship period followed, taken by Mrs. R. Hoskins. Hymn 589 was sung and a reading given by Mrs. Hoskins. "The Empty Tomb." Roll Call was answered with a verse using the word "kind." The general thanksgiving was repeated in unison followed by another hymn. The minutes were read and adopted, and business discussed. It was decided not to serve food at the ploughing match.

Mrs. Hoskins then introduced the guest speaker, Miss Ann Kivell of Claremont, who gave a talk and demonstration on artificial respiration. The meeting closed with a hymn and benediction. All enjoyed a social hour and lunch.

Friends are very pleased to hear that Miss Jean Linton arrived home on Saturday, after spending four years as a missionary in Africa. Jean has been with the Sudan Interior Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Halliday and David of Oshawa visited on Sunday with the Carsons.

Congratulations to Miss Pat Shipton on her marriage to Mr. Leonard Dominic D'Agostino at St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, on Saturday, April 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wilson attended a birthday party for Mr. Edgar Evans on Friday at his home in Claremont.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Day

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11 a.m.—Morning Worship
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic — Rev. Darrel Lindsay,
President of International Bible College as
Guest Speaker.
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AUDLEY

Mildred Puckrin
The April meeting of Audley W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Cyril White with 15 ladies present. The president, Mrs. C. Clemence presided during the business, which was opened with hymn No. 574, the Creed and the Theme Song.

Plans were made for the Sunday School anniversary to be held on May 27. Mrs. C. Clemence and Mrs. A. Bell were named to train the children's choir for the service. Roll Call was answered by "Life."

Mrs. Wm. Guthrie Jr. introduced the worship period with a poem. Susie Puckrin read the Scripture, followed by a prayer by Mrs. G. Griffin. Mrs. Guthrie presented a Missionary program on "No Vanishing Race," assisted by Mrs. James Cowie and Mrs. Cyril White.

On behalf of the W.A. Mrs. George Square presented a going-away gift to Mrs. R. E. Hedge, who was a charter member of Audley W.A. The east group served refreshments.

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visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy at Weston and attended dedication services at St. Mathias Anglican Church on Scarlet Road, when an alms basin was dedicated in memory of Mrs. Day's mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hope.

A carful of ladies enjoyed the afternoon tea at the Ajax United Church on Friday afternoon. Beth and Carol Atkinson of Almonds spent the weekend with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Puckrin and Arthur.

Ricky Puckrin, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Puckrin, underwent an appendicitis operation at Oshawa General Hospital on Tuesday of last week. Ricky had to stay in an oxygen tent until Sunday, but we are glad to report he is recovering satisfactorily now.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hedge entertained the members of their family on Sunday — Mr. and Mrs. James Hedge, Stewart and David of Nestleton, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson, Jimmy and Jerry of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton, Robert and Mary of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hedge and Marilyn of Whitby R.R. 1, and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Hedge of Audley.

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