

CLAREMONT and PICKERING TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hedges attended a dance in Toronto on Friday evening.

Mr. John Devitt was admitted to hospital last week for an operation. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Claremont's soccer club were blanked 40 on Saturday night by Oshawa Thistles.

Miss Judy Pilkey of Stouffville spent the weekend with Miss Betty Redshaw.

We regret to report that Mrs. Bill Browning suffered a serious gash to her hand in an accident at the cottage on Sunday. She was admitted to the emergency ward of the Orillia Hospital where the injury was treated. Mrs. Browning tripped and fell while carrying a glass, cutting her hand in two places.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reynolds of Toronto were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Reynolds.

Mr. Lorne Prouse has returned from hospital and is presently convalescing at home.

One of the largest crowds in many seasons attended the Community League softball double-header on Friday evening. Ringwood defeated Claremont 8-2 and Peach's downed Mt. Zion 5-2.

A number of local residents attended the Brooklin Fair on Saturday afternoon.

The W.M.S. are invited to a tea in Kinsale United Church on Thursday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock. Members wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Sanderson.

A beautiful basket of white mums was placed in the Baptist Church on Sunday from the funeral of the late John Farmer of Toronto. The deceased was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farmer. Mr. Fred Farmer was clerk of the Baptist Church for many years. An only sister, Mrs. Richard Johnson, passed away one month ago.

GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Smith (nee Greta Hicks) of Tilsonburg visited over the weekend with her parents, V. and Mrs. Hicks. While here Greta was presented with a portable mixer from the community.

A large crowd gathered at the school last Tuesday afternoon to see and hear the Progressive Conservative leaders, Mr. John Diefenbaker and Mr. Michael Starr. It was some 57 years since Mr. Diefenbaker had been in the school where he started his education, when his father was a teacher here.

The W.M.S. of the Oshawa Presbyterian are having a Supply Tea in the Kinsale Church on Thursday, the 6th of June, from 3 o'clock till 5. Everyone is invited.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday, June 23rd at 11:30.

Douglas Webb is home again from the hospital, following an appendix operation.

Mr. C. Hunkin of Toronto was a visitor at the Wesley Sadler home this past week.

We understand that Miss Edna Green has sold her house to a Toronto man. She intends building in the near future.

The Evening W.A. are holding their bazaar and tea this coming Saturday, the 8th, in the basement of the church. There will be home-made baking, aprons, plants, and etc., for sale. An invitation is extended to you.

Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan of Toronto and Mrs. John Soden visited recently with Milton and Mrs. Pegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Napier have taken up residence in the house on the Pegg farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McVey and family of Markham were callers at the Les Wilson home on Saturday night.

The Afternoon W.A. will hold their regular meeting in the church basement on Thursday, June 13th. A quilt will be ready



The Honourable Lester B. Pearson, Secretary of the State for External Affairs, is shown above, greeting Dr. Claude H. Vipond, Liberal Candidate for Ontario Riding, during a recent visit to the Riding. Shown also in the picture, is Dr. Vipond's father.

to do. Roll call is "Integrity." The worship service will be in charge of Group 2.

The Young People are presenting their play in the church this Thursday night and at Goodwood on Friday night.

Next Monday will be voting day. Don't forget to get out and cast your vote.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ellicott were guests of Les and Mrs. Wilson last Sunday afternoon.

TO HOLD ERSKINE MEMORIAL SERVICE ON SUNDAY

The 103rd Anniversary Memorial Service of the Erskine Cemetery will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, Pastor at the Dunbarton United Church, will be the guest minister. Special music for the occasion will be provided by the Dunbarton United Church choir and the Henderson Trio of Gormley.

The present members of the Cemetery Board are: Frank White, chairman; E. J. Annis; Harold Anderson, Donald Annan, Wm. Dunbar, James Mitchell, S. G. Morrish, Ben W. Lotton, Secretary; Fred J. Glasgow, caretaker.

BROUGHAM

Messrs. Donald and Dick Wanop, also Mr. Crawford are motoring to the west coast. They expect to remain in the west until after harvest.

Two car loads of ladies from here journeyed to Pickering on Thursday and attended the District Annual of the Woman's Institute.

Mrs. Matthews spent a few days last week with friends at Agincourt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dawson and family of Brooklin called on his sister, Mrs. D. L. Mairs on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gray visited with Mrs. Wm. Gray on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Steckley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Pascoe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hagerman of Locust Hill called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Mairs on Sunday.

Glad to see Mrs. Mairs able to be downstairs again. All join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

The regular meeting of The Woman's Institute will be held in the Township Hall on Tuesday afternoon, June 11 at 2:30. The program, "Citizenship" will be in charge of Mrs. Ray Ellicott. Roll Call — "My First School." Hostesses — Mrs. N. Burton, Mrs. J. Mitchell and Mrs. Matthews. All ladies welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duncan and Mrs. Cassie were at Canington on Sunday afternoon, where they attended church and heard Rev. I. E. Kennedy preach. Rev. Kennedy expects to move to Aurora in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Knox and daughters, Betty-Jean and Faye were renewing old acquaintances around St. George during the weekend.

Glad to hear Mrs. W. Knox is gradually improving in health and able to attend church on Sunday.

Miss Pearl Barrett has not been well for some time. All join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Wm. Ellicott is not gaining in strength as fast as his many friends would wish.

Decorations Services will be held in the Union Cemetery here on Sunday, June 16. Special music will be supplied. More particulars later.

Ratepayer Suggests Township Offices Be Moved into South

Mr. W. M. Fairgrieve, Spruce Hill Road, Dunbarton, appeared before Pickering Township Council at their regular meeting on Monday evening and in a flurry of charges, requests and suggestions he pointed out the need for the Municipal Offices to be moved from their present location at Brougham into a more southerly area of the township.

"The Township Offices should not be up here," he said. "They should be down in the south where the bulk of the people are located." Mr. Fairgrieve noted that it was some seven miles drive for residents in South Pickering to attend meetings of Council. "These offices are convenient only to a few scattered farmers," he said.

Mr. Fairgrieve's main complaint concerned a lack of information by the taxpayers with regard to the operation of the township's affairs. "We don't know what you're doing," he said.

Reeve Wm. Lawson pointed out that each ward had a representative on Council. He said that at every meeting the problems of each individual ward were presented for discussion.

Councillor Glenn Julian noted that while some councillors might express their views on various subjects, these ideas were not always passed by Council. "It's loaded with politics," he charged.

"We want it in black and white," demanded Mr. Fairgrieve. "We're paying high taxes and have a right to know what's going on."

Charge Myrtle Man with Cruelty to Chickens

A Myrtle hatchery manager they are dependent on the husband and wife of the public. "There is no question of the accused's guilt," His Worship said, passing sentence. "This looks like a case of carelessness but those chicks should have been disposed of properly and painlessly." He suggested that a \$50 fine will be sufficient deterrent to any recurrence of this type of offence.

Albert Eyres of Eyres Chicken Farm, Myrtle, was convicted of causing unnecessary suffering to day-old chicks.

George Burgess, 74, SPCA Inspector, told the court that he had visited the Eyres farm, on April 24. On his arrival there, he said, he found a large pit full of chicks, "some dead, some half-dead and some alive." He went on to say that he opened a cardboard box in the pit and found it to be crammed with young chicks, which, when removed were molded to the shape of the box. He said that some of these chicks were still alive.

He said that he also found a pile of dead chicks which were "blackened, as though they had been burned."

Eyres said that he uses an approved method of destroying unwanted chicks. He said that they are placed in bags, and gassed with cyanide. He argued that some eggs were thrown in the pit with the dead chicks, and that they might have hatched out, thus accounting for the live chicks in the pit.

Asking for a severe penalty, Prosecuting Counsel Thomas Greer, described the offence as "despicable." He pointed out that there is nothing in the criminal code to protect animals from such treatment, and that

Reeve Lawson explained that the minutes of every meeting were available for inspection by any ratepayer. He said that all meetings were given adequate coverage by the local newspapers. Deputy-Reeve Sherman Scott added that the minutes of all meetings were also available to members of the various Ratepayers Associations.

Reeve Lawson said he wished the ratepayers in the township would take more interest in municipal affairs and attend meetings of Council. "We are always pleased to have the taxpayers attend our meetings," he said.

Mr. Fairgrieve suggested that a complete report on the accomplishments of Council should be published every month.

Councillor Julian informed the complainant that such method would be rather costly. "Every member of Council gives a report of his year's work at the annual Nomination Meeting," he said.

"Such a proposed plan would be a terrific task," stated the Reeve. Reeve Lawson pointed out that Council were considering issuing an information leaflet with the regular tax bills in order to inform the taxpayers how their money was being spent.

Long a best seller, "Gift from the Sea," by Anne Morrow Lindbergh, is a real bargain at 35c in pocket book form at the local stores. A remarkable philosophy for everyday living.

BALSAM & MT. ZION

The Young People's Union closed their meetings for the season Saturday night with a banquet in the church with Miss Margaret Pellow of Oshawa as guest speaker. She gave a very interesting talk on her experience teaching school in Jamaica for a year, and showed some beautiful pictures.

Mrs. Cecil Jones has been hired to teach Mt. Zion School next year.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson attended the Dunne-Dawe wedding in Toronto on Saturday.

Mrs. F. Noon of Gravenhurst is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. Day.

Messrs. Grant Carson, Grant Murray and Ronald Jones and Lorne Disney attended the hockey banquet at Port Perry last Tuesday night.

The W.M.S. are holding a tea and display of articles Thursday at 2:30 in the Kinsale Church.

The W.A. will meet next Wednesday, June 12th in the church. Mrs. Geo. Wilson and Mrs. Orr Graham are in charge of the programme. Roll Call — an item on "Canada".

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jamieson attended the dinner at Ajax last Tuesday night in honour of Mr. Lester B. Pearson.

GREEN RIVER

Master Donald Kryaink entertained some friends at a birthday party on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Hoover entertained Mrs. D. Shank on Sunday.

The many friends of Mrs. C. White will be pleased to hear she is able to be at her home again.

The Senior room of the Public School under the supervision of their teacher, Mr. Boyd, went on a bus trip to Niagara Falls on Friday last.

Mrs. Bowles of Toronto and Mrs. T. Bowles were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Smetham.

Don't forget, Friday night is Young People's Night. All young people interested are asked to be at Wilson's Park by seven o'clock for a game of baseball which will be followed by a devotional period and social hour.

Don't forget, Sunday June 23 at 2:30 p.m. in the church is the day of our annual Memorial Day Service.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Hassall on Wednesday, June 12th at 8 p.m. Word for Roll Call "Remember". Guest speaker, Mrs. Allan Mitchell.

Altona Public School Wins Conservation Award

The Altona Public School, SS No. 17, Pickering, have been awarded first prize by the Metropolitan Toronto and Regional Conservation Authority for their entry in the Conservation Scrapbook Competition. The winners will receive \$25.00 and a book on conservation. In a letter to the Principal, Mrs. M. Woodcock, the Field Officer, Mr. A. D. Latonnell congratulated the students for their excellent work and commended Mrs. Woodcock for creating an interest in conservation among the pupils. The entire project was completed during regular school hours. It is the first competition of its kind to be promoted by the local Authority.

The runners-up are as follows: 2nd — Pickering Village School; 3rd — Blantyre School, Scarborough. Ten fourth prizes —

KINSALE

Mrs. Stanley Rose of London spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook of Toronto, and Mr. Harlem Wagg of Oshawa were also recent visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Stokes and Barry, also Miss Helen Prescott of Oshawa were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gray.

Mrs. M. Parkin and Milton Jr. attended the Wright-Halliday wedding at Port Perry on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cathwood of Whitby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mowbray were Tuesday visitors with relatives at Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hooker and Gordon spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Balsam, at Richmond Hill.

Visitors during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lee, included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee of Brooklin, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, Janice and Ronnie of Raglan and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lee and boys of Nestleton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wagg attended the graduation of their oldest granddaughter, Miss Elaine Rose, at Wellesley Hospital, Toronto. Elaine won the prize for General Nursing proficiency. Congratulations!

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Kowall of Milliken were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Parkin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hooker, grandchildren Nancy and Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stell, Bruce and Marilyn, Mrs. J. Stell, and

Mrs. W. Wren, Barbara and Evelyn spent Sunday at the Hooker cottage, Balsam Lake.

Mrs. W. Mitchell visited her sister, Mrs. Fielding at Port Perry on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Curl, Kingston, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Curl.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Davis of Whitby were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bunker.

Dr. and Mrs. John Thomson of Woodstock, Mr. Milton Mowbray, and Miss Gwen McFaulds spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mowbray.

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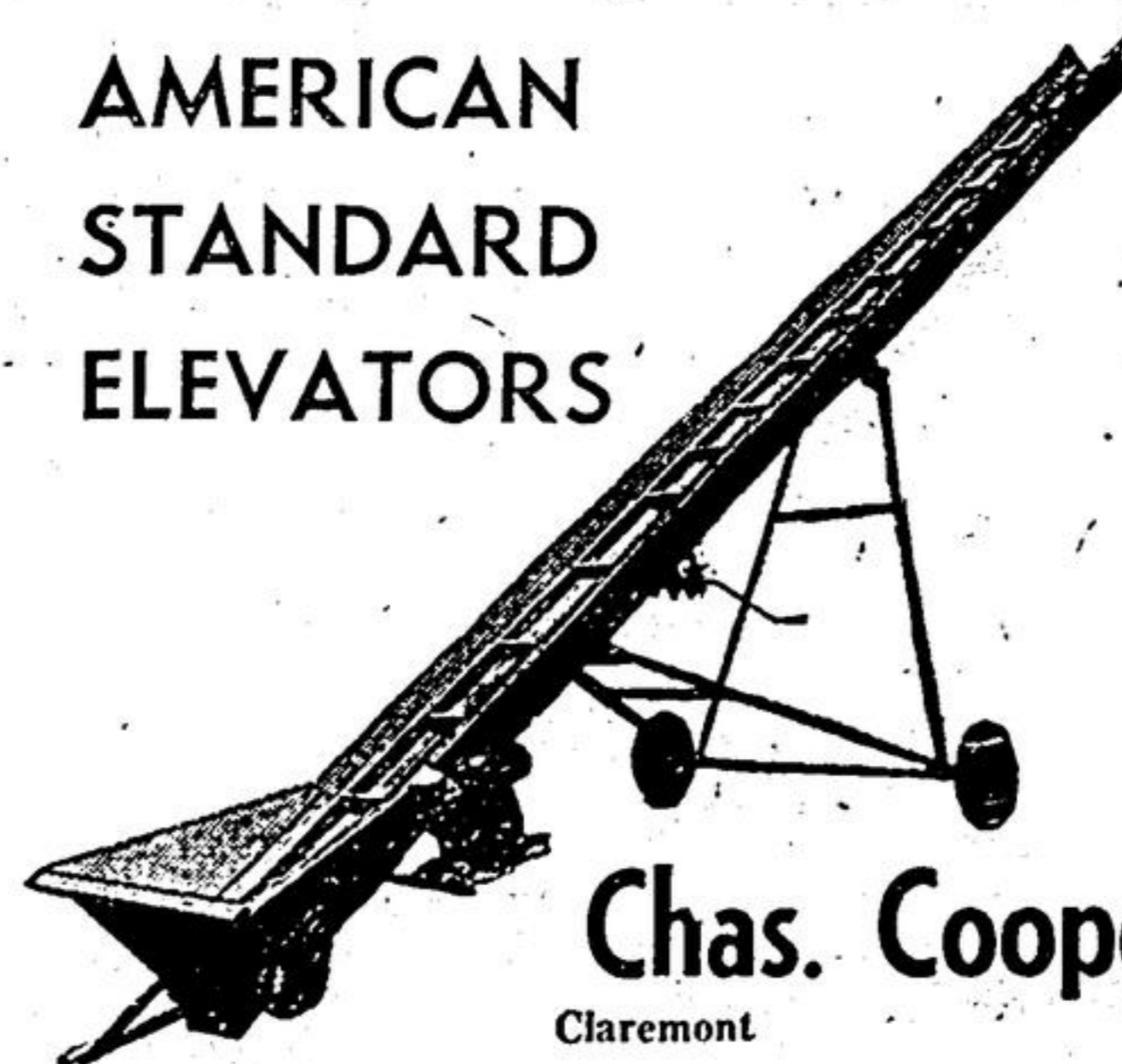
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