# CLAREMONT and PICKERING TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

Results of the Euchre held "Don't Write toning were as follows: Ladies, Wife, Man Asks 1st, Arvilla Lehman; 2nd, Verna Riddle; Men's 1st, Sandy Goden; 2nd, Delma Nokes; Tra- bank Road, requested that, in velling prizes-Dorothy Jer- the future, the Bylaw Enforceome, and Verna Draper; Door ment Officer should refrain prize, Myrtle Loyst.

Canadian Legion are holding a a letter from township em sale of Home Baking and ap-ployee, Mr. Cane, should have rons on Saturday, March 21st. been addressed to him. He said at 2.30 p.m., at the home of his dog tax was paid. Mrs. George DeRusha. Mission Circle Meeting -

held on Tuesday, March 31st at one occasion. 2.30. Mrs. Dowswell of Stouffville will be the guest speaker. ter with Pickering residents." We are looking for a good at he said, "they're funny people." tendance. Ladies, come and en- Mr. Holland stated that he was joy this meeting with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O'Blenes municipality. entertained friends from Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Lye of Toronto spent the weekend with his parents here. Mrs. Lye has not been well lately and is presently under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Keevil Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mansell, Mr. and Mrs. Kal Vizely and Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Jamieson attended the Civic Dinner in the W.M.S. was held in the Sunday ham on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gliddon plan to leave on Friday for Florida. social evening on Friday night.

There was little damage done throughout the village during the wind storm on Sunday afternoon and evening. A portion of the eavestrough was torn from the United Church. shed roof on the farm of Mr. Ralph Jones was tossed against the house near Mount

Mr. Jack Mansell journeyed to Peterboro on Monday to interview a teacher for the Cedar Creek Public School.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Keevil spent. Sunday with friends at Willowdale.

The Community league games at Stouffville on Friday evening attracted the largest crowd of the season. Claremont edged Peach's 3-2 to force a suddendeath contest on Tuesday night. Bob Cherry notched all the goals for the winners. Linemate Lloyd Pascoe picked up two assists.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooper returned home from Florida on Saturday.

The Golden Age Club is one year old this month, and the next meeting on Tuesday, Mar. day party, to be held at the last. There were over 50 chilhome of Mrs. Henry Johnson.

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Mr. Phillip Holland, Old Rose-The Ladies' Auxiliary of the ing with his wife. He said that

"If I had been home, I would probably have thrown him out The Mission Circle will meet of my house." he said. He said at the home of G. M. Forsyth he wasn't acquainted with Mr. for their Easter meeting to be Cane and had only met him on

"I don't know what's the matconsidering moving out of the

The monthly meeting of the W.A. will be held in the Sunday School Room of the United Church on Thursday, March 26 at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. T. Hammond, Mrs. Henry Johnson, Mrs. Gordon Gauslin, Mrs. Fred Evans and Mrs. R. Tansley are in charge of the program.

School Room of the United Church, on Thursday, March 13. at 2.30 p.m. with a good attend-The Sarco employees and their ther. The president, Mrs. Robt. Jackson conducted the worship service based on the book of Jonah. Mrs. R. Tansley read the Scripture lesson from Jonah 3: 1-5. and chapter 4: 1-11.

Mrs. George McConnell gave report of the annual meeting of the W.M.S. of Oshawa Presbyterial held in St. Andrews United Church in Oshawa on Feb. 17th. Mrs. Hugh Gregg rendered a piano solo entitled The Holy City." The 4th chapter of the study book entitled: "Canada-health and welfare is our business," was reviewed by Mrs. F. Loyst and Mrs. Hugh Gregg. Mrs. Loyst gave a paper on the part the W.M.S. contrib-

utes to the health of the nation. Mrs. Gregg told of the great service in welfare work that the church gave the W.M.S. in social service work, such as different projects for our Senior Citizens, redemptive homes for unmarried mothers, and in fact to up hold the ideals and spirit of the Christian Gospel in the com-

munity. Mrs. Grace Rumney of Toronto visited over the weekend with Mrs. G. Clark.

The Recreation Committee held a successful teen-age dance 24th at 2.30 p.m. will be a birth- in the Hall on Friday evening dren present.

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# "Too Big To Make Mud Pies," Dep.-Reeve Replies

#### No Place For Party Politics—Reeve

Dep. Reeve Mrs. Jean McPherson had her innings on Monday night. In a verbal defence of inferred charges levelled by ward three councillor, Harry Ashton last week. Dep. Reeve McPherson denied that "personalities" ever had, or would prejudice her decisions when dealing with municipal business. She defended her stand at a special meeting of Pickering Township Council on Monday evening.

"I'm too big to make mud pies," she stated. "I never have and never will permit personalities to sway my decisions," she said. Last week, councillor Ashton charged that two members of Council were dealing in "personalities". He said that one, and perhaps more names had been purposely omitted from the invitation list for the township's annual Civic Dinner. He said that Mr. Sid Pugh, an ex-councillor and member of the Civil Defence Committee, had been singled out. He declined to mention any names of specific members. Dep. Reeve Mrs. McPherson and Councillor Miss Violet Swan contended that the remarks were directed at them.

"Certain persons are desirous of making newspaper headlines and would go to any limit to reach this end," charged the Dep. Reeve.

Councillor Ashton attempted to interrupt the Deputy Reeve but Reeve Scott thwarted any across-the-table exchanges.

"Mrs. McPherson has the floor," he said. Replying to inferred charges that "personalities" had entered into township business when dealing with "at least three" municipal employees, Dep. Reeve McPherson flatly denied that she had been guilty of such an offense.

"No individual names were mentioned," replied Reeve Scott. Referring to the Bylaw Enforcement Officer, Mr. Cane, the Dep. Reeve said that she had opposed his requested salary increase because he had not completed his probation-

ary period. "When he applied for the job, he told us that wages were secondary in importance and he only wanted to prove he could do the job," she said. She noted that he had under-bid other applicants for the position. She said that a committee meeting was held at the Reeve's home and at Brougham to

set up the wage scale for employees. "He came to my home and I told him that a \$300 increase was enough," she said. She noted that Mr. Cane had asked for a \$1,300 increase.

"I wouldn't uphold it and voted against it," she said. As far as "personalities" are concerned, if it had been my own brother or husband, I would have opposed the request,"

she contended. "I didn't go behind his back to tell him," she noted. Referring to the Civic Dinner at Brougham on Friday

evening, Dep. Reeve Mrs. McPherson said that she had not prepared the guest list. She suggested, however, that she favoured the attendance of M.P. Mike Starr and M.P.P. Tommy Thomas. "I only included these men because they are the sitting members," she said.

This idea was strongly opposed by councillor Ashton and

"It wouldn't be right, especially before an election," said

"We don't want party politics to enter into Township

affairs," contended the Reeve. "Politics was involved in council affairs last year," an-

swered the Dep. Reeve. "I don't think it has this year." "This year and last year," replied the Reeve. Reeve Scott said if members of Parliament were invited, then the Reeves of Pickering Village, Ajax and the County Warden would

also have to be included. Councillor Mrs. Violet Swan said that she had also felt Mr. Ashton's inference as much as Dep. Reeve, Mrs. Mc-

"Mr. Ashton didn't intend to attend the dinner anyway," 'she said. "He's not the mighty defender of the underprivileged," she contended.

Councillor Ashton charged that the ex-Reeves were not to be invited and Mr. Cane, the Welfare Officer, was also not being considered. "Mr. Pugh's name was deliberately omitted," he charged.

Councillor Ross Hawthorne suggested that council mem-

bers should endeavor to conduct township business in a harmonious manner. "Whether personalities have entered into council affairs

is a mute point," he said. "It's all water under the bridge," he "The taxpayers are the ones to be satisfied, looked after and considered." said councillor Miss Swan. "That's all I'm

concerned about." "The dinner was a wonderful success and I'm sure everyone enjoyed himself," concluded Dep. Reeve, Mrs. McPherson.

"You, Mr. Ashton, weren't present and you weren't missed." The meeting was adjourned at 12:20 a.m.,

### Permit Cabin near Claremont On Recorded Vote

Mr. Chubb of Toronto, appeared before Pickering Twp. Council on Monday evening to request permission to erect a small cottage or cabin two miles east of Claremont on the north ed. On a recorded vote, Reeve Scott . and councillor Ashton

voted against the motion. The cabin will measure 18' by issue a guarantee that the strucsold. It is located on a township road but the thoroughfare is not maintained by the munici-

Council will not be required to ed it. . maintain the road. It cannot be

GREEN RIVER

Sorry to hear that a number members that he wished to use of the flu bug. We trust that it only during the summer all will soon be feeling much hearing of same and a period Thank-Offering meeting in the

and Mrs. F. Hutchings at Clare- service took place.

of all Canadian exports.

Route of C.N. Railway Line Concerns Residents

Mr. Forrest of Dunbarton ap-, in Toronto. the area were afraid the line line. tion for at least three years.

Reeve Sherman Scott said would be in attendance. said that it was almost certain Dunbarton, east of the Police to go into Dunbarton. He said station, to join the CNR track he had attended two meetings at Dixie Road.

to seek further information on er of expropriation," explained the route of the proposed C.N.R. the Reeve. "They can do almost

He said it might possibly hold Meeting would be held in the up any development in the sec- Dunbarton School on March 25. He said that officials of the CNR

### peared before Pickering Town- "The railway company is ship Council on Monday evening government firm with the pow-

bypass line that cuts through a anything they wish." He said portion of the municipality. The there were no maps available ratepayer said that residents in with any plan of the proposed might cut through their homes. Reeve Scott said that a Public

that information on the pro- The expected route will be 500 posed route was very vague. He feet north of conc. 1, through

## More Paving Planned For Townline at Altona

Another portion of the Pickering-Uxbridge townline will be! readied for paving this summer. Might Turn Over This information was provided by councillor Harvey Spang at a special meeting of Pickering Twp. Council on Monday night. Councillor Spang said that a three-quarter mile stretch of road through Altona would be paved. Reeve Scott noted that be paved through to the Brock Road. The Township of Uxbridge is paying a 50 percent portion of the project.

vale district requested that siderable drifting. some road work should be done on the 5th concession, east of

the north sections of the Town- to the County and the Forestry ship," said Mr. Johnson, one of Corp. to take on the work. The the ratepayers, "we would like land was purchased in the beto see a little black top in our ginning for about \$10 an acre. section, too." Mr. Johnson contended that northern residents had a good road on the 9th concession.

"It's a County road," noted Reeve Scott. The Reeve said that the Council must consider the residents in the north end of the municipality as well as other sections. "They are taxpayers, too," he said. Mr. Fred Major pointed out that it had been almost thirty years since any ditching had

been done on conc. 5. "We had a councillor from our district who promised us a lot and we got nothing," he said.

Councillor Edgar James noted that the work was on the road department's priority list for M. Annis last week. last year but it was never done. Mr. Blake Annis suggested Hamilton has been ill during an alarm clock. Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson that aside from conc. 2, it was the past week. All join in wish- Stableford were presented with and Randy, Don Mills Rd., vispossibly the most travelled eastwest road in the township. He

noted that in the summer, the

dust nuisance was almost un-Reeve Scott pointed out that the residents would have to endure the dust while any construction work was being completed. Mr. Annis also suggested that sidewalk, ditch and storm sewer work was badly needed in the hamlet of Whitevale.

OBDINATION OF

PASTOR R. D. FILYER for Pastor R. D. Filyer of the program consisted of a very Uxbridge and Goodwood Bap. interesting reading and a contist Churches on Monday, Man test. It was decided to start the 16th. The Uxbridge Baptist Church was host to some one p.m. in future. Meeting closed hundred and twenty-five visitors, by all singing The Queen, folseventy of which made up the lowed by lunch served by Mrs: official Ordination Council, to H. Barclay, Mrs. Goodwin and consider the advisability of or. Mrs. R. Harden. daining to the Gospel Ministry, Congratulation Pastor Dan Filyer. Council was Hockey Team who played Alcalled to order by Laurence tona on Friday night, beating Evans (Clerk) at 3 p.m. After by a score of 7-1. Next Friday Devotional Service led by Mr. night they expect to play Ring-Dan Wagg of Goodwood, a mo. wood. Good luck, boys. derator pro tem was elected for Mr. Dennis Smith of Toronto the Council.

before the Council to give an who has spent the past week account of his Conversion to with her brother and family, reside of conc. 9. He informed the of the children are the victims tian service and his statement of day. Christ, his call of God to Chris- turned home with him on Sunof questioning, he was asked Church on Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. H. Ridge of To- to retire from the Council. The Mrs. Ems, a missionary on furronto visited at the Hutchings Council, after deliberation, pro- lough from Africa, will be guest posed to fellowship with the speaker. We extend congratulations to Candidate and to recommend or- Euchre was held as usual in 20'. The owner said he would Mr. Kenneth Chafen on his dination. The feeling of the the Hall on Tuesday evening achievement on winning the Council was that the statement with the following as prize winture would never be rented or championship prize for large had been of outstanding qual ners: Mrs. A. Carlton, Mrs. Jno. grains at the College Royal held ity. After a delicious turkey Davis and Mrs. Geo. Hammond, at the O.A.C., Guelph, recently, supper served by the ladies of Mr. Ross Carlton, Mr. Walter Mrs. D. Shanl visited with Mr. | both churches, the ordination | Carlton and Mr. D. Pugh.

"The only thing on the prop- mont one afternoon last week. The speaker of the evening of Oshawa, also Mr. and Mrs. erty is bush and swamp," said The Ladies Aid held their was Rev. Dixon A. Burns, Bob Davidson visited with Mr. meeting at the home of Mrs. known to many for his service and Mrs. D. A. Beer on Satur-Reeve Sherman Scott contend- Hassal on Wednesday evening in Toronto Bible College, now day evening. ed that council should not en last. The devotional programme working with the Baptist Con- We are sorry to hear Mrs. G. courage the development of was in charge of Mrs. M. Draper vention. The charge to the Can- Mutch is in the Michael's Hospisummer cottage dwellings. He who gave a paper. Mrs. Huber didate was given by Rev. Frank tal where she expects to underfelt that there was little dis- favored us with a vocal solo Swackhammer of Oshawa, re- go surgery. We all wish her a tinction between a cottage and which was enjoyed by all. After minding the Candidate of his speedy recovery.

a cabin. a short work meeting, the host-responsibility to God and his Remember the Congregationlonger needed by the owner. needless to say, everyone enjoy- ches, describing vividly the re- Everyone welcome. sponsibility of the churches to their Pastor. The Rev. R. D. held in the Hall on Saturday. used for more than six months! The forests produce one third Filver closed with the Benedic- when a number of friends and

#### Retorestation Area To The County

Mr. Monohan of the Department of Lands & Forests ap sponsible for the loss. peared before Uxbridge Town- owner may be able to take eventually the entire road would ship council on Monday regard- some action against the bail ing the reforested area of some iff," he said. ten acres owned by the municipality. He reported that the lot required thinning and it would Mr. Fairgrieve. Reeve Scott sug-"Uxbridge has requested that be advisable to place some gested that the owner should not too much should be done at white pine. He stated that it consult his solicitor on the matany one time," said the Reeve. had served its purpose as a A delegation from the White- windbreak and had stopped con-

Mr. Monohan suggested that if council did-not wish to bear the expense of clearing up the "There's not much traffic in area, it could be turned over

Mr. Les Morganson interviewed council to ask for an extension of three years to cut off some cedar on lot 10, con. 2, near the O'Boyle property. He offered council \$15 for the extension to 1962 and it was ac-

The reforestation project was referred to Deputy-reeve Nesbitt as he is a member of the reforestation committee.

visited with her daughter, Mrs. White were presented with a boys called on Mrs. Wm. Hop-We are sorry to hear Mrs. W. while Donald White was given Sunday afternoon.

ing her a speedy recovery. 'a table and two lamps, while ited on Sunday with Mr. and The very severe wind on Sun- Beverley Stableford was given Mrs. Charles Fiss and Fred. day night did much damage by a brush and comb set. The eve- Mrs. Karl Buzek and Caroline blowing down limbs and putting ning was spent by all enjoying spent one day last week in Totelephones out of order.

Mrs. Honey, the "District Presi- Hamilton. dent" was present and gave a very interesting reading. Mrs. Wannop, convener of Home Ec. would eliminate many drivers son. onomics, spoke on "Rugs". Mrs. who cause accidents, and the Burton also gave a reading. The number of persons killed and ham, spent a few days last week meeting was then turned over injured because of poor vision with their grandparents, Mr. to Mrs. Robt. Miller who gave would be greatly reduced. 'and Mrs. Charles Flss. the program, due to the absence Ordination Council was called of Mrs. Robt. Malcolm. This meetings at 2 p.m. and not 2.30

· Congratulations to Brougham

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mr. Filyer was then brought Beer on Sunday. Mrs. Smith,

Mrs. Kewen and Mr. Dobbje

It was agreed that the structess, Mrs. R. Huber, and Mrs. people. Rev. John Ward of Whit. al Pot-Luck Supper in the Hall ture should be removed when no R. Hamilton served lunch and, by gave the Charge to the chur- on Friday evening, March 20. A very pleasant evening was

neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. L.

## Make Presentation to Twp. Welfare Officer

Mr. Arthur J. Thompson, for-| cation. Dep. Reeve, Mrs. Jean McPher- sponded.

formed the gathering that Mr. members Miss Violet Swan, Ed-Thompson had held four sep- gar James, Ross Hawthorne arate positions from 1951 to and Harvey Spang.

Asst. Supt. of Secondary Edu- joyable affair.

mer Pickering Township wel- Former reeves present were fare officer, was presented with W. H. Westney, Geo. Todd, Wm. a lovely travelling bag at the Lawson and deputy reeve Clare annual Civic Dinner held at Balsdon, Ex-reeve Geo. Todd Brougham on Friday evening. proposed the toast to the Two. The presentation was made by Councillor Ross Hawthorne re-

Dep. Reeve, Mrs. Jean Mc-"We owe a great deal to Mr. | Pherson introduced the munici-Thompson for the way he per- pal department heads. Members formed his duties," she said, of other township committees The Township Dep. Reeve in were introduced by council

1958. He started in the Assess- Following the banquet, counment Dept. in 1951 and later cillor, Miss Swan conducted an took over the duties of the by- informal programme. Mrs. Donlaw and school attendance offi- ald Beer was crowned "Mrs. cer. He became the Welfare Pickering Township" and Police Chief Reg Parker was the win-Reeve J. Sherman Scott was ner of the hula-hoop contest. Chairman of the meeting. He Mrs. T. J. Wheeler entertained welcomed the guests. The guest at the piano during the dinner, speaker was Dr. A. M. Moon. Dancing concluded a most en-

#### Claims Twp. Responsible For Stolen Television Set

Mr. Wm. Fairgrieve of Dunbarton appeared before Pickering Township Council on Monday night. He informed the members that a \$269.00 television set, seized by the bailiff for non-payment of taxes, had been stolen. The set was owned by a Mr. Siggon. Mr. Fairgrieve said that Township police had notified the owner of the theft.

"This Council knows nothing about it," replied Reeve Scott: The Reeve contended that he felt the Township was not re-

"The set should have been insured against theft," declared

"Surely the bailiff should no tify the Council about the theft, said the ratepayer.

"I know nothing about it," replied the Reeve. "I feel we can take no action until we re- dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. ceive a letter from Mr. Siggon. We have not sufficient information on the matter, he

Upon further questioning, Mr. Fairgrieve said he understood the Carruthers family the taxes had still not been paid and that the owner had lost his home.

ford met to tender them a farewell party before they move from this district. The program Jackson; Door prize, Mrs. Lovewas highlighted by vocal and instrumental numbers: presented by local talent. Barbara and Wallace Pugh entertained with a piano duet and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Devitt played on the violin and piano. David O'Blenes of Claremont rendered two fine Mrs. Honey of Port Perry solo numbers. Mr. and Mrs. small table and two lamps, kins and family, Ashburn, on

a social game of cards. The Women's Institute met in . Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg, . Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones spent the Hall on Tuesday afternoon Gayle and Wendy had dinner on one day last week with Mr. and with a fairly large attendance. Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mrs. Edgar Johnson.

Periodic visual examinations with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar John.

AHA

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. MacAloney and son Brian, Mr. Welton from Maplewood Orchard Hillside, were guests with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Smalley, Mt. Albert, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lewis from Altona, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooper from Bronte, were dinner guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Melton. Miss Carolyn Tran and friend Mr. Jack Williams were home on Thursday evening, for a tur-

Tran). A glowing birthday cake decked the dinner table and she also received many gifts. Mrs. Murray Dunkeld and daughters were supper guests on Thursday evening with Mr.

key dinner, the occasion being

her mother's birthday (Mrs. Joe

and Mrs. Nelson Case, Mount Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lehman and family were Sunday

Thomas Clark at Ballantrae. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. MacAloney. son Brian and Mr. Welton from Maplewood Orchard Hillside, were Sunday supper guests with

Euchre-The Euchre was well attended last week, with 16 tables. Prize winners were: Ladies 1st, Mrs. Norris Hardy; 2nd, Mrs. Ruth White and Mr. and Mrs. Stable- Sheridan; Con., Mrs. F. Bielby; Gents. 1st. Mr. Walter Slack: 2nd, Mr. Lageer; Con., Mr. C. less and Mr. Lou Slack.

Mr. Karl Buzek spent the weekend in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Holman,

Brooklin, visited on Sunday

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