



Wed Fifty Years

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Draper of Atha celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday afternoon. The well-known couple have resided on conc.

S. Pickering Twp., for the past forty-seven years. They were the recipients of many beautiful cards, flowers and gifts. —Staff Photo

GREEN RIVER

Many happy returns to several of our young people and also some of our older folk who will celebrate birthdays this coming month.

In spite of the snow and cold winds, spring must be just around the corner, for what could be a more welcome sight than some black crows against the white background of snow. Several were seen in this district this past weekend.

The men on the snow plows for Markham Township are to be commended for the splendid work they have done in endeavouring to keep the roads open during the last two heavy snowfalls. As one drives down the Markham - Pickering Townline and comes to No. 7 highway, one begins to wonder if the men on the highway plows are not aware that folks do live on the side-roads, etc., as they plow the highways and leave the end of the roads blocked regardless of how good a job has been made of the Township roads.

Well, folks, it is three times and out, so once again the date for the miscellaneous shower that was to be held for Mr. and Mrs. D. Haynes had to be postponed, owing to weather and road conditions last Friday. So this coming Saturday night the shower will be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Postill. A cordial invitation is extended to anyone who wishes to attend.

This coming Friday evening the World's Day of Prayer will be held in the Church here at 8 p.m. Miss Bratton of Unionville will be the guest speaker and a most hearty invitation is extended to anyone who would care to join with us at this service.

The first meeting of the newly formed Home & School Society had to be postponed, owing to adverse weather conditions. It is hoped to be able to hold the meeting, this coming Thursday evening in the schoolhouse at 8 o'clock. A most interesting program has been arranged, so come and help make this meeting a success.

At the Church Service here next Sunday evening, it is hoped to have as guest speaker a man and his wife who are missionaries home on furlough from Bolivia.

BIRTH

De SMIDT — F.O. and Mrs. Peter De Smidt (nee Barbara Mairs) of Cold Lake, Alberta, are happy to announce the birth of their son on Saturday, Feb. 27, 1960, at the RCAF Station Hospital. A grandson for Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mairs of Brougham.

Red Cross Canvass

March is known throughout Canada as "Red Cross Month". Each year, the local branch attempts to sponsor a new project. This year it is the Homemaker's Service. It is available to everyone in the Township of Pickering.

These ladies, or 'Homemakers' are specially chosen for their work. They are reliable, kind and competent. They are able to step into any home and assume the responsibilities of the family. It is a great consolation to the mother not to worry about household chores and her family's welfare while she is hospitalized. In this way, her recovery is hastened.

This is just one of the many services rendered by the local Red Cross. Canvassers will be calling at each home this month. A contribution will be appreciated.

ALTONA

The regular monthly meeting of the Altona Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday, March 9th at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Slack. Mrs. F. Fairles, convener of Canadian Industries will be in charge of the programme. Motto — Business is like a wheelbarrow, it stands still, unless you push it. Roll Call — A product of Canadian industries that I am wearing. Mrs. Hartwell of the Red Cross will be guest speaker. All ladies are welcome.

ATHA

We extend birthday greetings to Mrs. James Loree, Toronto, who had a birthday on Feb. 28. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Foster entertained to supper Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker from Maple on Sunday evening.

On Sunday afternoon over 40 neighbours gathered at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper's home, the occasion being the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Draper who enjoyed the greetings and good wishes of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Loree, Toronto; (nee Nelda Dunkeld) were given another shower by their neighbours at her parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dunkeld.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray MacDonald attended a funeral of a friend in Toronto, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stefaroi spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Bertie Hoover and Vern.

Atha-pupils had a holiday on Monday last week, snow and more snow.

GLEN MAJOR

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and family, Mr. Alec Hingston and boys, Toronto, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hingston.

The stormy weather filled up our roads, open one day, no road the next. Finally we have a road for everyone in our district.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones, Frank and John visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson and family.

Sorry to hear Mrs. Karl Buzek's mother, Toronto, is not so well.

Glad to hear Mrs. T. Risebrough is some better. Hope she will soon be home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson and boys, Gormley, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fiss and family.

Mr. Dennis Nokes and friend spent Sunday with Mrs. Delma Nokes.

Miss Betty Risebrough and friend spent the weekend at her home.

Congratulations to Mr. J. A. Hingston who celebrated his birthday on Sunday, Feb. 28.

GOODWOOD

I am sure the residents of Uxbridge Township for the most part will join with me in a vote of thanks to our Council and road crew who have worked so hard to even keep one-way traffic going this past week. We know the bills will be terrific, since bulldozers have hummed all day and night in opposition to wind and snow. It is beginning to seem like an old-time winter.

Another vote of thanks should go to a very much overworked telephone crew. The ladies at "central" have tried hard but we only have so many lines. The repairmen are still busy.

Mrs. Walter Cooper is feeling better after a very nasty fall which cut and bruised her face and forehead. Mrs. D. Wagg is also feeling better after a light fixture fell on her head.

Mrs. H. Woodland returned home on Friday from a visit with her daughter and son-in-law in Sault Ste. Marie.

Silver Wedding congratulations are in order for three well known couples, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Maye, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jones. These were popular residents of fourth line who have not gone far away to live.

"A person is taller in the morning than he is at bed time," says an anatomist. This is probably because so many things happen during the day to depress him.

Former Altona Native Dies In U.S.A.

After residing in Minnesota for the past 60 years, Mr. Frank White died on Feb. 24th in his 85th year. The late Francis White, son of John White, who spent his boyhood days on a farm east and south of Altona, married Elizabeth Forsyth, daughter of Van Buren and Lydia Forsyth in the year 1900. They went to their new home in Minnesota on their honeymoon, where he spent the rest of his life. A sister, Mrs. Alice White of Ferguson, survives.

GREENWOOD

The World Day of Prayer will be held in the Mt. Zion Church this coming Friday afternoon, March 4th.

The Afternoon W.A. will hold their March meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Pascoe on Thursday afternoon, March 10, the worship service in charge of Group one.

A goodly number attended the Evening W.A. Skating Party at Brooklin last Monday night and all reported a good time.

Remember the Oyster Supper sponsored by the Stewards of the Church this Thursday night March 3rd. Supper commences at 5.30. Admission—adults \$1.25, children 50 cents.

The committees of the afternoon and evening W.A. met last Thursday afternoon and set a date for the Rummage Sale for May 7th, also to make other arrangements for same.

Mrs. J. Hallman of Nanticoke spent the weekend with the Morden families, and visiting with her sister, Mrs. Morden who is still in Ajax Hospital and who is a little improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Disney and girls visited last Sunday with Ross's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Disney of Brooklin.

The Middleton family, in memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Middleton, presented new hymn books last Sunday to the Sunday School, which are much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kingstone are moving to the Empringham farm this week-end.

The Farm Forum meeting was held last Monday night at Rev. T. Fleetham's. Topic for discussion was "Education".

The Evening W.A. will hold their meeting at the parsonage on Wednesday night, March 9th.

Mr. John Griffin visited last Sunday afternoon at the Milton Pegg home.

The farm known as the Pegg place which has been sold to be turned into a Conservation Park, is under renovation, starting March 1st.

Mrs. Wm. Brown is representing the afternoon W.A. at Five Oaks on March 1st, 2nd and 3rd. The Evening Auxiliary of the W.M.S. held their meeting at the home of Mrs. F. Webb last Wednesday night, with a good attendance. Mrs. M. Pegg, Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. E. Pegg and Mrs. Hamm had charge of the worship service and Study Chapter on Northern Rhodesia. The president, Mrs. Webb conducted the business session. The next meeting to be at Mrs. Closson's with the South Group in charge.

Through research, medical science has made great gains in prolonging the lives of victims of heart attack and heart failure. Your contribution to the 1960 Heart Fund supports heart research.

Reformatory Sentence Given Two Men For H.S. Break-in

Two Toronto men, Everett Hugh Black, 24 and Ronald Foote, 28, were sent to reformatory last week, for breaking and entering the Pickering District High School last November. The pair were convicted by Judge Arthur Willmott, of Cobourg, presiding in the Ontario County Criminal Court, at Whitby.

Foote was sentenced to six months definite and 3 months indeterminate. He had spent one month in custody awaiting bail. Black was sentenced to three months definite. It was his first conviction and he has been in jail since his arrest early in December.

Giving evidence on Wednesday, Sgt. Donald Matheson, of the Pickering Twp. Police Department, said that he found the school broken into on the morning of Nov. 22, on a routine check. Further investigation, he said, led to Foote's home where he found him wearing a wrist watch, later identified by PDHS student David Keen, as one he had lost in the school gymnasium.

Also found at the school, said Sgt. Matheson, was a broken button and in the truck which Black was found driving some days later was a coat with a button missing. An analyst testified that the broken button and the shank remaining on the coat matched.

Foote's wife told the court that Black had given her a watch as a gift. Another high school student identified this as a watch she had lost about a year earlier.

Historical Society To Meet Thursday

A special meeting of the Pickering Twp. Historical Society will be held in the Pickering Village community centre on Thursday evening, March 3 at 8.30. Mr. Albert Colucci, of the Metro and Region Conservation Authority and Curator of Dalziel Museum will be the guest speaker. His address will be accompanied by coloured slides.

Works Dept. Moved To Dunbarton

The Pickering Twp. Works Department has been re-located on a new site near Dunbarton. Their office had previously been in the Municipal Building at Brougham. The change-over was considered timely, since development of the large Frenchman's Bay project is expected to get underway in the Spring.

The Engineer, Mr. T. O. Jefferson and the Building Inspector, Mr. Frank Prouse will operate out of the new office. Mr. Gordon McDowell of Atha has been added to the staff.

Look After Lilies Now For Easter Blooming

With Easter not until the middle of April this year, this should be about the right time to tend to potted bulbs. Raise the temperature of Easter lilies to 65 deg. F., advise horticulturists with the Ontario Dept. of Agriculture.

During growth, provide plenty of light and a moist soil. Until the small buds start to form, light spraying with a syringe is beneficial; after bud set, moisture around the buds may cause rot. When the plants are six inches high, feed them with a complete soluble fertilizer, or a light nitrogen fertilizer such as ammonium sulphate, every two or three weeks.

When the buds are just visible, the plant needs five weeks to flower if grown at 60 deg. F. When the buds start to bend over, two weeks elapse until bloom. If the plants are late, raise the temperature to 65 deg. or even 70 deg. F. Blasting, or drying of the unopened flowers, is caused by too high a temperature, or too dry an atmosphere. Splitting of the flower may be due to a severe check in growth.

After flowering, the bulbs are useless for forcing again. However, if the bloom is cut off and the bulbs are planted outdoors after frost, they may bloom again in the fall and sometimes will winter over if protected.

You have doubtless observed that it is generally the case that the person who has a black eye has an unusually long nose.

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Youth Dies In Level Crossing Crash

"Dickie" Turnbull Wilson, 21, of 1634 Woodbine Heights boulevard, North York, was instantly killed at 4.05 a.m. Saturday at a level crossing, a quarter of a mile east of Port Union CNR railway station.

Police said that Wilson was northbound coming from Chesterton Shores. The road approaches the crossing up a fairly steep incline. The Wilson car was struck by a westbound passenger train, carried down the tracks 200 yards before it was thrown clear, totally demolished.

Wilson was sealed in the twisted and torn wreckage. His body was removed after a hole was pried in the bottom of the car.

Pickering township police investigated the accident. The train engineer was Frank Elgar of Belleville and the conductor was Earl Nicholls of Brockville. Wilson's parents live in Digby, Nova Scotia.

Need More Stabling? Here Is The Answer

Need more stable room? Ontario Department of Agriculture extension engineer Ross Milne is running into dairymen, with the problem all the time. Each problem is different but some of the ideas, says Milne, can be adapted to almost any farm.

Take Carman Piercy at Bolton, Ontario. He wanted more cows but his yearlings and heifers were taking up needed stable space. To add more stalls meant building onto the end of his present barn; and cost was a drawback. He estimated he would have to lay out between \$4,000 and \$4,500 to cover the price of foundation, barn, cement work and stanchions — per stall. A lot of money.

Piercy reasoned: why not put up a cheaper building for his dry cows and heifers, then turn the milkers into the freed stable space?

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The Woman's Association held their meeting Feb. 24 at 7.30 p.m. Mrs. McMullen opened the meeting with the Theme Hymn with Mrs. H. Johnson at the piano. Mrs. Cresswell led in prayer. Mrs. Lehman read the Scripture, followed by Mrs. McMullen reading the Tople. The president, Mrs. F. Ward took the chair for the business meeting. Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. F. Evans are the visiting Committee for March. Mrs. McConnell presented a brief report on the

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Snow Blockade Worst Since Mid-40's Claims Uxbridge Road Supt.

Every resident in the Township of Uxbridge has now been provided with access to his property, according to a recent report given to the Tribune by the Road Superintendent, Mr. Stan Slack. He said that the snow conditions during the past two weeks were the worst since he assumed his position back in 1951. He noted further that the tie-up was possibly equal to the blockade of the mid-40's. On Tuesday afternoon, five bulldozers were still at work in addition to the township's one maintainer and two trucks.

Mr. Slack said he had received two emergency calls, one for a maternity case and another for a funeral. The expectant mother was stranded at her residence at Sandy Hook.

The Road Supt. suggested that no single area of the municipality was harder hit than another. "It was all bad," he said. He stated that his Department's present efforts were centred on widening the rural roads, many of which are only one-way tracks.

Township Deputy-Reeve, Mr. Robt. Nesbitt suggested that the recent storms would constitute a serious drain on their annual road budget. "We don't want to even think about it," he said.

Frenchman's Bay Project Will Start in Spring

With the way cleared for a new filtration plant and a sewage disposal plant by the Ontario Municipal Board, Consolidated Building Corp. which took over the assets and plans of Crusader Corporation, has announced it will go ahead with its \$100 million development in Frenchman's Bay.

Noel Zeldin, made the announcement last week when he took over the presidency of the company which claims it is the largest low cost housing construction company in Canada. He said that building of the first homes in the area will start this spring. The development will embrace 3000 homes ranging in price from \$12,500 in 20 different styles.

Bernardi Mathews, Toronto realtors, will be exclusive sales agents for the new project which will be actually a self-contained community with schools, shopping centres, parks, playgrounds and full recreational facilities.

Plans call for a big Marina and country club in the beach portion of the development, to which residents will have free membership. This also applies to winter sports facilities, such as skiing, skating, tobogganing and ice-fishing.

Facilities will also be provided for churches.

According to a map issued by the developers, the area will extend from the foreshore right up to Highway 2 comprising practically the whole of the Frenchman's Bay territory.

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The Library will be open on Saturday-afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Barton who were unable to reach their home in Claverton one evening last week, spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnston.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. Pilkey on the arrival of a little daughter at Uxbridge Hospital.

The Historical Society are planning to attend a meeting at Pickering on Thursday evening. The guest speaker will be Mr. Albert Colucci, manager of the Pioneer Village at Edgley.

The Young People held their meeting in the school on Wednesday evening, February 24. Mr. Paul White was program convener while the Devotional was taken by Miss Cheryl Liscombe. Miss Dorothy Willson was pianist. The next meeting will be held on March 9 in the school.

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We are glad to hear Mrs. J. Gillman is able to be home from the Hospital, where she has spent some weeks.

News From Brougham

The regular weekly Euchre was held on Tuesday evening with the following winners — Ladies, Mrs. Hollinger, Mrs. M. Ladicott, Mrs. W. Carlton; gents, Mr. Robt. Hunter, Mr. H. Plaxton, Mr. Gardiner. Special draw prize went to Mr. Owen Gray.

Please remember the Pie Social in the Hall on Friday evening, March 4, sponsored by the Institute.

The Banquet which was to be held in the Hall on Friday evening for the Township had to be put off for a future date, due to the weather and road conditions.

Mrs. A. Stolk of Whitby was around renewing old acquaintances one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hamilton visited with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. Carswell of Oshawa on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Ham of Oshawa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mairs on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Anderson of Sandford visited with her parents, Howard and Mrs. Malcolm during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bent and family of Oshawa visited her mother, Mrs. W. Hamilton on Sunday.

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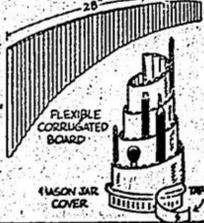
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BY LLOYD BIRMINGHAM

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