Arther H. Hewlett M.M. Honoured By Legion Members; World War 1 Veteran

Military Service At Graveside

483 of the Royal Canadian Le. John's Ambulance Certificate. gion, lost one of its most disin the passing of Mr. Arthur ker and Mrs. Elsie Nash still

World War I. on Friday, July 5th and alto the Ajax-Pickering Hospital, ment. He was in his 79th year.

between 1914 and 1918. He was presented with the Military Medal "for bravery in the field." An army first aid man started on the erection of a Le- in Ontario County. on the front lines, he was gion headquarters in Clare-



Arthur H. Hewlett, M.M.

The Claremont Branch, No. Western Canada. He held a St. Mr. Hewlett was born in tinguished and highly respect- England and three sisters, Miss ed members on Wed., July 10 Ethel Hewlett, Mrs. Alice Cro-

H. Hewlett, M.M., a veteran of reside there. He was never married and has no relatives in Ca-Mr. Hewlett suffered a stroke | nada. He left his native England in 1905 and for the past 14 though rushed by ambulance years has resided at the Claremont Legion premises where he failed to respond to treat- he looked after the building and grounds. To members of . The deceased was a recogniz- the Claremont Branch, he was ed hero while on overseas duty known as "Mr. Legion" in the community.

Donated First \$100

so highly, Mr. Hewlett donated | The competition will be dividnew colours and these were de- ed into three classes. Juniors dicated posthumously at the an- must be 12 years of age, but nual Drumhead Service on Sun. | must not have reached their afternoon. They were present- 16th birthday. Intermediate ed to Com. Jim Norton of Port | class will be made up of young Perry and Past Zone Comman- men between the ages of 16 and der, Wm. Beaton of Oshawa 21, while the Senior class will and received by Com. Peter be made up of men 21 years of Harburn and Com. Frank Hol- age and over. lingshead of Claremont. The gift was fittingly recognized by the Claremont Branch President, Mr. Jim Curtis.

Former Padre Present By special request, Rev. Geo. Davison, now of Melville and a former Branch Padre at Claremont, conducted the funeral service from the McEachnie Parlours in Pickering on Saturday afternoon. Rev. Davison was also in charge of the special Drumhead Dedication on Sunday. A special Legion service was held at the graveside. Representatives were in attendance from Legion Branches at Oshawa, Port Perry, Stouffville Uxbridge, Markham and Dunbarton. Interment was made in the Claremont Union Cemetery The pall bearers were Bud Norton, Moses Norton, Jim Norton, John Murray, Jim Curtis and Arthur Heaton.

land States and Maine.

Messrs. Bob Burton, Jimmy

The Baptist Church Young

People will enjoy an outing at

Coboconk on Saturday, July

20th at the cottage residence

Friends of Jimmie Tran wil

Master Albert Draper spent

a few holidays with his grand-

mother, Mrs. O. Zeller in

Land Judging Competition At Manchester July 18

The seventh Annual Land, Judging Competition for Ontario County will be held on Thursday, July 18 in the Manchester

A true appreciation of the soil and its management through proper land use practices carries more signifigance each day in modern farming. Because of this, the Ontario Department of Agriculture and the Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority are co-operating in sponsoring Safety Contest In 1948 when work was first this Land Judging Competition

This is a new type of judging mont, R.R. 3 was the winner of wounded in action but this in- mont, it was Mr. Hewlett who competition, and one that the Ontario County Rural jury never lessened his desire provided the building fund should prove very beneficial to Highway Safety Display Comto further the promotion of Le- with its first donation-\$100. all farmers who attend and petition. gion activities. His knowledge Since that time, he unofficially take part in the competition. of first aid was put to practical held every position on the Instruction will be given on closed on June 29th. The main

use while an employee in the branch executive and was all the various soil types during purpose of this Country compemines and logging camps of ways ready and willing to the morning period. There will tition was to get ideas to be inserve in whatever capacity he also be discussion on how to corporated into a large rural was needed. In spite of failing best use the various soil types highway safety display. health, he kept the Legion from a crop point of view. Du- The competition was spons-

GLEN MAJOR

Sunday evening.

Mrs. Paul Baster, and Mrs. schools of the times.

This Land Judging Competition has been well attended in the past. It is hoped that a large number of Junior Farmers will again take advantage of this competition, to gain a better appreciation of the soils on their own farm and in Ontario County.

Mrs. Kerr Wins

Mrs. Adelaide Kerr, Clare-

Entries for this competition

grounds in immaculate condi- ring the afternoon the contest- ored by the Ontario County tion and his flower beds front- ants will be given the opportu- Farm Safety Council, The com-

Gray farm, conc. 7, Pickering and extends along a sideroad between concessions 7 and 8, has been the centre of considerable discussion in Pickering Twp. Council for several Some residents in the area wish the creek to be returned to its original course and have asked the township road de-

equipment. Some councillors have been hesitant to approve the work since a neighbour, Nicholas Horrasz uses water from the stream that is extracted by means of a pump and underground pipe that enters the creek bed from under the roadway. Any change in the course of the water in all likelihood cut off supply to Mr. Horrasz.

Council Won't

Interfere With

Roadside Stream

A small stream that cuts

In a recent meeting, five members of council voted against taking any action on the matter unless it was apparent that the township road was being damaged by the flow. On a recorded vote, Reeve Sherman Scott and councillors Mowbray, Deakin, Greening and Wank favoured the motion.

Deputy-Reeve, Mrs. Jean Mc-Pherson and councillor Spang voted in the negative.

Mr. Howard Pugh is presenting on the highway were al- nity on a farm in the Manches- mittee in charge was Mrs. Wal- ly confined to the Uxbridge

(Mrs. Louise Hope) Before the time of what we 1832. Her family settled still older schoolhouse called both in Pickering and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sim- person living to-day has any low passenger, from Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Paul the north of it. It may well be! At this time schools were Baster, Scarboro, spent the then, that the first schoolweekend with Mr. and Mrs. | house stood on this spot. It would have been a log building Mrs. Charles Fiss, Fred and with benches around the sides Vicki Third called on the Jones' and a stove in the middle if it followed the plan of other

Jim Jones called on Miss Betty Miss Tracy came from Eng-Noble of Uxbridge on Saturday, land with her family aboard

call the old school there was a Pickering Twp, and she taught the Forsyth Schoolhouse. No bridge. Later she married a felmonds, Ruth, Ann and David recollection of that building "Esther", one Wm. Henry Mitreturned home on Sunday after | nor can any recall hearing of | chell who was to become the spending four weeks in Europe. It. However, an original agree- first reeve of the Twp. of Pick-Mr. and Mrs. Alec. Hingston | ment between some of the ering. There are noted educaand family, Toronto, spent the early settlers and a Miss Ellen tionists among her many deweekend with Mr. J. A. Hing- Tracy, dated 1835, refers to scendants including Prof. Robin this schoolhouse located on Lot Mitchell of Madison Univ., Wis-Mrs. Clinton Neville, enter-14, Conc. 2, Uxbridge. Mr. Fred | consin, Prof. Fred Tracy of the tained guests from Toronto on Reynolds recalls that when the Univ. of Toronto, and Charles church was built on this loca- A. Mitchell who was associated Mr. and Mrs. Murray Potter, I tion there was already a shed to with Shaws Business Schools.

> not supported by taxes, but rather by churches or groups first signature is that of James Forsyth who signified the attendance of three children. He was the Forsyth who received a crown grant of 600 acres which takes in this whole corner and the present farms of Walter Davis, Earl Drewery, Grant Drewery, Donald Hope, Gerald Brillinger and Mervyn Brethour. The three children indicated by this agreement would possibly be Elizabeth, William and Phidelia. All the Forsythes in this part of the country trace back to James who came to Uxbridge from Scotland by way of Pennsylvania in the early 1800's and traded his horse and saddle for 600

David Forsyth, oldest son of recent operation. gia, U.S.A., spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith We are sorry to learn that entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. signee, and he had only one Mrs. P. Catton is not well and Mrs. Dudley Wilson of Whit- this time. David has at least 2 better very soon. by took her daughter Valerie surviving grandchildren in the to Camp Kiwasand, near Hunts- district - Levi Forsyth of ville on Wednesday, Mrs. Clif- Stouffville, and Mrs. Rowland Winn of RR 1, Stouffville.

David Mordon; Senior, David Mordon, Junior, James Mordon, Philip Wideman and John Casand children had Sunday sup- tor are other signees who had trict for some time and these Mr. and Mrs. Clare McGuckin | surnames are familiar to many. was probably a forbear of Earl Dowswell although at the present time the actual relationship Miss Betty Jones spent the has not been traced. I have

of the other signees. In 1860 the trustees decided These trustees - Timothy Mil-Mr and Mrs. George Alsop lard, John Pearson and James to Florida this week with his and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mc Don- M. Forsyth, accordingly purchased one acre of land from spent the week-end at the Alsop | James Forsyth for \$60.00, and called for tenders. The contract was let to Mr. Parker for \$496.00. Mr. Parker was to receive half of this amount when the school was finished and the Goodwood United Church balance a year later. The trusof Betty Evans. Cars will leave Tripp of Almonds when 14 was the scene of a very pretty tees also paid out \$45.00 to Mr. girls attended On Friday night wedding on Saturday when Manley to paint the schoolabout 125 friends and relatives Frances McQuaker and Gordon house, \$2.00 for Lawyers' adgathered at the home of Mr. Eckardt were united in marri- vice, \$2.00 for writing the deed, and Mrs. Cecil Disney and pre- age. The happy couple will re- \$1.25 to register the deed, sented Mr. Lorne Disney and side at "Eckardt's Corners" \$11.60 for stove pipes, \$60.00 for seats and \$13.75 for maps Uxbridge Baptist Church was | - a grand total of \$691.60. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wilson the setting for the wedding of Expenses to run the school for xillary members from Clare- hay, breaking two bones in his and Mr. and Mrs. R. Day spent Miss Doris Brandon of Ux- the year of 1860, including a the weekend with Mrs. F. Noon | bridge and Ron Stewart of teacher's salary of \$360.00, to-

Of the first trustees, Timothy Millard had come from Newmarket in 1831. He purchased 200 acres of land at Lot 3, Conc. 2, Uxbridge from a John Brown. This land had originally been a crown grant to one Jacob Winn in 1805. Mr. and Mrs .Ernie Carruth- Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Loree and iting her brother Benny and Timothy is the great-grandfather of Mrs. Walter Carter. Mrs. Fred McNair and Millard

> scendants of John Pearson although there have been Pearsons in the community until recently.

James M. Forsyth, the third trustee, was one son of the original settler James Forsyth. One of his sons, Nathan Forsyth, drew up the Forsyth family tree which has been very valuable to me in drawing up

(continued next week)



A knowledge of lifesaving er's pool near Claremont, mouth-to-mouth respiration could save a life and these Seven students are taking to senior entry, 14 year old methods have been put into their bronze training course Marilyn Madill, also of Clarepractise during the past two this summer and one of these mont. A total of sixty boys weeks at the annual swim is Pat Skene, 28, of Clare- and girls are enrolled this program conducted at Bak- mont, pictured here applying year.

The Claremont Community

Centre Board, working in co-

ing on the highway were all mity on a farm in the Manches- ways a thing of beauty. In a final act of good-will toward the organization that he valued the morning instruction period. The competition will be divided to the morning instruction period. The competition will be divided to the morning instruction period. The competition will be divided to the organization that he valued to the organizatio Swim Program At Claremont

Seven Enrolled In Bronze Life-; of Brougham. Saving Course

During the past two weeks, part in the project. Beginners Rules For have been enrolled in the an- | ruthers, Heather Carruthers, nual lifesaving and swim pro- Gerald Cook, Mike Curtis, John gram promoted by the Clare- Drake, Phyllis Hill, Michael Field Day gram promoted by the Clare- Drake, Phyllis Hill, Michael mont Community Centre Bd. Levick, Theresa Levick, Jim in co-operation with the Cana- McGuire, Bill Murray, Faye dian Red Cross. The Instruc- Norton, Jean Robertson, Bob tress, as in former years was Thorpe, Stephen Valentino, Mrs. Helen Vizely. She was as- Linda Vernon and Murray

sisted by Mrs. Marie Neill. Junior class where 21 took part | Frank Buwalda, Margaret Desincluding 11 girls and 10 boys. | jardins, Glen Gauslin, Ron There were 17 Beginners, 13 Gauslin, Susan Hayward, Su-Intermediates and 2 Seniors. isan Howard, Lenora Jones, Al-

for their bronze lifesaving cer- | na Madill, Shirley Mailes, tificates under the direction of Brian Norton, Jackie Pascoe, Miss Gretta Vanstone of Clare- Marilyn Rennie, Bill Thorpe, mont. In order to qualify, they Allen Torrance, Linda Vint of parents. In this case 14 par- representative at a later date. diate - Carol Anderson, Debra Mrs. Vizely has charge of the Eric Jones, Grant Norton, Max- innings, and the finals will last tests for the Beginners. The ine Russell, Peter Russell, Val- a full nine. pre-test training program was erie Samarillo, Geo. Desjardins, held in the open air pool on Senior - Marilyn Madill, Ken the Baker property, north-east Torrance. Bronze-Betty, Evans of the village. A bus service to Donald Evans, Joy Green, and from Claremont was pro- Frank Neill, Nick Reiman, Pat vided by the Rural Bus Lines Skene, Chris Skene,

The following students took

Quantz. Junior - Bob Almack, The largest group was in the | Linda Beelby, Blanche Benson, This summer, seven will try vin Lehman, Allan Lloyst, Don-

operation with the Community Softball League, have agreed on a set of rules and regulations that will govern the games in a forthcoming field day tourney, Aug. 16 and 17. Any entry that trails by 5 runs after three innings of play will automatically be declared the loser and the next contest will be tested by a Red Cross and Norman Quantz. Interme- will begin immediately. On Aug. 16th (Friday). , the ents signed the agreement. The Tests for the Juniors, Inter- Avery, David Dean, Jim Des- first game will begin at 6 p.m. mediates and Seniors will be jardins, Mary Drake, Mike All preliminaries will be 5 innheld on Thursday (to-day). Hockley, Shirley Hodgson, ings. The semi-finals will go 7

Uxbridge Man Hurt In Fatal Accident

Arthur Wilson Wylie, 60, of Kingston was killed last week in a three-car collision on the highway near Les Cedres, 30 miles west of Montreal. Four people suffered injuries.

Provincial police said a car turning on to the highway from a side road had collided with the car in which Mr. Wylie was a passenger and a third car rammed into them.

Albert Husband, 56, of Uxbridge, Ont., who was driving the car in which Mr. Wylie was riding, suffered minor in-

The joint Sunday School pic- panied by her sister, Mrs. J. wood Conservation Park on treal by boat last week to visit relatives in the British Isles. The attendance at the Daily They will be gone about two

Mr. and Mrs. C. Forrest and good deal of credit is due to the | family of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Toronto and Mr. adults in charge of this pro- Mrs. J. Ferguson of Toronto visited with relatives at Wil-

Birthday greetings to Mr. J. A. Nighswander who marked a special occasion on July 11th. We are pleased to hear that Miss Myrtle Percy is now home from the hospital following a

and family have returned home following a holiday at Honey I rian Church in Uxbridge on Harbour..

Frank Hutchings in Claremont Mr., and Mrs. T. Warne of Georgetown visited with Mr. Vacation Bible School has ex- months. and Mrs. R. Hamilton one day

last week. and Mrs. Allan Graham of Port I gram.

Credit visited with Mr. and Miss Jean Seagriff, accom- son's Park on Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Postill over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Sykes of Regina visited with her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Duncan and family one day last week. Miss Nancy Grimes of Wind-

sor, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith is holidaying at their home here. Smith of Edmonton and Mr.

and Mrs. L. W. Smith of Toronto on Sunday. Mrs. Benson Draper was the guest soloist at the Presbyte-

Sunday morning. nic will be held at the Green. Gow and son, Shawn, left Mon-Tuesday, July 23rd.

ceeded 100 boys and girls. A

Horse-Power



pieces of modern machinery icams going strong er's stable. He is pictured have forced the old grey throughout this district. Mr. here, mowing a field of hay mare into semi-retirement on Fred Hope, Claremont, RR 3, on his townline property.

While tractors and other are still a few good horse place for a team in any farm-

the majority of farms, there believes that there is a near Stouffville.

CLAREMONT Legion Hall. The Caledonia Pipe Band was in attendance. Rev. Geo. Davison conducted Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill and the worship and delivered a family of Collingwood spent very inspiring message. Of spe-

mother, Mrs. Loss Hill.

and David; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arthur H. Hewlett. The Dedica- School on August 11 and 18.

don of Toronto visited on Sat- They were accepted by Com. P. Parents and friends are invited urday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harbourn and F. Hollingshead. to come to the closing program

end with his parents, Mr. and Representatives from other classes. Mrs. R. F. Cooper.

enjoying a two-week holiday and expect to motor to Mon- down on Thursday to give their is spending this week with his treal and points East. Mr. W. employees a three-week vaca- cousin Bob Richards. H: Gould of Uxbridge is re- tion. placing Mr. Green during this

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ward of Toronto spent the weekend ing expedition to the New Engwith Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ward. The combined units of the Claremont - United Church Briscoe and Don Hedges bowl-Women are holding an after- ed in a tournament at Richnoon tea on the church lawn mond Hill on Wednesday. On on Thursday, July 25th at 3 Friday evening, Mr. Briscoe uncle, Jack Gale. p.m. Mrs. Barton, Mrs. Ander- and Mr. Hedges took part in a son and Mrs. Carson will be in tourney at Whitby,

period in the local Bank.

charge of the lunch. All ladies are invited to attend. Miss Janice Boyd of Scarboro will spend a three week holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guest and family.

Miss Sandra Hill and Mr. Jack Redshaw were the recipients of many lovely gifts at a largely attended miscellaneous shower held in the Sunday School room of the United Church on Friday evening.

Many Legion and Ladies Au- misfortune to fall off a load of mont and district attended the arm. funeral for the late Arthur H. Hewlett on Saturday, Rev. Geo. Davison was in charge of the service. Miss Janice Hardy of Markham Band was the bugler Stouffville. and sounded the Last Post at Allen Lehman of Whitby wedding at Leaside Friday ever picnic at Woodland Park on the Legion Service conducted was home over the weekend ning and on Sunday visited Saturday, July 20. at the graveside. In addition to with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. with Mr. and Mrs. David Pagan being an ardent supporter of Norman Lehman. Legion activities, he was a highly respected resident in ers and Ruth Ann attended the Kelly of Toronto visited Satur-

the community. A lovely china shower was scendants of the late Mr. and Murray Jones. held for bride-to-be. Sandra Mrs. James Wagg in Memorial Mrs. Fred Fiss and Cindy weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Hill on Tuesday evening at the Park, Stouffville, on Sunday, and Miss Sheila Disney are Earl Lehman of Pine Orchard. home of Mrs. Donna Wideman.

gifts Susan Howard of Scarboro Frank Bielby. is spending a portion of her Little Lloyd Melton was a and Mrs. Fred Fiss. summer vacation at the home guest on Monday afternoon at | The Cecil Disney and the of Mr. and Mrs. A. Samarillo, a birthday party for Sandra Earl. Disney families and Mrs. The Royal Canadian Legion, Johnson, Branch 483 held their annual Mrs. Arthur Carruthers was re-union on Sunday at Green- Norman Lehman of Altona as Drumhead Service on Sunday, a Sunday dinner guest with wood, July 14th. Due to the rain, the Misses Mary and Jennie and Next Sunday, July 21st, the Rev. Eugene and Mrs. Beech the service was held in the Stouffville.

(Mrs. Fred Puckrin) The Rev. Keith Hawkes will the weekend at the home of his cial significance was the prest take the church service here on her daughter, Evelyn of Calgaentation of colours, donated July, 28. There will be no ry, Alta., are holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKenzie for the occasion by the late church service or Sunday her sister, Mrs. Harold Dickin-McLeod, Arthur and Lonny and tion was made by Rev. Davi- Vacation Bible School will be friends of our community Michael Hockley are spending son. They were presented to held at the church from July a week's holidays at a cottage the Claremont colour party by 22 to 26 from 9:00 to 11:30 each Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Glid- and Com. S. Beaton of Oshawa. it will be from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Com. Burgess of Dunbarton ad- at 3:00 p.m. on Friday. Chil-Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cooper of dressed the gathering and dren from 3 to 12 years of age Kingston visited over the week- spoke of the late Mr. Hewlett, are welcome to come to the

Legion Branches were introduc- Susan Richards is holidaying Mrs. H. R. Thompson and ed by the President, Mr. Jim this week with her uncle and Susan of Tweed visited last Curtis, He expressed thanks to aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Richweek with Mr. and Mrs. Grant the representatives of all or ards, at Bay Lake. Randy Richganizations in attendance and ards is with his cousin, Aleck per with Mr. and Mrs. Bert descendants living in this dis-Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Green are to the public who were present. McGrandel at Richmond Hill. The Sarco factory will shut Ray Richards of Scarborough

> awa, spent the weekend with Marilyn. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mansell her brother-in-law and sister,

will leave on Friday on a camp- Mr. and Mrs. C. Clemence. Steven Bath, Orangeville, is Doreen Evans. visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs., mont was admitted to Uxbridge to build a frame schoolhouse.

George Squire. Roy Puckrin enjoyed a trip

Sheila Disney had a shower at tal. her home for Miss Marilyn Miss Tripp with a miscellane near Stouffville. be sorry to learn he had the ous shower.

at Gravenhurst, Mrs. Noon re. Goodwood They will reside in talled \$397.57. turned with them for a two Uxbridge. week visit at the Days.

at West Hill.

A number of ladies attended spending a few days this week Mrs. Percy Pugh visited Mr. She received many beautiful a lingerie party on Monday at a cottage on Lake Simcoe at Pugh's uncle, Mr. Walter Harevening at the home of Mrs. Brechin and Miss Gall Disney dy in Ajax hospital on Friday. spent the weekend with Mr.

F. Disney attended the Disney

parade had to be cancelled but | Harold Carruthers, Rupert St., church service will be in charge of Toronto visited on Monday, of the men's club with Mr. | with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones.

UXBRIDGE PICKERING TP. NEWS GOODWOOD

(Mrs. R. May) Mrs. William McNally and son and other relatives and

Mrs. Fred Cousins of Geor-

ford Watson and Mrs. Gordon Jones accompanied them on the

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wren

and children of Richmond Hill Another signee, Jacob Jones, spent the weekend with Mr. Miss Margaret Puckrin, Osh- and Mrs. Gordon Jones and

> weekend with her chum, Miss been unable to find any trace Mr. Howard Pugh of Clare-

Hospital last week. ald and children of Aurora

Goodwood friends will be sorry to learh Mr. Levi Brown Last Wednesday night Miss is at present in Uxbridge hospi-

All children are invited to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones at attend Bible School at 1:30 on tended the Beech - Richards | Monday next. Don't forget our

Mrs. Alf. Hemmings and children of Beamsville are visfamily at the home of their re-union and picnic of the de- day evening with Mr. and Mrs. | mother, Mrs. C. Jones.

Mrs. F. Baldwin spent the Reesor. Master Danny Norton is spending holidays with his aunt, Mrs. Gladys Norton.

guest speaker.

this history.

child ready to attend school at | trust she will be feeling much Mr. and Mrs. H. Brownell i

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smetham visited with Mr. and Mrs. on Saturday evening.