60th anniversary

'Mother wasn't too happy'

GREENWOOD — When Percy Clarke and Carrie Kellar eloped Aug. 5, 1914, they never dreamed that 60 years later 200 people would gather to commemorate the event.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clarke were the guests of honor at an open house and family dinner celebrating their 60th Anniversary.

Mrs. Clarke explained that "mother wasn't too happy about it," referring to the marriage. The two young people lived on adjoining farms in Hampton, Ontario.

They were married in Trinity Church in Bowmanville. Mr. Clarke was born in Peterboro and moved to Hampton at the age of seven.

The couple moved to Greenwood in 1926 and in 1930 bought a farm not far from their present house at Whestney Rd. and Highway 7. They have lived there since selling the farm in 1954.

They had seven children, although one of them died at the age of two years. Another Reginald is also deceased. Other children include — Evelyn (Mrs. Elmo Disney) of Pickering, Muriel (Mrs. Lawson Parks) of Oshawa, Harold, Gerald and Ronald all of Toronto. There are also 15 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Clarke is 84 years old and her husband 82. He worked as a crane operator for many years and was a stationary engineer during World War II.

Mrs. Clarke has been active in the United Church Women's group in Greenwood and Mr. Clarke has served on various boards of Greenwood United Church.

She told The Tribune that the 60 years have gone by quickly and have been "wonderful years".

"I expect the next 60 years will go quicker yet", she said with a laugh.

The grandchildren presented their grandma and grandpa with 60 red roses and the sons and daughters gave an air conditioner. The community gave the couple a purse of money to commemorate the anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Clarke of Greenwood stand before the large cake that served as the focal point for the celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary, Sunday. About 200 friends dropped in for the open house, with dinner served for the family members.

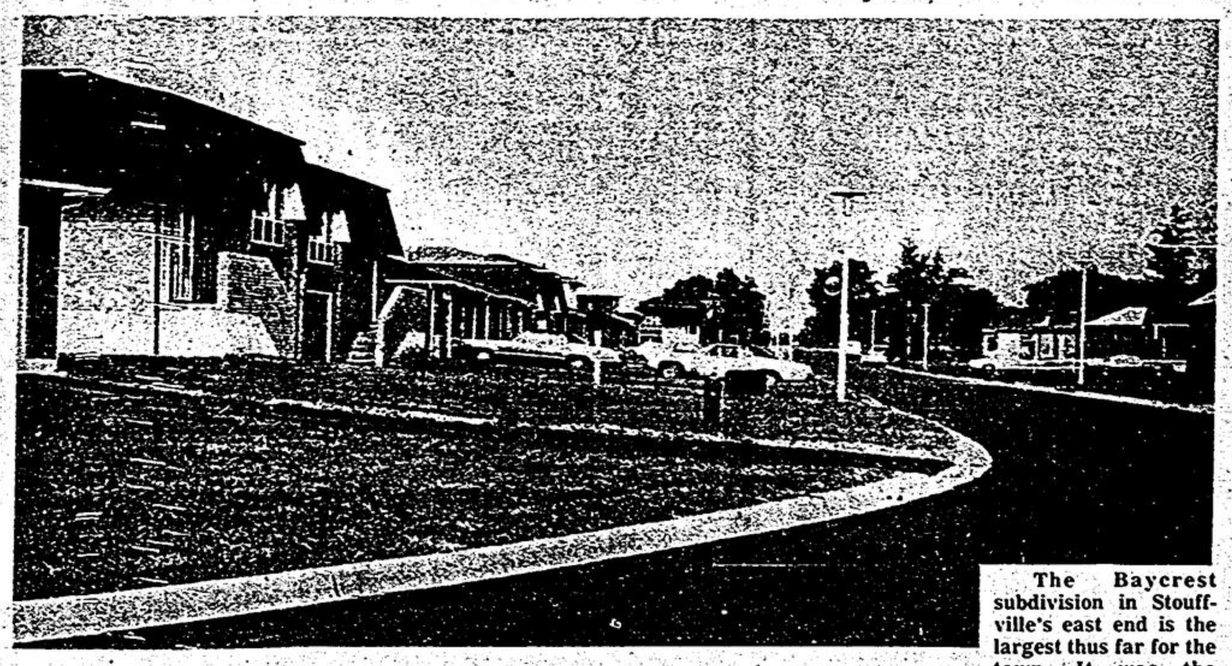
Don Bernard.

60. Sales Register, Auctions

Saturday, Aug. 24 Auction sale of farm machinery and household furniture. The property of Howard (Ted) Jones. Lot 35 on Markham-Pickering Townline, between Con. 7 & 8 Pickering Twp. ½ mile east of Stouffville and 4 miles south, or 2 miles north of Hwy. 7. 1967 Chev. ½ ton truck (certified) Ford Dextra tractor with front end loader M.F. No. 35 gas tractor new motor recently, 3 new tires. Ford combine 6 ft. pull type, Vibrashank cultivator with depth wheels, Ford 3 furrow plow, M. F. 3 furrow plow, Ford baler P.T.O. McCormick drill 15 disc. M. F. power mower, J. D. manure spreader, case cultipacker, 2 rubber tired wagons, 1 antique railroad baggage wagon, Qu. of other machinery Kenmore electric stove, kitchen cabinet, round box stove, acorn fireplace, (good) gold colonial chesterfield and chair, solid maple desk, rocking chairs, chest of drawers, solid maple bed with box spring and mattress, pull out bed, parlour table, maple bed, trunks, desks. Qu. of dishes, many other articles. Farm sold for airport, terms cash, sale at 12:30. Furniture sells first. Reg and Larry Johnson Auctioneers. Ph. (705) 357-3270. 3w11

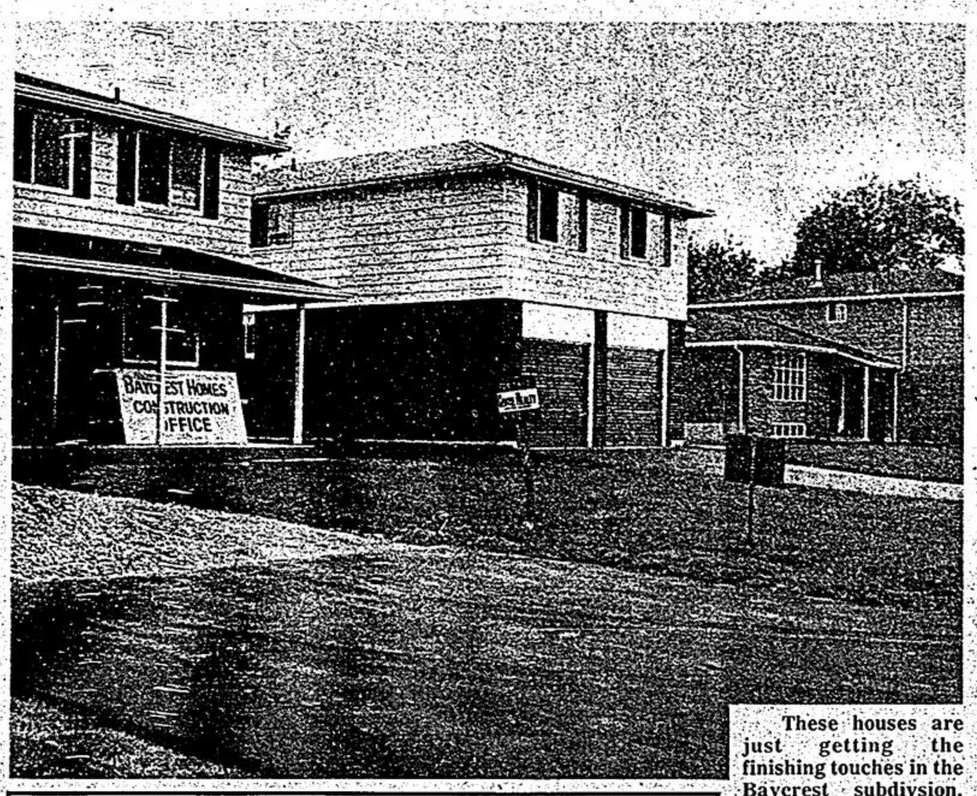
SATURDAY AUG. 17 — Auction sale of household furniture, bedroom suite, Davenport, chairs, pine chest, antique, oil lamps, wash stands, Westinghouse washing machine, dishes, bottles, jars, jugs and crocks, book, carpenter tools, garden equipment, 4 h.p. Kahn garden tiller, all kinds of other articles at Lot 10, Conc. 5, Whitchurch-Stouffville region, ¼ mile south of Bloomington Road. Property of C.W. Brillinger
Chrome table and 7 chairs
6 kitchen chairs
Small utility table
3 piece bedroom suite
Maple dresser, antique
Steamer trunk, antique
Oak buffet, antique
pine chest, antique
Washstand, antique
Swivel wooden desk chair
Bunk Beds
Davenport
2 Occasional chairs
Lazy boy chair
Singler tredle sewing machine
Westinghouse washer
Coal oil lamps
Quantity of books
Set of world and it's people, 35 books
Old 78 r.p.m. records
Bedding
Afghan hand knit
Cooking utensils
Dishes, 1 antique cheese dish
Flatware
Crocks, bottles, jugs and jars
10 qts. maple syrup
Quantity home made jam
Old style bathtub and sink
Coal and wood furnace, converted to oil - the burner is only 2 years old
200 gal. oil tank
18 feet John Mansville chimney
4 h.p. Hahn Eclipse garden tiller
18" lawn mower
Bench saw with ½ h.p. motor
Compressor and spray gun
Jig saw
⅜ Electric drill
Carpenter's tools
4 ft. aluminum level
Briggs and Stratton 2½ h.p. gas engine
Pressure pump with motor
Electric Sunbeam hedge clippers
2 hand garden sprayers
Garden tools
Sash for picture window, glazed
Old milk cans
Step ladder
Children's gym set
Pair of boat oars
Bumper jacks
Bolts, screws and nails
Many more items too numerous to mention. Refreshments. Property sold. Terms cash. Sale at 1 p.m. sharp. Alvin S. Farmer, auctioneer, Gormley Ont. Phone 887-5311.

Nancy Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robert Meggeson was married to Charles Kean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kean June 14 at Central United Church, Unionville. Rev. Robert Ball performed the ceremony as the bride was given in marriage by her father. The couple honeymooned at Wasaga Beach and are residing in Scarboro.



The Baycrest subdivision in Stouffville's east end is the largest thus far for the town. It was the subject of some controversy earlier this year, but the streets have been paved and the yards sodded presenting a picture of a neat and tidy development.

— Ted Wilcox



These houses are just getting the finishing touches in the Baycrest subdivsion. Recent activity to clean up the area has included demolition of an old house and paving of the streets. This house served as the office and is one of few for sale in the area.

— Ted Wilcox

Uxbridge approves 8 grants

UXBRIDGE — A grant of $1,125 to the Scott Agricultural Society was among several passed by Uxbridge Council last week.

Only one drew comment. A $25 grant to the Markham Fair was questioned. Finance Committee Chairman Maustyn McKnight explained that many people in the southern part of the township take part in that fair.

"The president of the fair this year lives in Uxbridge" he said.

Other grants were — North Ontario Plowmen, $225; Ontario County Crop Improvement Assoc., $50; Uxbridge Horticultural Society, $50; Farm Safety Council, $50; Uxbridge Legion Pipe Band, $250; and Uxbridge Red Cross Society, $50.

Recreation spot is a change of pace

CLAREMONT — Cameras, binoculars and a fishing rod are worthwhile equipment to take along on a visit to Claremont Conservation Area. Tucked away in rolling countryside, northeast of Metro, This 389 acre recreation spot has the right combination of recreational facilities to provide a "change of pace" for a restful outing.

Camera enthusiasts will discover the small bird and animal population that inhabit the quiet nature trail are ideal photographic subjects. There's fishing in the Duffin Creek that runs through the Area.

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