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## Career of 40 years ends for Rev. Luck

CLAREMONT — After 40 years in the pulpit, Rev. F. Albert Luck is retiring from the ministry. He has served the last eight years as pastor of Claremont First Baptist Church.

Rev. Luck now plans to move to Brantford, Ontario, for retirement "to do something else besides preach... I won't sit down and do nothing."

His preaching career began somewhat later than some since he farmed until he was 21, then returned to school at Paris High School. He then received degrees at McMaster University and McMaster Divinity School.

When asked why he went into the ministry he said, "Everything seemed to point that way... I had to give it a try."

Looking back, he says "it's been a rewarding 40 years."

Rev. Luck began as a student pastor at Sherbrooke Baptist Church, Ontario, and was ordained at Selkirk Baptist Church in 1939.

He was minister of Cheltenham Baptist Church twice, and also served as a chaplain in the Canadian army in Canada and overseas.

Then, prior to coming to Claremont in 1968, Rev.

Luck was minister of Barrie First Baptist Church from 1949-1959 and Dundas Baptist Church 1959-1968.

He married Jean Minor, a nurse from Lowbanks, Ontario and has one daughter, Mrs. R.R. Crago of Islington, and one grandson, Tyler.

Rev. Luck says a lot of things have changed from the time when he entered the ministry. One trend today is "the breaking up of family life." In his first 30 years as a pastor, of the couples he married "only one

parted. That's not true of the last 10 years... The stresses of present-day life are pretty hard on the family."

As for the state of Christendom today, Rev. Luck said, "I hold the view that the church is under stress... I believe the church will probably get smaller before it'll get stronger."

He adds, however that "I think it's going to be exciting... There's a wide pessimism problem in the church, but I don't hold that view."

## Summitview School sees rise in enrolment

STOUFFVILLE — Summitview and Claremont Public Schools have shown the largest increases in enrolment in the area this fall.

Summitview School climbed to 445 this fall, up from 433 last June and 426 at the beginning of last year. Claremont now has about 310 pupils enrolled, as compared with 250 students at the start of last year and 290 in June.

The College Park subdivision accounts for most of the Summitview increase.

A drop was seen at Goodwood-Webb Public

School, where 351 enrolled this fall as compared with 379 in June.

Statistics from other schools are as follows:

Orchard Park School had 466 registered this fall, only three more than the opening day of school last year. Total enrolment at Stouffville Dist. Secondary School this fall is 950, with 843 secondary and 107 Grade 8 students. "There are less Grade 8's and more secondary students," said vice-principal Ronald Mercer.

## Claremont news

# Pastor honored at church

By Anne Loney  
Last Sunday evening the Rev. F.A. Luck and Mrs. Luck, who are leaving Claremont, were guests at a congregation pot luck supper, followed by a delightful program in their honor, with Bob Hanson as chairman. The very talented players taking part were Mrs. Len Haddow, Mrs. Hugh Michell, Mrs. Stan Mc-

### Parkview news

## Staff attends conference

Last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 13-15, the Annual "Homes for the Aged Association" Convention was held at the Royal York Hotel.

Ten of the members of the Parkview Staff were able to attend this Convention on Monday and Tuesday, and found the various seminars very helpful.

Again we were glad to have Mr. Jeffries fill in for Rev. VanderBent at the meetings in the Home. Rev. VanderBent will be back from vacation during this week.

Thursday evening, the residents appreciated the Wright Trio from Newmarket sharing in the variety program, and on Sunday at the evening service, Rev. Paul Hope,

Mullen, Mrs. Larry Cogar, Alfred Kayes and Ron McMullen.  
On behalf of the congregation, Stan McMullen presented Mr. and Mrs. Luck with a beautiful painting of Claremont Baptist Church painted by Mrs. Ken Ward, a former member of the Church and, also, a purse of money. Mrs. Jack Hall

presented a scrap book that she had made of pictures and events concerning the church and congregation. After the very entertaining evening, Bill Binstead closed the program with prayer.

Next Sunday, Sept. 26, the church will be celebrating its 155th anniversary at 11 a.m. at which Mr. Luck will

presented a scrap book that she had made of pictures and events concerning the church and congregation. After the very entertaining evening, Bill Binstead closed the program with prayer.

Under the direction of Band Master William Coates, Claremont Citizens Band played at the Conservative Picnic at Fairland Park in Brooklin last Saturday afternoon.

At the senior citizens' euchre in the Club House last Thursday the winners were W.J. Briggs, V. Boniface and Mrs. Binstead.

Mrs. Mary Bowden attended the Caledon Fair Saturday and exhibited her part-bred Arabian horse, Karevel, which won first Side Saddle and got a fourth in the Spanish Conquistadore Costume; her Arabian horse, Phaezeme won first in the Conquistadore Costume.

Sunday morning at Orillia Phaezeme came first in the Conquistadore Costume and a second in English Pleasure; Karevel got a first in Junior Equitation, a third in English Pleasure and a third in Conquistadore Costume.

Geraldine Bowden, who trains and rides the horses, and Mrs. Bowden's junior rider, Christine Money, attended both fairs.

The joint UCV meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 27, at 9:30 a.m. in the United Church.

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## Church Services

**ALTONA MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
Pastor - V. Klauke  
Sunday, Sept. 26  
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:30 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Service  
Wed. - Prayer Meeting  
8:00 p.m.  
You are cordially invited to the Missionary Church

**STOUFFVILLE UNITED CHURCH**  
Sunday, Sept. 26, 1976  
REV. J.L. Carder B.A.B.D.  
11:00 A.M. - Worship Service  
CHURCH SCHOOL  
9:45 a.m. - Inter Congregation Class  
11:00 a.m. - Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary & Jr. Classes.  
YOU WILL BE WELCOME

**STOUFFVILLE MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
159 Main St. E.  
Rev. J. Hamilton, Minister  
SUNDAY, SEPT. 26  
9:45 a.m. - Family Sunday School. Bus service available.  
11:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. - Worship services with the pastor speaking.  
Wed. 7:30 p.m. - Prayer and Bible Study  
Fri. 8:00 p.m. - High School Youth  
"You're always welcome"

**GORMLEY MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
Rev. Cecil Rosenberger  
Pastor  
Phone 887-5848  
Sept. 26th  
9:50 a.m. - Family Sunday School  
11 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. - Mr. Leslie Harris from Mission Aviation Fellowship  
Wed. 8 p.m. - Family Night  
A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU ALWAYS

**McCORMACK MEMORIAL CHURCH**  
Highway 48 at Vivian  
Rev. C.W. Sorley Pastor  
Sept. 26th, 1976  
9:45 a.m. - Morning Service  
11:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Thur. 8 p.m. - New Life Hour

**UNIONVILLE GOSPEL HALL**  
2nd Street at Hwy. 7  
LORD'S DAY  
Breaking Bread 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School and Bible Class 11:30 a.m.  
GOSPEL Meeting 7 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer - Bible Study 8 p.m.  
All Heartily Welcome

**CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN**  
254 Sunset Boulevard  
Sunday, Sept. 26, 1976  
9:30 a.m. - Holy Communion  
Sunday School & Nursery School  
"Everyone Welcome"  
Rev. W.F. Edney  
Rector, 297-1634, 640-1461

**BETHEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Hwy. 47 & 48, Phone 640-5555 or 887-5747  
Rev. Howard Minaker, Pastor  
SUNDAY, SEPT. 26, 1976  
9:45 a.m. - Bible School  
7:00 p.m. - 4th Anniversary Services  
ALL ROADS LEAD TO BETHEL BUT JESUS IS THE ONLY WAY TO HEAVEN

**BLOOMINGTON CHRISTIAN GOSPEL CHURCH**  
Rev. C.W. Sorley  
MISSIONARY CONFERENCE  
SEPT. 22ND TO 26TH  
WED. 22nd - Speaker: Rev. Keith Frew, Africa Evangelical Fellowship. Principal of Chizera Bible Inst., Zambia, Central Africa. Music: - Mrs. Ron Sargent & Mrs. Keith Lewis  
THURS. 23rd - Speaker - Rev. William J. Curry, Director of Development, Global Outreach Incorporated. Music - Mr. & Mrs. Bev. Warwood.  
FRI. 24th - Pioneer Girls Night. Speaker: Mrs. Faith Crosby, Newmarket. Music: Bloomington Church Girls Group.  
SUN. 26th - Speaker: Rev. Harry Percy, Susan Anterior Mission. Rev. Percy is one of Canada's Missionary Statesmen, we are favoured to have him with us for our Missionary Conference at 11 a.m. Music: Mrs. Graham Butcher  
COME AND ENJOY THE INSPIRATION OF OUR MISSIONARY CONFERENCE. MID-WEEK SERVICES AT 8 P.M.

**STOUFFVILLE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
460 Main St. E. Ph: 640-5696  
Rev. S.A. Grant, Pastor 640-4903  
Friday-8:00 p.m. - "Youth Time" Business Meeting.  
SUNDAY, SEPT. 26, 1976  
9:45 a.m. - Christian Education Hour  
11:00 a.m. - Family Worship Service  
7:00 p.m. - Fellowship & Evangelism  
Wed. 8:00 p.m. - Bible Study & Prayer  
Sat. Sept. 25th, 8:00 a.m. - Men's Fellowship Breakfast.

**CHURCHILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(Aurora Sideroad & 9 Conc)  
Rev. Paul Hope B. Th. - 640-5629  
Minister of Youth - Jim Clubine  
9:50 a.m. - Sunday School for all ages - Bus ride available  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
Special music - The Woodhouse Sisters  
7:20 p.m. - Evening Service  
Wed. 7:30 p.m. - Family Night for all ages  
Thurs. 3:15 p.m. - Pioneer Girls Grades 2-8  
Fri. 7:00 p.m. - Youth Night  
"We warmly welcome you"

# Wages vs prices. What's happened in 1976.

The anti-inflation program is nearly one year old.

The program was announced last October 14 and the Anti-Inflation Act was passed by Parliament in December. The goal was to create a fair and stable economic climate for all of us. Guidelines were established for the control of prices, profits, incomes, dividends and professional fees. The federal government established a policy of spending restraint. The provinces are supporting the program and are applying guidelines in areas of provincial concern such as rents.

The target of the first year of the anti-inflation program was to bring inflation down from a rate of 10.8% to 8% or less. This goal is going to be reached. Still, many Canadians are concerned about rising prices and may feel in fact that prices are rising faster than their family incomes. For most of us, this is not the case. The facts prove that since the start of the program most of us are better off than we were before because salaries, on average, are keeping ahead of prices.

### Prices

Last year, sudden and frightening price increases were happening all too often. By October, 1975, Canadians had experienced 20 months of inflation of 10% or more. No one could be sure how far the dollar earned one day would stretch the next. The anti-inflation program was brought in to control the rise in prices, giving Canadians a better chance to plan and live within their family budgets. Price increases have slowed down. By August, the annual rate of increase in the Consumer Price Index had dropped to 6.2%. Although some price increases have to be expected this month and next, the 8% target will surely be met.

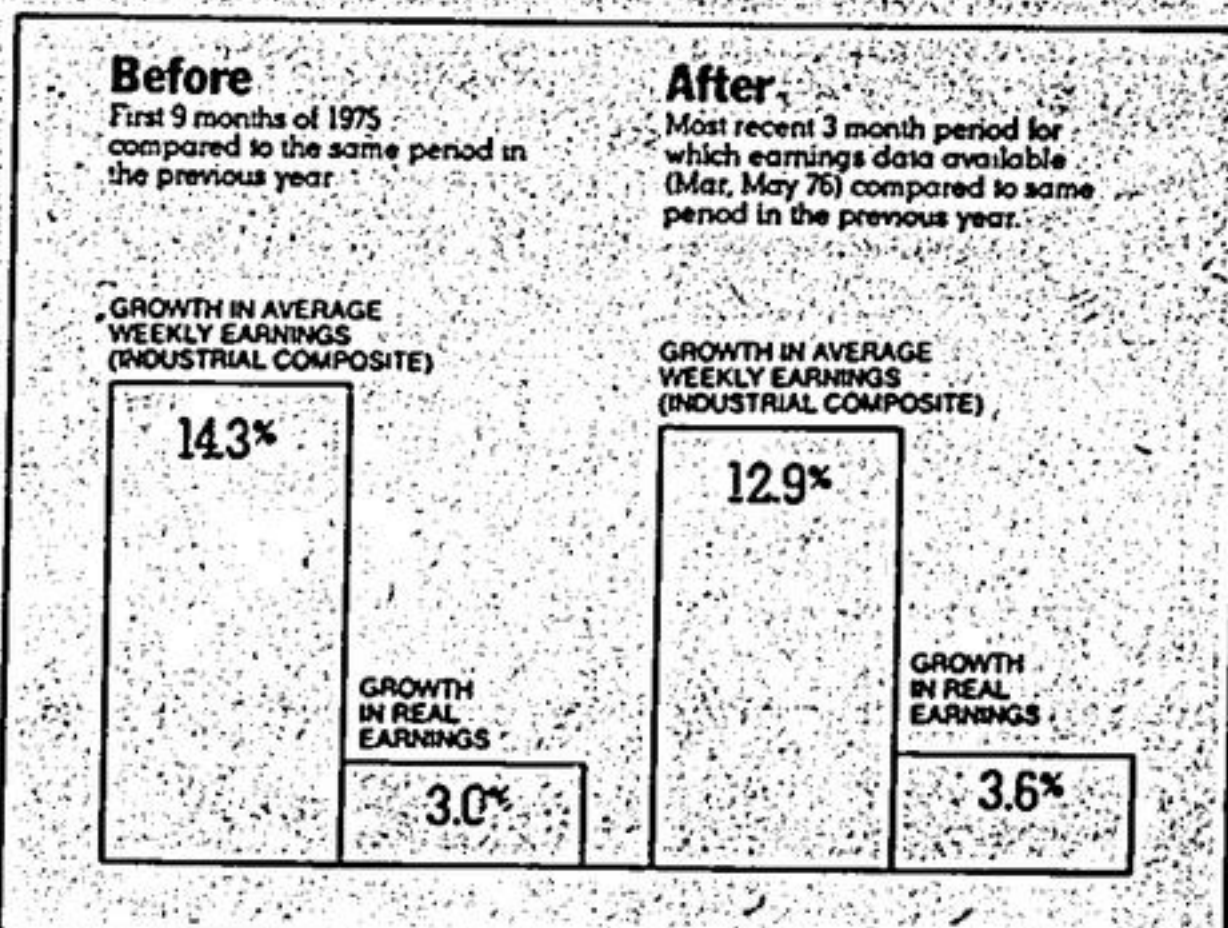
### Wages

The anti-inflation program has also helped to restrain increases in wages, salaries and other incomes. The Guidelines on compensation allow for a basic increase of 8%, plus 2% as a share of national productivity growth. Another 2% can

be added or subtracted depending on whether a group had kept up with or fallen behind cost of living increases before the program began. More than half of the agreements and settlements reported to the Anti-Inflation Board have been within these arithmetic guidelines. A gradual downward trend in wage increases has started and it should continue as more Canadians realize that because of declining inflation, settling for less won't hurt them.

### The real gains

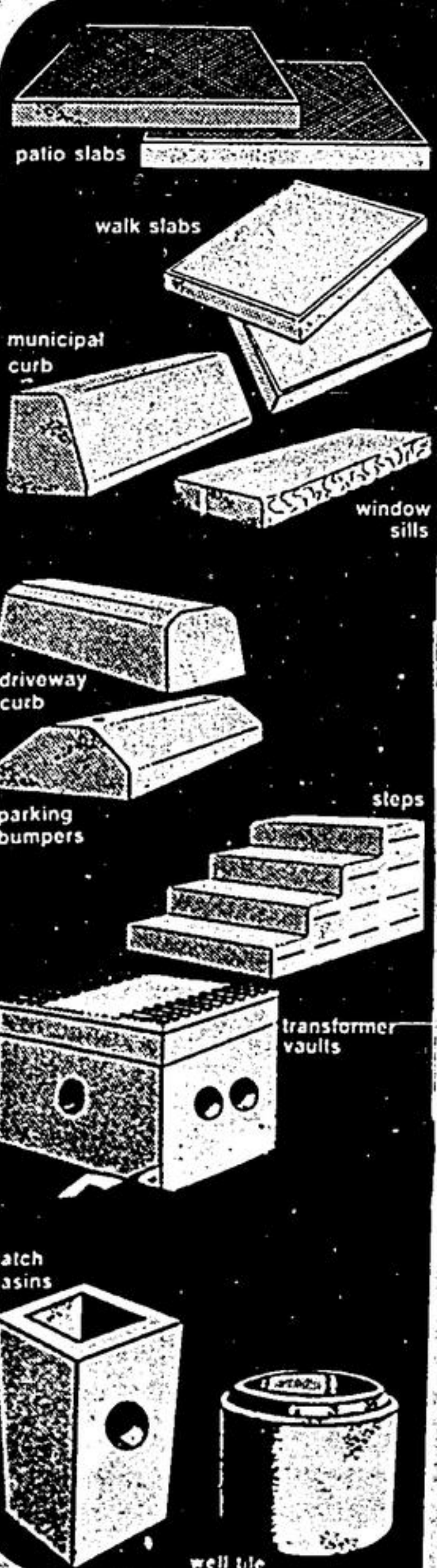
Since the start of the anti-inflation program, the average Canadian has actually improved his or her buying power. This is because lower wage increases along with lower price increases have resulted in a gain in real incomes. The real gain is worked out by taking the actual increase in earnings and subtracting from it the effects of higher consumer prices. Real incomes are probably the best measure of how we're doing, of how we can manage to pay our bills at home. By this spring, real incomes were up 3.6% over last year.



Controls on both prices and incomes are part of the reason why the inflation rate is dropping. The co-operation and hard work of most Canadians is the rest of the story. We will soon be moving into the second year of the program, with a goal of lowering the inflation rate to 6% or less. Working together we can reach this target too.

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