

CLAREMONT and PICKERING TWP. DISTRICT

As civilizations go, the current one seems to be going.

Pickering Township Council will hold their first regular March meeting this Thursday afternoon, March 1st.

Mrs. W. Pyatt and two children of Toronto visited for a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Taylor and Mrs. Loyst.

Mrs. Lackey, Mrs. Loyst, Mrs. W. Evans and Mrs. Johnson attended the Oshawa Presbyterian of the W.M.S. in Centre St. United Church, Oshawa, last Wednesday.

The High School annual Commencement to be held in the community hall this week will provide entertainment which has been enjoyed for many years by parents, ex-pupils and the community at large. It is regrettable that the pupils will be entertaining in another community next year when the new school at Pickering will be operating.

The euchre which is held in the Legion Hall each week under auspices of the Claremont Legion, has been withdrawn in favour of Claremont High School Commencement Exercises on Thursday and Friday, March 1st and 2nd.

The executive for the Pickering Township Film Council met for the first time last Friday and discussed the need for procuring their own projector in the near future. There are two new members from Cherrywood and Dunbarton.

Subscribers to the Blue Cross Hospital Plan, please note that the new secretary-treasurer will be Mrs. McDonald who has an apartment with Mr. W. Thompson and daughter. The dues must be paid before the end of March, and have been slightly advanced since last year.

Sudden Death of Wilbur Gleeson Shocks Community

The community of Claremont was distinctly shocked on Saturday when word spread throughout the village of the sudden passing of Wilbur Gleeson. Mr. Gleeson's body was discovered slumped in his car in the garage at the Fred Evans home where he has been living. At his side was his faithful Boston bull dog who had also succumbed.

The late Wilbur Gleeson was a mail clerk on the C.P.R. for many years and had retired some time ago to make his home with his mother, Mrs. Mary Gleeson. Following her passing he continued on alone in the home for some time, until taking up residence at the home of his sister, Mrs. Fred Evans. Deceased was born in Pickering Township, a son of the late Frances Mary and Edward Gleeson. He was a bachelor.

Surviving are two sisters, Minnie (Mrs. Fred Evans), and Margaret (Mrs. Wilker) of Toronto. Requiem high mass was conducted for the deceased in St. Bernadette's Church, Ajax, at 9 a.m. on Tuesday morning. Interment was made in St. Gregory's Cemetery, Oshawa.

You should see Chas. Cooper's Frigidaire display on page two of this issue—if you are contemplating the purchase of a new refrigerator or stove it will pay you to drop in.

BROUGHAM

Mrs. B. Ritchie was called to the city last week due to the illness of her sister, Miss Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knox spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Knox of Enniskillen.

Brougham and Cambray met in a game of hockey at Stouffville on Saturday night resulting in a score of 6 to 5 in favor of Cambray.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hardy of Toronto spent the weekend with friends here.

Mr. Al Harvey is confined to the house suffering an attack of laryngitis. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. H. Shea of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. L. Matthews.

Mr. Robt. Harvey spent last week at the home of his uncle Al and Mrs. Harvey.

A few from here took in the oyster supper at Pickering on Friday evening and all report the oysters first class.

The Friendly Bible Class will hold their regular meeting on Monday, March 5th, at 8.30 p.m., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Willson.

The W.A. of St. John's Church will hold their March meeting on Wednesday, March 7th, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Geo. Willson. Devotional leader is Miss E. Seebek with Mrs. Lackey in charge of the program.

GREENWOOD

The Mission Band will meet at the parsonage this Saturday afternoon.

The W.M.S. of the circuit whose meeting was to have been this Thursday, has been postponed until March 15th.

The W.A. will meet on Thursday, March 8th. The place of meeting will be announced this Sunday.

The Evening Auxiliary will hold their meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Trimble on Wednesday night.

Mrs. George Griffen returned home from the hospital last Thursday, after an operation on one of her eyes.

We are sorry to report the illness of little Brian Clarke who is in the Oshawa hospital. Hope he may soon be well.

A joint meeting of the Federation of Agriculture and the Farm Forum met at the Milton Pegg home last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cryderman of Hampton were recent visitors at the P. Clarke home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pegg of Whitevale and Edward Pegg of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Pegg last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pegg were in the city last Sunday visiting her father, Mr. McTaggart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byers and Mr. and Mrs. D. Morden visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. Burroughs of Brooklin last Sunday evening.

South Farms Want Exemption from Police Costs

Farmers in the southern part of Pickering Township have given notice that they mean to apply for exemption against the police costs which are now to be borne entirely by that part of the municipality lying south of the 3rd concession.

The police levy was removed from the northern section of the township where it was felt it was not needed, while the heavily populated urban south received all the benefit of the police protection and should be made to shoulder the cost.

Now the south farmers are protesting being classed among this urban population and will ask council to invoke exemption measures in the case of their properties. The Act provides that such exemption may be forthcoming for police and fire protection.

Police costs of \$18,000 annually may jump to more than \$20,000, if the council consents to engage an additional four officers as requested by the Police Chief.

Late John Miller Was World Livestock Authority

World authority on pedigreed livestock, John Miller, 69, died at his home, Blaingowrie Stock Farms, Ashburn. He had been ill for some time.

Born at Claremont, Mr. Miller belonged to a family which pioneered in improving Canadian livestock. He was recognized internationally as a leader in the breeding and management of Clydesdale horses, registered sheep and shorthorn cattle.

His entries won many trophies and were frequently judged as champions at cattle shows in Canada and the International Livestock Exposition, in Chicago. Breeding stock from his farms was in demand throughout Canada and the United States.

Mr. Miller had served for many years as judge in Canada, the United States and the British Isles. He was referred to as Canada's most travelled farmer and had

made 24 trips to Great Britain. Cattle imported by Mr. Miller provided the foundation for many of North America's outstanding herds. Although keenly interested in the development of many breeding associations and farming communities, Mr. Miller had persisted in refusing office in organizations. He established his own stock farms in 1905. He was a member of Burns Presbyterian Church, Ashburn.

He leaves one son, John Miller, manager of the American Quarantine Farm, Ashburn; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Durdan, Niagara Falls, Ont., and Mrs. James Langstaff, Richmond Hill; seven grandchildren; one brother, James I. Miller, Carman, Man. and two sisters, Mrs. Barbara Atkinson, wife of Dr. Alfred Atkinson, president emeritus of Arizona University, Tucson, Arizona, and Mrs. W. A. Dryden, Brooklin, Ont.

BALSAM AND MT. ZION

The Sherin family are the latest victims of the chicken-pox.

Mrs. Robt. Carson is not as well as her many friends would like to see her.

Those who were out on Sunday and heard Miss E. Kruger's talk on her work in Africa as a missionary found it very interesting. Miss Kruger is leaving for Africa right away following her furlough about a year's duration.

Some from here attended the funeral of the late John Miller at Ashburn on Tuesday.

There's quite a number in this community ill with colds and flu.

Mrs. Winton White attended the Fashion Show at Simpsons on Monday.

DEATH

GRIFFIN, Mary Mabel — At Whitevale on Saturday, Feb. 24, 1951, Mary Mabel England, widow of Nesby James Griffin, and dear mother of Mrs. Reginald Walker (Mabel) of Goodwood; James of Whitevale; Mrs. Reginald Dixon (Hilda) of Cherrywood; George of Greenwood; Mrs. Robert Melrose (Dorothy) of Whitby; and the late Frederick Griffin. Funeral service in First Baptist Church, Whitevale, on Tuesday. Interment Whitevale Cemetery.

QUEER EFFECT OF CIGAR

From the Brantford Expositor
If anyone is complaining about the pending prohibition of smoking on buses, let them consider (a) what other and better-behaved communities do, (b) that in Toronto smoking has been banned in stores, and (c) that at Stratford, Ont., the Perth County Council has taken under consideration a resolution that, in future, no councillor be permitted to smoke a cigar "larger than the regulation size while in the council chamber." This appears to be a safety measure, since one of the Reeves, who was smoking on out-size stogie, removed the latter from his mouth and promptly, overbalanced backward out of his chair.

The special morning speaker, spoke with special reference to Angola, Portuguese East Africa, where she has been a missionary for the past 50 years.

The speaker at the afternoon session was Mrs. James Laughland, president of the Dominion Board who took as her topic "Our Service." "Only those who serve really live," said Mrs. Laughland in urging her listeners to go "their daily best." "Be steadfast, set a course and follow it and try to make the world a better place," she said. "Pray, daily, prayer only fulfills its worth when it leads to action. Set aside minutes for precious meditation and ask God's blessing on your endeavours."



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- Brunswick Sardines in oil - 3 for .25
- Clark's Pork & Beans, 20 oz. tins - 2 for .29
- Heinz Tomato Soup, 10 oz. tins - .11
- Monarch Pastry Flour, 24 lb. bags - 1.59
- Colgate Toilet Soap - 2 for .15
- Rinso 1c Sale - 1 package .41
- with 1 Sunlight Soap .01
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10.10	6.10	2.25	10.25	8.10	9.10
10.20	6.20	2.35	10.35	8.00	9.00
10.35	6.35	2.50	10.50	7.45	8.45
10.38	6.38	2.53	10.53	7.42	8.42
10.40	6.40	2.55	10.55	7.40	8.40
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