

Heritage Property Research



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1040 Welwyn Drive, Mississauga
CON 2 SDS PT LOT 29 RP
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- The subject property was built by William Bowbeer, an early settler of Peel region.
- The subject property was the site of the Strawberry Festivals, organized by the Clarkson Women's Institute that took place from 1919 to the 1940s.
- The Terry family were well-known in Clarkson and were heavily involved in community affairs.

INTRODUCTION

This research and evaluation report describes the history, architecture, and context of the property at 1040 Welwyn Drive.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

According to the Heritage Status Report:

"This is a storey-and-half, L-shaped plan structure with a medium pitched gable roof. The main arm has a two bay width and projects towards Clarkson road. A short arm with a one bay width and one bay projection faces south. A two storey addition was added to the rear (west) after 1910, replacing an original one storey frame kitchen. The main entrance was reoriented from Clarkson road to the rear of the addition after 1950, when access from Clarkson road became impeded by the development of residential land. Original red brick chimneys with corbelled caps were situated in either end of the main arm, these have been removed and recent external chimneys are situated on the north side and rear of the addition. A one storey open wrap around porch, which appears to have been added later, is situated in the elbow of the "L" and extends around half of the east gable end of the main arm. Six Tuscan-like columns support the roof with small pediments at either end. There is a one storey enclosed sun porch on the south side of the addition, and a one storey vestibule on the north side. A one storey portico with two Tuscan-like columns was built onto the addition when the facade entrance was reversed. There is a recent clapboard garage in a northeast direction from the house. The exterior of both the house and addition is broad brick that has been painted yellow. White painted fret-sawn verge board in a lacey-loop pattern runs beneath the gables. The recent chimneys are stretcher bond red brick. The sun porch of the addition is white painted board and batten. The vestibule has a high brick foundation and white painted board and batten walls with windows. The windows in the original part of the house have wooden sills, plain frames, shutters and one over one paned sash. There is a two storey bay window on the front of the south projecting arm, and a one storey bay window in the first storey on the front of the main arm (east). A two-over-two paned sash round-headed window is situated beneath a gable on either side of the main. Two small rectangular windows with a leaded grid like design were added to the north side of the main arm. The windows in the addition vary in size, but most are twelve paned casements. A shed wall dormer with three casement windows is situated in the upper storey of the south side of the addition. The two doors of the original facade were replaced in 1910 - the doors, situated on the east side of the south projecting arm and front of the main arm, are contained under the wrap around porch. Both doors have two vertical oval glass panels with molded frames and square raised molded panels beneath. The glass panels originally had leaded glass with the same design as the windows on the north side. These appear to have been added later. The present front door is recent, and is situated under the one storey portico on the addition. There are two other recent doors added to the north side, one is in the one storey vestibule and the other has a gabled clapboard extension."¹ (See Appendix A for more images).

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Photo (left): Original entrance from Clarkson Road. Photo (right): Original main entrance. The current owner explained that Welwyn Drive was not developed until the 1970s. Photos courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



Open wrap around porch views. Photos courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



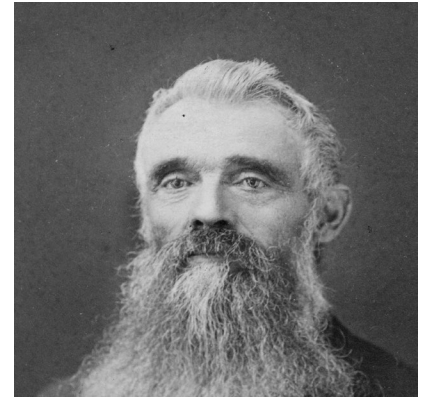
RESEARCH

Relevant Historical Timeline

| Date | Event |
|-----------|--|
| 1871 | William Bowbeer purchased the subject property from William R. Kelly for \$2,304. |
| 1879 | Subject property built by Bowbeer. |
| 1910 | Charles Terry purchased subject property for \$14,000 from Drusilla Clements (one of Bowbeer's daughters). |
| 1913 | Charles Terry sold a portion of the subject property to Samuel Biggs. |
| 1915-1939 | Terry sells portions of subject property to various individuals. |
| 1943 | Terry turned over the farm to his son, Burton. ² |
| 1955 | Burton sold most of the farm to Selmit Estates Limited, but kept 3 acres where the house is situated. ³ Later on, it was turned into a subdivision. |
| 1972 | Burton and his family lived in the subject property until it was sold in 1972. ⁴ |

William Bowbeer

William Somerset Bowbeer (1819-1900) was born in Trafalgar Township, Halton County and was an early settler who played a significant role in shaping the landscape of Peel region. He built one of the more well-known barns at the Joshua Creek Heritage Art Centre. Bowbeer married Mary Anderson (1821-1884) in 1839, and together they raised several children: William Somerset, Mercy Ann Bowbeer, Sarah Phoebe Bowbeer, William Bradford Bowbeer, Mary Jane Bowbeer, James Henry Bowbeer, Annie Bowbeer, Margaret Elizabeth Bouvier, George Albert Bowbeer, Drusilla Clements and Charles W. Bowbeer. In the 1861 census, he was recorded as a farmer, reflecting his agricultural pursuits. Additionally, Bowbeer served as the Reeve of Trafalgar Township. He built the subject property in 1879.



Close up of an original portrait of William Bowbeer, owned by J I Finney. Accessed through Ancestry.ca

In an interview with William Bowbeer found in the Bowbeer family files, he mentions that his family came to the Trafalgar and Clarkson area in the 1700s.⁵ Their first crops were corn and wheat.⁶ He also mentioned a few other interesting things:

- The first shingles were made from pine block with a knife and were meant to last.⁷

² Hicks, Kathleen. *Clarkson and its Many Corners*. Mississauga: The Friends of the Mississauga Library System, 2003, p. 115.

³ Ibid.

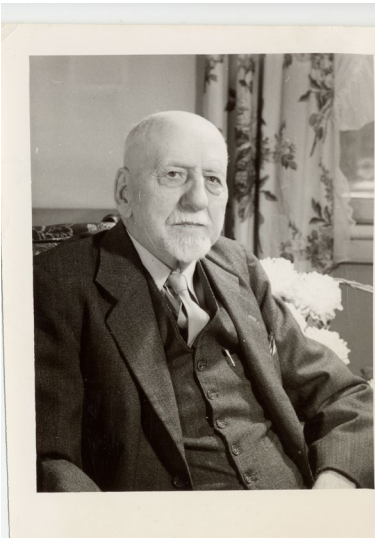
⁴ Ibid.

⁵ Bowbeer family files. Courtesy of PAMA.

⁶ Ibid.

- He remembered a “dog-churn,” where “a tread-mill made like a large wheel, about eight feet, into which a collie dog was put and started running until the ‘butter came.’”⁸
- Early settlers would preserve black-caps and wild plums.⁹
- “It took all night to get over the sand hills between Clarkson and Port Credit with a team and a load of grain. Mr. Bowbeer said he had seen twenty teams with lanterns swung under the waggons helping each other up the hills.”¹⁰

The Terry Family



Charles Ralph Terry (1866-1959) acquired 50 acres of Lot 29 in Concession 2 on January 1910, along with a sizable residence, from Drusilla Clements, one of Bowbeer's daughters. Married to Ellen Terry, they raised a family of 12 children, (David Terry, Charles Roy Terry, Arthur Terry, Arlie Terry, Burton Terry, Ralph Terry, Ellen Violet Terry, Russell Terry, Goldwin Terry, Muriel Elta Hare, Ella Weldon and Gladys Coyne), while cultivating a prosperous farm specializing in apples and strawberries.¹¹ The farm became known as the venue for the annual Strawberry Festival, which started in 1919 and continued into the 1940s and was organized by The Clarkson Women's Institute.¹² The Terry family was active in the United Church and these Festivals saw notable attendance by WWI and WWII veterans from the Christie Street Hospital in Toronto.¹³ After the Second World War, Kathleen Hicks mentions that the Terrys exhibited their community spirit by welcoming a Japanese family, providing both employment on the farm and assistance with resettlement in Toronto.¹⁴ (Photo: Heritage Mississauga)



Members of the Clarkson Women's Institute and veterans from the Dominion Orthopaedic Hospital in Toronto are photographed during a strawberry social at the home of Mrs. Charles Terry. The strawberry festival was an annual event from 1919 to the late 1940s. At the time, Clarkson was considered the "Strawberry Capital of Ontario".

⁷ Ibid.

⁸ Ibid.

⁹ Ibid.

¹⁰ Ibid.

¹¹ Hicks, Kathleen. *Clarkson and its Many Corners*. Mississauga: The Friends of the Mississauga Library System, 2003, p. 114.

¹² Ibid.

¹³ Ibid.

¹⁴ Ibid, p. 115.

Charles then turned over the farm to his son, Burton, in 1943, who in turn, sold most of the family estate to Selmit Estates Limited in 1955, retaining only 3 acres for the homestead, which later became a subdivision.¹⁵ The family's stewardship of the land concluded in 1972 with the sale of the final parcel.¹⁶ The last Terry who lived in the Clarkson area was David Terry, who acquired 6 acres of adjacent land on the east side of Clarkson Road North, Lots 27 and 28.¹⁷ Hicks writes, "When Charles passed away in 1959 at 92 years of age, the community lost a great resident."¹⁸ (See Appendix B for images/newspaper articles).



Photo: Heritage Mississauga

¹⁵ Ibid.

¹⁶ Ibid.

¹⁷ Ibid.

¹⁸ Ibid.



Photo: Heritage Mississauga

The Parshalls

Parshall Terry the 2nd (1756-1808) was born in America and served as sergeant with the Butler's Rangers in the American Revolution.¹⁹ After the war, he moved to Canada and first settled in Kingston and then in York, where he owned a large amount of land.²⁰ He worked and built a large sawmill on the Don River with his father-in-law, Timothy Skinner and his sons. Parshall was elected to the 1st Parliament of Upper Canada in the 4th riding of Lincoln and Norfolk.²¹ He was also a Grand Juror for Home District in 1800.²² Parshall the 2nd was Charles' great-grandfather.

Parshall Terry the 3rd (1778-) owned a store, hotel and Grist Mill in Albion.²³ His oldest son, David, Charles' father (1817-1888), learned the milling business and ran his father's mill.²⁴

In the Terry family files, it is written:

"Charles Ralph Terry living at present (1935) in Clarkson where, with his sons he conducts a fruit business, having fine orchards, is the son of David Terry who was the son of Parshall 3rd."

¹⁹ Terry family files. Courtesy of PAMA.

²⁰ Ibid.

²¹ Ibid.

²² Ibid.

²³ Ibid.

²⁴ Ibid.

(That is, Mr. Charles Ralph is the great grandson of...Parshall 2nd). Three of Charles Ralph's sons, Goldwin, David and Arthur Terry, all enlisted from Clarkson for overseas services during the Great War. Goldwin and David were bombardiers..."²⁵

Interesting Fact

After speaking with the current owner, they explained that the families who previously owned this property have come back to visit. They mentioned that in one of the bedrooms, the wallpaper was removed to reveal plaster with writings on it (specifically of a person's name). The family that had lived there were moved to see it and explained that it was the name of a teenage crush.

ARCHITECT

Based on research and speculation, the subject property was most likely built by local builders. This is due to its vernacular appearance (see architectural description below).

ARCHITECTURAL DESCRIPTION

The subject property exemplifies a vernacular farmhouse. A vernacular building is usually described as simple, functional and having a straightforward appearance. It is a combination of several architectural styles and heavily based on what materials and talents are locally available. It often reflects local social influence. For the most part, vernacular homes are not designed by an architect and are built by local builders with available local materials. As mentioned above, this house was built during William Bowbeer's ownership. As a farmer, he required something practical for the type of work he did and this house suited his needs. It was most likely built by local builders without much professional guidance on architectural style. This is not to say that these builders were not skilled, instead they were influenced by local needs and available material.

Some examples of other buildings of the same style in Mississauga

1. 1455 Dixie Road (dated late 1800s)
 - a. Built under the ownership of Daniel and George Death
2. Bateman-Murphy House (dated 1866)
 - a. Address: 16 Burlington Street
3. 972 Clarkson Road (dated 1915)
 - a. Built by Gordon Pattinson

CONTEXT

The subject property is part of Lot 29, Concession 2, situated south of Dundas Street that was formed after the First Purchase of Land from the Mississauga First Nation in 1805. Lot 29 is a 200 acre tract

²⁵ Ibid.

that is surrounded by Southdown Road and Clarkson Road. N. to the east and west, and Lakeshore Road to the south.

Clarkson

A brief history of Clarkson taken from Heritage Mississauga's website:

"Driving into Clarkson today, newcomers might wonder at the "Welcome" signs that greet them. Certainly, to the average passer-by, following Lakeshore Road or Southdown Road, there might be little to remind them visually of the village's rich historical roots. There was a time, not so long ago, that Clarkson was a rural village within Toronto Township. Considered by many as the first settled area of Mississauga, settlement first began in this area in 1807. Among the first settlers were the Bradley, Clarkson, Gable, Greeniaus, Hammond, Hendershott, Jarvis, Marlatt, Merigold, Monger, Oliphant, Shook and Thompson families, amongst others. Many of them were Loyalists. The area became referred to as "Merigold's Point," after the prominent Merigold family. Over time the emerging community unofficially became known as "Clarkson's Corners" after early settler Warren Clarkson, who had opened a general store and post office on his property. In 1850, the road alignment which bordered Warren Clarkson's property was officially recognized as Clarkson Road. In 1855, the Great Western Railway arrived. A train station was on part of Warren Clarkson's property and given the name of "Clarkson's." The name of the station, and through it the surrounding area, was later shortened to "Clarkson" . Although the community never incorporated as an independent village, in its heyday Clarkson was recognized as the "Strawberry Capital of Ontario" . Clarkson became part of the Town of Mississauga in 1968."²⁶

PROPERTY CHANGES²⁷

- In 1973, a permit to build a pool was approved.
- In 1988, a permit to build a garage was approved.
- In 1995, a two-storey addition was approved to the existing building.
- The main entrance was changed to the rear of addition after 1950.
- The original red brick chimneys were removed, and external chimneys were built on the north side of the addition.

CONCLUSION

The property at 1040 Welwyn Drive has physical, historical and contextual significance. It served as the venue for the Strawberry Festivals held between 1919 and the 1940s, marking a cherished tradition of the era. The Terry family, prominent figures in Clarkson, played a significant role in community engagement and local affairs, leaving a lasting impact on the area's development. Additionally, while the subject property appears to be vernacular, it contains unique features, such as "white painted fret-sawn verge board in a lacey-loop pattern that runs beneath the gables."²⁸

²⁶ "Clarkson." Heritage Mississauga. <https://heritagemississauga.com/clarkson/>

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²⁸ Ibid.

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Bowbeer family files. Courtesy of PAMA.

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Terry Family Files. Courtesy of PAMA.

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Various email correspondences.

Appendix A



Photo courtesy of Mississauga Library. PH2091.



Photo courtesy of Mississauga Library. PH2089.



Photo courtesy of Mississauga Library. PH2075.



Photos courtesy of Mississauga Library. PH2092 and PH2079. Photo (left): View of the rear gable with bargeboard. Photo (right): Shows two bay windows on south side of the property.



Photo courtesy of Mississauga Library. PH2076.



Current entrance to 1040 Welwyn Drive. Photo courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



Current entrance to 1040 Welwyn Drive. Photo courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



An up-close image shows the original structure made using stones. Photo courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



Garage that was added in 1988. Photo courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.



Current owner has a mini library outside the driveway to the property. Photo courtesy of Amanda Barbosa.

Appendix B

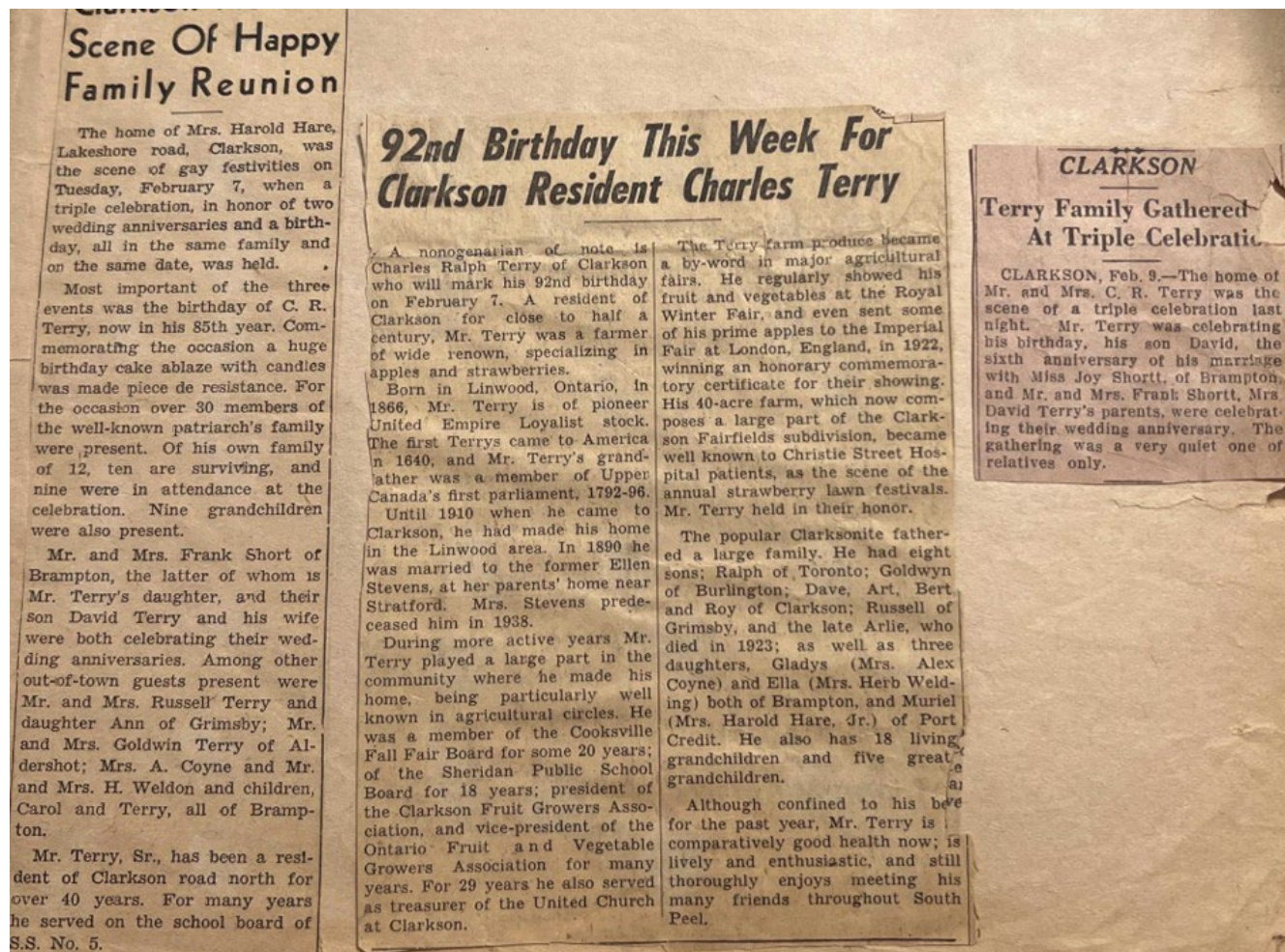


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CHRISTIE STREET BOYS VISIT TERRY FARM: ANNUAL <SPAN ...

Special Despatch to The Globe

The Globe (1844-1936); Jun 25, 1931; ProQuest Historical Newspapers: The Globe and Mail

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CHRISTIE STREET BOYS VISIT TERRY FARM

Annual Strawberry Festival Is Held at Clarkson

(Special Despatch to The Globe.)

Clarkson, June 24. — Today the annual strawberry festival, given to the soldiers from Christie Street Hospital by the Lorne Park Women's Institute, was held on the grounds of Mrs. C. R. Terry at Clarkson. In addition to about 200 ex-soldiers who attended, were the nursing sisters and members of the staff at Christie Street Hospital, as well as a number of Red Cross workers. The guests were conveyed to the grounds through the generosity of Rotarians, who had supplied some forty cars. The procession from the hospital was headed by two officers of the Provincial Police, and the disabled men were roundly cheered along the entire route by those who had not forgotten their valor.

The strawberry supper was preceded by a number of games, and followed by an impromptu concert given by the visitors. Captain Riley, on behalf of the guests, thanked their hostesses, Mrs. A. Hewitt responding. The arrangements were carried out by Mrs. F. M. Huntsman, Hospital Convener.

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Sherin Funeral Home, 873 Kingston Rd., (at Beach Ave.), Toronto. Service in the chapel on Wednesday, 11 a.m. Interment Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

CHANT, Christopher William—Suddenly, at Hollywood, Calif., on Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, Christopher William Chant, beloved husband of Carol Chant, late of 349 Spadina Rd., dear father of Mrs. W. M. Kinsella (Dorothy), Mrs. E. M. Coleman (Myrna), Kenneth, Dixon and Robert Chant. Funeral arrangements later.

DONAGHY, John James—At his home, Eden Mills, on Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, John James Donaghy, formerly of Monro Rd., in his 61st year, beloved husband of Mary Jane Robinson, Mr. Donaghy is resting at the Egan Bros. Funeral Home, Queen St. S., Bolton, from Wednesday morning till Thursday noon. Funeral service in St. James' Anglican Church, Caledon East, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment St. James' Cemetery. Casket will be open in the church from 1 o'clock to hour of service.

DUNN, James Gordon—At Toronto, Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, James Gordon Dunn, 37 Station Rd., Mimico (retired CNR engineer, Mimico), beloved husband of the late Blanche O'Malley, dear father of Mrs. P. Chrysdale (Kathleen), and Bernard Dunn, Mimico, and John Dunn, Islington, age 72 years. Mr. Dunn is resting at the Funeral Home of G. H. Hogle, 63 Mimico Ave., Mimico. Funeral to St. Leo's Church, Church St., Mimico, for requiem high mass Thursday 9 a.m. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery, Port Credit.

dearly beloved wife of Allan J. Hoffman of 2229 Hambo Rd., Applewood Acres; loving mother of Penny and Joan; daughter of Mr. George Betts; sister of Mrs. Eric Brown (May), Mrs. J. Fleming (Joyce), Wilbur and Harold Betts. Resting at the Turner and Porter Chapel, 436 Roncesvalles Ave. Funeral service 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Interment Prospect Cemetery.

HUDDLESTON, Joseph C.—At Toronto, on Monday evening, Feb. 16, 1959, Joseph C. Huddleston of RR 4, Smiths Falls, beloved husband of Katie Bella Ferguson, and dear father of Mrs. Thomas Leedham (Isabel), Mrs. A. W. Robinson (Eva), Port Credit; Arnold E., Toronto; Austin, Port Arthur; Allan Vankleek Hill, and Douglas P. Huddleston of Garson. Resting at the Amv Funeral Home, Smiths Falls, Ont. Funeral service 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Interment Maple Vale Cemetery, Smiths Falls, Ont.

JEFFS, Ernest Harry—At the Scarborough General Hospital, on Sunday, Feb. 15, 1959, Ernest H. Jeffs, beloved husband of Eva Church; dear father of Phyllis (Mrs. R. MacTaggart), Thelma (Mrs. R. Strong), and grandfather of Rodger and Jimmy. Resting at the "Danforth Chapel", of McDougall & Brown Ltd., 1491 Danforth Ave. (near Coxwell). Service in the chapel, Wednesday, 3 p.m. Interment Pine Hills Cemetery.

JOHNSON, Sydney Charles Ray—At Sundridge, on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, Sydney Charles Ray Johnson, beloved husband of the late Mary Georgina Yule, in his 71st year. Resting at Moore's Funeral Chapel, Sundridge. Service to be held on Friday, Feb. 20, from Zion United Church. Entombment to follow in Burk's Falls winter burial vault.

JOHNSTON, Douglas C.—On Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, at his residence, the Isabella Hotel, Toronto, Douglas C., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Johnston, and brother of Muriel. At the Funeral Chapel of A. W. Miles, 30 St. Clair Ave. W. Service on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

KENT, Ida—Passed away Monday morning, February 16, 1959, at the home of her daughter, 208 Willowdale Ave., Ida Clarkson, beloved wife of the late William James Kent, in her 89th year. Loved mother of Mrs. C. C. Nicholls (Evelyn), Mrs. Norman Barisdale (Isabel), Mrs. R. Clark (Heleen), Mrs. W. A. Chase (Bessie), Mrs. D. Stone (Muriel), Mrs. J. P. Kirk (Eleanor), Dorothy, Clarence, Lawrence and Jack Kent. Resting at the Turner and Porter Chapel, 436 Roncesvalles Ave. Funeral service 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment Park Lawn Cemetery.

KING, H. Elizabeth—At the Oakville-Trafalgar Memorial Hospital, on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, H. Elizabeth Hill King, 41 Navy St. S., Oakville, wife of the late Nelson H. King and mother of the late Betty King and the late F/S John N. S. King. Resting at the Funeral Home of S. S. Russell and Son, Dunn St. (at the lake), Oakville. Service in St. Jude's Church on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment St. Jude's Cemetery.

daughter of John and Mary, resting at the Funeral Home of Northcutt and Smith, 53 Division St., Bowmanville. Funeral service in Trinity United Church, on Thursday, Feb. 19, at 2 p.m. Cremation at Toronto Crematorium.

REID, Jean—On Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, at the Toronto Western Hospital, Jean Reid, 4 Oaklands Ave., sister of Mrs. Bessie Ross, Toronto; Mrs. Maude Burnett, Guelph, and Mrs. Veril Rawson, Georgetown. At the Funeral Chapel of A. W. Miles, 30 St. Clair Ave. W. Service on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, Guelph. If desired in lieu of flowers, family would appreciate contributions to the Ontario Association for Retarded Children, 137 Wellington St. W.

ROBERTSON, Jean—At Toronto, on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, Jean Robertson, of 95 Macpherson Ave., wife of the late Samuel M. Robertson, mother of David and Mrs. David Turner (Nancy). Resting at Bates & Maddocks Funeral Chapel, 124 Avenue Rd. (just south of Davenport). Service in the chapel Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Interment Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SCHREIBER, Andrew—On Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, at his residence, 7 Burnhamthorpe Cres., Islington, Ont., Andrew Schreiber, beloved husband of Louisa Schreiber, and father of the late Andrew Schreiber and dear grandfather of Eloise and End Schreiber. Resting at the Butler Funeral Chapel Ltd., 4933 Dundas St. W. (at Burnhamthorpe Rd.), Islington. Service in the chapel Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Interment Glendale Memorial Gardens. Parking for all chapel visitors.

SCHIBNER, Mary Isabel—At the Wellesley Hospital Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, Mary Isabel Schibner, late of 245 Pacific Ave., beloved wife of Sanford Stephen Schibner and dear mother of Rena, Georgina and Bruce of Toronto; Muriel of Collingwood and Ernest of Owen Sound. Resting at the Funeral Chapel of William Speers, 2926 Dundas St. W. Funeral Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Interment Prospect Cemetery.

TAYLOR, R. Walter—At Windsor, on Sunday, Feb. 15, 1959, Walter Taylor, beloved husband of Christina Page, dear father of Mrs. H. Patton (Marjorie), Mrs. George Eagleden (Nora), Laurie and Bob of Windsor and Mrs. W. H. Jarvis (Mollie) of Toronto. Resting at the Thomas Funeral Chapel, Alliston, for service Thursday at 2 p.m. Interment Alliston.

TERRY, Charles Ralph—At his home, 1224 Clarkson Rd. N., Clarkson, on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, Charles Terry, beloved husband of the late Ellen Stevens, and dear father of Ralph of Toronto, Goldwin of Aldershot, Dave, Arthur, Burton and Roy of Clarkson, Gladys (Mrs. A. Coyne), Ella (Mrs. H. Weldon) of Brampton, Russell of Grimsby, Muriel (Mrs. H. Hare), Port Credit; in his 94th year. Mr. Terry is resting at the Funeral Home of Skinner & Middlebrook, 123 Lake Shore Rd. E. at Ann St., Port Credit. Service in the Chapel, Friday, at 1:30 p.m. Interment in Springcreek Cemetery, Clarkson.

Deaths

THAIN, William Charles—Suddenly, at the Guelph General Hospital, on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, William Charles Thain, in his 83th year, youngest son of the late Charles Thain and Isabel Gauld, predeceased by brothers John and James, and sister Mrs. Robert Shortreed. Resting at the Tovell Funeral Home, 15 Yarmouth St., Guelph, where funeral service will be held on Friday, Feb. 20, at 2 p.m. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery, Guelph. Kindly omit flowers.

TOOLE, Arnold Amos—At Uxbridge on Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, Arnold Toole, beloved husband of Marie Barnett and brother of Clarence, Merton, Howard, Mount Albert; Clarkson, Tulsa, Okla., and Lyla (Mrs. Gunther), Welland, in his 71st year. Resting at the Funeral Home of McGuire and Low, Uxbridge, for service in the chapel on Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 2 p.m. Interment Mount Albert Cemetery.

TOWER, Lydia—Passed away at her home, 19 Coddington St., Barrie, Ont., on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1959, Lydia Boyer, beloved wife of the late Walter Tower, in her 81st year. Resting at the Jennett Funeral Home, Barrie, Ont., until noon, Thursday, Feb. 19, thence in Emmanuel Baptist Church, Barrie, where service will be held at 2:30 p.m. Entombment Barrie Union Cemetery. (Casket will remain open in the church from 1:30 p.m. until time of service.)

WARNER, Mary—Suddenly, on Monday morning, Feb. 16, 1959, at her home, 66 Hickson St., Toronto, Mary, dearly loved wife of the late John Warner, dear aunt of Mrs. H. G. Nighswander (Marjorie), John, Armstrong, both of Markham; Mrs. E. Lewis (Ethel) of Hamilton and the late Mrs. Harold Sinclair (Violet), Toronto. Resting at the Ryan & Odette Funeral Home, 1498 Dundas St. W. (at Dufferin), Toronto. Funeral service Wednesday at 11 a.m. Interment St. Andrew's Cemetery, Markham, Ont., at approximately 1 p.m.

WILSON, Robert (Reg. No. 33212, Corporal, 2nd Canadian Field Ambulance, World War I)—Entered into rest at his home, 117 Ashdale Ave., Toronto, on Monday, Feb. 16, 1959, Robert Wilson, dearly beloved husband of Elizabeth (Lizette) Hill, brother of Alice (Mrs. R. J. Picken), Agnes (Mrs. H. Kirley), Jean (Mrs. C. Tinnie), Martha (Mrs. A. Bould), Grace (Mrs. J. Atkinson), Miss Lilly Wilson, William, Thomas, George and Samuel. Resting at the Trull Funeral Home, 1111 Danforth Ave. Service on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment Pine Hills Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations to Gideon Bible Society appreciated.

Cards of Thanks

READ—The family of the late Lillian A. Read wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for their kindness during their recent bereavement.

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VETERANS ATTEND STRAWBERRY FETE: CLARKSON AND LORNE PARK WOMEN'S I
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VETERANS ATTEND STRAWBERRY FETE

Clarkson and Lorne Park Women's Institute Holds Annual Picnic

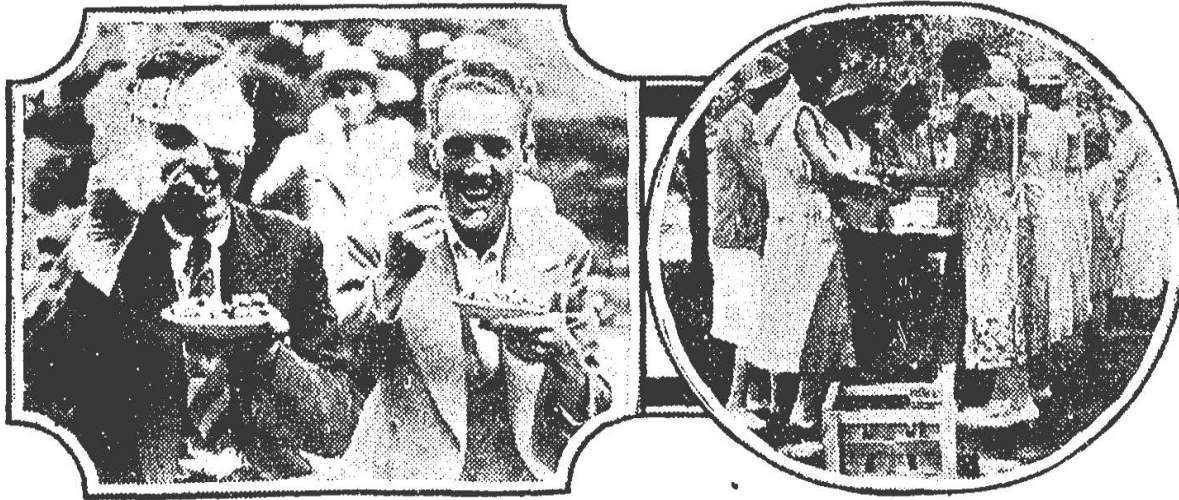
Clarkson, July 6.—A strawberry festival held today at the farm of C. R. Terry entertained as special guests 150 patients from Christie Street Hospital. It was the thirteenth annual picnic thus staged by the Clarkson and Lorne Park Women's Institute, and generous helpings of strawberries and cream were supplemented by sandwiches and cake. Games, football and baseball, provided a program of entertainment. Transportation to Clarkson was provided for the patients by the Rotary Club of Toronto, the veterans being escorted along the highway by local and Provincial Police.

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Christie Street Hospital patients, enjoying the annual strawberry festival held in their honor yesterday at the farm of C. R. Terry, Clarkson, feasted to their hearts' content on the luscious red berries, which were served with rich, country cream. The photograph on the left shows a group of the patients indulging in a "berry feed," while the picture on the right gives a glimpse of members of the Clarkson and Lorne Park Women's Institute, who were hostesses, and who prepared hundreds of boxes of strawberries for the festival.

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Tenth Annual Strawberry Festival at Clarkson Farm

Disabled soldiers summering at the beautiful Island Outpost Hospital at Hanlan's Point, including many wheel-chair cases, went berry-picking yesterday. It was the tenth annual strawberry festival at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. A. Terry, Clarkson, where, under the auspices of the Clarkson-Lorne Park Women's Institute, of which Mrs. R. B. Colleton is President, soldiers from Christie Street Hospital, as well as those from the Island, to the number of about 250, were made to feel at home. In addition to being bountifully "kissed by strawberries on the hill," the soldiers enjoyed a feast of sandwiches, cake, and good things galore, including an ample supply of "smokes." Enjoying the feast with them was their padre, Rev. Captain Sydney Lambert, and Mrs. Lambert; also the Visiting Committee of the Red Cross, under the convenership of Mrs. W. F. Harvey. The local committee in charge of arrangements was convened by Mrs. E. D. Almas, assisted by Mrs. B. Dingwall, Mrs. P. Hodgetts, Mrs. Dr. Vernon, Mrs. S. Hewitt, Mrs. S. Huntsman, Mrs. J. Ogden, Mrs. R. Rowe, Mrs. R. Peters, Mrs. S. Hunter, Mrs. Howard Orr, Mrs. C. Moore, Mrs. Redsell and Mrs. W. W. Fraser.

The Rotary Club provided commodious and comfortable motors for the conveyance of the large party to and from the strawberry farm. This service was particularly appreciated by the Island soldiers, who, under the care of Nursing Sisters Miss M. McNaughton, Miss E. McAlpine and Miss M. Walker, were brought across to the city wharf, where their wheel chairs were parked during their motor excursion to Clarkson.

Among the Island Outpost guests invited were: Messrs. W. A. H. Booth, T. J. Miles, A. Burger, J. A. Lee, N. E. Miller, A. W. King, J. Hughes, J. C. Mackay, A. J. Yates, W. Sayer, C. Johns, E. P. McQuade, H. L. Peers, T. MacDougall, M. Phillips, W. Crosbie, F. Tucker, A. Tyrrell, G. Pitman, A. Smol, J. Smith, D. Smith, D. McDonald, W. Duncan, T. Madden and F. Fanning.

They returned to the Island late last evening, tired, but happy, and quite satisfied, after their pleasant day's diversion, to rest a while longer at their pleasant summer home at Hanlan's.