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**THORNLEA NEWS**  
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"The Liberal" is very pleased to announce the appointment of Mrs. A. E. F. Wright as our new representative in Thornlea. In order that we may give you district complete news coverage kindly forward any news or items of local interest to Mrs. Wright who may be reached at Avenue 5-1902.

**Open Night**  
 Open Night at Thornlea School on December 7 was well attended. Parents took advantage of the invitation of Principal Gordon Learn to inspect the new school. Unfortunately Mrs. Irene Olmstead, teacher of Grade II was ill and that classroom had to be closed to inspection. Mrs. Joe Robinson of Bayview Ave. replaced her at school during her few days' absence.

**Bayview District Association**  
 At the inaugural meeting of the Bayview District Association held recently the following were elected to hold office — President, C. Clifford; vice-president, H. Laurie; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. H. Baujard; Directors, H. Baujard, E. Sage, Mrs. H. Laurie, Mrs. W. G. Orser.

The president explained the aims and objects of the association which will form the constitution, and the solicitor was instructed to take the necessary steps to obtain a charter. The main purpose was to consider, plan, recommend and promote such measures as may seem wise and expedient in the interest of the residents. One project to be considered is the setting up of Civil Defence machinery to train members in leadership in event of disaster. The meeting was well attended and the members expressed their thanks to Mr. B. Smith and the Association for Retarded Children for the use of the building.

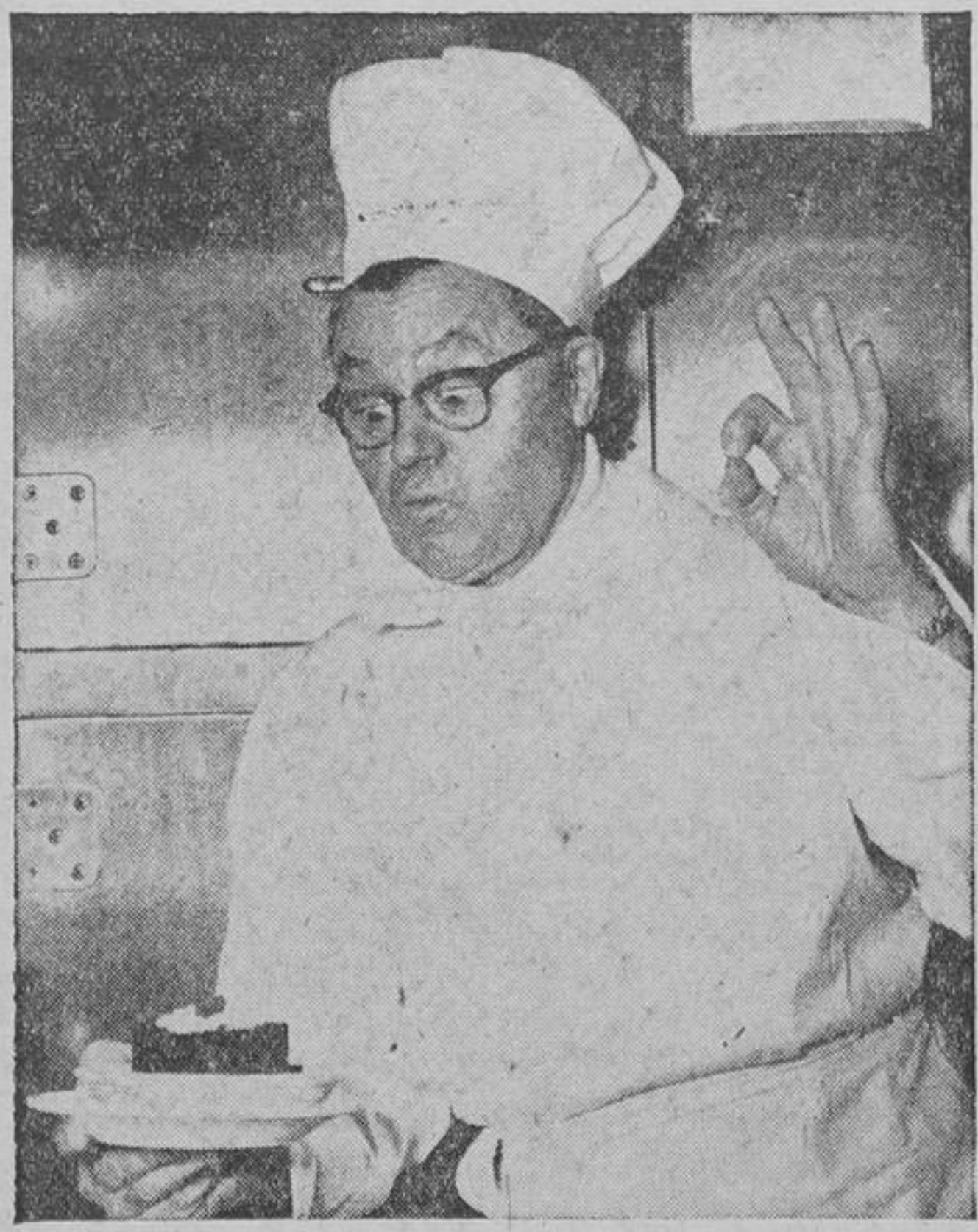
**Thornlea Home and School**  
 The regular meeting of the Thornlea Home and School Association on Thursday, December 8 featured a lively panel discussion. The Panel, Alex Morrison, School Trustee, David Smith, Supervising Principal, G. Learn, Thornlea Principal, Rev. Mr. E. B. Eddy of Thornhill United Church, and William Downing, Maintenance Supervisor, answered and discussed questions put by the audience under direction of chairman W. Pocklington. Among other points it was agreed that the Level System, recently put into effect in the schools, gives greater opportunity to the bright pupil and the slow-learners to work at their best. The meeting agreed the system is generally more fluid and is working out very well.

The meeting began with carol singing and ended with refreshments served by Mrs. Roy, Social Convener. With the president, Mrs. Guy Fraser, as chairman, a motion by Harold Wright to forward a resolution to Markham Township Council asking for a township constable to control traffic at No. 7 Highway and Bayview where children must cross was passed. This was considered necessary because the school traffic guard has no authority to stop traffic.

It was also decided to set aside a sum of money to provide Christmas candy and fruit as a treat for the children in their classroom celebrations. The bags were to be packed at the home of Mrs. Covell last Monday evening. Twenty-seven dollars was raised at the euchre held December 2.

**Meet Re Land By-Law**  
 The property owners of Steeles and Bayview Area met at the home of Mr. Fielder to consider the Planning Board's proposal to amend the present by-law which limits land subdivision to a minimum of two acres. Opinion was sharply divided, but a majority of those present seemed to be opposed to amending the by-law. A member of the Planning Bd. explained the proposed change and the meeting adjourned with no action taken.

**Social Doings**  
 Please feel free to telephone your correspondent at any time whenever you or your friends have a party, out-of-town guests, a wedding, etc. We are also particularly anxious to welcome newcomers to the community, and depend on neighbours to give us this information.



DEE-LICIOUS! That's what Canadian National Railways Chef Instructor Joseph F. Nellis seems to be thinking after producing a fruity plum pudding on a CNR dining car. Chef Nellis and his assistants have spent a month preparing sufficient puddings to serve 21,000 CNR travellers this Yuletide season. Made from a famous century-old recipe, they will be served in all CNR diners between December 16 and January 3. And the puddings are only part of the menu—there'll be ten tons of roast turkey, too.

**St. Clair United Church Scene Of Hamilton-Young Marriage**

St. Clair United Church, Toronto, was the scene of the marriage of Elinor Margaret Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Young, Toronto, to Ernest Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton of Langstaff, on Friday, December 9 at 7:30 o'clock. Officiating at the double ring ceremony was Rev. G. E. Ashten, assisted by Col. S. E. Lambert. Standards of bronze 'mums decorated the church for the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina-length gown of ivory brocade, featuring a bouffant skirt and long torso style waistline. Her ivory coloured veil was of net and she carried a bouquet of ivory coloured daisy 'mums.

Bridal attendants, Miss Nancy Young, maid-of-honour, and a sister of the bride, Misses Dorreen Adair and Marion Wheeler, bridesmaids, were gowned in silk faille in shades of champagne, cinnamon and cocoa. They carried bouquets of gold daisy 'mums.

Best man was William Kehich of Toronto. Ushers were Robert Lanthier and Jack Young, the groom's brother.

For the reception which was held in the church parlours, the bride's mother wore a crystalline dress in charcoal gray with pink accessories. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds. The groom's mother was gowned in a two-piece dress of Havana brown crepe with beige accessories. Her corsage was of Johanna Hill rosebuds.

For travelling, the bride chose a coral coloured dress trimmed with beaded velvet collar, and beige coat and black accessories. Upon their return, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton will live on Northcliffe Blvd.

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**CARS ARE MY LINE**  
 By Bud Lauria

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The slow-joe really is a problem on the road. What do you do, for instance, on a winding stretch where the safe and legal speed is 50 and you're stuck behind a gawker doing 38?

You've got to take your chance at pulling out and around him, and, at that speed, acceleration on most cars is a little sluggish.

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