



MR. AND MRS. ROBERT HIGGS

Married In St. Matthew's United

Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgs following their marriage in St. Matthew's United Church. The bride is the former Carol Shelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shelton of 12 Goldfinch Court, Willowdale, formerly of Richmond Hill and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Higgs of Richmond Hill.

(Photo by Studio Nine)

Community Groups Need Permits To Use County Separate Schools

Adopting a policy of making full use of its schools as possible, York County Separate School Board has adopted regulations for groups making use of school facilities. In at least one case in the county, the school building also serves as a church, in many cases it is used as a parish hall and in most cases is used for other community activities, including Scouts, Cubs, Guides, Brownies, Air Cadets, credit unions, etc.

So that the board will know when the buildings are in use by a representative of the group using the school and by a representative of the board.

Father-In-Law Balks Reeve's Timing

Markham Township Reeve Stewart Rumble can run the township but he can't run his father-in-law. "My father-in-law never changes his watch. . . He's not going to have any municipality telling him what to do," the reeve commented as council went through its annual ritual of establishing daylight saving time for the township Monday night. Reeve Rumble's father-in-law is former Richmond Hill Councillor Wes Middleton.

DST will run from two am, April 27, to two am, October 26, council declared.

and by whom, permits will be issued to all groups, even those who have established use of the premises. The permit setting out the hours of use, purpose, clean-up arrangements, and anticipated attendance will be signed by a representative of the group using the school and by a representative of the board.

The regulations state that all youth activities must end by 12 midnight. For adult groups the time is extended to 11 p.m.

Smoking will be restricted to certain areas and no alcoholic beverages will be permitted.

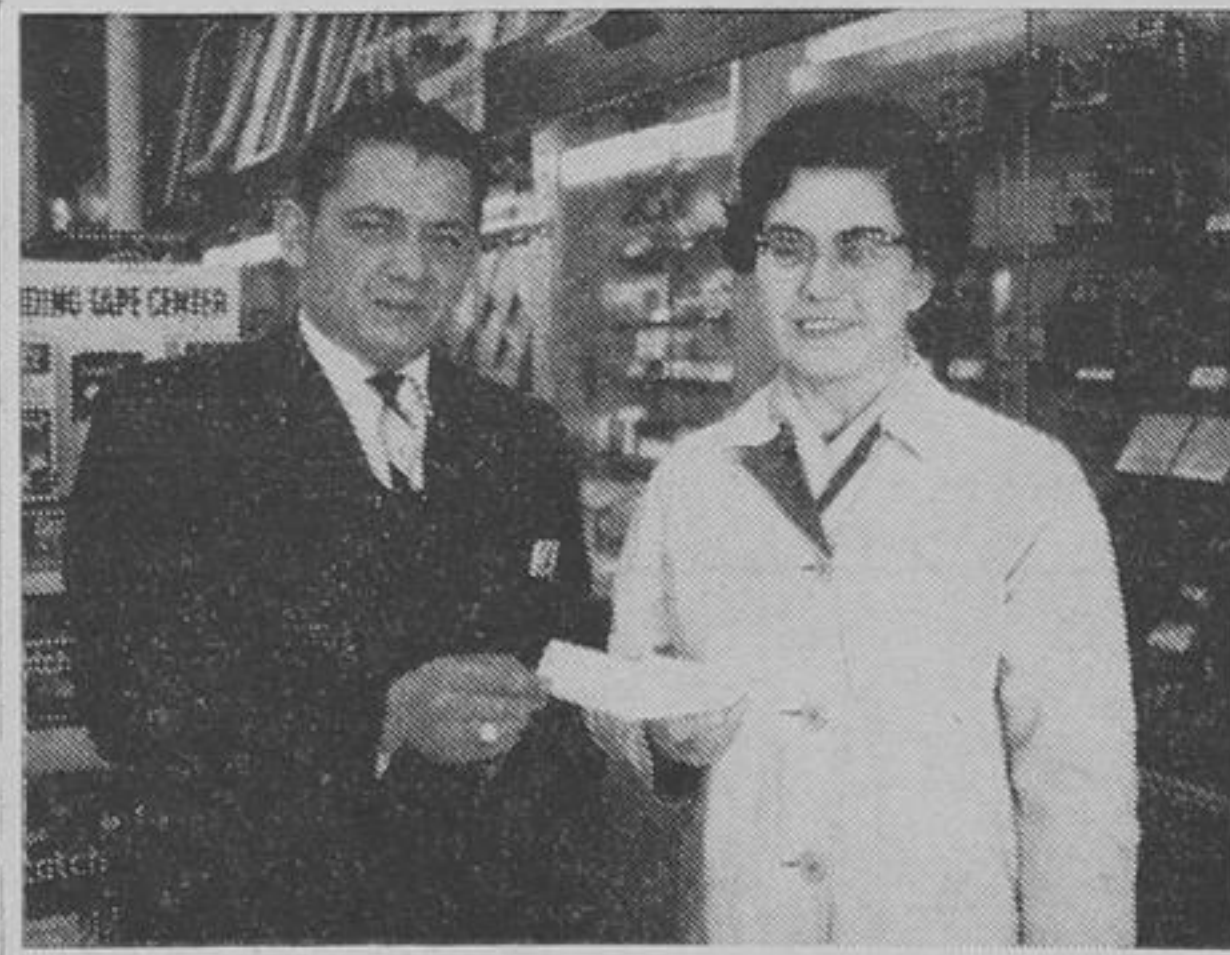
Seditious or disloyal utterances will not be condoned and will automatically revoke the permit.

No organization whose policies militate against the church or country will be granted the use of any property of the board.

Permit holders will not be permitted to operate, adjust or interfere with electrical or mechanical equipment, including lighting and sound equipment, except by special permission.

Permit holders will be required to restrict activities to the designated area and to leave the premises in the same condition as found. Satisfactory adult supervision must be provided for youth activities.

Rubber-soled shoes must be worn for gymnastics or sports activities in the gymnasiums and application of powder, wax or any other preparation to the floor is prohibited.



Triples Her Monthly Cheque

Mrs. Beatrice Lepkey of 259 Ruggles Avenue, Richmond Hill, was winner of the March "Triple Your Baby Bonus" draw at Richmond Heights Centre.

Mrs. Lepkey's monthly family allowance cheque is for \$14. She received an additional \$42 from the centre's merchants when her name was drawn at the end of March. All she had to do was cash her baby bonus cheque in a member store at the centre and enter her name in the draw.

Above Mrs. Lepkey receives her \$42 cheque from Raymond Lenko of the centre's merchants association.

Council Approves Traffic Study

(Continued from Page 1) tal works will be necessary," again suggested Mrs. Hancey.

Thomas Broadhurst contended, as he called for the vote which was carried in the affirmative.

Deputy-reeve Floyd Perkins considered spending another \$2,400 in conjunction with the reconstruction of Yonge Street is well advised, "if we can put in anything to help traffic flow and safety factors. We could be criticized if we go ahead without expert advice. We're all laymen."

Mrs. Hancey added that no member of the town's staff felt qualified to bring in recommendations for traffic operation.

Reeve Donald Plaxton who is the town's finance chief also voiced apprehension of a "large price tag. I don't know where the money is to come from."

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"It should be worth \$2,400 to know what can be done and what should be done," Mayor

Town Police Lay Charges After Month Long Probe Car Accident

Richmond Hill Police capped a month long investigation into a hit and run accident on Boisdale Avenue, Richmond Hill, this week with the arrest of a 48-year-old Elgin Mills man.

lowdale, Ronald Forsythe, 39, of Newmarket and George Newton, 36, of Concession 2, King Township, were charged with possession over \$50. Parsons and Forsythe are also charged with theft. All are employees of the company.

Rolland Parker of Oxford Street, Elgin Mills was charged with failing to remain at the scene of a collision with a parked car, March 8.

Vaughan Township Police are investigating the theft of \$270 worth of copper wire and batteries from the Disposal Services dump on Tespot Sideroad, April 14.

After a joint investigation with the Metro Police a car was found at a vending shop on Lawrence Avenue. Police impounded the car and sent certain parts to the Attorney General's Laboratory in Toronto for analyses.

Three men were charged by Richmond Hill Police over the weekend in connection with the theft of \$255 worth of copper ingots stolen from Ratcliff's of (Canada) Limited, Yonge Street North.

Melvin Parsons, 35, of Willowdale, Ronald Forsythe, 39, of Newmarket and George Newton, 36, of Concession 2, King Township, were charged with possession over \$50. Parsons and Forsythe are also charged with theft. All are employees of the company.

Vandals broke into the church by smashing a basement window. They ransacked the church kitchen and pastor's office but left without taking anything.

York County Sch. Trustees Endorse Policy Of Holding Public Meetings

The York County Board of Education has approved a policy regarding public decision making.

matters where the interests of the ratepayers could be adversely affected by too early public discussion and those staff or student matters where the morale of an individual or a group could be damaged by public discussion.

In a recent statement it was pointed out that the board is conscious that it is a public authority and a political body and as such has the obligation to be visible in its decision making.

"The board acknowledges the right of the community ultimately to have full knowledge of property matters and also the right to have full information and to hear discussion on statistical reports about staff (e.g. qualifications, turnover, hiring costs, courses taken, etc.) and statistical reports on students (e.g. promotion patterns, dropout figures, etc.)" the report stated.

This conviction requires that the board conduct as much of its business as possible in open meetings so that the public will be aware how decisions have been made and who is responsible for those decisions.

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Board Will Keep Taxpayers Informed

The York County Board of Education is going to make an effort to be more informative to the public.

and of keeping the board as aware as possible of the community's objectives and concerns, the report said, it shall be the policy to open many channels for an exchange on matters at the policy level between the ratepayers and the board.

The board agreed in its recent statement that since its members represent the taxpayers and hold in trust assets that belong to the community, many facets of board policy should accurately reflect the wishes of an informed public.

The channels will include contact with community groups, board sponsored meetings of various kinds, publications and encouragement of individuals to attend board meetings.

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Education Minister Meets With Trustees, More Aid

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This includes \$176,000 for the education of trainable retarded children, \$90,000 for salaries of superintendents formerly paid by the Department of Education, and \$42,000 in bank interest charges which the county board will have to pay now be-

cause the province requires monthly remittance of the teachers' 6% annuation fund deductions.

In the past, school boards have used this money as working funds until the end of each year. County boards will now be forced to borrow this amount, with resulting interest charges.

Before approving the revised budget, Trustee Louise Aimee

commented on the austerity of the program.

"We have taken so much out, I am concerned about what is happening in the classroom. At the end of the year, we will be wishing we had done some of the things we have eliminated. We are not serving education."

Trustee Warren Baillie reported that several teachers, who are also ratepayers in the county, had contacted him expressing concern. He pointed out that more than \$66,000 had been deducted from the budget estimate prepared by the former Vaughan Township School Board.

If dollars were an indication of quality, replied Mr. Chapman, the quality of education in Vaughan Township has been extremely high. The per-pupil cost of education in Vaughan, he said, had been much higher than in many other areas in the county.

When Mr. MacKay asked Mrs. Aimee and Mr. Baillie if they would like to add anything to the budget, he got no reply.

Trustee Keith Nisbet of Aurora asked that, if additional relief came from the province, it be used to reduce the municipal tax levy rather than to provide additional services.

In helping to interpret the budget when it was presented to the public, Business Superintendent George Ford outlined various areas where costs are up this year.

Cost of converting to the new county board has been estimated at \$100,000, including renovation of a building for use as board headquarters, maintenance costs of the building, part-time clerical help required during the changeover, and payments of two sets of trustees - new board members and members of the old boards who continued to function in their own areas up to the end of this month.

Anticipating demands for additional fringe benefits for both teachers and caretaking staff, the board budgeted \$116,000 to meet these requirements. The Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) applied as bargaining agent for the caretakers the first week in January, and terms of settlement have not yet been reached.

Extension of kindergartens and Oral French to areas where these have not been available will cost \$80,000 for the September to December term this year.

Increase of costs per pupil is comparable to cost increases in other sectors of the economy, Mr. Chapman said, 7.8% for elementary school pupils and 8.83% for secondary schools. These increases reflect almost exactly to the increases in teachers' salaries, which account for 65.9% of the board's budget.

The revised budget was approved unanimously.

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Do You Know These People?

Richmond Hill Police are searching for these people in connection with the theft of about \$100 worth of photographic equipment recovered recently. Police believe the camera with which this photograph was taken was stolen about three months ago and not reported. Anyone claiming the camera or knowing the identity of these people is requested to contact the Richmond Hill Police Department.

COMING EVENTS
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