

# Clergymen Aid Thornhill Minister During Year Term As Moderator

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work with Alcoholics Anonymous as an honorary member for over 25 years.  
As a church official he visited seven countries in the Far East in 1966.  
From the earliest days of his ministry, Dr. Evans has sought various ways to share his faith with people in their own environment.  
**Dean Of Students**  
As dean of Presbyterian students at the University of Saskatchewan, he learned at first hand how students think, act and react. His contacts with other faiths include joining a group of Protestant clergy to meet with Trappist monks. The monks' vow of silence was rescinded for several hours weekly so they could com-

municate with the visiting churchmen.  
Membership in the Conchrae, Ontario, Polar Bear Club was the passport for Dr. Evans to meet with men in remote logging and mining camps as far north as James Bay.  
He served as public relations chairman for the Canadian Red Cross. He was also on building committees for recreation centres, and has assisted in the work of the Cancer Society. He minister regularly at local senior citizen homes.  
As Assistant Superintendent of Missions for the North and West, Dr. Evans travelled extensively in outlying regions of Canada. This experience proved to be most valuable when he was appointed chairman of the Presbyterian Church General Board of Missions in 1963.

**Active Participant**  
He is an active participant in the many organizations of his church, including dressing room drill talks to boys before they play hockey and practical assistance to any organization beyond the call of duty, such as helping the men of the church cook bacon and eggs for the Good Friday congregational breakfast. The church program relates to all ages. There are three services on each Sunday, and Thornhill Presbyterian Church has the only Sunday evening service in the community.  
Nearly 30 years ago Dr. Evans started two radio programs in Winnipeg. These programs are still on the air. On the CKY "Sunday School of the Air", he narrated a program written with the help of his wife. About the same time he launched the program

"Come to Church" on station CJOB, and this is still heard regularly. He participates in the local ministerial broadcasts, working closely with a member of the congregation to achieve a high standard of production.  
Dr. Evans has also taken part in television through the three-minute presentations run on CTV following the late show.  
He curls with fellow ministers as vice-skip and enjoys golf. He is an avid fan of baseball's Detroit Tigers and the Toronto Maple Leaf Hockey Team.  
**Missions Board Chairman**  
He received his Doctor of Divinity Degree in 1967. In recognition of his 25 years of service to the church's General Board of Missions, he received a citation in 1966. As board of chairman that

year he visited Guyana, India, Japan, Formosa, Switzerland, Hong Kong and Great Britain.  
At Ingersoll, Ontario, in 1961, he received the Kiwanis International Distinguished Service Award.  
**Ordained In Manitoba**  
A graduate in Arts from the University of Alberta, and in Theology from Knox College, Toronto, Dr. Evans was ordained at Norwood, Manitoba in 1941. He received his Bachelor of Divinity Degree in May 1970 at Knox College, Toronto.  
Dr. Evans and his wife Lelia were married in 1942. They have three daughters: Rhondda (Mrs. Murray Morrison), a nurse; Judy, a nurse, and Glenda, a teacher.  
Dr. and Mrs. Evans live at the manse in Thornhill.

# South Vaughan's Thief Likes Car Parks Best

Southern Vaughan Township seems to have a car thief specializing in taking cars from parking lots while the owners are attending public events.  
While the owner was watching the races at Pinecrest Speedway, Highway 7 West, July 25, his car was stolen.  
The next day a car was stolen from its Centre Street parking place in Thornhill while the owner was in church, Vaughan Township Police report.  
The value of property stolen from an Islington Avenue home in a break-in July 26 won't be known until the owners return from holiday.  
Vaughan Police found that someone had pried open the home's sliding doors and had searched the house, apparently looking for money and jewelry. Tools worth \$1,000 were stolen July 26 from Crown Ranch on Jane Street.  
The same day \$94 worth of clothing and cash was stolen from an automobile parked in the Pine Valley Drive and Clubhouse Road area.  
July 27 a battery was removed from construction equipment parked at Concession 6 and Sherwood Road in Richvale.  
At ARC Industries July 22 in Richmond Hill, 321 Enford Road, a record player was stolen by a thief or thieves who broke in through a window.

## REPORT

### Eight People Were Injured Highway Crashes Last Week

Carol Steen of Muirhead Crescent, Oak Ridges, and William Dekoning of 177 Felix Road, Richmond Hill, were both injured in a rear-end collision in front of the Toronto Ladies' Golf Club in Thornhill July 20 at 10:30 am. Both received treatment in York Central Hospital. Damage to the two vehicles was estimated at \$1,600. Provincial Constable Robert Jones was the investigating officer.  
Fourteen-year-old Ann Pilotte of 226 Demaine Crescent, Richmond Hill and 13-year-old Shirley Hancock were admitted to York Central Hospital July 20, with injuries suffered in an accident on Highway 400 south of the Aurora Road at noon. Ann suffered shock and leg injuries and Shirley a fractured collar bone. Property damage was estimated at \$2,200. Provincial Constable Bert Carr was in charge of the investigation.  
On Highway 48 a half mile north of Ringwood, July 24 at 11:55 pm, a disabled car was being pushed southward by four youths. Another southbound car collided into the rear of the vehicle being pushed and struck Joseph Loretto, 15 of Goodwood, who suffered a broken leg. He was treated at Scarborough Centenary Hospital. John Rattelle, 28, of 119 Trinity Street, Toronto, driver of the second car suffered lacerations to his head. Damage was estimated at \$700. Provincial Constable Robert Pegg investigated.  
Two persons were injured on Highway 27, two miles north of Highway 7 at 11:30 am July 25. Lawrence Ouellette, 49, 903 Albert Road, Windsor, driver of the car involved, suffered a whiplash. His wife Laura Ouellette, 47, suffered lacerations to her leg. Both received treatment at Peel Memorial Hospital. Investigating officer was Provincial Constable Keith Stacey and damage was estimated at \$1,100.  
The intersection of Highway 7 and Jane Street was the site of an accident at 10:20 am July 25, which sent Ethel Turner, 56, 74 Primrose Avenue, Hamilton to York-Finch Hospital with leg injuries. Damage was estimated at \$650, by investigating officer Provincial Constable Jim Roy.

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## R. Hill Intends To Use Capacity

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is requested to do so when overall-servicing is implemented by the OWRC. A further stipulation was that the township participate in the proposed regional servicing scheme.  
The mayor was asked on motion of Councillors Lois Hancey and David Schiller to write to Chairman Donald Collins of the OWRC to inform them that the proposed sewer main extension to the hospital and school has not been constructed and the existing hospital and school are connected temporarily to the Richmond Hill sewage disposal system. Both will be connected to the new plant when constructed and the town intends to participate in the plan as specified in the order-in-council.  
The latter statement was challenged by Councillor Eric George, who stated that the 1970 council, "To my knowledge has never discussed using any part of the capacity of this plant."  
Councillor Hancey outlined the progress of the proposed plan plans to date and stated the 4,200 person capacity allotted to Richmond Hill "will pretty well take care of the west side of town. I think we

## Dynes Defeat Tony's And Landers By 4-1

Richmond Hill Dynes Jewellers downed Oshawa Tony's 4-1 Tuesday night in Oshawa behind the five-hit pitching of Bob Domik.  
Domik was aided by a two-run homerun by Vere Small and a single roundtrip shot by Bob Smith, all in the first inning.  
Dynes rapped out seven hits off Ace Oshawa Lefty Pete Landers.  
Domik struck out 13 for Richmond Hill.  
**Credit Union Assets Pass Quarter \$Million**  
Cy Relph, the treasurer-manager of the community credit union in Richmond Hill, reports that an historic milestone has been reached and passed when the assets of the credit union passed the quarter of a million dollars. The end of June financial statement indicates that the credit union has assets of \$259,508.  
The local credit union is being assisted in its growth and development by another, much larger credit union.

## Lightning Knocks Man Six Feet

Lightning just before 5 pm Tuesday knocked Bruce Thomas of 347 Kerswell Drive six feet across his basement.  
He wasn't injured and there was no damage.  
"It must have hit the hydro wires in the rear of the house, coming along the wires and down the house wiring to the ground."  
"I was really scared. That was an awful close call, closest I ever had."  
"There was just an awful flash of light and a big spark underneath the back stairs of the house. It was like an explosion," Mr. Thomson said.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomson were both in the basement. He was doing some work on a small printing machine he operates.  
"Next thing I knew I was sitting on my backside six feet away, wondering what had happened. Then my wife came into the recreation room," he said.

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Councillor Gordon Ratcliff

## Ratcliff Is Candidate

Whitchurch-Stouffville  
Whitchurch Councillor Gordon Ratcliff, 52, of Baker Hill (RR2, Stouffville) last week announced he will be a candidate in Ward Four of the new Township of Whitchurch-Stouffville when municipal election time rolls around October 5.  
Born in Markham Township, Councillor Ratcliff has lived 50 years in Whitchurch Township and attended school in Stouffville. His Ward Four includes part of Stouffville and he lives within the boundaries of the ward he has chosen.  
Prior to his election to Whitchurch Council last year, Mr. Ratcliff for 10 years was a member of the Stouffville High School Board. He is also president of the Stouffville District Credit Union.  
His wife is the former Sadie Ward of Claremont. They have two children, a son, Ian, who operates the family poultry and pig farm with his father, and a daughter, Mrs. Diane Stouffer, who lives in Thornhill.  
"With the January 1 change to regional government in York, it will be like the school board situation is now," says Councillor Ratcliff.  
"We're going to have to watch very closely as costs are going to run away on us. This is a very critical time to have a role in local government," says the Ward Four candidate.  
Ward Four includes the area between Concession 8 and 9, north of Main Street and west of the railway tracks. The northerly boundary runs between Lots 13 and 14.

## Five Bayview Garages Burglarized July 22

Two young Richmond Hill men were arrested by town police at 3:55 pm July 22 in connection with five town service station burglaries and a Markham Township burglary.  
All five town service station break-ins occurred the night before.  
Facing criminal charges in Richmond Hill Provincial Court are Russell Bursley, 21, of 254 Axminster Drive and James Bell, 24, of 36 Arnold Crescent.  
Police said there was a loss totalling about \$70, including \$10 in damage, at Joe's Super-test, Markham Road and Bayview Avenue.  
There was an estimated \$10 damage and a theft of \$25 at Schwartz Texaco, Elgin Mills Road East and Bayview Avenue.  
At Yonge and Richmond Streets \$21 was taken in a break-in.  
At Dan's Ezzo Station, Bayview Avenue South and Markham Road, damage was estimated at \$20 and there was a \$20 theft.  
At Nyerges Shell station, Markham Road and Bayview Avenue South there was a \$10 theft and \$10 damage to window glass in the break-in.  
DOWNSVIEW — Peter Pupo, 48 Cobb Avenue, was disconnecting a 550-volt cable from a punch machine at Canon Steel view Avenue.  
He was pronounced dead on arrival at Humber Memorial Hospital.

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