

Leading provincial and York County municipal officials along with representatives of the local press, September 12 attended a cocktail party at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borden's Tannery Hill Farm before joining Premier Robarts' cavalcade to the second annual King Township Conservative Association Beer and Oyster Party.

Photographed on the lawn at Tannery Hill Farm during the cocktail party were, from (left to right) York County Warden and King Township Reeve Gordon Cook, Premier John Robarts and York Region Chairman Garfield Wright of East Gwillimbury.

### 1,200 King Tories Meet Premier Robarts

Premier John Robarts, six other Cabinet Ministers, six members of the Legislature, and several York Region municipal executives were among the 1,200 guests September 12 at the Second Annual King District Progressive Conservative Association beer and oyster party.

The gala affair began at 3 pm at the Kingscross Estates home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Walker, King City, and continued until 11 pm.

Outdoor dancing and a Charolais beef barbecue were featured. A warm sunny day and a languid evening added up to almost perfect weather for such an outdoor event.

The party was held on behalf of the new King Central Library Canadiana Section.

Members of Cabinet and

Legislature, Ontario Progressive Conservative Party officials, local municipal dignitaries, and members of the local press were entertained during the afternoon at a cocktail party given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borden of Tannery Hill Farm, King Road.

Those attending the cocktail party followed Prime Minister Robarts in an automobile cavalcade to the oyster party.

Included among the leading personalities attending were: John Robarts, premier and MLA for London North; Bert Lawrence, Minister of Finance and Commercial Affairs, and MLA for Carleton East; Thomas Wells, Minister of Health and

MLA for Scarborough North; Allan Lawrence, Minister of Mines and Northern Affairs, and MLA for St. George; Darcy Mc-

Keough, Minister of Municipal Affairs and MLA for Chatham-Kent; William Davis, Minister of Education and MLA for Peel North; Robert Welch, Provincial Secretary and Minister of Citizenship, and MLA for Lincoln; Matthew Dymond, former Minister of Health and MLA for Ontario; Arthur Evans, MLA for Simcoe Centre; Gordon Smith, MLA for Simcoe East; William Newman, MLA for Ontario South; Douglas Kennedy, MLA for Peel South; and William Hodgson, MLA for York North.

Also attending were: Allan Eagleson, president of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association; Arthur Harnett, executive director of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association; and Donald Martin, executive assistant to Premier Robarts. Mr. Martin is a resident of Sutton area in the northern part of the county.

Local municipal officials attending included: York County Warden and King Township Reeve Gordon Cook; York Region Chairman Garfield Wright; Stouffville Reeve Ken Laushway, Aurora Mayor Dick Illingworth; and King Township Councillor Mrs. Margaret Britnell.

York North Member of the Legislature Hodgson was master of ceremonies during the oyster party.

He noted how the annual gathering was started in 1969 by the riding executive under the leadership of Dr. Jack Saunders. He said several other similar PC events had since been held in other sections of York County, the previous largest attendance having been 700 people.

Mr. Hodgson said he was pleased to see so many members of cabinet attending. There were enough to hold a caucus meeting, he said.

He introduced his wife Eliza and party hostess Mrs. Hugo Walker.

Mr. Hodgson then introduced the government party members and municipal leaders to the assembly by calling them to the platform. This same platform would later serve dancers doing the Watusi, twist, polka, and

**BOB ADAMS**  
COUNCILLOR  
Ward 1 - Markham

### International Furniture Centre

## Vaughan Gives A Second Choice To Purchaser Of Industrial Land

Joseph Frieburg of the International Furniture Centre, located at Keele and Highway 7, will have another chance to negotiate to retain possession of a 5.28 acres of industrial land on the northwest corner of the cul-de-sac on Snidercroft Road, south of Maple. This was the decision of Vaughan Township Council at its meeting September 8.

On February 25, 1969, council accepted an offer of purchase at a price of \$21,000 per acre from Mr. Frieburg and Edward Goldberg, as trustee for a company to be incorporated.

The sale agreement provided that if the purchaser did not substantially complete a building containing not less than 30,000 square feet by July 31 this year the township would have the option of repurchasing at the original purchase price.

When on that date there was no evidence of proposed construction on the site and the mortgage due at the end of June remained unpaid, council, at its August 10 meeting, decided to exercise this option and instructed the township solicitor to so inform the purchasers.

At its most recent meeting, Mr. Frieburg and solicitor appeared before council, stating

the company was prepared to pay the mortgage and begin construction of a 30,000 square foot building (part of an eventually much larger structure) immediately.

"We need the site because of the railroad siding and need the building as a furniture warehouse," Mr. Frieburg stated.

He explained that he had been unable to raise the money for the 140,000 sq. ft. building originally planned, because of the tight money situation but his company could finance a 30,000 square foot building, without a mortgage. He pointed out that the International Furniture Centre at Keele and No. 7 was to have been 60,000 square feet but that 83,000 square feet was the actual size of the building, which houses a retail furniture

business and furniture warehouse as well as other businesses. Warehousing at that location is uneconomical, he explained, because of the lack of a railway siding. "Our furniture is shipped in box cars and we have to truck it from the railway to our present building," he stated.

Mr. Frieburg defined immediately (at the request of Councillor Dalton McArthur) as, "as soon as we can get a building permit." He estimated that 30 days would be necessary to produce working drawings of the proposed building.

Mr. McArthur pointed out that the building inspector should be consulted immediately. "We sometimes give a two-stage building permit which would permit you to pour footings and foundation while waiting for your plans to be completed," the councillor stated.

Mr. Frieburg was to meet with Administrator James McDonald on Wednesday to see if a satisfactory agreement could be reached. He had expressed willingness to pay taxes as of July 31 as if the building had been built by that date.

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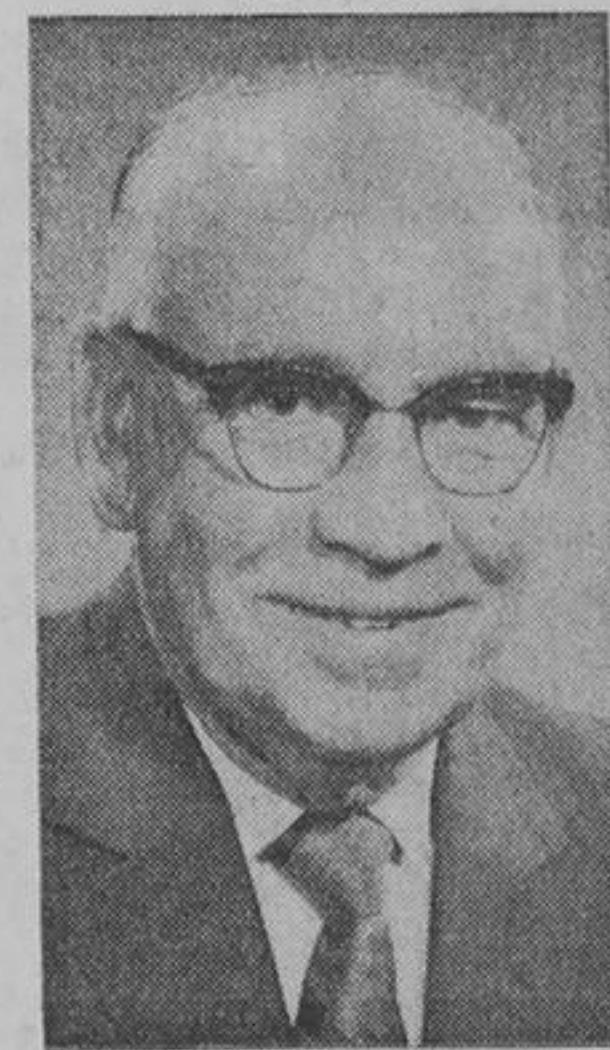
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- \* A continuation of a balance between industrial and residential assessment and a request for re-assessment to protect residents from a sky rocketing mill rate.
- \* Planned development with controls to ensure open space, first class educational facilities, pollution controls and improved services for all residents.
- \* A close liaison between the regional council, the municipal council and ratepayer organizations.
- \* A recommendation that in all future elections, the council for the Town of Vaughan, be elected by wards to ensure a town-wide representation.

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## VOTE

Monday, October 5, 1970  
ELECT



**ALBERT H. RUTHERFORD**  
REGIONAL COUNCILLOR

### Approved In Principal Open School Study To Involve 300 Students

Parents and teachers have been expressing concern about the level of learning in new open schools, wondering how it compares with learning in conventional schools.

York County Board of Education also wants to know just what is happening, and at a meeting August 31 approved in principle a three year study of levels of academic achievement in the two types of schools.

Many research studies have been conducted to measure success in changing the behaviour of pupils and the new kind of teaching required in schools with non-gradedness and with open space, the board was told.

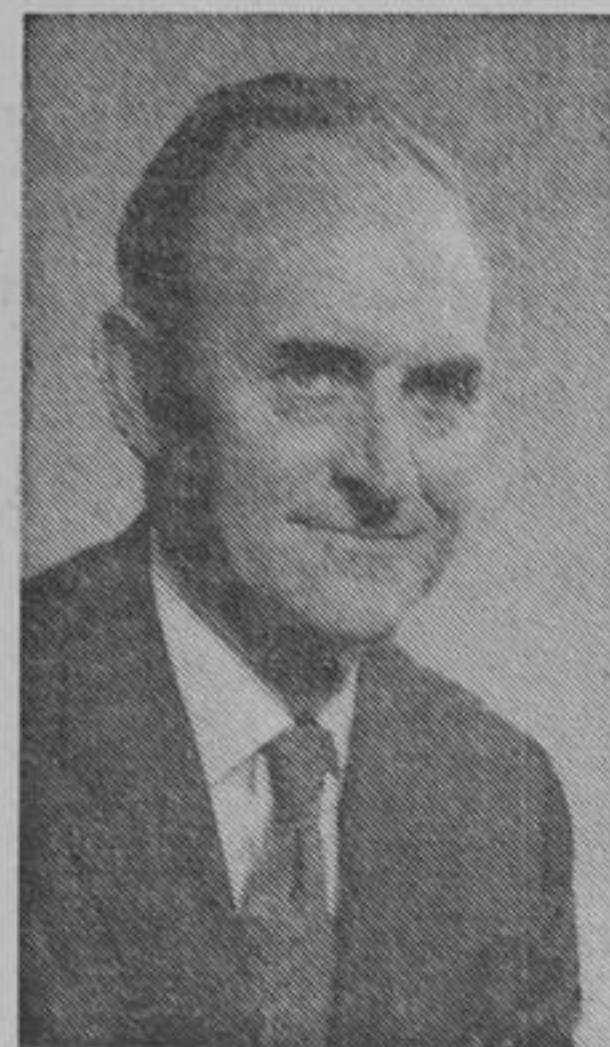
There is, however, an increasing uneasiness concerning the "knowledge" of the students in these new kinds of schools. Parents and professionals alike want to know if there is any change in the quality of learning because of the accepted new behavioral goals in the schools with this different environment.

In recommending approval of a study, staff proposed that approximately 150 grade 1 students enrolling in Meadowbrook School in East Gwillimbury and Whitchurch Highlands School this fall should have their progress matched with a similar number of students in traditionally "graded" schools.

The study would be conducted largely by the staff of the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education with the assistance of the county board's research office, and will concentrate on arithmetic and reading skill development.

If possible, information on personal and social development will also be included.

The board approved the study in principle, and when the general research design is completed and costs ascertained, it will be asked to approve these in detail before making a final decision to proceed with the study.



HAROLD (HI) LAWRIE

## ELECT HAROLD LAWRIE

As One of the Two  
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for the

**TOWN OF MARKHAM**

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