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To ease the pressure on to be corrected and deletions the staff of the town clerk's made before time for coun-

begin will continue.

This means that requests | Council committees have following council meeting This will permit any errors and the works committee has decided to meet Wednesday mornings following council meeting.

> Airport and its effect on 000. data it will be used by the also chairman of the com- teachers could visit, or call tation from the public. town at public hearings. If in agreement with government findings it will not be

Board Against Dropping Library

Despite an attempt by Trustee Don Sim of up the courier to deliver Markham to bring about a \$100,000 change of material they needed. thinking in its plans, York County Board of Edu-was concerned, he said he cation agreed that a library and board and meet- had always insisted the room ing rooms should be retained in the proposed new be large enough so anyone administration building.

Speaking to the the board March 25, Mr. Sim they were blocking the door. said he didn't think the centre was the proper Richmond Hill, who supportspot for a professional library for teachers, as it ed Mr. Sim's plea to drop probably wouldn't be used by other than the the library from the plans, teachers in Aurora.

years," Mr. Sim said.

He said he was also ag- rooms; also supplying books ainst providing 31,000 square to all the schools would be feet for a board and meeting very costly.

BIG SAVINGS

of 1,000 square feet with an supported the idea of having functional building; one that adjacent (severable) room of the library in the Aurora could handle expansion. The STOUFFVILLE: Council 600 square feet, opening to centre. They felt it would present library was closet has authorized an American 1,600 square feet, and an- be good for their morale if size — "a disgrace" — and firm to prepare an indepen- other room of 300 square they could drop in, she said. anyone who took a tour of dent report on anticipated feet, would be ample for the Trustee John Raniowski the Aurora offices now "noise" that could result board. He said his proposal of Schomberg, said he would be astounded that from the proposed Pickering would save the board \$100,- thought Mr. Sim would have they got anything done.

The board should make mittee looking into the ad- raries developed. preceding regular council ber before council meetings the same materials available ministration building, said in the library to each school that, in their talks with be so constructed as to in the area. "I don't think school principals, the latter make adjustments easily. many teachers will be drop- had said they would like to ping in here for a cup of come to the centre. A great coffee in the next couple of deal of thought had gone into planning the board

> rooms. They were primarily Trustee Warren Bailie of there for the use of the Richmond Hill, said that, if sidering building a Taj board and weren't really nec- anything, a larger board Mahal," said Trustee John room was needed.

Trustee Doreen Quirk of Stouffville, Mr. Sim said a board room Markham, said the teachers He said they wanted a

learned from the recent la- A larger board room was Whitchurch - Stouffville. If Vice-Chairman Tom John- bor difficulties; the library needed, as there was now contradictory to government ston of Keswick, who was was needed so that the going to be more represen-

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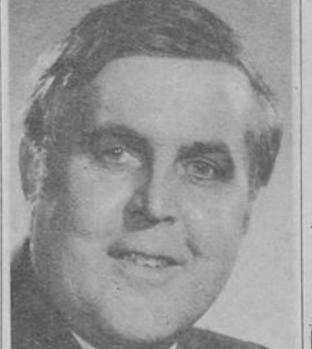
and appliances too.

around all over town?

could visit and not be told said he would like to see two or three regional lib-

Also, the building should NO TAJ MAHAL

Another Richmond Hill Trustee, Robert Houghton, who also supported Mr. Sim, said all open space off the board room should be used to accommodate large groups. "At no time were we con-McMurray, of Whitchurch-



DONALD SIM Suggests Big Savings

Trustee John MacKay of Markham, who several times tried without success to find out what kind of information the board had received from the teachers on the library, said if the board felt the teachers would use it, 'we shouldn't shortchange

for the Langstaff area.

money then please phone

subsequently voted against, and the board agreed to accept the administration committee's prospectus, plus an amendment by Mr. Allen to carry out additional study on the site. It was necessary to find the best location in order to minimize costs, because of the unstable soil, he said.

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Assistant Deputy Minister of Health, Ontario

Dated at Richmond Hill this 3rd day of April, 1974, by order of the Board of Trustees.

YORK CENTRAL

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ANNUAL MEETING

of the Members of the York Central Hospital

Association will be held in the

York Central Hospital

TUESDAY, the 9th DAY of

APRIL, 1974

at the hour of 8:30 p.m. to:

(a) Receive and consider the Annual Reports

J. C. Hepburn, Secretary

CONSUMER Buy-Line

Watch out for distribution schemes that promise big profits

It looked like the opportunity of a lifetime when I spotted the ad in the newspaper offering distributorships for a relatively small investment. The meeting with the company selling the distributorships was very professionally handled. Before I knew it I was turning over my savings and signing on the "dotted line". The company, based in the United States, promised to provide me with a number of electronic wall games for use in taverns and locations where I could place the games. Once the games were installed the company indicated that all I would have to do would be to sit back and collect my money. Well it didn't work out exactly like that The machines I received are of poor quality. On top of this I can't get service in Canada and the locations provided by the company have proved to be almost 100 miles from my home. I invested over \$3,000 but in six months, I have only recovered \$35.

I think you should warn people about investing in these retail distribution schemes.

Everyone dreams of making a profit with little investment and spare-time effort, but few schemes offering these advantages can deliver what they promise.

Many of the companies selling these so-called distributorships are based in other jurisdictions. They have no Canadian offices and often stay in a city only long enough to get a group of people together for a sales pitch and sign them to contracts.

The company selling the distributorship is supposed to supply locations where you, the distributor, can sell the product. You are supposed to make a profit by marking up the price before it is sold to the public. Complaints received by the Ontario Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations indicate that many companies fail to provide suitable locations. It is left up to you, the distributor, to find retail outlets that will accept such things as vending machines or display cases. In most cases the distributor has little or no knowledge in this area.

The owners of these retail outlets have no real commitment to sell or promote your merchandise. The company with which you signed the contract has already made its money on the sale of the games. All too often people entering into these schemes are left without adequate retail support or training to handle the problems that develop.

Look before you leap

Recently, I signed to become a distributor for a popular brand name product. I invested all my savings, was given a list of "secured" locations and took delivery of the merchandise. Then the problems began. The retail outlets, which are miles from home, don't seem to want the goods in their stores. I am now left with \$2,500 worth of merchandise that is difficult to sell. What can I do?

In most cases, the contracts for these "distributorships" are legally binding. They are drawn up to protect the company and leave the individual investor or distributor without guarantees or rights of cancellation. Companies pushing this type of distributorship urge investors to sign contracts on the spot following a high pressure sales pitch.

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Contact a lawyer and have him explain the terms of the

 Never sign a contract without looking at all the implications. Don't be taken in by high pressure sales and promises of

substantial return for a small investment. Other types of business opportunities can also cause you

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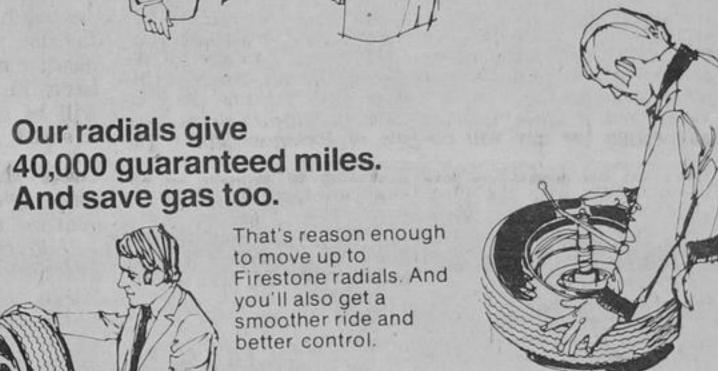
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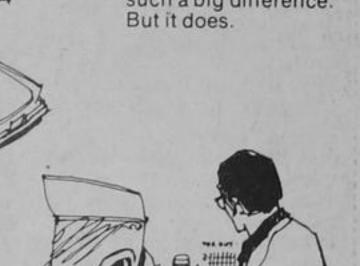
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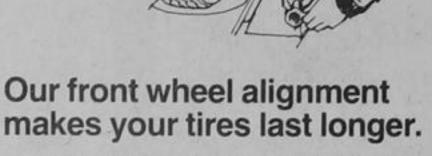
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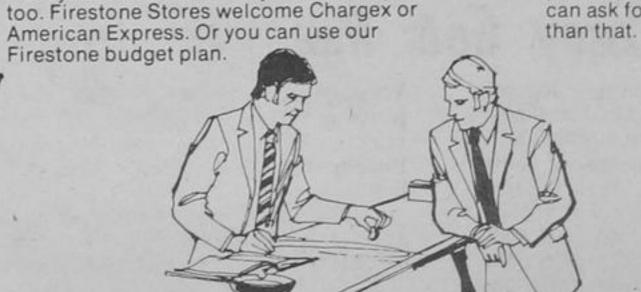
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