



(Photo by Susan Samila)

## Induction At Richmond Hill United

It was a happy evening for the congregation of Richmond Hill United Church and neighboring clergy who turned out for the recent induction of the church's new Minister Rev. Robert Shorten and joined in the reception that followed.

Officiating at the induction service was Rev. Robert McElhinney of St. Paul's United, Lake Wilcox, chairman of York Presbytery; Presbytery Vice-Chairman Miss Ella Taylor of Richmond Hill United and Rev. James Gibson, secretary of Presbytery. Guest preacher was Rev. Donald Parr of Markham. An informal coffee hour followed in the main hall of the church with refreshments provided by the UCW.

Rev. Shorten is a graduate of Queen's

University and Theological College with a master's degree in sacred theology, and has taken post graduate studies in numerous areas of pastoral relations. His first full-time pastorate was in North-Eastern Quebec and Labrador. Before coming to Richmond Hill he served as minister at Division Street United Church, Owen Sound, for about eight years. He succeeded Rev. Robert Smith in July when Rev. Smith accepted the charge as senior minister at Eglinton United Church in Toronto.

Pictured (left to right) are Mrs. Shorten and Rev. Shorten greeting members of their congregation, Bill and Hazel Lake. The Shortens have three daughters, Jane, 17, Margaret, 14 and Elizabeth, 10.

## Converter Adds Cable Channels

Local Cable TV subscribers can receive up to 30 television channels by use of a new electronic converter system now available through Classic Communications Ltd. The portable converter unit is now being marketed throughout its cable system.

At present 16 channels are available to those subscribers purchasing the converter unit, but as new channels become available they will be able to add these to their expanding entertainment package.

A future possibility for users of local cable services is current movies playing at major theatres in and around Toronto, shop at home price guides, airport arrival/departure schedules, stock mar-

ket reports, constant news data sources, etc. etc. The portable converter allows the viewer to change channels and fine tune the set by remote control besides providing additional channels. It is available from local electronics stores or from Classic Communications Ltd.

Library Board has approved the hiring of a professional librarian and given its chairman John Borst a vote of confidence at a stormy meeting. Several board trustees and Mayor Bob Forhan felt Borst acted illegally when he took steps to implement a finance committee recommendation calling for the hiring of the librarian without approval of the full board.

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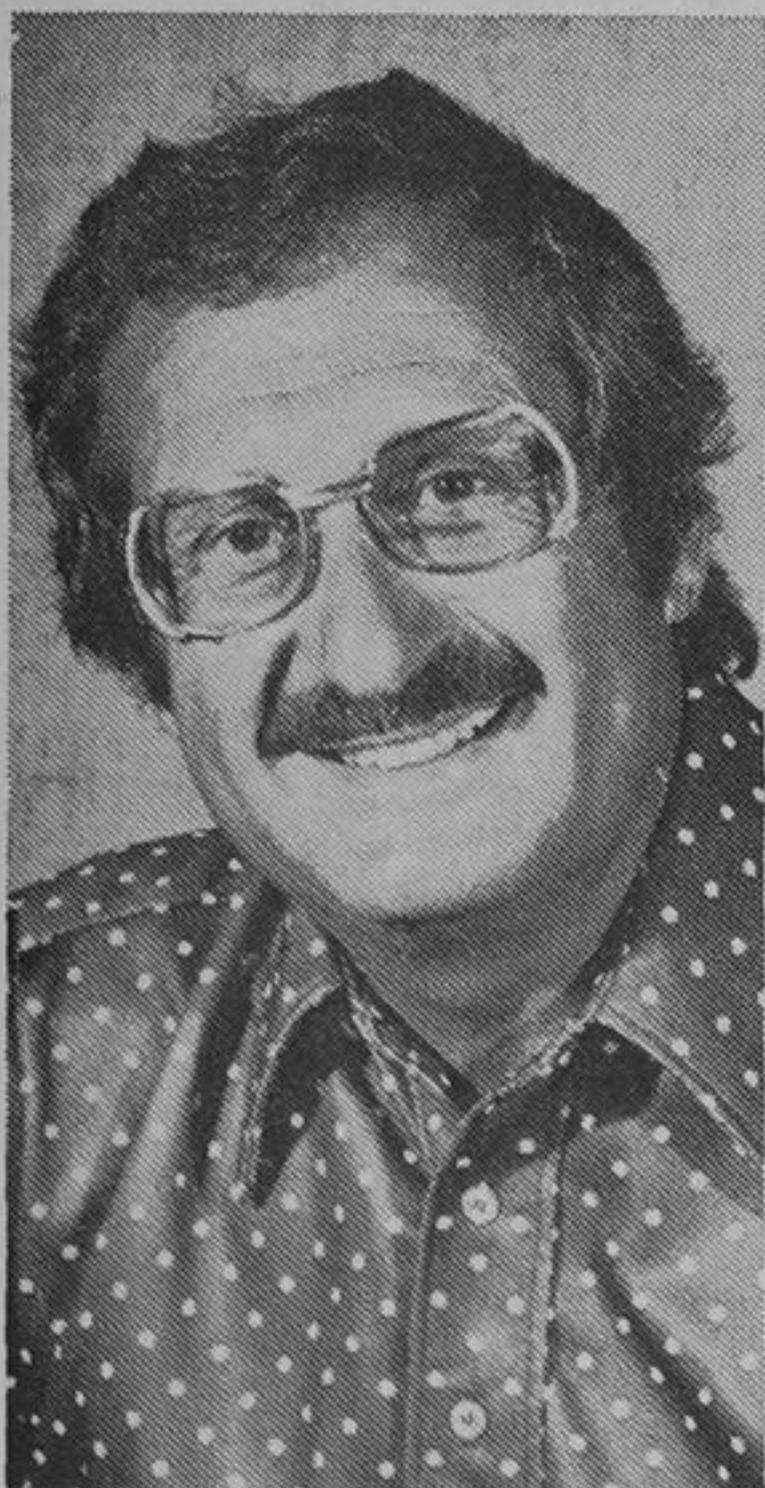
THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF RICHMOND HILL will consider the Staff Report "Mobile Homes in Richmond Hill?" at their October 7th meeting at 7:30 P.M. in the Council Chambers. Copies of the report will be available at the Planning Department after September 26th, for \$2.30.

Anyone wishing to speak at the Council meeting must inform the Clerk, Mr. M. Clement, Town of Richmond Hill, P.O. Box 300, Richmond Hill by Friday, September 4th, 1974.

## Liberal Classifieds Get Results

"Some of my best friends are cows, and how I helped some very nice people without realizing it."

BY WALLY CROUTER



hand. But if all of a sudden there's a strange voice in the barn, you get a bad reaction from the cows."

I say a little bull in the barn never hurt anything. Some of the stories really move me, like when people have accepted me as part of their family. One particular story I remember, a little on the morbid side, but this woman said that she and her husband always listened to the show and they had been married for years and years. They accepted me as a friend even though we had never met.

Now her husband was an invalid and one morning she went down to make him tea and when she came back up I was still talking but he was dead. So I was the last voice he heard.

She said, "I don't know what this means to you, but having you there then seemed natural to me, you were very close to both of us."

Another story was about this man and woman whose only son was killed in a car accident.

It was such an emotional upset to the wife that the husband had to quit work. He had to take a leave of absence, and they had to visit a psychiatrist.

This was their only son, so the doctor said that there obviously had to be some kind of substitute in the woman's life.

One morning they're sitting listening to the radio and

the husband says, "Well, why don't we adopt Wally Crouter as our son? Could you be content with that, that all of a sudden he's taking the place of our son? In that way you're not alone. If I do go back to work, you'll have somebody with you all the time."

So they adopted me as their son. I didn't know anything about it until they came to see me three or four years later.

I was making a personal appearance and a very nice looking couple came up and explained everything. Now, of course, the woman was back to normal and they had come to release me back to myself again.

The husband said, "You're released, you don't have to be our son anymore. You didn't know, but you were. We still listen to you, but we've adjusted ourselves to our problem. But you filled such an important part at that time, we felt we just had to let you know."

That sort of story kind of makes you humble because although you tend to look on the radio show as just a job, I think you do perform a service in people's lives.

*Personally yours  
Wally Crouter*

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## Victoria Square News

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### Church News

The installation service for Rev. Victor Shepherd, who is the minister for the Victoria Square charge, will be held September 29 at 11:30 am in Victoria Square United.

Miss Ella Taylor of Richmond Hill will install him. The service of installation will be part of the morning worship.

Tyros, a group for young boys between the ages of 7-11 years is soon to be formed. All young lads interested in this group kindly watch this column for the time and date.

### Neighborhood Notes

Birthday greetings to Harry Barber, September 24; Mrs. Fred McRoberts, September 28; Peter DeVries, September 28 and Bert Nichols, October 1.

Wedding anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rumney, married 52 years, September 30. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Harmon have returned after spending the past three

weeks holidaying in England, Scotland and Wales. They report having a wonderful time.

Mrs. Eva Conover, Mrs. Adeline Bailey and Miss Dorothy Barber all of Toronto spent Thursday of last week with their brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barber.

The annual auction, rummage, produce, bake sale and snack bar sponsored by the Lions in the community hall September 21 was very successful. A lucky draw on a chocolate layer cake was won by Auctioneer Gordon Orr of King City. On behalf of the Lions, President David Beadle would like to thank everyone for their donations and all who helped in any way to make it such a success.

A speedy recovery is wished for Miss Mary Muirhead who underwent surgery last week in York County Hospital, Newmarket. Her room number is

203. A speedy recovery is also wished for Herb Boynton who is ill in York Central Hospital, Richmond Hill. His room number is 409.

The first euchre of the fall season will be held in the community centre October 4 at 8 pm. Ladies please provide lunch.

NEWMARKET: Construction on a \$3 million provincial courthouse in Newmarket is expected to begin in March according to Ontario Government Services Minister James Snow. Judge Clare Morrison has been conducting a drive for improved court facilities in Newmarket referring to the court as "one of the most expensive pigpens in Ontario."

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## Register Now For Cubs To Venturers

The 5th Richmond Hill Cubs, Scouts and Venturers, who meet in Richmond Hill United Church, will be holding registration each Monday evening from September 30 to October 21 in the Scout Hall, starting at 7 pm. The program for all age groups will be getting underway immediately. This group suffered the loss of several elders at the end of last season, but has now been able to fill the vacancies and invites all boys of the ages served by Cubs, Scouts and Venturers to register as soon as possible.

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