Thornhill's Gula Markham Town trustee hopeful



Walter Gula

Markham schools hopeful Walter Gula, 31, a resident

Walter Gula, 31, a resident of Thornhill for three years, is seeking election to one of the three Markham seats on the York County Board of Education December 2. As a teacher in North York for 7½ years at the secondary level, Gula is deeply concerned about our educational system. He feels many problems exist and places the blame for

What convinced him he should run was the results of a test authorized by the York County Board of Education which revealed students in grades 2, 4, 6 and 8 scored well below the national average with regard to basic skills in mathematics and spelling. These results, Gula says, indicate students of seven years ago scored better.

Nothing now

these squarely on the

shoulders of the present

"Yet it was the general opinion of the trustees that nothing should be done now. They felt they should wait and see what happens in 'a year or two'. I just couldn't believe it!" he says.

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"They were faced with a problem — they had proof a problem existed and they effectively ignored it. I don't know how important the present trustees feel public school is, but as far as I am concerned it is the most important level in the entire educational system," he said.

"If our children are to get a proper education, they need devoted, well-qualified teachers and an optimum learning environment. However, contacts with top notch teachers employed by other boards have shown they would not seriously consider teaching in York County.

"Other fine teachers at

present working in York County are trying to find positions with other boards. This situation has developed over the last few years as a result of deteriorating board-teacher relations. The travesty that occurred last January only served to worsen matters.

"We cannot allow another board of trustees to accept teachers' resignations and have our children miss six weeks of valuable study at the high school level. The situation was intolerable.

"Our students definitely suffered, especially those who went on to university this year," Gula continued.

Gula objectives

His objectives are: a board of trustees who will not only solicit advice of parents but will seriously consider it and act accordingly.

Proper spending of our educational dollar to create the best possible learning situation for our children.

Better planning to remove or at least alleviate overcrowding of schools in

newly-developed areas.

Up-to-date facilities with thoroughly competent teachers who know how to make maximum use of them; and introduction of junior kindergartens.

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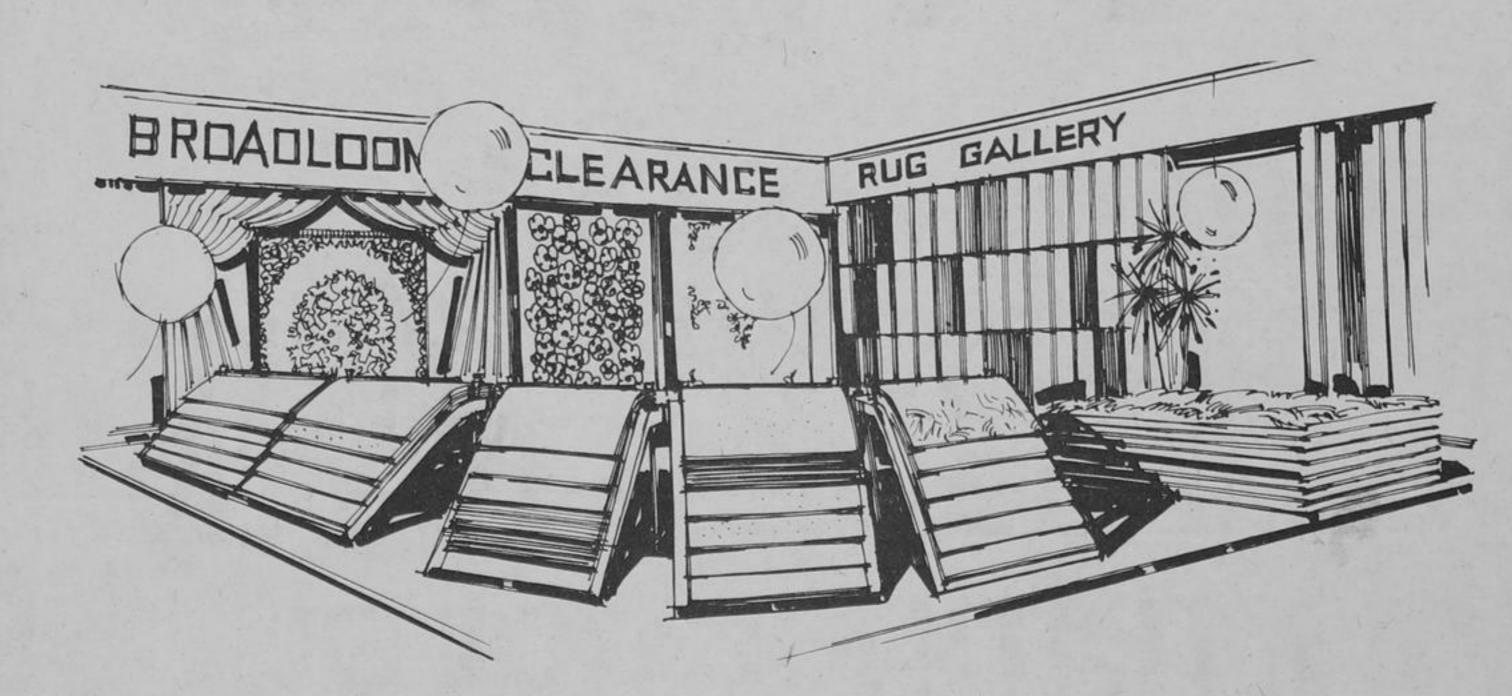
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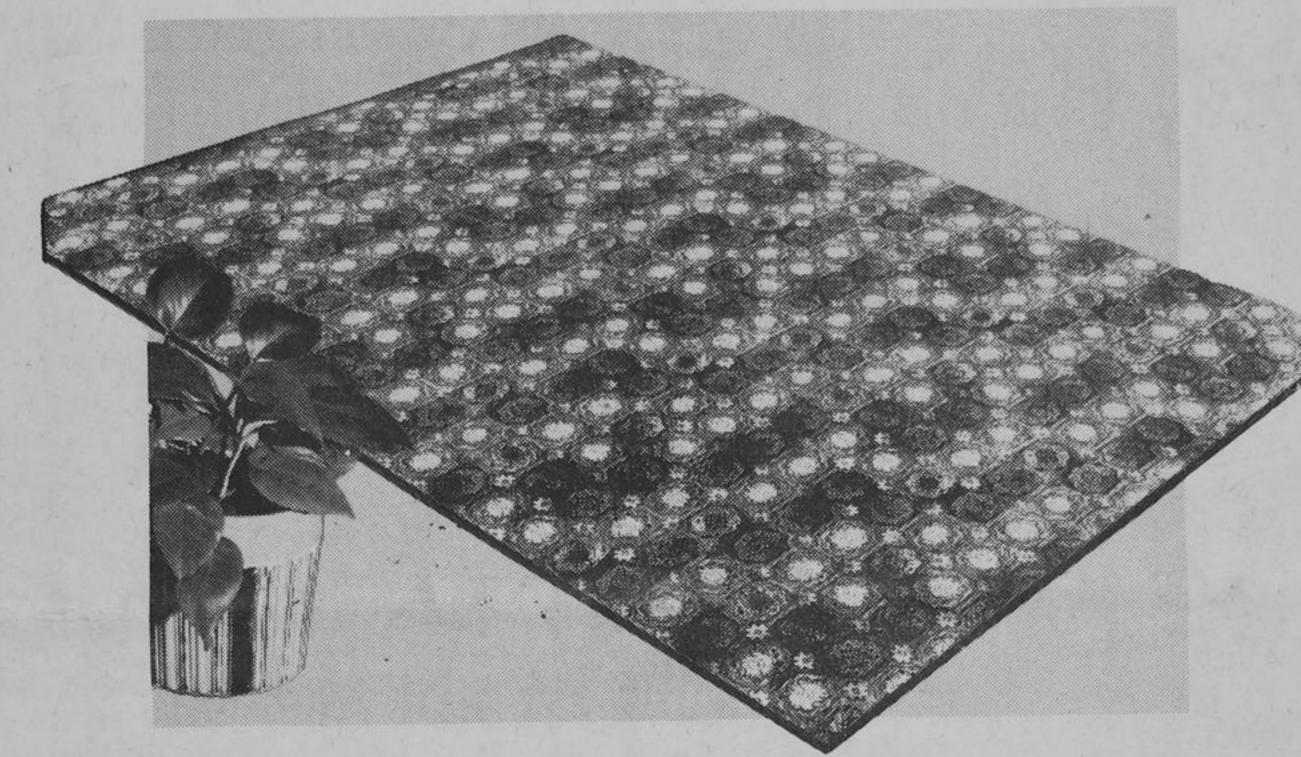
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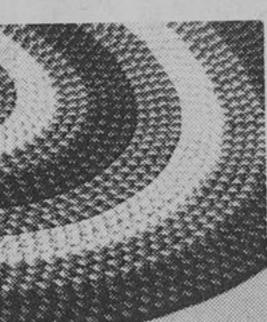
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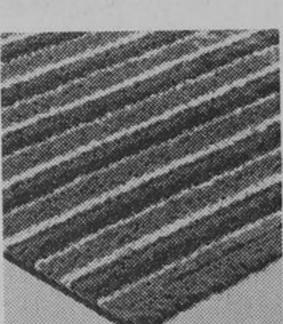
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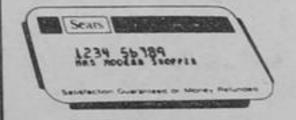
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