

# Delay Action On Asking Metro For More Representation

Stouffville municipal council in receipt of a resolution formulated by a special committee of the thirteen fringe municipalities surrounding Metro, and asking for individual representation on Metro Planning Board. At present there are four men representing the thirteen. The resolution asked for endorsement by the Stouffville Council.

"I don't think this matter should be overlooked," said deputy-reeve Wagg, "there'll be a lot more planning when this new railway line comes through."

"We'll still be alone," commented councillor Parsons. "It's difficult for one man to represent four municipalities. Something could come up that affects one and not the other three, or the other three adversely," continued the deputy-reeve.

Clerk Ralph Corner pointed out that Stouffville had always received every co-operation from Metro Planning Bd. and would not like to see anything done to jeopardize the good relations.

Councillor Parsons did not think that Stouffville's position would be impaired by supporting the resolution.

However, council did not agree unanimously on the subject, and decided to delay the matter until the next meeting.

# 350,000 Persons Used Conservation Parks During Last Year

The comprehensive program being carried out by the Metropolitan Toronto & Region Conservation Authority requires the acquisition of lands for a variety of conservation purposes, the Metro Parks and Recreation committee was told here at a meeting by Kenneth G. Higgs, RPF, the MTRCA's Sr. field officer.

He explained that the Conservation Authorities Act permits the use of lands acquired by the Authority for recreational purposes after approval is obtained from the Minister of Planning & Development.

The Authority presently owns 3,247 acres of land which represents a substantial proportion of the available public open spaces within and adjoining Metro Toronto. Mr. Higgs pointed out. Of this total, about 2,500 acres comprise the 12 conservation areas developed and operated by the Authority.

"Conservation areas are lands that, because of their nature, should be in public ownership

and preserved for conservation purposes," he explained, adding that these areas also are used for reforestation, land use demonstrations and fish and wildlife management.

Mr. Higgs pointed out that the acquisition of conservation areas is financed from the general Authority budget. Each of the 23 municipalities represented on the Authority is levied for the acquisition costs on the basis of population.

A staff of 35 looks after the development, maintenance and administration of these conservation areas. During 1958, 350,000 persons visited the areas—an increase of 278% over the previous year.

It is expected that some 500,000 people will visit the areas this year.

Mr. Higgs also presented a report on the water control schemes being carried out by the Authority. Of 16 projects being developed, four have already been completed, and the others are in varying stages of completion. These include channel improvements, acquisition of flood plain lands, preparation of flood line maps, and construction of a pumping station.



Miss Gertrude Kerath, Miss Toronto 1958, is seen literally buried in over 300,000 entries in the IGA Festival of Foods Contest. Miss Toronto has selected the 5 winners of Hi Fi Stereo Consoles. The contest also included 250 electric combination Can Opener - Knife Sharpeners as prizes.

## Garbage Collection Extended

Ralph Spademan, garbage collector for Markham Township, has received permission from Whitchurch Twp. council to collect garbage in the south central part of the township. Mr. Spademan uses the Township of Pickering dump on the Brock Rd.

Ross Smith, garbage collector around Wilcox Lake, appeared before council to state that his contract comes up for renewal on June 1st.

He told council that it was impossible to handle some of the containers used by ratepayers. He considered that sixty lbs. should be the maximum weight. Some persons, he said, were putting sod in the pails.

Council referred the matter to councillor Mrs. Gibb. Members assured Mr. Smith that his contract was for garbage and that he was not compelled to take anything else away, unless he wished to do so by private agreement.

## Shorthorn Prices Higher at Uxbridge

At the annual sale of the York-Ontario - Shorthorn Club, held at Uxbridge, prices were definitely higher than the previous year's figure. Bulls averaged \$342, or \$51 higher than in 1958. Females at \$285 were \$20 higher.

Top bull, a son of Louada Diplomat, consigned by Master Feeds Farm, Thornhill, sold at \$400 to W. J. Gillis, Fenelon Falls. Second top brought \$385, the bid of Archie Parrinder, for a son of Marellbar Lieutenant, consigned by M. F. Farms, Milliken.

Demand was especially good for cows, with an average price of \$344 being established; bred heifers averaged \$276, and open heifers \$213. Top female, sired by Calrossie Formula and consigned by Master Feeds Farm, sold at \$425 to Ken Russell, Unionville. Second top, \$390, was paid by Leslie Lapp, Uxbridge, for a daughter of Canard Double Ransom, and consigned by James Cloughton, Port Perry, this being his first consignment to this sale.

Consignors were: John Baradell, King; J. R. Cloughton, Port Perry; Colden Farms, Gormley; Gordon Cook, Kettleby; H. M. Dack, Brechin; K. E. Deacon, Unionville; Leek Bros., Mount Albert; Master Feeds Farm, Thornhill; A. C. McDermott, Goodwood; S. McClure & Sons, Woodbridge; M. F. Farms, Milliken, and D. Wetherall, Cannington.

## MT. PISGAH

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Blair of Montreal River visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith last week, and Mrs. Henry Burnett of Lemonville is staying with the Smiths since leaving Stouffville Hospital.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Ash on the arrival of a sister for Sheila and Brenda on Friday night at Newmarket Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McIntosh having sold their home here, moved to Toronto on Saturday. The new occupants Mr. and Mrs. Wooler will be moving in soon. Mr. Howard Pattenden is at present working with the surveyors near Bracebridge.

We wish a complete recovery for all the sick in the community. What with flu, measles and operations, it will be nice to see everyone out to church again.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Keffer, and Mrs. Wm. Wood of Maple visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Keffer last Friday.

Ronald, Alan and Gordon Bootham, Vandrof, spent Sunday with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. Baycroft.

## BALSAM & MT. ZION

Death of W. Horrace Willison—Friends will be sorry to learn of the passing of W. Horrace Willison suddenly after a lengthy illness, at his home, 150 E. 6th Street, Hamilton. Husband of Edith Machie, a former Claremont Public School teacher. There are four daughters—Ruth (Mrs. Jack McGee), Constance (Mrs. Fred Wright), Thelma (Mrs. Kenneth Shewell), Gloria (Mrs. David Strickland). There are six grandchildren.

To get to the top, advises a banker, start at the bottom. Can you imagine a well digger doing it?

## Archie Fleming Heads Assessors Association

Archie Fleming, assessor for Markham Township, has been elected chairman of District 12 Association of Assessing Officers. The meeting was held last week at the Township Offices in Etobicoke Township and the assessors were the guests of Etobicoke.

The meeting was for general business and the election of officers, resulting in the following slate for 1959: chairman, Archie Fleming, Markham Twp.; committee members, Richard Baxter, Etobicoke; Carl Madgett, Toronto Twp.; Gordon Hepditch, Whitby; secretary-treas., Bud Noble, Newmarket.

District No. 12 is composed of the Counties of York, Ontario, Peel and Malton, and is the most densely populated. It has the highest assessment of any district in the province.

Assessment for general purposes is \$4,059,665,905 and the population is 1,820,577.

## U.M. Church Supports Four Missionaries

The Stouffville United Missionary Annual Convention was concluded on Sunday morning when Rev. J. Jones, returned missionary from Japan, addressed the congregation. He gave an instructive and inspiring message telling of Christian missionary work in that country. He challenged the Christian Church at home to greater diligence and loyalty in wholehearted service to God, and to earnest prayer for the cause of missions throughout the world.

Mr. Jones also addressed the Sunday School, telling of some of the problems in mastering the Japanese language. Mr. and Mrs. Jones, with their family, are booked to return to Japan in July.

Previous speakers of the convention were Rev. Willis Hunking, Mrs. J. Ummel, Dr. Ross Bell, missionaries on furlough from Nigeria, West Africa; and Rev. Don Norris from Japan. Mrs. Ummel was the speaker for the W.M.S. meeting which was a part of the Missionary convention. She is a senior missionary, having spent many years in Nigeria, and whose husband was buried in that country in 1943, while engaged in Missionary endeavour. She is looking forward to returning to her work at the end of the furlough period.

At all these services missionary offerings were received. The Stouffville congregation and Sunday School are supporting four missionaries and two missionary children in Nigeria.

wife. Service was held on Monday from the McEachnie funeral parlors.

You are invited to attend the W.A.-open meeting to be held on Wednesday evening, May 13, at 7:45. There will be a cake decorating demonstration, also a sale of Baking and a sale of aprons and other articles.

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**PINE ORCHARD**  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boake and Teddy were supper guests Sunday night with relatives in Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Listowell visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Ash on Saturday.

Sorry to report Mr. Wesley Baker is in Hospital with an injured hand. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Rae McClure entertained three girlfriends from Thornbury one day last week.

Don't forget the Illustration Travelogue by Mr. Douglas Middle on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rulow suffered a severe loss short after midnight Saturday, when their barn and all stock, including a large number of pigs and cattle were destroyed by fire. A high wind whipped the flames to the house, and it and all contents were lost, also their two year old car. They were awakened by their sixteen-month old little girl and had only time to escape with the clothes they were able to grab in their hand.

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**UNITED CHURCH W.A.**

The W. A. of the United Church met in the church parlor on Monday evening. Mrs. A. Dowsell took the chair in the absence of Mrs. Fairlies. The meeting opened by singing the opening ode followed by prayer by Mrs. Dowsell.

The minutes of last meeting cards of thanks were read, and plans were arranged for the meeting of the Leadership Training in the church for the following day. The Treasurer's Report was then given. A good program followed, with Mrs. A. Woods giving the devotional. Her talk was based on Luke 10: 25-37, how Jesus bids us to love our neighbor. Mrs. Gresham sang two lovely spring carols which were much enjoyed.

Mrs. Reg Button gave a talk on their trip to the West Indies, especially Jamaica, and showed slides on the places visited on the island. The meeting was followed by a social half hour.

A lump in the breast may or may not mean cancer, but it should mean immediate examination by a doctor, according to the Canadian Cancer Society.

## ARNOLD FARMS

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<b>47</b> lb.	SMOKED PICNICS MILD CURED	lb. 39c
<b>Short Rib ROAST</b>	WIENERS TASTE & ENJOY THESE BETTER WIENERS	lb. 29c
<b>51</b> lb.	BOLOGNA BY THE PIECE	lb. 19c
<b>STANDING Rib Rst</b>	<b>Arnold Farms Better Sausage</b>	
<b>69</b> lb.	FARM STYLE	lb. 29c
LEAN MINCED BEEF DELICIOUS FOR MEAT LOAF OR HAMBURGS	Breakfast Style	lb. 35c
<b>39</b> lb.	PURE PORK	lb. 39c
Old South FROZEN ORANGE JUICE	SMALL LINK	
5 tins	<b>Ontario No. 1 Potatoes</b>	<b>69</b> DOZEN
99c	50 LB. BUSH HAMPER	
Libby's FROZEN GREEN PEAS	FRESH MUSHROOMS	lb. 39c
2 pkgs.	SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT	10 for 39c
35c	McINTOSH APPLES FANCY GRADE	6 qt. bsk 49c
Libby's FROZEN STRAWBERRIES	HEINZ TOMATO JUICE	2 20-oz. tins 25c
pkg.	BETTY'S JAMS & JELLIES	2 12-oz. jars 45c
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