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**GORMLEY**  
 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wideman who were married quietly in Stouffville, Friday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Eyer and children of Clarence Centre, New York, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Steckley.  
 Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George French were Mrs. Chas. Conner, Mrs. Simpson of Ballantree, Mrs. Clifford Winger and Mrs. A. L. Winger.  
 Quite a number of people from our community attended the dedication service of the new Bridlewood Brethren in Christ Church in Scarborough on Sunday afternoon.  
 Miss Helen Nigh had supper with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. French on Tuesday in honour of her and her grandfather's birthdays.  
 Mr. Don Sproton and Mr. Ken Pickering left Tuesday night for Vancouver to attend the Grey Cup Game.  
 Rev. Willis Hunking left Sunday night to do missionary deputation work in California.

**BETHESDA**  
 A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brilinger on Friday evening in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Scott. A time of Hymn singing with Mrs. Roy Morley at the piano, piano and guitar music by Mrs. A. Wideman and Miss Joan and contests were followed by a presentation of door prizes for the Scott's home in Aurora.  
 Mrs. Bert Taun, Glen, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walls and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Pattenden and family attended church at Victoria Square on Sunday when Ruth Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Frisby was christened. All went to the Frisby home afterward for lunch.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doner, Bobby, Susan and Jimmy of Pembroke spent the weekend with relatives here. The house owned by the Doners and now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gibson has been sold.

**86th Anniversary**  
**Box Grove United Church**  
 The 86th Anniversary of the Box Grove United Church was celebrated on Sunday, Nov. 24 when Rev. Stephen J. Mather, a former minister and presently minister at Washington United Church preached the service. Music was provided by Miss Joan Whitaker of Cedar Grove and the Junior Choir of Box Grove Church. The original church was dedicated Oct. 14, 1877. It had been built at a cost of \$700.  
 Rev. Gordon Winch, B.D., chairman of York Presbytery officiated at the service when the new entrance and basement were dedicated. Besides this the Coakwell family presented a communion table in honour of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coakwell and the Raymer family, a Baptismal Font in honour of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Raymer. These were also dedicated by Rev. Winch.

**Large Turnout For Markham Nominations Shows Election Interest**

A large turnout for the annual nomination meeting of Markham Township indicated that there would be considerable interest in an election. Mr. Donald Deacon a former council member chaired the meeting and speakers were limited to two minutes.  
 Chas. Hooper, aspirant to the reeveship drew attention to the International Plowing Match which is coming to the township in 1965. He said there was a request that council pave the roads leading to the site of the big show. He commented on the heavy school costs, one area being up to 20 mills. The Minister of Education would be at Buttonville Hall on Dec. 19th to discuss these problems.

He said that in his opinion council had used the money collected from lot fees to good advantage by paying for connections to Metro sewers alleviating the cost of disposal plants.  
 Allen Sumner said he would be a candidate for reeve and expressed satisfaction with the council's work on waterworks extension. He stated some subdivision development had been slow due to the untidiness of the area.  
 Councillor Stewart Rumble said he believed his former school board experience and his year in council made him capable of handling the deputy-reeveship.  
 Councillor Chas. Hoover spoke of the expenditure on roads in Ward 3. He added that he could see no value in having the county take over the township assessing, and thought it could lead to higher taxes.  
 Stanley Patterson who is also seeking the reeveship contended strongly that a portion of the money collected from new sub-division lots should be used for school purposes.  
 Forest Dullage who is opposing Stewart Rumble told the

audience that he was prepared to give the necessary time to conducting township business. Geoffrey Walker, John McNeil, R.J. Sloane, Cleary Palmer, R.B. Rae, Geo. Brands and Edward Cotton all aspiring for council asked support from the ratepayers.

**Oversized Tractors "Expensive-Luxury" On York Cty. Farms**  
 A.A. Wall, Agricultural Representative for Yk. County I watched a farmer plowing the other day with a five-bottomed plow. He was sure turning the ground in a hurry, and I couldn't help but be impressed by the size and power of his tractor. On my next call, the owner was plowing too. He was using an old beat-up two plow tractor, that was first hooked on to a plow back in 1950. This man could have had a new more powerful tractor, but by choice was making do with a rusty old job that had to groan to pull two furrows.  
 Both men were probably doing the right thing, but I couldn't help wondering if one of them was wrong. The question is, is there a danger in over-powering a farm. A visit to any machinery show is proof of the horsepower race in tractors.  
 Big tractors cut labour costs, and help to get jobs done on time but the price can run high. Here are the results of some studies that were done on different sizes of tractors. It was found that 4-5 plow tractors had to be used over 800 hours per year to compensate for the high overhead cost of \$400.00. Overhead cost for the 2-plow size was just \$135.00. Three-plow tractors worked out best when they were used about 500

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hours per year. Two-plow tractors had an annual use of 375 hours.  
 It's my guess that in York County there are a hundred tractors doing less than 500 hours for every one that is over this figure. Power needs on livestock farms are very different from those on cash crop farms. Our records for 4-H Tractor Clubs average out at about 350 hours use per year.  
 With these low usage figures comparatively small tractors are favoured. The operating costs are not so much different. Our figures are 1.05 per hour for a two-plow tractor and only 1.38 for a four-plow tractor. When you consider the difference in the work they will do, you might lean to the large size, but overhead costs reverse this thinking. On the small size overhead costs about 38¢ an hour compared to \$1.15 for the large one. These costs are when both machines work 350 hours per year.  
 This doesn't mean that there isn't a place for big tractors. They are practical where there is enough work for them to do. But on many livestock farms in York, sitting at the controls of 60 to 70 horsepower may give the driver a lot of authority but at the same time, expensive luxury. Those who have dollars to spend on farm power should seriously think about putting them into feed and manure handling equipment in the barn, rather than surplus horsepower in the field and machinery shed.

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**Report from Parliament**  
 By Michael Starr, M.P.  
 Bill C-105, an Act to amend the Technical and Vocational Training Assistance Act, has now been passed and will become law when it has been passed by the Senate and receives Royal Assent.  
 The amendments cover four areas of the original bill which was made law in December, 1960.  
 The first is the increase of the Federal contribution from 75 percent to 90 percent of the Provincial expenditure in the training of unemployed workers. Some progress has been made in this area. In the year 1959-60 some 4,638 persons were trained in all of Canada. As a result of the increase of Federal contribution from 50 percent to 75 percent in 1960, the number of those retrained grew to 38,439 in the year 1962-63.  
 This is a worthwhile program as unemployed, young and old,

**VOTE for R. B. RAE**  
 Councillor - Ward 2 Township of Markham  
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**What Has He Done in '63**  
 As Chairman of the Sewer Committee he spent a great deal of time in overseeing the completion of the new \$55,000 sewer plant addition. He has had completed the automatic warning system which guards home owners against flooding in time of heavy storms. He has worked constantly with the deputy-reeve in completing the road improvements made this year and furthering the program for new sidewalks.  
 He has assisted council with ideas and been a willing participant in all meetings and a ready attender at all affairs which council duty demanded.

**What Will He Do in '64-'65**  
 Will work for the co-operation of council and public utilities commission. Co-operate in town planning to encourage industrial and commercial growth ahead of residential in an effort to hold the tax line.

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**Some of The Activities of Chas. H. Hooper**

- ✓ Born in Markham Township in 1907 he is now 56 yrs. old. Married with 2 sons and 3 daughters.
- ✓ He knows school problems having served as a Public School Trustee for 13 years.
- ✓ He knows council problems; he has served 9 years as a Councillor, 8 years as Deputy Reeve, 5 years as Reeve plus the short term of the last 2 months.
- ✓ He has an unbeaten record of twelve consecutive acclamations in Markham Township Council and acclamation for the youngest Warden of York County.
- ✓ He served as York County's representative on the Toronto and York Planning Board from 1949 to 1953.
- ✓ He knows business operations. He has been a director of Maple Leaf Fire Insurance Co., Canadian National Exhibition, Markham Fair Board, Director and Past President York County Medical Service, Director and Past President Toronto Milk Producers Surplus Milk Plant, Director and Past President District #6 Milk Producers, Director and Past President of York County Federation of Agriculture, a past Director of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture, past Director and President of Ontario Agricultural Council, member of the Board of Trustees York Central Hospital.
- ✓ A man keenly interested in the future of Markham Township.

The above record discloses he has the ability to do the job. Let's give him a chance to use his experience.

**Charlie Hooper Has It!**  
**Markham Township Needs It!**  
**Vote CHARLIE HOOPER**