



The Stouffville Kinsmen Club was officially recognized on Thursday evening at an impressive ceremony held at Cedar Beach Gardens, Musselman's Lake. The Charter was presented to Club President Dick Coffey (left) by National Kinsmen President John Goldie of Toronto. —Staff Photo.

Kinsmen Dep.-Governor Installs 24 Members At Charter Night

Stouffville President, Dick Coffey accepted the new Kinsmen Club Charter from National Pres. John Goldie on Thursday night at a gala inaugural event held at Cedar Beach Gardens, Musselman's Lake. For Sutton, the sponsoring club, it was a two-fold occasion. They were celebrating their sixteenth year as a chartered organization. The President, Don Jaynes, was the Master of Ceremonies.

Twenty-four members, including eight officers were installed by Deputy-Governor, Harry Hudson and the Governor of District 8, Jim Gartschore. They include — President, Dick Coffey; Vice Pres., Norm Faulkner; Secretary, Glen Hunter; Treasurer, Clare McGuckin, Registrar Don Anderson; Directors: Ross Hetherington; Lionel Begin and Bulletin Editor, Norm Hollinger.

Other members include — Jack Pollard, Robert Bruce, Tony Stoyan, Mickey Hunt, Russ Holder, Brian Hewson, Bob Lewis, Alex Wilkins, Paul Mathews, Bob Morley, Stewart Glover, Lawrence Fox, Edwin Sanders, Glen Malcolm, Jack Gardner and Bruce Willis.

Guests Present

Head table guests in attendance included Reeve Win Timbers of Stouffville; President Walton Todd of the Stouffville Lions and President Jas. McKellar of the Stouffville Legion. All spoke briefly. Mr. Todd presented the Stouffville Kinsmen with a new Canadian flag.

Reeve Timbers said he was acquainted with the fine work done by Kinsmen's Clubs and noted that the Stouffville branch had made an excellent choice in Mr. Coffey as their Charter

President. President McKellar of the Legion also promised support from his organization. He noted that any club was only as successful as its members were prepared to make it. He said that the prime objective of the Lions, the Legion and the Kinsmen was "community service" and he felt that all should cooperate to achieve this purpose.

A Privilege

President Dick Coffey said he considered it both a pleasure and a privilege to represent the Stouffville Kinsmen and accept the new Charter. Mrs. Coffey responded to the toast to the ladies.

There are 416 clubs in the Kinsmen's Association with 12,000 members. Stouffville Kinsmen will meet on the evening and fourth Thursday evenings of each month.

Driver Said Drunk In Hwy. Death Of Young Athlete

The driver of a car, involved in an accident that killed Robert (Bob) Campbell, promising young hockey star and softball pitcher on the night of Jan. 25, near Manchester was drunk, according to information revealed at a coroner's request last week.

Acting Crown Attorney, John Humphries said that blood samples taken from George Edward McNeal, 34, of Nestleton, showed 2.0 parts of alcohol per thousand. He said that anything over 1.5 was considered by the courts to constitute a drunk driver. MacNeal, the father of six children, ranging in age from 4 to 12 years, was also killed in the crash.

Came Towards Us

Donald Roughley, 22, of Oshawa, a passenger in the Campbell car said that they were returning home from Uxbridge following a hockey game. He recalled how a northbound vehicle veered towards them and struck the Campbell auto. MacNeal died instantly at the scene. Campbell died in the Toronto General Hospital.

MacNeal was returning home from work. P. C. Ray Goodwin of Whitby, O.P.P. said he found an almost empty ale bottle in his coat.

Following the impact, the Campbell car went off the road and snapped off a hydro pole. Dr. Matthew Dymond, M.P.P. was one of the first on the scene.

The jury blamed excessive drinking on the cause of the accident. They recommended that the speed limit in the Manchester area be reduced from 60 to 40 miles per hour.

Students Take Part In Whitchurch Tree Planting Program

On Monday morning, 28 students, including 18 from Ballantrae and 10 from Vandorf, took part in the Centennial Tree-Planting Program in Whitchurch Twp. as part of a three-year project to mark Canada's 100th birthday.

The ceremony was held in the Whitchurch Conservation Area south of the Aurora sideroad, near the 5th conc. It was attended by Hon. Kelso Roberts, Q.C. Minister of Lands and Forests. Twelve year old Elizabeth Ann Palmer of Ballantrae school planted the first tree assisted by 13 year old Jim Paine of Vandorf school. Later, other pupils took part in the project.

It is estimated that during 1965, the first year of the program, more than 30,000 students from about 850 schools will plant a half million trees in Ontario.

It is said that the site of the present Whitchurch Conservation Area was once part of the Van Nostrand property and was initially cleared by members of that family. On Monday, two Van Nostrand children, Anne and Paul took part in the re-planting program.

"Group Drinking" Hit By Magistrate; Fines Total Nearly \$500

"There's too much 'group drinking' going on and it's going to stop," declared Magistrate Russell Pearce in Richmond Hill Court on Tuesday.

He levied fines totalling \$495 plus costs against five boys and one girl.

Hardest hit was 21 year old Douglas Jardine of Markham. On one charge laid by P. C. Hadden of Stouffville of having liquor in a place other than his residence, he was staggered with a fine of \$200. On a second offense, filed by P.C. Albert Hudson of Markham Twp., Jardine was fined an additional \$75.

Found In Car

Constable Hadden told the court that he found Jardine in a car with 19 year old Eric Paisley and 20 year old Cheryl Brown, both of Stouffville. Jardine admitted ownership of the liquor. Both Paisley and Miss Brown entered pleas of guilty to drinking while under the age of 21 years. They were fined \$50 and \$20 respectively.

P.C. Hudson said that he found Jardine and three companions, Hugh Sherwood, James Middleton and Douglas Chubb in a field near Box Grove. Forty-two pints of beer and 4 participants were confiscated. Sherwood, Middleton and Chubb were each fined \$50 and costs.

"These people who drink together in groups deserve to receive the maximum fine," remarked the Magistrate.

Jardine was faced with a 60-day jail sentence if he failed to make payment.

Telephone Caller Haunts Uxbridge Town Residents

Although one youth is in jail, convicted of making about 400 indecent telephone calls to lady residents in the town of Uxbridge, the problem has not been solved.

Police Chief L. A. Ellenberger told The Tribune that another party had started in where 18 year old Larry Golding left off. Golding is presently in custody awaiting sentence on May 25th.

Chief Ellenberger said that the most recent caller was not only contacting residents in town but was also registering complaints with the Bell Co. and indicating that he was speaking for the Uxbridge Police Dept.

The Chief admitted that it is extremely difficult to apprehend such persons and declined to say what means had been used in the arrest of Golding. He said that it was not unusual for him to be aroused 25 times in a single night by distraught women and girls. "The people were up in arms," he said.

Golding became known in Uxbridge as "The Whisperer" because he often just breathed heavily into the phone or spoke in a very low voice.

Orchard Park Staff Complete; Require Two at Summitview

The staff at Orchard Park public school for the September term is now complete but two more teachers are still required at Summitview.

At Orchard Park, new staff members include Miss Brenda Barringer; Miss Sylvia Matthews and Mr. Gary Litster. Both ladies are graduates of North Bay Teachers' College. Mr. Litster comes from Western Ontario.

Three new members on the staff at Summitview include — Miss Myrna Scott of North Bay; Mrs. Elizabeth Burns of Altona and Mrs. Carol Hume of Scarborough.

Nine Teachers Join High School Staff

Nine new teachers will join the staff at Stouffville Dist. High School in September, raising the total to 28, including the Principal.

Four of the present staff will leave at the conclusion of the term in June.

New teachers include — Miss Betty Pegg of London, (English and girls' physical education); Mr. H. L. Main of Agincourt, (Commercial and boys' physical education); Miss Valerie Vaughan of Owen Sound, (Girls physical education); Mr. George McCullough of Toronto, (English); Mr. J. W. McBride of Grimsby, (Commercial); Mrs. Else Bevan of Stouffville (Home Economics

Vice-Principal



Mr. R. L. Mercer has been named vice-principal of the Stouffville Dist. High School, the promotion to become effective in September. Mr. Mercer obtained his B.A. degree at Victoria College, University of Toronto and has been a member of the local staff for the past 13 years. He has been head of the Mathematics Dept. and active in both music and physical education instruction in the school.

and Girls' Occupations); Miss Willa Jewell of Woodville, (Mathematics); Miss Rose Fineham of Markham, (English) and Mr. E. H. McLean of Sutton West, (Boys' Occupations).

Leaving Stouffville will be Mrs. Beck, Mrs. Almstedt, Mr. Nielsen and Mr. Godfrey.

Bloomington District People Prepare Petition

Residents in the Bloomington community of Whitchurch Twp. have had their fill of dust, noise and rough roads. A petition is presently being circulated throughout the area in protest over these conditions. It will be presented to council at a meeting on May 25th.

Located in the centre of a gravel truck route, the people fear for the safety of their children who attend the school in the hamlet. They also claim that their properties are depreciating in value as long as this problem is permitted to continue. Although a portion of the 9th conc. is a paved surface, it is breaking up under load weights The Bloomington Sideroad is a gravel surface and maintenance is practically hopeless.

One caller to The Tribune said that he had attempted to sell his home but the realtor refused to handle it while present conditions exist.

The problem is discussed almost weekly by the Road Superintendent, Ernest Davis and members of council. To date, no permanent solution has been found.

It is expected that the Bloomington petition will be supported by a delegation of local residents.

Auto "Booby Trap" Ordered Off Road; Driver Fined \$25

John R. Kennedy, 18, of Altona, needs another car badly according to P. C. Edward Grimshaw of the Stouffville Police.

The police officer stopped Kennedy's auto in Stouffville and found the following wrong with it:

No emergency brake; no foot brakes; no lights; one lamp hanging down on the grill; two completely bald tires; no muffler; a broken front seat; a hole in the left front floorboard and a trail of dense black smoke coming from the rusty exhaust pipe.

Said P.C. Grimshaw, regarding the broken seat, "every time he started the car, the force would put the front seat in the back seat."

The officer added, "with the hole in the floorboard, the driver had to rest his feet on the pedals."

"Is it any wonder why they are cracking down on unsafe vehicles," commented Magistrate Russell Pearce. "\$25 and costs, and I hope that car is off the road for good."

Firecrackers May Have Caused Barn Blaze

A \$5,000 fire near Uxbridge Friday evening, that destroyed a barn, may have been caused by children playing with firecrackers. Fire Chief, Ross Rodman said that there was no positive proof of this, however.

The building, located on the Cemetery Road, south-west of the town, belonged to Mr. Jack Kotoff. In addition to a quantity of hay and grain, one bull was also destroyed.

The loss is covered by insurance.

Plans For Whitchurch Cent. Park Completed

The Dept. of Municipal Affairs has given its approval to plans for a park and community centre program near Ballantrae that will constitute the 1967 centennial project for Whitchurch Twp.

The site is located on the Aurora Sideroad, adjacent to the Ballantrae school. The total cost, including the grant, has been estimated at \$22,000.

Although the initial extent of the project is limited, the recreation committee hopes to expand the program to include a community hall, a skating arena, a hockey rink, a swimming pool, four tennis courts, baseball, basketball and soccer fields plus family picnic areas. The "L"-shaped property will extend 705 feet to the north and 700 feet to the east at the rear of the school building.

Official To Check Condition Of Bloomington Road

Road Supt. Ernest Davis of Whitchurch Twp., admitted at a meeting of council on Tuesday night that his department has not sufficient funds to repair or maintain the Bloomington sideroad. He said that dust layer had no effect since grader work was required almost continuously to smooth out the holes.

Mr. Davis said that an official of the Dept. of Hwys. had agreed to inspect the road on May 27th.

The Road Supt. said that he had received many complaints concerning dust and he promised to apply calcium at some of the worst locations.

Police Auction In Markham Twp.

Over a period of years, articles of varied sizes and values are collected at the Burlington Police Office in Markham Twp. Some are found and never claimed while others are confiscated during the investigation of cases.

Next month, these items will be put up for public auction at the Prentice property on No. 48 Hwy., north of Markham Village. The exact date of the sale will be announced.

The articles include bicycles, tires, tools, wheel discs, a ladder, a lawnmower, a handbag, a logging chain and many other miscellaneous items.

There was a time when abandoned cars were also sold by auction but this practice has been discontinued.

To Receive B.A.



Mr. John McFarlane Wallace will receive his Bachelor of Arts degree in Geography and Psychology from Queen's University, Kingston, on Saturday, May 22, 1965. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, Altona and is on the staff of Dunbarton High School.

Whitchurch Rates: 11 Up, 7 Down

Eleven public school rates in the Twp. of Whitchurch show an increase for 1965 while seven are down. One is the same.

This year has been set aside as a period of adjustment and sections are credited with the assets that had been built up prior to the formation of the area system.

There is a wide variance in some districts, for example, at Bogartown, the rate is up from 7.44 mills in 1964 to 17.27 in '65. At Bloomington the rate took a drop from 13.65 in 1964 down to 8.40 this year. A break down and comparison of residential rates is as follows:

1. Hartman	1964	1965
2. Vandorf	10.85	16.38
3. Bogartown	16.63	18.05
4. Pine Orchard	7.44	17.27
5. Vivian	10.52	15.01
6. White Rose	20.15	20.15
7. Gormley	14.83	21.73
8. Hillcrest	18.18	16.04
9. Lemonville	21.45	15.54
10. Bloomington	11.54	13.78
11. Ballantrae	13.65	8.40
12. Bethesda	12.97	17.71
13. Wilcox Lake	11.08	14.94
14. Oak Ridges	40.16	10.07
15. Shrubmount	32.93	21.14
16. Ringwood	20.62	15.11
17. Armitage	24.32	12.74
18. Hartman	13.35	17.96
19. Union (Stouff.)	8.54	14.52
	17.62	18.87

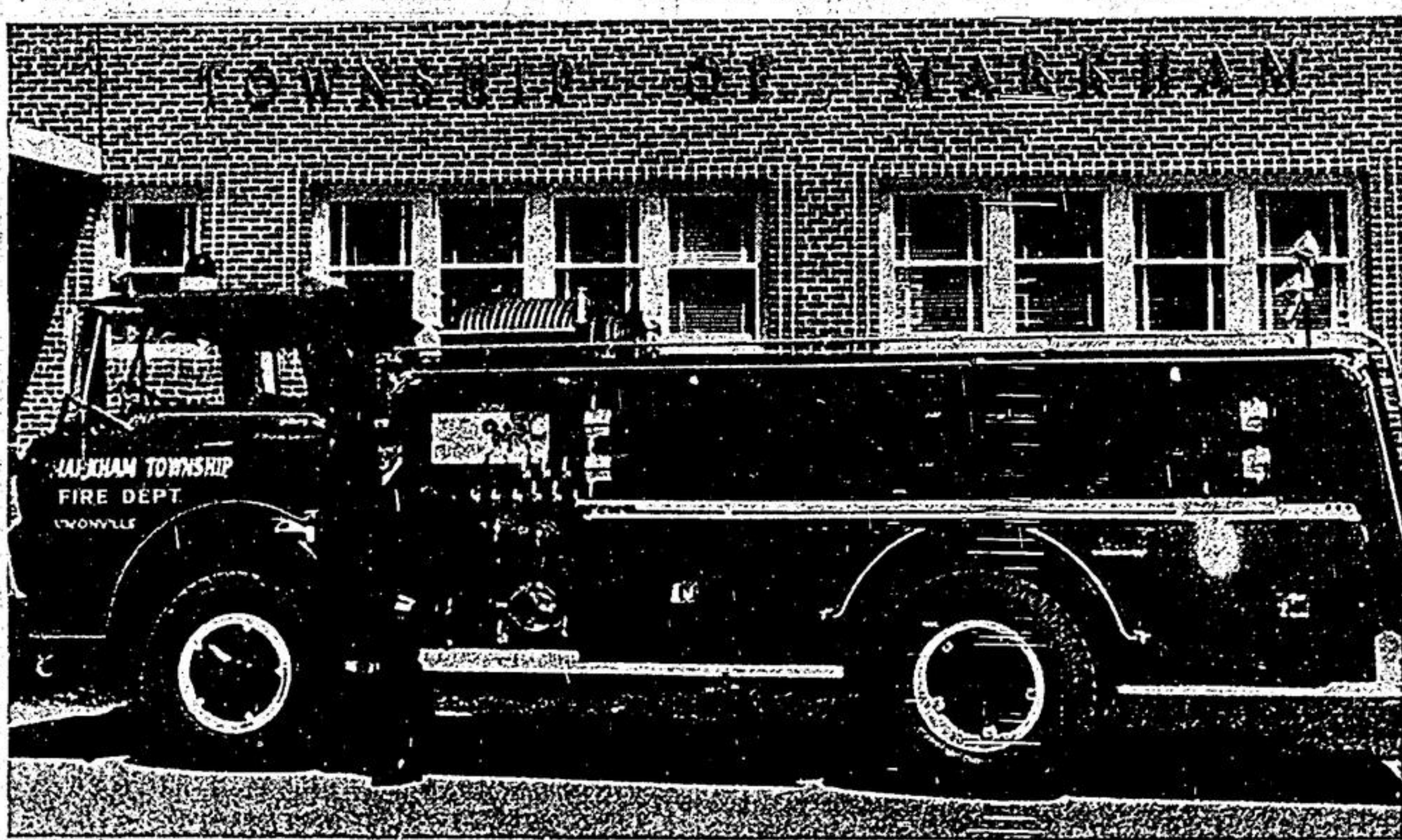
Twp. Reeves at Bypass Opening

Reeve Chas. Hooper of Markham Twp. and Reeve Clifford Laycox of Pickering attended the official opening of the new \$75,000,000 C.N.R. bypass line on Monday afternoon.

The rail service circles the top of Metro, cutting through the Twps. of Vaughan, Markham and Pickering. The Federal Minister of Transport, Hon. J. W. Pickerskill pressed the main control switch and put two engines in motion to cut the ribbon. More than 400 representatives from three levels of government were present for the ceremony including Premier John Roberts and members of his cabinet. C.N.R. President Donald Gordon also attended.

The project was started in 1961 and completed in 1965. The line has actually been open to train traffic since November of last year.

\$15,700 Fire Truck For Markham



The Twp. of Markham has received delivery of its new Chevrolet fire truck, purchased through Conlin Motors of Markham Village. The tender price was \$15,700. It will be stationed in Unionville. Fire Chief Myri Smith is shown here beside his big machine. —Staff Photo.

Thirteen High School Athletes Qualify For Georgian Bay Finals

Selected from the winners of Stouffville District High Schools field day, a group of athletes qualified in 18 track and field events to compete in this Saturday's meet at King City.

The competitions known as the Georgian Bay Zone Trials, were held May 12th. The successful entrants will clash Saturday in the Georgian Bay Finals.

Stouffville District, which qualified in nine track events and nine field events racked up a total of 63 points on the afternoon.

Jim Rehill, Physical Education Instructor, reported that it was the first time in the high school's history that athletes had qualified in 18 events.

Highlighting the afternoon for Stouffville were the following notes:

- *1st and 2nd place in the Junior Discus;
- *1st and 2nd place in the Junior Pole Vault;
- *Ron Watson qualified in 3 events;
- *Cliff Bass ran the mile in 5 minutes, 5 seconds.

Mr. Rehill said he expects Bass to break the five minute mile in the finals on Saturday. The present record is 4 minutes 41 seconds.

Other members qualifying were Derek Gresham (3rd in Jr. mile); Dave Slack (3rd in Sr. 220); Dave Colbourne (2nd in 2 miles); Gord Spencer (3rd in Sr. High Jump); Bruce Metalsky and Pete Daniels (1st and 2nd in Jr. Pole Vault); Laurie Buckland (1st in Sr. Pole Vault); Bill Windsor and Dennis Forsyth (1st and 2nd in Junior Discus); Ron Watson and Pat Smith (2nd and 3rd in Int. Long Jump); and Mike Bridges (2nd in Jr. Triple Jump).

A placing of 1st or 2nd in the Georgian Bay Finals on Saturday will give the competitor an opportunity to compete in the All-Ontario Championships being held Saturday, May 20th at East York Stadium.

The athletic banquet, complete with awards, merits, and special guest, Garney Henley, will be held at the school Friday, May 20th.