

Gwillimbury Defaults To "Aces"; Markham Enters League Finals

After winning the third and final game of the York Simcoe semi-final series against East Gwillimbury, the Markham Aces have advanced to the final round and will meet Newmarket in a best of five series. Markham took the final game by default. The contest, scheduled for last Thursday at Morgan Park, was given to the home team when East Gwillimbury failed to field a single ball player.

Although a request came through to postpone the game by East Gwillimbury, Markham officials had already made park commitments for that date. League Secretary, Mr. Bud Eige, who had originally scheduled the game, would not grant a postponement, and as a result, the game was defaulted. Markham's final series against Newmarket begins Thursday (tonight). Scheduled games are as follows: 1st game—Thursday, Sept. 9th, at Markham; 2nd game—Tuesday, Sept. 14th, at Newmarket; 3rd game—Thursday, Sept. 16, at Markham; 4th game—(if necessary) Tuesday, Sept. 21st, at Newmarket; 5th game—(if necessary) Thursday, Sept. 23rd, at Markham. Markham Aces' Public Relations man, Mr. Fred Dyke, reports that of all the games

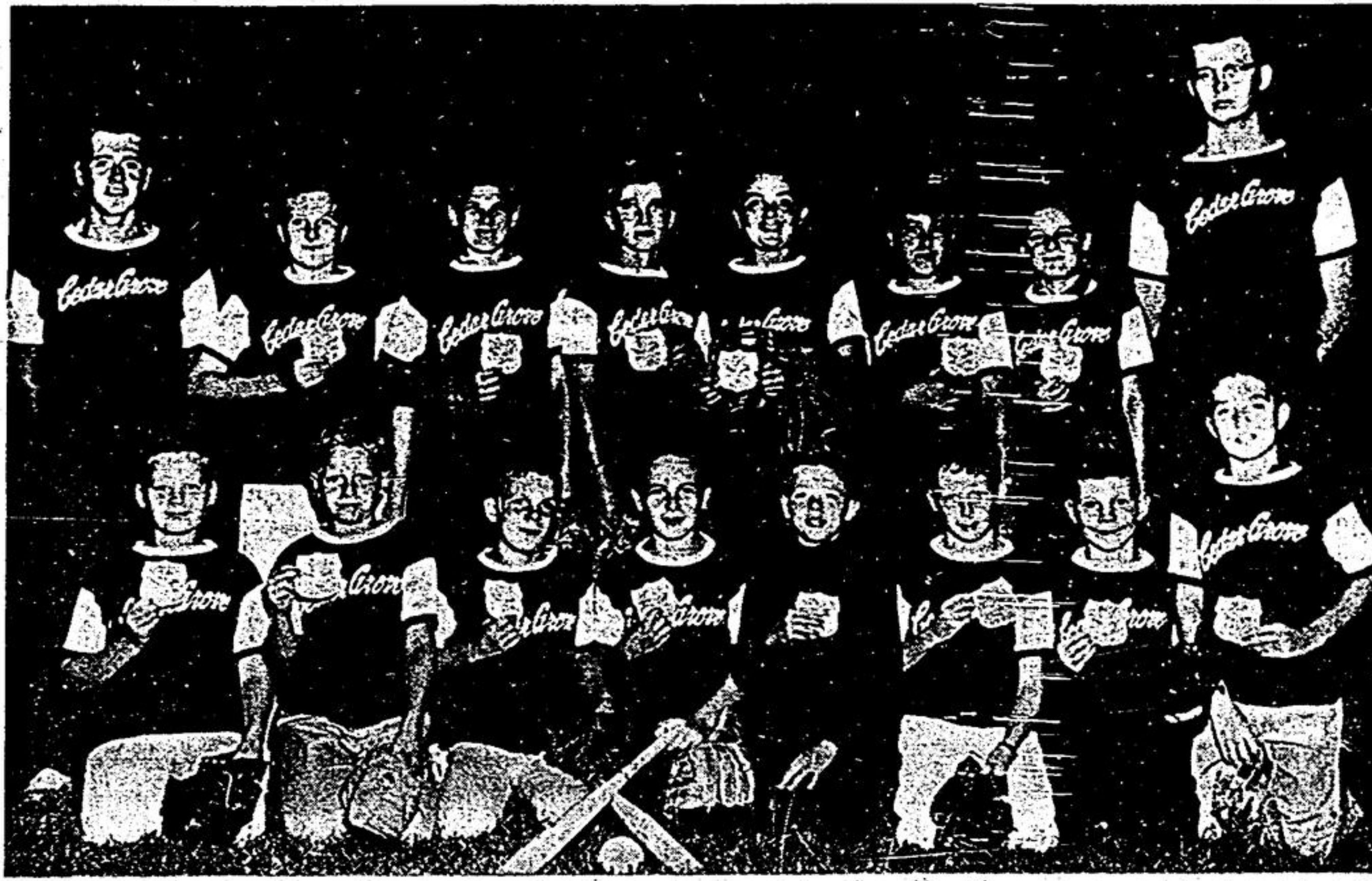
scheduled in the finals, only the opener is still in doubt. Because of the Markham Hawks still involved in O.A.S.A. Intermediate "C" playoffs, there is a possibility Morgan Park will not be available on the scheduled date. Markham Aces, if the Park is not available, will then play their opener the following night, Friday, September 10th. Game time is 8.15 p.m.

Ball Games Of The Week

GIRLS
Stouffville vs. Aurora at Newmarket: Friday, Sept. 10 (first game of playoffs). Aurora at Stouffville: Thursday, Sept. 16 (return match).
Claremont Community League Pickering vs. Greenwood: Brougham Park: Monday, Sept. 13 (best of five series, tied at two games apiece).
York Simcoe Softball Newmarket at Markham: Thursday, Sept. 9, (first game of finals).
Markham at Newmarket: Tuesday, Sept. 14.
Claremont Community League Tournament, Saturday, Sept. 11, Brougham Park. 7 games.

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Cedar Grove Wins Boys' Peewee Championship



Cedar Grove, noted for fine softball teams in the past, is renewing its reputation. This summer, both the boys and the girls won championships in competition at Markham. The Peewee Champions are pictured here. Rear Row (left to right) — Gerry Dean (asst. coach), Ricky Lapp, Edward Sparks, Arthur Milroy, Arthur Lapp, Robert Barkley, Stephen Worden, Dan Offen (coach). Front Row (left to right) — Billy Reesor, Robbie Baumman, John Murison, John Murison, Bobby Dean, Peter McCowan, Larry Armstrong, Ken Walton and David Ritchie. Absent — David Baker. — Staff Photo.

Greenwood Forces Final Game; Beat Pickering 8-2

Trailing two games to one in the best of five final Community League playoffs, Greenwood, by virtue of an 8-2 victory on Tuesday, had forced the series to a fifth and final game. The winner will be decided Monday night at Brougham Park. Pickering hit the scoreboard first with a tremendous home run from the bat of George Wilson that soared into deep left field. The tally came in the top half of the second inning. Wilson drove another ball into centre field for his second homer in the fourth inning making him responsible for Pickering's only two runs. However, it was the third inning, when Greenwood pulled the trigger and scored six runs. George Staley, who replaced Grant Jones at second base, started the ball rolling when his shallow pop-up was fumbled and

dropped by Earl Robinson. The ball hit the fielder's glove and harmlessly rolled to the ground. Three hits in a row, singles by Brian McTaggart, and Dave Bate and a double by Bill Maxwell, kept the base path humming. Neil Pascoe added a late single and when the dust had settled, Greenwood boasted a five run lead. Two more runs in the final inning, packed the game away for the underdogs. For Greenwood, Neil Pascoe allowed two runs off six hits and struck out 15 Pickering batters. Tagged with the loss, Bob Carlisle gave up eight runs off seven hits and gained 10 on strike-outs. Pickering left 11 men on base, while Greenwood stranded two. Game time for the fifth and deciding match is 8 p.m.

Greenwood Loses Series To Omagh

A 10-1 decision Saturday night in Omagh, gave the home towners the Ontario Rural Softball Association title over Greenwood. Both teams had won a game apiece in the best of three series and Saturday's contest was the deciding match. It was a scoreless ball game going into the third inning, when Greenwood scored their first and only run. John Wilson singled to left and came in on a Grant Jones sacrifice. Omagh, however, retaliated in the bottom of the third, with three runs and never looked

back. They added two more in the fourth, and finalized the series with five runs in the 8th. Neil Pascoe, who went the distance for the losers, gave up 10 runs off 13 hits and struck out seven Omagh batters. John Willmott, credited with the win, gave up only five hits and allowed one run. Art Leslie, Omagh's right fielder clouted the only home run of the contest. Obtaining hits for Greenwood were Brian McTaggart, Dave Bate, Ken McTaggart, Neil Pascoe and Jim Wilson.

Bonello To Coach Markham Juniors

Markham's entry in the Junior "B" Hockey League is beginning to shape up for the coming season. A number of changes have been made in the team. This year, Markham will have player aid from the Toronto Marlboros. The team will be coached by Frank Bonello, a former hockey star with the Whitby Dunlops. Bonello replaces Sandy Air, coach of last year's club. Markham's entry will still be sponsored by International Wax and will keep their name of Markham Seal-A-Wax.

Returning to the lineup from last year are Captain Bruce Andrew, Chris Evans, Jim Thompson and Jack Brewer. The remainder of the team will be formed of new recruits, including, although it's not definite, two players from the Garson - Falconbridge Native Sons. Executive member, Glenn Kennedy told the Tribune that Markham will play all its home games at the Community Centre on Friday nights. The 35-game schedule gets under way the last week in October. Markham will play an exhibition game against Whitby October 8th at Markham. The eight-team league is made up of Whitby, York Steel (new team, replacing North York), Etobicoke, Dixie, Brampton, Weston, St. Mike's and Markham. Mr. Kennedy says this year Markham will have a strong team and should fare well in the loop.

Bay Ridges Wins Ontario Title

Claremont Midgets have been eliminated from the Ontario Rural Softball Playoffs in three games straight. Faced with a do-or-die situation Thursday night, Claremont held their own until the ninth inning then gave up seven runs to Bay Ridges to lose 15-7. Bay Ridges, according to the ORSA schedule, was to meet Greenwood Midgets in the final, but Greenwood failed to produce a team. This automatically gave the Lake Ontario club the championship. Playing before a large crowd, Claremont took a slim one run lead in the initial inning that held to the third. A run in the third and four in the fourth put Claremont on the trailing end and they never regained the lead. Bay Ridges squeezed out three additional runs in the seventh and sewed up the victory with their ninth inning bombardment. Claremont scored their tallies in the sixth and ninth to conclude their run production. Dave Cranston went the distance for the visitors, allowing seven runs off nine hits and mowing down seven Claremont batters. Ken Vernon and Grant Norton shared the mound for the losers giving 15 runs off 13 hits. They scored six strike outs. Claremont lost the first game of the series to Bay Ridges 6-5 in 11-innings and went down 9-7 in the second contest.

Two Home Runs Beat Greenwood

A pair of tremendous home run blasts, all in the 4th inning, pushed three men across the plate and gave Omagh a sufficient lead to edge Greenwood 3-2. The game, the second of their O.R.S.A. series, tied the round at one win apiece and forced a third match back at Omagh on Saturday. It also was won by Omagh 10-1. Although the 4-base blows by infielder, Lloyd Adamson and Allan Few clinched the Omagh victory, it was Greenwood's lack of plate power that hurt their chances. The homesters could touch righthander Few for only three scratch singles. Ken McTaggart, Dave Bate and Geo. Staley collected the safeties. Neil Pascoe worked the distance on the Greenwood mound. He was clipped for 7 hits. He struck out 15 men. Greenwood held a 1-0 lead until the fatal 4th. One man was on base when Adamson cleared the sacks. Few's drive came with no one aboard.

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In This Corner

By RON WALLACE

Sports in General

Hockey

After wading through last week's cold spell, it seems only fitting that hockey should be the lead topic. Maybe I'm rushing the season a bit, but whether you like it or not, the snow will be flying in two months. Markham's Community Centre will open its doors to the first league-scheduled Junior "B" Hockey game on October 22nd. Glenn Kennedy, whose interest in hockey is unlimited, is selling seasons tickets now, with a side offer of winning a new set of golf clubs. Last year, he reports, the Markham Seal-A-Wax club drew a tremendous response from the public, even though the club fell short of the playoffs. The Markham club is scheduled in a league with seven other Metro teams. It is stiff competition, and because of it, most of the Markham team is made up of imports. This year they will receive player assistance from the Toronto Marlies and, as things stand now, from the Garson-Falconbridge Native Sons. From the coaching end of it, things look pretty good for the home club. Frank Bonello, a former player for the Whitby "Dunnies" will handle the chores behind the bench.

Anyone interested in catching a glimpse of the Markham team in action should be at the Markham Community Centre on October 8th for an exhibition game against Whitby.

Baseball

Much controversy has arisen from a recent column regarding the funeral of baseball in Stouffville. Although not apologizing for anything I wrote, I would like to take an opportunity to do some much-needed clarifying. With that chunk of literary, I tried to express my feelings about the disorganization of the baseball situation here this summer. And, like it or not, my feelings are still unchanged. Only trouble was, however, that I missed a number of baseball leaders in Stouffville, into believing I was talking about them. This, I assure you, was not my intention.

Don Haynes, whose sheer perseverance has kept him from throwing in the towel, brought it to my attention that the article was somewhat suggestive, indicating that the baseball boys in town were lazy and irresponsible. Don was instrumental in trying to start the Intermediate ball club again, and, in my opinion, did everything that was earthly possible to keep it going. However, the trouble, and there was plenty wrong with the organization, was NOT here, but was in the league operators, the leaders, the conveners, the big wigs, call them what you like.

Don has received nothing from the Ontario Baseball Association in way of support, advice, or assistance. Don and his club met every obligation they were confronted with, and more often than not, found themselves standing in some strange park with not even as much as a Girl Guide team to play against.

And it's not just Don that's doing all the work. As a matter of fact, one man couldn't handle the responsibilities of a baseball team. Guys like Bert Jagger and Roger Todd have done everything possible in an effort to get the ball rolling here.

Don is filling every last obligation, then will gracefully bow out of the OBA. Next season, he and other ball promoters, will endeavour to place an Intermediate team in a Northern eight-team loop, where, incidentally, Little Britain went, when they dropped out of the OBA mid-way through the season.

One of the most important members of any ball club, although you won't find him on the field, is the sponsor, and in this case, Glen Ratcliff, deserves a hearty pat on the back for his efforts in building a baseball club here. Glen sank 'x' number of dollars into the purchase of equipment and uniforms, and this badly organized season has affected him, too.

I expect to see a vast improvement next season if the Intermediates can land a slot in this northern league, and I think we're going to get it.

Meanwhile, Don Haynes and his lads have learned from experience, that a chain is only as strong as its weakest link, and when that link is the head of the organization, there's not much hope for success.

Track and Field

No matter where he goes in the world, Bill Crothers always seems to come up with a win. Recently, at the World Student Games held in Budapest, Hungary, Bill once again captured the 800 metres race against world-wide competition. The likeable pharmacist from Markham seems to have a monopoly on that race, and only someone with a lot of speed and determination will take it away from him.

Closer to home, Sue Nigh is making the city headlines with her efforts in the ladies high jump. Reaching heights of 5'4" and 5'5", Sue has won more awards and medals than anyone we know of. Sue cleared up one point that has been bothering a number of people for a while. In a picture in The Telegram and The Tribune, it showed her clearing the bar, with one shoe on and one shoe off. People wondered whether it fell off or was taken off on purpose. Well, brace yourselves, Sue takes it off before jumping, as she seems to get better height by it. I wonder what would happen if she took both of them off.

Swimming

The pool is closed for another year. The diving boards were taken down and the doors bolted on the Labour Day weekend, terminating one of the best seasons Stouffville Pool has had. The heaters placed in the first of the year, kept the water warm when Polar Bears wouldn't dream of swimming. That only goes to prove the old saying that you have to spend money to make money.

Of course, there were other expenses that cropped up during the summer months. Both diving boards were replaced with new ones, and vandals had their childish fun cutting up canvas and breaking life preservers. Of course, you have to expect the latter from people when you try to give them a place to go to kill the boredom. I don't know why these kiddies can't stay at home nights and cut out paper dolls. That's about where their Intelligence Quotient stands.

Football

Now that school, if you'll pardon the expression, is back in full swing, Stouffville's football team will begin practising for another season. Although I was only around for the tail-end games last year, I was much impressed with Stouffville's club. This year, coach Jim Rehili tells me the team should be even stronger. Mr. Rehili said that the school has purchased additional practise equipment with which to train the team. Last year they made the playoffs and were beaten out in the very end. This year, they could carry through to total victory.

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HIGHWAY	FROM	TO
1. Road Allowance between Concessions 4 and 5	16th Avenue	18th Avenue
2. 18th Avenue	Don Mills Road	Road Allowance between Concessions 4 and 5
3. 17th Avenue	Don Mills Road	Road Allowance between Concessions 4 and 5
4. Road Allowance between Concessions 9 and 10	16th Avenue	17th Avenue
5. German Mills Road	Steeles Avenue	John Street
6. Road Allowance between Concessions 9 and 10	Provincial Highway No. 7	Steeles Avenue
7. Road Allowance between Concessions 2 and 3	Provincial Highway No. 7	16th Avenue
8. 16th Avenue	Provincial Highway No. 48	Road Allowance between Concessions 8 and 9
9. The construction of 3 multi-plate culverts on the Road Allowance between Concessions 4 and 5.		
10. Construction of 6 cross culverts on the Road Allowance between Concessions 4 and 5.		
11. Construction of a culvert and 5 driveway replacements on 18th Avenue.		
12. Construction of a new bridge known as Cedargrove Bridge on the Road Allowance between Concessions 9 and 10.		

at an estimated cost of \$372,000.00, of which amount \$150,900.00 shall be raised by the sale of debentures payable out of the general rate over a period not exceeding 10 years.
2. Application will be made to The Ontario Municipal Board for an order to dispense with the assent of the electorate to the undertaking of the said works. Any ratepayer may, within twenty-one days after the first publication of this notice, send by post prepaid to the clerk of the Township of Markham, at the address given below, a notice in writing stating his objection to such approval and the grounds of such objection.
3. The Ontario Municipal Board may order pursuant to the statute that the assent of the electors shall not be required and may approve of the said works, but before doing so it may appoint a time and place for a public hearing when any objections will be considered.
DATED at the Township of Markham this 9th day of September, 1965.
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