



Markham man catches 12-pound lake trout on white fish line

Edwin Byer, Hwy. 48, Markham, R.R. 2, went to Lake Simcoe for white fish and came home with this 12-pound trout, measuring 33 inches in length. A veteran of many fishing trips, this beauty is the largest he's ever landed. —Staff Photo

New apartments

to begin this spring on the erection of two 4-storey apartment buildings in the Ponderosa, Stouffville. The contractor is Stable Investments Limited, Toronto. At a meeting of Planning Board, Mar. 13, representatives for the firm asked permission to increase the accommodation from 48 to 51 suites. The application was approved.

Ask comparison costs

YORK CTY. — The York County Board of Education has asked its staff to prepare a comparison of costs of administration with administrative costs under the former 21 school boards in the county. An administrative report had detailed 44 positions in the business administration department. "The ratepayers are expecting some savings," said Trustee Ross Jolliffe. "I would like to see some justification for these figures." Trustee Louise Aimone also showed concern about the numbers of employees. "Without any comparison figures, I am at a loss to discuss them intelligently," she said. Trustee Robert Ross objected, however, stating that the board had hired a competent business administrator and he should be given the responsibility of running the administration. It was noted that the positions scheduled were to be filled from among existing employees of local boards. The schedule is to be presented again at a later meeting.

Catches arm in washer wringer

By Shirley Pilkey
CLAREMONT — Mrs. Joan Wilson had the misfortune to catch her left arm in the wringer of the washing machine. A skin graft operation was required. Mrs. Wilson now has her arm in a cast from her finger tips. The Claremont Youth Club has become a very active organization. Meetings are held every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Hall. Members are welcome. The next attraction is an Easter dance, March 21, and a euchre, March 26. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pilkey, Brougham and Miss Patsy Ball, Claremont enjoyed supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pilkey, on the occasion of Earl's birthday, March 13. Louise and Freddy Petryshyn of Oshawa, niece and nephew of Mrs. Earle Pilkey, have been staying with them for part of their school holidays. The Claremont hockey club defeated Erin 5-2 at Erin and 5-4 in Uxbridge. The third contest is in Erin, Thursday (tonight). If a fourth game is necessary, it will be back in Uxbridge Saturday. The club has received excellent fan support, outnumbering spectators in the Erin rink. The players and management appreciate the following. March is Red Cross month. Support the campaign when a canvasser calls. The local branch is always ready to lend a helping hand in time of need. Mrs. Fran Guest is in Scarborough Centenary Hospital. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery. The L. A. of the Brownies, Guides and Rangers is holding a Tupperware party March 25 at the home of Mrs. Freda Jordan, Balsam. For transportation, phone Mrs. Carole Redshaw or Mrs. Shirley Pilkey. Miss Sharon MacLean of Clyde River, Prince Edward Island, spent a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morley. The community was saddened by the passing of Mrs. Jake Taylor, March 14. She had been a patient in Uxbridge Hospital and returned home one week before. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Taylor and members of the family. A baby shower was held for Martin Dougie Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor at the home of Mrs. Dianne Redshaw. Those helping included Mrs. Lenora McKenke and Mrs. Marion Lloyst. Former bank manager Mr. Harry Green and Mrs. Green, now of Port Stanley, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barclay. Mr. George DeRusha is again a patient in Ajax-Pickering Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hamilton attended a birthday party in Agincourt, Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pennett. Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMullen visited with their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Murray McMullen, Windsor.

TOPS queen crowned

By Blanche Tindall
ALTONA — Congratulations to Mrs. Ruth Lewis, crowned Queen of the Stouffville TOPS Club, Monday evening. Mrs. Ruth Smith was the runner-up. We are sorry to report that Bert Lewis is confined to Centenary Hospital with infection in his hand. The winners of the recent euchre were (Ladies) Mrs. M. Barrie, Anna Fretz, Edna Ogden. (Men) Gordon Wilson, Leslie Moreanson, Walter Davis, Lucky Prize: Mrs. McDonald. Series winners: Lena Ogden and Harold Moreanson. The next euchre will be Mar. 24 at the Community Centre. Belated birthday wishes go to Bert Lewis and Mrs. Stanley Reesor. Mr. and Mrs. Elwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Elson attended the wedding of his nephew at Greenwood, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Carson and Ondine had supper Sunday with Mrs. Norman Bunker. Dr. Frank Lassman of New York was a guest for dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McDowell, Church Street North.

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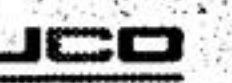


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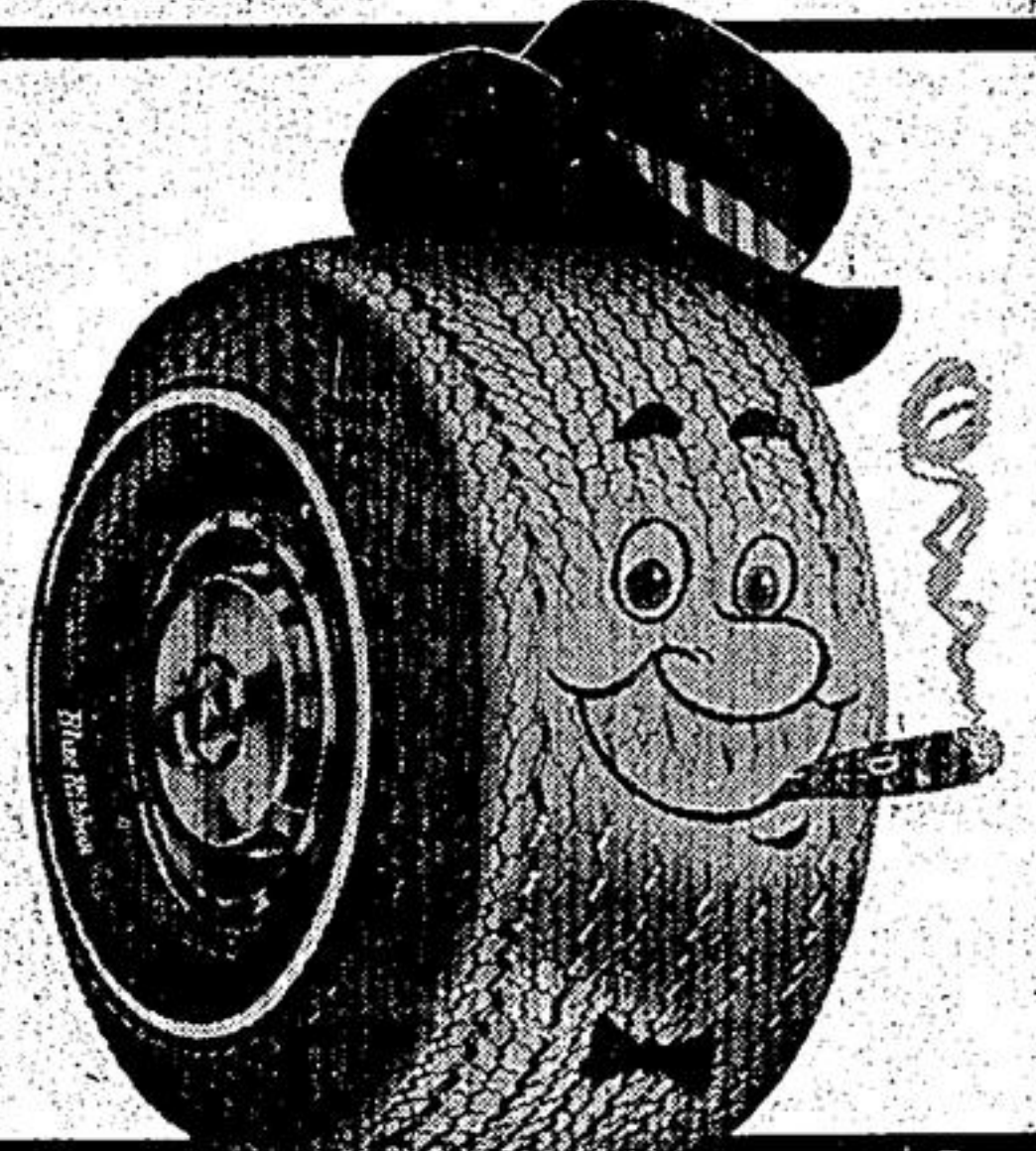
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