Markham valedictorian

### Color guard

STOUFFVILLE - The Stouffville 'Centurions' will leave Dec. 13 to participate in a color guard pageant at Sherbourne, New York. Fifteen members will make the 700 mile round trip, the farthest distance afield they have yet travel-

# Chides aimless protesters



Eighteen year old Karin Walmark, an honor graduate of Markham Dist. High School and now attending Trent University, Peterborough, delivered the valedictory address at graduation exercises, Nov. 28. -Jas. Thomas

### Council recommendation

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quired positions with vari-

ous firms for one week.

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Twenty 1st year stu-

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Constable Young. Mr. Wes

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By Danny Grayston DON HEAD - Except on field trips, girl's slacks are not appropriate apparel af Don Head Secon dary-School people will Freact when This was a decision of employed on a full-time the Students' Council at a meeting, Nov. 17. It was also, agreed that coats should not be worn during school class time.

A Christmas dinner is planned for the last week of school.

On the question of dress, the policy is a suggestion only.

The 'Slave Day' resulted in a profit of \$42.50 for the Year Book project. This sum was reduced to \$40.50 after Danny Gryaston's 'slave' escaped custody. Danny bid \$2.00 for her. She has since transferred to Shaw's Business School.

The majority of second year students participated in a Work Experience Week, Nov. 24 to 28. Jun-

### Memorial award

STOUFFVILLE - The late Frank Yake of Stouffville has left the sum of \$500 to Branch 459 of the Royal Canadian Legion for the purpose of furthering the education of children of Legion members, it is announced this week by the president, Arthur Dix-

A savings bond has been purchased with this money and the interest each year will be awarded in cash, or kind, to the son or daughter of a Legion member.

The recipient of the award will be selected by the Branch trustees and the executive. It will be known as 'The Frank Yake Memorial Award'.

"All of us at the Branch are pleased and honored to carry out the wishes of the late Mr. Yake," said president Dixon, "education is one of the keys to happiness and success in life and the children who receive this award will think kindly of their benefactor".

## Student loan plan

Norm Cafik has indicated the Department of Finance has authorized 67,786 students to receive loans totalling \$46,130,034.00 between the period of July 31 to September 30, 1969. Since the inception of the Plan in 1964, approximately 446,000 students have become eligble, borrowing a total amount of 272.8 million dollars.

MARKHAM - Protest movements, involving a segment of to-day's student population, often for no worthwhile purpose, were criticized by 18 year old Karin Walmark, the valedictorian at Markham Dist. High School's graduexercises, Friday

In a challenging address, that retained the interest of her audience, Karin made very little reference to the past but instead, stressed the importance of the present and the future.

She referred to a group of young people who, under the guise of demanding change, seem more intent in their desire to destroy rather than create, to negate rather than construct. "Often we do not realize how lucky we are," she said, "our complaints are really very minor when compared to the problems of the world".

Karin urged her class to appreciate more fully the opinions of their elders with anticipation of similar consideration in return. "We can't all be presidents," she continued, "but we can all learn from the mistakes of others". She referred to the graduation, class of '69 as the 'conscience of society'.

Karin spoke in glowing terms of the school's principal, and mentioned his willingness to adjust to changing himes. She also described the staff teachers as once 'God-like creatures' in Grade 9 but now . 'normal people with faults and feelings much like our own'.

Karin is now studying at Trent University, Peterborough, majoring in Sci-

tion Centre was the ex-Principal Kenneth C. McDonald said, that while sight tests and twenty goals kept changing and questions on road signs accommodation must be and rules of the road. The mproved to keep pace, there are those who would destroy that which now exists. "There is much in the present that is good," he charged. "What fools we would be to disregard such values and listen to those,



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car, a 1970 Pontiac Le-

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