



**Markham graduate wins Texaco scholarship**

Robert Hayes, a graduate of Markham Dist. High School, has been awarded an academic scholarship by Texaco Canada Limited. It covers all tuition expenses and is renewable annually for a full undergraduate course. Robert is studying for his BSc degree at the University of Toronto. He is the son of Wally Hayes, R.R. 1, Stouffville, a tank truck driver at Texaco's bulk station, Toronto.

**Injury postpones anniversary**

By Isobel Nigh  
MELVILLE—The celebrations to mark the 45th wedding anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hunt had to be postponed due to an unfortunate injury to Mrs. Harry Hunt. She slipped on the ice and hurt her back. She is now home from hospital.

Several U.C.W. ladies attended a quilting recently at the home of Mrs. Cliff Burkholder.

Melville ladies will join with others in the area at Baker Hill Church, Friday at 2 p.m. for the World Day of Prayer Service.

A speedy recovery is wished for Mr. Hill Miller, confined to his home through illness.

Mrs. William Watt of Bethesda is a guest at the Markham Lodge, conc. 9 and Hwy. 7. Mrs. E.

Galbraith also resides there. Mrs. Elena Atkinson is in Brierbush Hospital, Stouffville.

Mrs. Arthur Uens and family are enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Hannah of Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Nigh have moved from Stouffville to apartment 1C in the Dublin Arms, Dublin Street, Markham.

Plans are near complete for the visitation program. Members of Melville United Church will take part. Anyone interested in assisting with this aspect of church work is asked to volunteer his or her services.

The next meeting of the U.C.W. is March 9 at 8:15 p.m. at the manse.

**Day of prayer service**

By Rosemary Timms  
CLAREMONT - The World Day of Prayer service will be held Friday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Claremont Baptist Church. The guest speaker is Mrs. Eldon Linstead. Special music will be rendered by Helen Anderson and Sadie Hardy. There will be a nursery school for mothers wishing to bring their children.

The community extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hockley on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary, Feb. 25.

On Monday at 8 p.m., the evening group of the U.C.W. will meet at the home of Mrs. Larry Jinkerson. The program will be taken by Janet Evans and Margaret Pugh. Ladies are asked to bring used nylons, stamps and clothing for needy children.

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Phillips and June Hill, Toronto, Mrs. Olive Emby, son Donald and Donna McKinley of Peterboro and Douglas Elliott, Udon, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill.

The 1st Claremont Cub Pack enjoyed bowling at Stouffville, Saturday, with their Cubmaster, Gordon Brook and his assistants. The 1st Claremont Scout Troop enjoyed a winter camp-out at Don Sanderson's farm, R.R. 1, Ashburn, with Scoutmaster Mike Hockley and assistants.

**See NHL game**

By Nora Tranmer  
BLOOMINGTON - Mr. Joe Burnett and Mr. Carl Nesbitt attended the Toronto-Oakland N.H.L. game at Maple Leaf Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Gould and family were at Brampton for the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Algie and Ron's mother, Mrs. Irene Gould.

Mrs. Wilbert Gower was hostess to the Churchill Ladies Group.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Powlick and family, Cooksville were Sunday visitors with her mother, Mrs. Vera Nesbitt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ramer, Apsley, were Friday guests with his sister,

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lemon.

C.A.G. Church Ladies Fellowship Group meets Thursday evening at the church. The ladies have completed 12 quilts.

Miss Dianne Storey was home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Storey

**Lake visitor arrives - through the wall**

By Jane Schweichert  
MUSSELMAN'S LAKE - Congratulations to Mrs. Delga Badgero, Maple Grove Avenue. A respected and long-time resident, Mrs. Badgero celebrated her 84th birthday, March 1. Mrs. Badgero and husband Charles spent Sunday with their son, Harold, Baker Avenue, Stouffville.

Saturday visitors were their son John, Park Drive, Stouffville and grandson, Allan of Markham. Mrs. Badgero says she enjoys having callers, except when they drop in unexpectedly - like through the wall! She said "little" Chuck Blacklock of Valley Road did just that about 9:40 p.m., Feb. 27. The six foot Mr. Blacklock had intended to go for a ride with a neighbor, Paul Laidlaw. Newly installed equipment on Chuck's machine failed and he went sailing into the side of the Badgero house, directly across the Ninth Line. Officer David Knowles, Whitechurch Police, investigated.

On Saturday, Musselman's Lake residents were reminded of the noise and crowds

that they usually associate with summer. The Kinsman snowmobile races brought hundreds of participants and spectators to the Lake.

Miss Dawn Drew, Victor Drive, is confined to the house with mumps.

Sunday dinner guests at Charles and Irene Noseworthy's Victor Drive home were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Earle, both Sr. and Jr., of Scarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie and Gene Yawarski, Downsview, were weekend guests at the Thorne home, on Mitchell Drive March 1. The Thornes and their guests visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Thorne at their new farm, Uxbridge. Harvey Thorne moved only last month from Agincourt.

Mrs. Ruth Pellett, Ballantrae has returned home for a short time from Princess Margaret Lodge, Toronto. Mrs. Pellett was formerly Vice President of the Whitechurch branch of the Aurora Cancer Unit. She was an ardent volunteer, driving patients to hospital for treatments, and giving a word of encouragement to those who needed it. John Pellett, Tilbury, Ont., visited his

parents and sister, Oliver, Ruth and Suzanne for the weekend. John brought his aunt Mrs. Florence Gadal and two cousins with him from Tilbury. Mrs. Gadal and children stayed with Mrs. Norman Pellett, Mitchell Drive.

The election of the general committee of the Whitechurch Centennial Center will be held March 11 at the Center. All residents are urged to attend.

Mr. Bob Woods, owner of Sunny Valley, fell Feb. 20 and broke a rib. Dr. R.B. Mitchell attended him.

Best wishes also to Mr. Fred Cowie, a former resident of the lake. Mr. Cowie celebrates a birthday March 24. He now operates a hunting and fishing lodge at Hurst, Ont. but is presently on an extended visit with his sister Mrs. Hazel Canning, Agincourt.

March 6 seems to be a popular day for birthdays here. On Friday four teenagers celebrate birthdays. They are Cathy Fould, 13; Jo Gibson, 14; Francis Real, 15 and Marg Camps, 15. Best wishes to Bernadette Corcoran, 7 on March 4.

**Two youths fined \$300**

STOUFFVILLE - Two area men spent one day in jail, were fined \$300 each and placed on probation following conviction on charges aired in Richmond Hill Court, Feb. 20.

Following an investigation into the theft of a snowmobile engine, valued at \$400, the property of Richard Davis, Stouffville, a charge of theft was laid against Norman Steven-

son, Stouffer Street, Stouffville, and a second charge of possession of stolen goods, against Norman DeForest, Musselman's Lake.

Both pleaded guilty. In addition to his jail sentence and fine, Steven-son was ordered to make restitution in the sum of \$50 for damage caused to the snowmobile when he removed the engine. The motor itself was recovered by police.

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