

# Women's Tribune

## STOUFFVILLE SCENE

### What's going on

**Hunger Supper**  
A 'Hunger Supper', the first event of its kind held in Stouffville, is Sunday evening, April 5 at 6 p.m. in St. James Presbyterian and Christ Anglican churches. The proceeds will go to the Canadian Hunger Foundation.

For local residents who may be tired of enduring winter-like cold, Miss Bessie Laurie, Harold Street, has the assurance that Spring is on the way. She saw four robins on her lawn over the weekend.

Mrs. Douglas Leatherdale, Duchess Street, is recuperating from a broken ankle, suffered recently while on a skiing holiday with her husband.

Mrs. Wm. Sanders, Mr. Ray Steel and Mr. Charles Spensley have been serving on jury duty in the Supreme Court for the past two weeks.

Friends of Mr. William Paul are pleased to see him out and around again. He was a patient in Scarborough Centenary Hospital for a period of twelve days.

Mr. Roy Zeller, Park Drive North, is recovering from a recent fall in which he suffered a broken right leg.

Holiday visitors with Mrs. DeWitt, Church Street South were - Mrs. Leary, Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rowbotham, Cornwall and Mrs. Walter Kent and son Paul, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Grove have returned from a holiday in Nassau. Debra and Danette enjoyed the vacation with Mr. and Mrs. George Barrett and Larry of Gormley.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brillinger Gormley were Mr. and Mrs. Abram Lehman, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stickley, Unionville, R.R. and Mrs. and Mrs. Wm. Spragge, Aurora.

Two carloads of young people travelled to Columbiana, Ohio over the Easter weekend. Included in the group were Margaret Smith, Stouffville; John Byer, Markham; Esther Byer, Markham; Bill Whiteway, Scarborough; Rosalie Nighswander, Stouffville; Joanna Reesor, Unionville; Margaret Morrison, Linda Theil, Peter Brown and Nancy Dolphin, Milliken; Marie Dick, Markham; Paul McDowell, Unionville and Francis McKay, Unionville.

The former home of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ed Terryberry, conc. 9 Markham at 16th Avenue, has been torn down. The house is believed to be close to 100 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCausland and Wayne visited with her mother, Mrs. George Hoover, Mill Street, Sunday.

### Ladies' bowling league

STOUFFVILLE - Flora Forfar led the Ladies' Bowling League with a high triple of 586 and a single game of 228, March 26. Others over the 200 mark were Muriel Illingworth, 227; Doris Prentice, 212; Mary Haynes, 208; Barb Melhuish, 205; Winnie Elson, 204; and Millie Willcocks, 200. The team standings are: Woes, 61; Clackers, 51; Hi Lo's, 49; Minis, 39; Headliners, 28; and Goofers, 24.

### Fashion show

STOUFFVILLE - A fashion show, entitled 'Life Style '70' will be presented by the C.G.I.T. Land Rangers in Christ Anglican Church, Friday evening, April 3 at 8 p.m. The public is invited. Admission is adults - 75cents and students - 50 cents.

Winners on March 26 at the Legion Ladies Auxiliary euchre were: Ladies - Mrs. Ed Williams, Mrs. Florence Hinde and Mrs. Myrtle Dowsell. For the men - Harold Catton, Dick Hinde and Harold McCarthy.

Dave McNelly, a member of the champion Stouffville Juvenile team, was the host, Saturday evening, at a gathering for the management and players, at his home on Loretta Crescent.

Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Thompson spent the Easter weekend visiting their son and family, Col. and Mrs. W.R. Thompson of Belleville.

Some individual, identity unknown, holds an obvious dislike for officers of the Stouffville Police Department. On March 21, a chunk of cement was thrown through the office window and last week, the unmarked car, parked near the station, was pelted with eggs.

Tom Wedseltoft, formerly of O'Brien Avenue and now living in Toronto, was a visitor in the village last week. He and his wife hope to visit Expo '70 in Osaka, Japan this summer.

Mrs. Pearl Smith, Park Drive North, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. George Peagam and family, Mount Albert.

### Beta Sigma Phi

#### Elect officers for '70

MARKHAM - The Markham Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, has elected its officers for 1970. The meeting was held March 17, at the home of Mrs. Olga Dykstra, Stouffville.

Executive positions are filled by the following: President, Mrs. Alicia Wilkins; Vice-President, Mrs. Lucy Duke; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Ann Gilbert; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Belva Harrott; Treasurer, Mrs. Norma Montgomery; Extension Officer, Mrs. Diane

Darling and Mrs. C. Attridge, Chapter Co-ordinator, Mrs. Liz Logan and Mrs. Grace Scott.

The cultural portion of the program was entitled 'nature', and was given by Mrs. Thelma Bourdon and Mrs. Dykstra. The guest for the evening was Mrs. Goldie Rutherford, Markham, R.R.2. She showed slides taken on trips to Moosonee. She was thanked by Mrs. Harrott.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Ethel Horton and Mrs. Sylvia Leaf.

### Five Parkview ladies

#### Honored at gathering

STOUFFVILLE - A very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed at Parkview Home, March 25 when the W.M.S.A. of Cedar Grove Mennonite Church sponsored the program.

The occasion marked birthdays for five residents, Mrs. Linda Broder, Mrs. Nellie Bond, Mrs. Susannah Darlington, Mrs. Mable Lambert and Mrs. Ilda May Harde.

Each was presented with a corsage, a potted plant and a birthday cake. A surprise presentation was also made to Mrs. Edna Wideman, whose birthday is in March. Her husband,

Allan, is the manager at Parkview.

The program, attended by many friends and visitors, was arranged by Mrs. Doreen Burkholder.

Participants included Mrs. Florence Burkholder, Mrs. Irene Steiner and a 15 year old blind girl, Jasmine Schuchardt, a former resident at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burkholder, and how attending the School for the Blind at Brampton. A number of girls and boys joined together in several songs. Mrs. Florence Burkholder led in the meditation.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Watson

## For Markham couple - a 'golden day'



Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Watson, married fifty years, March 27, 1970 - Jas. Thomas.

STOUFFVILLE - The weather outside was sunny and the atmosphere inside was friendly. The occasion, March 27, was the Golden Wedding Anniversary gathering in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Watson, well-known and highly respected residents on 18th Avenue, R.R.2, Markham.

More than 200 relatives, friends and neighbors attended the reunion held in the lower hall of the Stouffville United Church. Mr. and Mrs. Watson greeted each visitor warmly, including many from the Agincourt area where they once resided. Barry Watson, a nephew, travelled all the way from Northern Quebec while other guests came from as far distant as Woodstock and Brockville.

Mr. Watson was born near Agincourt, the son of Charles and Charlotte Watson. He attended public school at S.S. 1, Scarborough.

Mrs. Watson, the former Eunice Forsyth, was born at conc. 6, Uxbridge, the daughter of Lewis and Annetta Forsyth. She obtained her early education at S.S. 12, Uxbridge Twp. Around the year 1912, the family moved to the Agincourt community and attended the Ebenezer Methodist Church. It was there that

Stanley and Eunice first met and on March 27, 1920, were married by Rev. D.L. Gordon at her parent's home. On their honeymoon trip, they travelled in style by motor car to Toronto, the groom's brother doing the driving.

Eighteen years ago, they purchased the property owned by Walter Brignall and have lived there ever since along with sons Trevor and Stuart. Stuart, his wife and family have a new home closer to the road. A daughter, Mildred, resides on Ninth Line South, in Stouffville. Mr. Watson has two brothers, Fred of Agincourt and Clifford of Whitby. Mrs. Watson has one sister, Mrs. George Rowe of Hickson, near Woodstock.

The couple are members of the United Church in Stouffville. Mr. Watson serves on the Session.

He is also a former councillor in Ward 3 of Markham Twp.

Mr. Watson is considered an excellent farmer and his herd of Holsteins, one of the best in the County. He holds a membership in the York Holstein Club going back fifty years.

To make their anniversary an even more memorable occasion, Mr. and Mrs. Watson received telegrams from Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau;

### Marathon skate in Uxbridge arena

UXBRIDGE - A marathon skating contest, has been organized for the Uxbridge Arena, April 10 and 11.

Entries, sponsored at \$1 per hour, will take to the ice at 10 p.m. on April 10 and continue (if possible) to 10 a.m., April 11 - a period of 24 hours.

Anyone who can go the limit will receive \$25.

The marathon is open to anyone and the proceeds are for Uxbridge minor hockey.

Full particulars are available at the Uxbridge rink.

Governor General Roland Michener and an engraved plaque from Premier John Roberts. Letters of congratulations were received from Donald Deacon, M.P.P. and M.P. Barnard Danson. Beautiful bouquets of flowers and dozens of cards remain as reminders of a wonderful afternoon, neither will ever forget. The Tribune is pleased to add its congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nigh and family visited with his aunt, Mrs. Staley at Brantford, Sunday.

John Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pollard, Fairview Avenue, is home from hospital following surgery to his hip. He has returned to school this week.

### Plan school addition

MARKHAM - Tenders will be opened April 13 for an addition to William Armstrong Public School in the Town of Markham. Board estimate of the building is \$378,340.

Approval of the working drawings has been received from the Ontario Department of Education but a condition of the approval was that the cost should not exceed \$343,089.

This is a reflection of the depletion of the Ontario Education Capital Aid fund and the Department of Education's brake on new school construction.

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