

Mayor reports

By Ken Laushway
TOWN OF WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE
 Jan. 1, 1971, the date on which the newly elected council of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville becomes the official governing body, is fast approaching. As your Mayor-elect of that council, I am confident that, by planning ahead, the transfer of authority will be accomplished without noticeable effect of the administration of services to you, the citizen.

Already, committees of the 1971 council have been selected and approved for adoption. The chairman of each has been chosen by the members. They are: Public Works - Councillors: Gordon Ratcliff (chairman); Herb Simpson, June Button, Mayor Ken Laushway. Administration - Councillors: Merlyn Baker (chairman); Betty vanNostrand, Tom Lonergan, Mayor Ken Laushway.

On Jan. 1, members of Council will also become the new area (local) Planning Board. Councillor Tom Lonergan is the appointed chairman.

The Committee of Council has recommended the appointment of Mr. R.E. Corner to serve as Administrator of the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville.

The Council-elect felt it important to engage a solicitor as soon as possible and applicants were interviewed. The appointment of Mr. Paul W. Mingay has been approved. Mr. Mingay, a resident of Markham, has been the solicitor for Markham Township since 1966.

While the distribution, maintenance and billing of water service will become the responsibility of Council, Jan. 1, a meeting was held with members of the Public Utilities Commission to discuss future procedure. It was the committee's opinion that the present system should continue for a few months into 1971 on a charge-back basis to the municipality until municipal employees become familiar with the operation. A letter has been forwarded to the P.U.C., requesting this service.

As a convenience to residents outside the Stouffville free-call zone, a Newmarket line will be installed at the municipal office to accommodate all ratepayers. This service will be available Jan. 1.

Within the next two weeks, the committee will select persons to serve on the Committee of Adjustment, Community Centre Boards and the Recreation Committee. Also to be decided is the date of the inaugural meeting when members of the new council will take the oath of office. Later, several bylaws and resolutions will be passed, ratifying the decisions now recommended by the Committee of Council.



Ninetieth birthday

Mr. David Boyd, Church Street North, Stouffville, marked his 90th birthday, Dec. 2. To celebrate the occasion, he took his usual stroll down town to greet his many long-time friends, then returned home to open a bundle of cards of congratulations. Mr. Boyd enjoys excellent health and now looks forward to reaching figure 100.

Donna Cunningham

Injured in snowmobile accident

By Jean Leaf
BUTTONVILLE - Nine-year-old Donna Cunningham suffered facial injuries, Sunday, when the snowmobile, on which she was riding, was involved in an accident. She was admitted to York Central Hospital. Donna was the sweet little candlelighter at the morning service in Brown's Corners Church, Sunday.

Sunday, Dec. 13 is the White Gift Service at Brown's Corners Church. The junior choir will bring

special music. Brown's Corners United Church Women held their Christmas service, Dec. 2. Mrs. George Todd of Markham showed pictures of their recent trip to South America. Mrs. D.E. Hood led in a candlelighting service. Mrs. Fred Billingsley read the scripture and Mrs. Walter Craig conducted the meeting. Officers were reinstated for the year 1971 - President, Mrs. Walter Craig; 1st vice-president, Mrs. A.W. Miller; second vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Rodick; Secretary - Mrs. Harold Steffler; Treasurer, Mrs. Norman Reid.

Buttonville Branch of the York Central Hospital Auxiliary netted over \$100 for the Auxiliary at a benefit euchre and sale of gifts and home baking. Euchre winners were Linda Sepp, Mrs. G. Weidmark, Mrs. R. Davis, Mrs. A. Brammer; Robt. Riseborough, Paul Hickey, George Kelly and Bill Wray. Lucky draws went to Russell Olsen (a painting donated by local artist Mrs. F.W. Baker) Matt Davies; Mrs. G. Ogden, Mrs. Margaret Chadwick, Newton Burr, George Kelly and Alvin Klinck. Freeze-out winners were Hazel Harris, Mrs. G. Weidmark, Doug Pope and Lucille Cummings.

Many of the original members are still active in a dance group which began at the John Madsen Folk School, Cherry Hill Farm, twenty years ago. They meet regularly at a Thornhill school, and occasionally hold a special party at Buttonville Hall. Dec. 5 was one such occasion, when members entertained at a family party.

Patty Gough is making good progress following surgery at the Orthopedic Hospital, Wellesley Street. Miss Rhea Scott injured her knee in a fall recently.

Married 50 years

By Barbara St. John
GOODWOOD - The community extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Reg Walker on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. Consolidated Sand and Gravel Company held their annual Christmas party in the Legion Hall, Stouffville, Dec. 4. Spot dance winners of chocolates and ten dollar certificates included Stan and Polly Noble, Bill and Joyce McGuckin and Gary and Barb St. John.

Dandelion in December. The unseasonably mild weather of last week produced some strange quirks in nature - like a dandelion found on the lawn at the Charlie Dennie home, Tindale Road, Dec. 2.

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Hospitalized in two-car collision

By Betty Pegg
GREENWOOD - David Henning was released from Peterboro Hospital on the weekend following treatment for injuries received in a 2-car accident near Montegale, Dec. 4. Seven others were also hurt in the head-on crash.

Patti and Elizabeth Brown of Brooklin and Marlene Oliver, conc. 5, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Brown and family.

Mr. and Mrs. McPhail of Toronto visited on the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Pegg. It was Mr. McPhail's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pascoe of Claremont enjoyed Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pascoe.

Unit 1 of the U.C.W. held their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. V. Hicks. Gifts were brought for children in Smith Falls and the 'Secret Sisters'.

The general meeting of the U.C.W. is Dec. 15 at the church.

Unit 2 of the U.C.W. held their Christmas meeting at the home of Mrs. Alfred Pegg. Unit 3 met at the home of Mrs. Ernie Trimble.

The many friends of Miss Beatrice McLean will be pleased to know she is now home from hospital and doing nicely. Mrs. McLean remains a patient in Ajax Hospital but making satisfactory progress.

Five 4-H Club girls received certificates at Achievement Day in Claremont, Dec. 5. A demonstration was provided by Cathy Pegg and Janice Wilson. Greenwood leaders are Mrs. Ken McTaggart and Mrs. Grant Pascoe.

The Intermediate Sunday School Class under the leadership of Mrs. Sid Pugh, enjoyed a skating party, Saturday evening at Brooklin Arena and later had lunch back at the church.

A 'play day' rather than the traditional Christmas Concert will be organized for the Sunday School children in the park at 11 a.m., Dec. 29. Hot lunch will be served at noon.

Pre-Christmas children's show.

This Saturday, Dec. 12, the Stouffville Players will present the pre-Christmas pantomime, 'Snow, White and the Seven Dwarfs' in the auditorium of the high school. Performances are at 2 and 7:30 p.m. Every child should see it.

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