

Uxbridge Township

Staff appointments made

Divisions show in region committee

UXBRIDGE — Durham Region's Land Division Committee is showing signs of being very much divided, according to Uxbridge Township's representative Gary Herrema.

He appeared as a delegation at the council meeting Jan. 10.

"I want to thank you people for putting me on this suicide committee," he said with a smile. "We have had one meeting, and there looks like there will be some differences."

One problem shows that the urban areas of the region will be lined up against the rural municipalities.

He said that separation fees being sought by representatives of the southern municipalities, "are very high."

The proposed fees, which are, in effect, a lot levy, are way out of line with present fees in parts of Uxbridge township, according to Mr. Herrema. Uxbridge Township charged \$500 and Scott Township \$250 as a separation fee.

Councillors agreed that the fee should not be higher than \$500 and Mayor Carl Putebough said higher ones could be, "a real hardship."

He cited the case of a farmer who wants to separate one lot for a member of his family to keep his farm going.

"Here we are dealing with individuals, not large developers," the mayor said. "I can't hurt an individual."

UXBRIDGE — Uxbridge Township Council made a number of appointments at its first regular meeting Thursday Jan. 10, and established council standing committees.

Maustyn McKnight was named Finance Committee chairman, with Councillors Bill Ballinger, and Joe Esmonde on the committee. Fred Kelland will head the Works and Roads Committee, helped along by Councillors McKnight and Eleanor Todd.

Joe Esmonde will chair the committee with the longest name —

Public Protection and Parks, which will include Councillors Kelland and McKnight.

Bill Ballinger will head Planning and Development, with Councillors Todd and Meyers as members. Mayor Carl Putebough is a member of all the committees.

Staff appointments were also made. Ruth Goldstone, formerly clerk of the Town of Uxbridge, was named deputy clerk; and Alice Stewart, former deputy clerk of Uxbridge Township, was appointed deputy treasurer.

Sylvia Robb got the

job of tax collector and Norman James was named chief of the volunteer fire department. Auditor for the Township will be Deloitte, Haskins and Seals of Oshawa.

The committee of adjustment was also appointed and will include — Darcy Higgins (three years); Ross Elliott (two years); and Norris Sanderson (one year).

Two law firms will serve as solicitors for the township. They will be — Robertson, Leans and Parratts of Toronto; and Harris and Harris of Uxbridge.

Anne Barrett

Canine control officer

UXBRIDGE — Uxbridge Township will have a full-time Canine Control Officer, if council adopts a motion that was deferred at the council meeting last week.

Anne Barrett, who has been working part-time for old Uxbridge Township, will likely get the job.

Mrs. Barrett appeared at the council meeting and agreed to take the job on a full-time basis for \$7,000 per year plus mileage and long distance charges.

She assured council she would be available on weekends.

Councillor Joe

Esmonde recommended that Mrs. Barrett be given a \$50 per month vehicle allowance until the township buys its own truck for the job. They would use Mrs. Barrett's pound for the dogs.

She said that one person full-time could do the job for the whole Township. Council is bound by law to keep

Lewis May who worked part-time for Scott Township.

Mr. Esmonde suggested that Mrs. Barrett be named Canine Control Officer and Mr. May be her assistant.

It was referred to the Public Protection Committee so that all the details could be worked out.

Hugh Miller Speaker at Town inaugural

PICKERING — Hugh Miller, long-time township resident, was the feature speaker at the inaugural meeting of the Town of Pickering Council.

His address touched on the history of Pickering and the many changes that have come about since its inception in 1811. By contrast speeches by Mayor George Ashe and the councillors were short and general.

Other highlights included presentations to ex-councillor Jean McPherson, longtime member of Pickering Township council, with a silver plate; and to former reeve John Williams a plaque to commemorate his service to the township.

Mr. Miller entertained the capacity audience with his wit and anecdotes.

He said that early councils dating back to 1811 had built well. He talked about well-known Canadians that came from Pickering Township.

"Progress and development as we know it, may not be the ultimate of mankind after all," he said.

He challenged the new council to have the "determination and insistence" of the early pioneers, especially in fighting against the deterioration of the rural parts of the Town, which he said could become rural slums.

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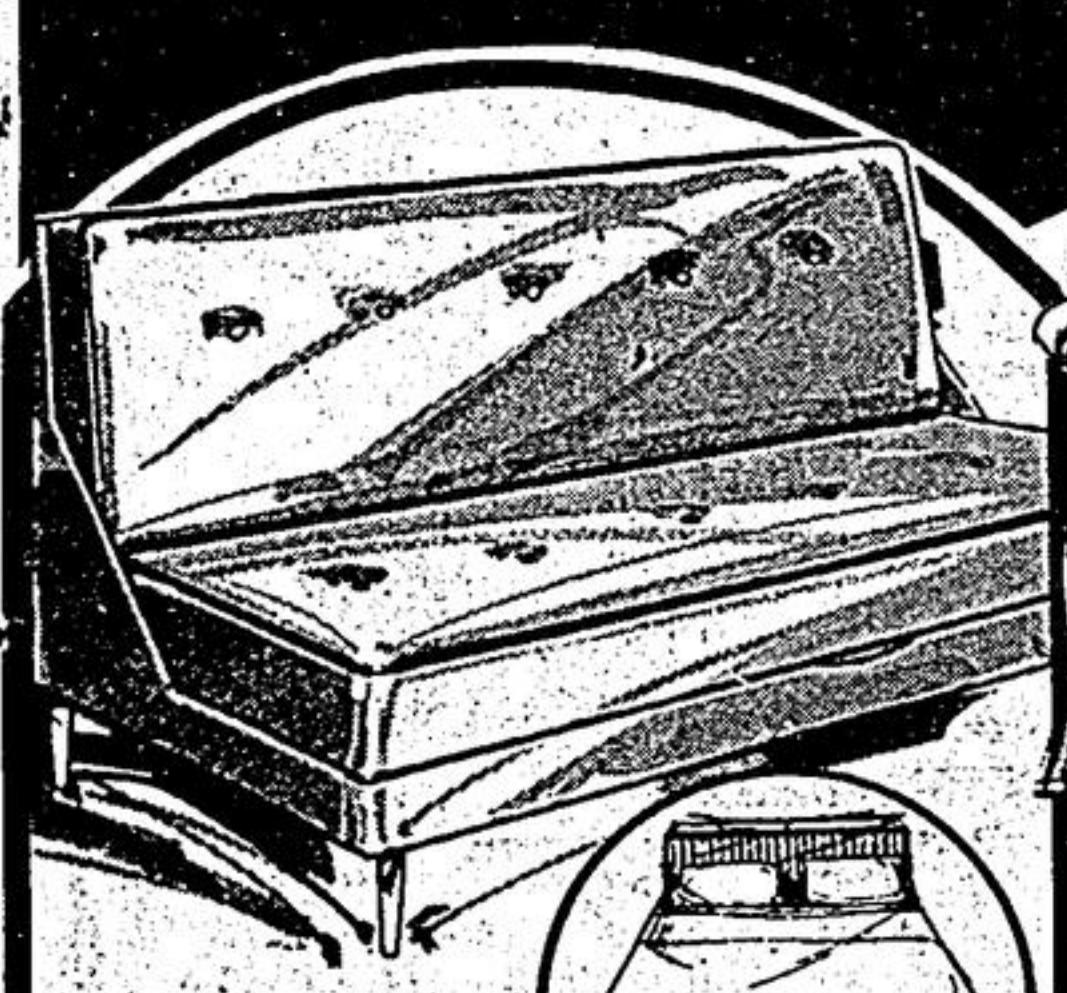
Swiss players are introduced during opening ceremonies, Friday night

Members of the Wallisellen, Switzerland Hockey Club line up in the Stouffville Arena, Friday evening, during opening ceremonies in which each player was introduced.

The team plays its final game of the tournament here, Sunday afternoon, beginning at 1 p.m. Later, they will leave for Malton and the long flight home. — Jim Thomas.

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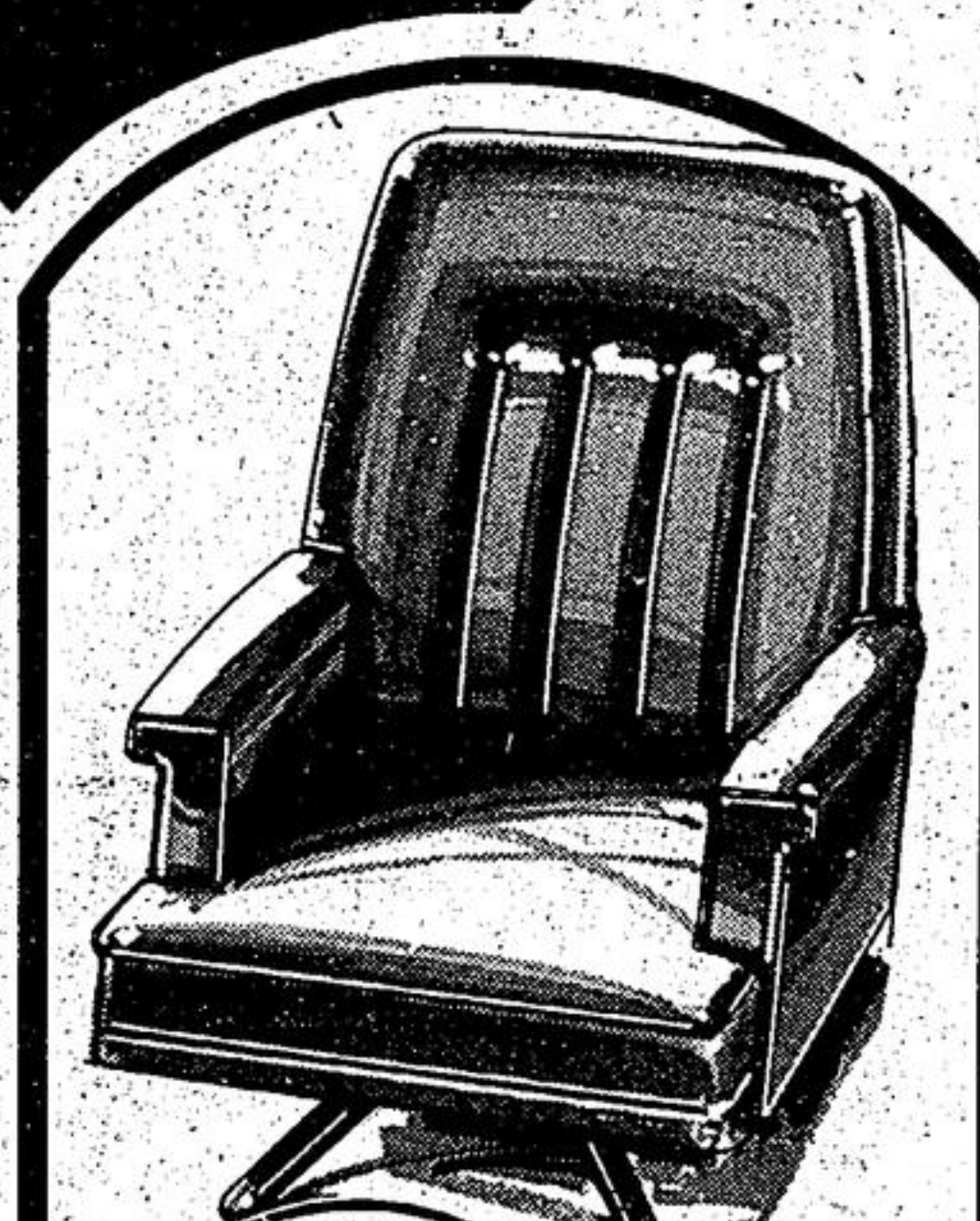
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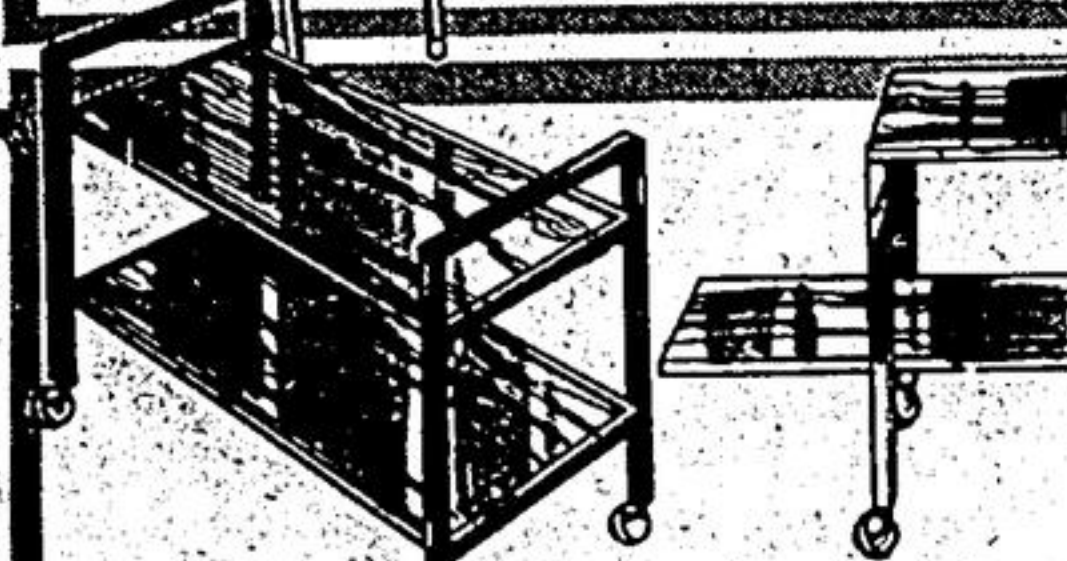


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