

Parkview News

# Recorder players in Sunday service

STOUFFVILLE — The Recorder Players of the Church of Christ, Baptist Church delivered the Sunday evening service on May 12 in the Parkview Home Auditorium. Two young members of the church congregation, Miss Becky Elson and Miss Jean Gower, played musical selections on their recorders.

Thursday, May 9, Velma Brillinger, a Missionary from Africa, presented a slide program of pictures of Africa.

Residents and staff gathered together Tuesday, May 8, in honour of a former staff member, Mrs. Joan

Harwood, who was Secretary of the Parkview Home in June of 1965 until June of 1972. The Residents showed their appreciation to Mrs. Harwood for all her kindnesses to them by presenting her with a lovely "signature" quilt which several of the ladies had made.

Members of the staff and Board of Directors attended the Mennonite Homes and Hospitals Association Annual meeting in St. Catharines from May 8 and 9. Included in the program was a visit to two other Homes for the Aged and a home for retarded adults.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Nighswander, Mr. H. J. Diller, Mrs. J.L. Barkey, Mrs. M. Uens, Reverend Wm. VanderBent and Mr. Cecil Reesor.

Sunday, May 12, the evening service was conducted by Reverend John Hamilton, pastor of Stouffville Missionary Church.

During the past month we have welcomed several new Residents into Parkview Home: Mr. Leslie Wideman, Mrs. Jessie Greidanus, Mrs. Alma Reesor and Mrs. Edith Kingsley. We are presently caring for Douglas Read on a "Vacation Care" basis for a couple of weeks.

A "House Warming" shower was held Friday, May 10, honoring Mrs. Elda Brown, Director of Nursing at Parkview, by the Nursing Staff. The surprise shower was held at the home of Mrs. Joyce Houghton, and was attended by nurses presently on staff and others who had been on staff with Mrs. Brown since June of 1965.

# Regional study recommends new firehall

BALLANTRAE — Establishment of a firehall in the Ballantrae Musselman's Lake area is one of five recommendations from York Region's Area Services Branch in a report to Whitchurch-Stouffville entitled, "Ballantrae Community Study".

The recommendation states that the town should "examine the feasibility" of building the fire hall.

Other parts of the study suggest a limited amount of new housing in the Ballantrae area as infilling with no more than 30 new units added.

One aspect of the study added that there is no need to designate new areas for commercial development at this time. But an industrial area northwest of the hamlet should be reduced in size, according to study recommendation.

"The industrial

development on 175 acres cannot be considered compatible with the rural-hamlet character," the study states.

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Conservation Club

# Wildlife sanctuary planned for dam site

STOUFFVILLE — The former village of Stouffville could soon have its own wildlife sanctuary. This is the plan of the Town's Conservation Club, following receipt of approval from the Metro Toronto and Region Authority for take-over of the site, north of the flood-control dam. The local Club will administer the program.

# Approval given for Vandorf development

VANDORF — Town planning committee has approved in principle, a "prestige" residential development north of the Vandorf Community Park, to include approximately 36 one-acre lots.

The application by Lawrence Hennessey Gormley, R. R. 1, will be passed on to the Ministry of Housing for approval. The agreement calls for 5 percent of the land or cash in lieu of land, to be donated to the municipality.

The Council, Mr. Hennessey was told, is interested only in the cash.

Jim Doble, R. R. 3, Newmarket, an avid conservationist, described the plan as "a unique opportunity for the town to gain a beautiful recreation and conservation site." He addressed a meeting of Council, April 30.

He said his organization would look after and patrol the area, using all-volunteer labor. "We want to stay clear of any great costs," he said.

Mr. Doble explained that, up to now, the municipality had been awaiting a decision from the Regional Authority.

"Now," he said, "the ball's in the Whitchurch-Stouffville court."

Multiple charges laid

# After altercation

STOUFFVILLE — A 27-year-old Stouffville area man faces charges of obstructing police and assaulting police following an altercation in the parking lot near the Brewer's Retail Store in Markham.

It is alleged that Harry Casimiri, 54, intervened after an officer stopped the accused's father, Norman Casimiri, and attempted to make an arrest. In addition to charges against the son, the father is charged with driving while impaired and escaping lawful custody.

Several times, allowing the elder Casimiri to escape, he was re-arrested two hours later.

One constable is said to have been struck in the



# His best girl is a 'queen'

Mary McLean, the student "queen" of Markham Dist. High School, poses with her escort, Jim Ramer, during the May Prom at Seneca College, Friday, May 10. Mary, 19, is in her final year at M. D. H. S. She plans to

train as a registered nurse. She resides on 18th Ave., the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. F. McLean, Markham, R. R. 2.

— Jim Thomas

# Foot patrols possible: chief

YORK REGION — "Our new communications system which will be operational within two months is specially designed to reach officers when they're out of their cars," the chief replied but he added, "if the present demand for service continues they won't be able to get out of the cars."

The Mayor continued, "It would be good public relations."

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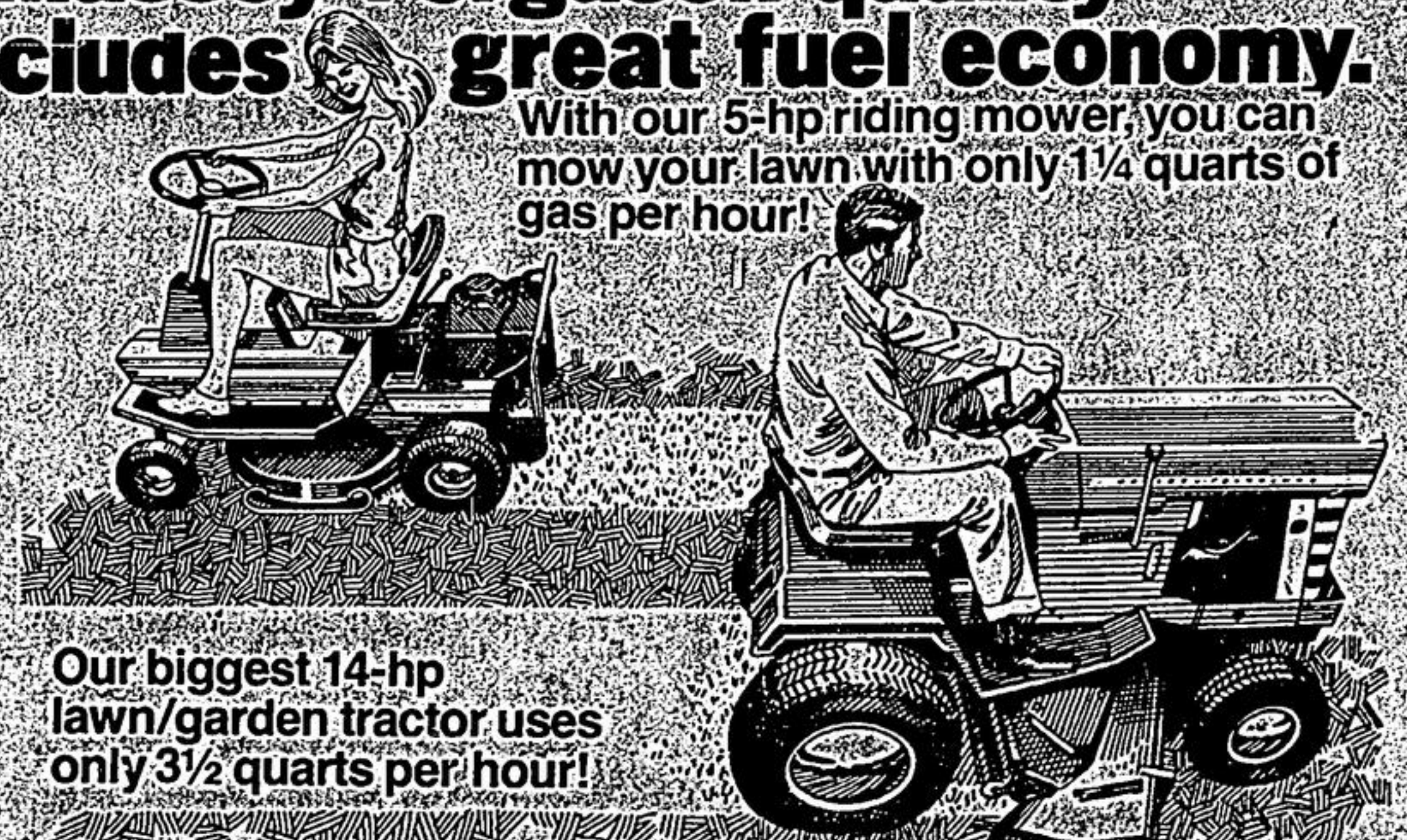
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