

The 120th Markham Fair

# Record exhibits in 12 classes

MARKHAM — Record numbers of exhibits have been entered in 12 sections for the Markham Fair.

The largest number of entries are in the Domestic Science category with 108. Other record groups include — Grain, Seeds and Hay, 31; Potatoes, 11; Vegetables, 42; Antiques, 41; Art, 37; Crafts, 85; Needlecraft, 87; Christmas in October 44; 18 and under, 69;

Flowers and Plants, 37; a n d F l o w e r Arrangements, 25.

In the corn section of the field crops competition, Bruce Risebrough, R.R. 2, Markham, was tops with 98.5. Other marks were — Gordon Brown, R.R. 2, Markham, 98; Harvey Brown, R.R. 2, Markham, 97.5; Shur Gain Farm, Maple, 97; Jack Warriner, R.R. 2, Markham, 96.5; Floyd

Forsyth, R.R. 2, Stouffville, 96; Brown Bros., R.R. 1, Unionville; Mike Larkin, R.R. 2, Markham; 95; Ellis Britton, R.R. 3, Claremont; 95; Leitchcroft Farm, Thornhill, 94.5; Stuart Watson, R.R. 2, Markham, 94; and Davidson Bros., R.R. 1, Stouffville, 93.

Leitchcroft Farm of Thornhill has taken first place for barley and oats in the Markham Fair's

Field Crop judging. Leitchcroft scored a perfect 100 for wheat and 99 for their oats.

The results are also in for barley and the winner of that category is another local, Mike Larkin, of R.R. 2, Markham. Mr. Larkin took second place in the wheat judging, with a score of 99.5.

Third place in wheat was given to Trevor Watson of R.R. 2 and fifth

went to Brian Richards of R.R. 3, Claremont, with Loretta Ave., Stouffville, 98, and followed by Jack Warriner of R.R. 2, in oats is Ellis Britton of Markham.

## Local members at branch meeting

MARKHAM — Members of the Stouffville Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society attended the annual meeting of the Markham Unit, Sept. 17 at Grace Church hall.

Bill O'Connor, convenor of the campaign, said the local unit and the Ontario district had reached their 1975 goals.

Dr. Hasselback of Princess Margaret Hospital, was guest speaker. Using slides, he talked about such matters as — what cancer is; what causes it; how it behaves; and what to do about it.

He said there are over 100 varieties of cancer and 14 per cent are curable. The top three causes of death are in order — heart disease, cancer and accidents.

## Brothers shine in plowing

STOUFFVILLE — Grant Wells had good reason to be proud of his sons at the York North Plowing Match held Sept. 20 west of here. Between them, Ken and Kevin Wells walked off with four of seven special awards.

Ken will receive the Stouffville Credit Union Trophy and the William Simpson Memorial Trophy. Kevin earned the Bank of Nova Scotia

Trophy and the Eaton's of Canada Jr. Championship Trophy. Herb Jarvis of Agincourt won the International Harvester award; while the Esso special award went to Ken Ferguson of Stouffville; and the Guaranty Trust Trophy goes to Carl Timbers.

Top three winners in each class are — Class 1, Ivan Bell, Anthony Featherstone, William

Holder; Class 2 — Carl Timbers, Ken Brown, Roger Neate; Class 3, Ron McGuckin, Keith Leslie, Floyd Forsythe; Class 4, Don Dunkeld, Brian Degeer, Ken Ferguson; Class 5, Herb Jarvis, John Hulshof, Robert Campsall; Class 6, Kevin Wells, Bob Richards, Greg Timbers; Class 7, Ken Wells, Eric Timbers, Mark Grove; Class 8, Nancy Broad-

dent, Barbara Broadbent; Class 9, Barry Timbers, Floyd Forsyth, Charles Thomson; Class 11, Floyd Steckley, Fred Timbers, Art Mitchell, and Clayton Cayman.

### Entertainment planned

## Fair show features well-known humorist

MARKHAM — Well-known Canadian humorist Charlie Farquharson (alias Don Herron) headlines the Saturday night stage show at the Markham Fair.

The program begins at 7.30, with Mr. Farquharson expected to make his appearance about 9.30. The show will include local and out-of-town entertainers.

Friday night will also see a variety show at the track. Included will be — Daisyville Marching Clown Band, the Markham Melody makers, the Merry Men of Markham, Markham Dist. High School band, Scarborough Choral Society singers, the Promoters' Square Dancers, violinists Laura

Highway of Unionville, John Rae and Gunner, piper Michael Lee of Markham and a puppet show. Demonstrations of Highland dancing and baton-twirling are also included.

A dance for teenagers is planned Saturday night in the auditorium above the arena.

Friday afternoon the pet show will be held, including a sheep dog demonstration. Crowning of the "Miss Markham Fair" will take place Friday. Other attractions

are — appearances by the Golden Helmets, OPP precision, motorcycle team and a parade of 17 Chestnut horses from Oakville.

The fair features the usual midway provided by Conklin Shows and the various farm and livestock exhibits, as well as the home making displays. This year, one focal point is likely to be the Baby show scheduled for Saturday at 1 p.m.

## Four hurt as truck hit car

GOODWOOD — Four people were taken to hospital Friday morning after a gravel truck slammed into a compact car on Highway 47 at the 2nd Conc. of Uxbridge.

Ontario Provincial Police at Whitby report that Robert Desrocher, 40, R. R. 2, Pickering, was at the wheel of a 1969 Mack truck pulling a fully-loaded trailer, southbound on the 2nd Conc.

The truck, owned by Don Anderson Haulage Ltd. of Stouffville, went through the intersection and struck the 1972 Vega which was southbound on Highway 47.

Driver of the car, Richard Lewis Klock, 29, Maple St., and passengers, Michael Steiners, 16, Victoria St. and Grant McCrimmon, 32, Toronto St., all in Uxbridge, were taken to Uxbridge Cottage Hospital with injuries.

OPP report that there was thick fog at 7.25 a.m. when the mishap occurred.

Mr. Desrocher, who was also taken to hospital, has been charged with failing to yield. The truck was tipped over on its side in the crash and sustained \$8,000 damage. Damage to the car was \$3,000.

## Cruiser hit making left turn

MARKHAM — A York Regional Police cruiser sustained \$400 damage Friday when hit and was struck by a skidding car.

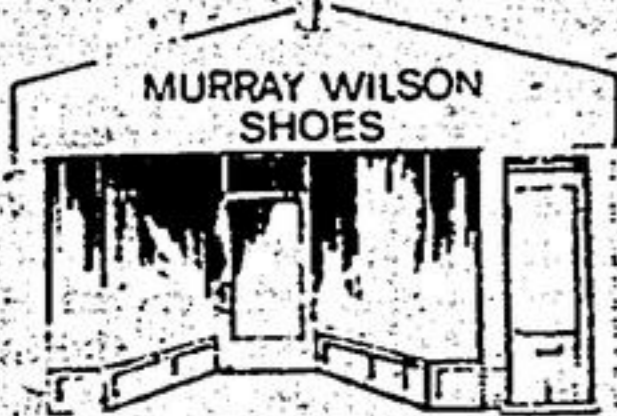
Police report that PC Paul Sorel, 24, of 27 Division was westbound on Highway 7 and was attempting to make a left-hand turn onto Conservation Ave.

An eastbound car braked and skidded into the cruiser. Driver of the second vehicle was Wayne Neureuther of Fenwick, Ontario, whose car received \$1,000 damage.



The Teen Pick of the Week is Marion Kerswill of R.R. 3, Stouffville. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerswill. Marion is the Lloyd Britton Auto Sales nominee for the Queen of the Markham Fair. She works at Parkview Home. Each Teen Pick of the Week receives a \$15 voucher redeemable at Murray Wilson Shoes in Markham.

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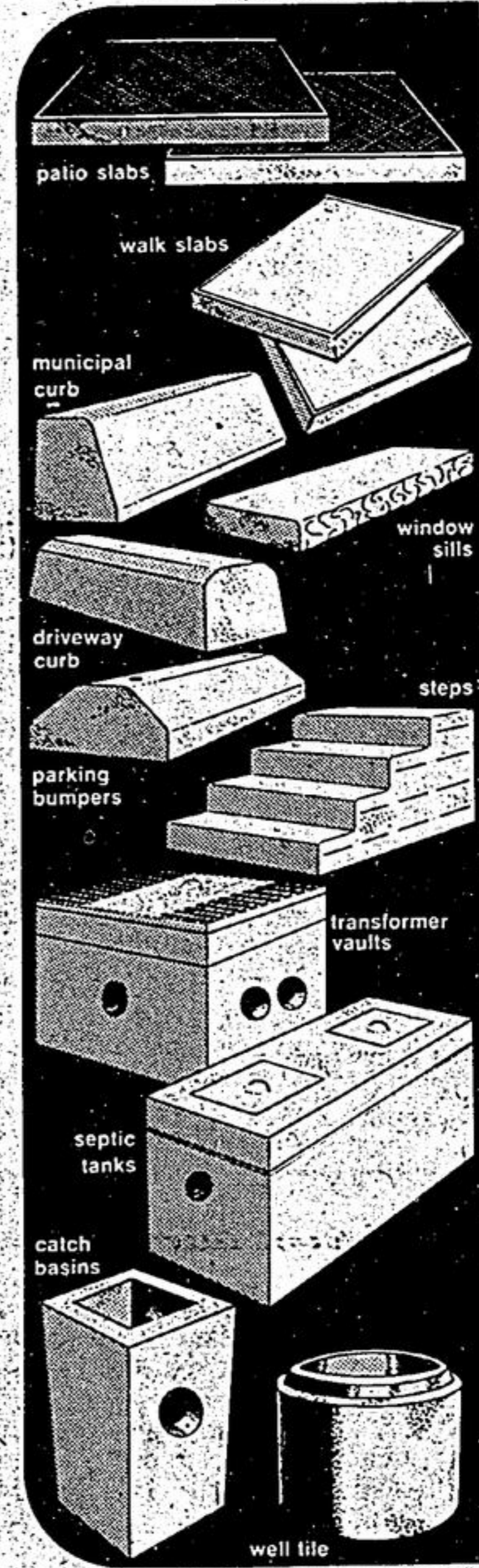


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