



Giant earth moving machines gouge and gore the earth near Lincolnville in preparation for construction of the Stouffville bypass. When completed, traffic will be encouraged to cross the Bloomington Sideroad to reach Highway 48 rather than pass through Stouffville, eliminating

those summer weekend traffic snarls on Main Street. The contract for the \$33,439 construction job was only recently let but work appears to be going full steam ahead.

Street argument leads to assault

John Wesley Swanton, 21, 44 Folby Cresc., Agincourt, told police he was in front of the Regal Restaurant, Main St., Stouffville, at 10 p.m. July 7, involved in an argument, when he was kicked in the groin. His assailant then damaged his car by kicking it, allegedly causing \$150 damage.

Woman critical
Laura Eva Windsor, 75, of Lot 20, Concession 8, Whitchurch - Stouffville was seriously injured July 10 in an accident on Sutton Road, Newmarket.

Police said Mrs. Windsor was westbound on Sutton Road, west of Woodbine Ave. when her car crossed the centre line and struck another car head-on.

vehicle, Kevin McNabb, 19, of Church St., Markham received only minimal injuries. Mrs. Windsor is in York County Hospital in intensive care with multiple internal injuries.

Man charged

A Scarborough man has been charged with impaired driving and blowing over 80 milligrams, after his car rolled over at Regional Road 30 and Main Street Stouffville, early July 13.

Police said Raphael Paul Neville, 28, Teesdale Place, Scarborough, was north-bound on Regional road 30, making a left turn onto Main Street at 1:10 a.m. July 13 when the car went out of control and rolled.

St. John school

Ill prepared for trip

The staff of the St. Johns school in Claremont is bearing the responsibility for the deaths of 12 students and one instructor in a canoeing accident on Lake Timiskaming, June 11.

Police spot potted pot

Last Saturday evening at 8:15 p.m. two York Regional Police officers on patrol spotted what they thought was a marijuana plant on a window sill in a Markham residence. They investigated, and several more of the potted plants were found.

Douglas R. Magee, 23, Washington Street, Markham, was arrested and charged with cultivating marijuana. He will appear at Newmarket Court August 15.

Hundreds attend funeral

A well known Stouffville resident, Winnifred Rosetta Reynolds, passed away suddenly at Sault St. Marie last Thursday, July 13.

She died in her 76th year from a heart attack while travelling by bus through Sault St. Marie. Mrs. Reynolds, who lived all her life in the Stouffville area, was the beloved wife of the late Charlie Reynolds.

She is survived by daughter Joyce, brother Roy and sister Fern (Mrs. V. Pennanen), both of Stouffville and Grenfell of Gads Hill. One son, Clifford, is deceased.

Service was conducted at the Stouffville Missionary Church last Monday with hundreds in attendance to pay their last respects.

Pastor Hamilton of the Stouffville Missionary Church and Pastor Kennedy of the Altona Missionary Church handled the service.

Pall bearers were nephews Glenn Pennanen, Kenn Wilson, Eldon Wilson, Ivan Wilson, George Wilson and Doug Brukholder. Interment at the Stouffville Cemetery.

The assistant headmaster, Michael Maunder, agreed with the coroner's report that the school was ill prepared for the canoeing trip.

"We made a mistake. We thought it was safe enough, but the school didn't look carefully enough at the precautions," said Maunder.

He went on to say that he is preparing a handbook on outdoor training and canoeing, and any of the 50 boys at St. Johns will get a three or four day training session before going on trips.

The boys, aged 12 to

14 will be trained in handling canoes, taught how to respond when they're capsized, and given lessons in mouth to mouth resuscitation.

He hopes to finish the 14 chapter handbook by August, when another long canoe trip could be taken.

Maunder said the school will use the same basic safety practices as before in a more formalized manner.

"The whole problem was everything wasn't standardized," he said. Todd Michell, 12, of Claremont, was one of the dozen boys drowned in the tragedy.

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Healthy town?

UXBRIDGE has been picked to participate in a government sponsored survey to find out how healthy Canadians really are, it was announced recently.

The survey, under the administration of Health and Welfare Canada, will be taken in 17 Ontario centres as well as across Canada. Approximately 38,000 people will be visited each year in Canada in an effort to determine the health status and risk exposure of the Canadian people.

The effort, called Canada Health Survey, started on Monday, July 10. An interviewer will visit each selected household and complete a general questionnaire about family members, their health and use of health care facilities.

Family members 15 years of age and over will be asked to complete a confidential questionnaire focusing on lifestyle, including exercise, smoking, alcohol use and driving.

In one-third of the chosen homes a nurse will attend with the interviewer to conduct a series of physical measurements and tests.

survey is to complement existing information which comes primarily from vital statistics and health insurance records. Results should be available in 1979.

Jumping the gun?

VANDORF - Lawrence Hennessey, developer of the Hennessey estates in the hamlet of Vandorf, has applied to appear before the Whitchurch - Stouffville town council to seek approval for the second phase of this project.

Ground has just recently been broken on phase one of the 36 one acre estate residential subdivision and council was adamant in refusing to discuss the second phase at this time.

However council has relented and agreed to hear Mr. Hennessey even though his plan is considered premature by most council members.

Councillor Bill McNalley summed up council's feelings saying "lets hear what he has to say and get it over with".

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