

-Events-

Each week, The Tribune publishes a list of events scheduled for the days ahead. Individuals or organizations wishing to utilize this service should call 640-2100 not later than 5 p.m., Friday.

STOUFFVILLE — The Whitchurch-Stouffville Silver Jubilee Club is holding its Christmas program, Thurs., Dec. 7 at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

LEMONVILLE — Lemonville CGIT is holding its Vesper Service, Sunday, Dec. 3 at 7:30 p.m., in Lemonville United Church.

UXBRIDGE — The Uxbridge Community Care Office for elderly, handicapped and emotionally distressed persons will hold an official opening, Wed., Dec. 6 at 8 p.m. The location is 8 Brock Street West. Visitors may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

MARKHAM — The ladies of St. Mark's Church, Hwy. 7, Markham, will hold a holiday bazaar, Sat., Dec. 2 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. In addition to home-baking, hand-crafts, Christmas decorations and plants, a raffle will be held on a quilt, a doll house and an Afghan.

STOUFFVILLE — The County Breakers are holding a dance on Sat., Dec. 9 in the Goodwood Hall. For tickets (\$6 per person) call Gina at 294-6302.

STOUFFVILLE — Sat., Dec. 2 is Santa Claus Parade Day in Stouffville beginning at 2 p.m. For information on float entries call Ken Smurthwaite at 640-1428.

MARKHAM — Markham, a home for senior citizens on Parkway Avenue, is holding a pre-Christmas bazaar, Sat., Dec. 9 from 2:30 to 4 p.m.

STOUFFVILLE — The Ladies Auxiliary of the Whitchurch-Stouffville Minor Hockey Association is holding a bake sale, Sat., Dec. 2 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in Latham Hall.

GORMLEY — Bruce's Mill Conservation Area is holding a ski clinic, Sunday, Dec. 3 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission is free.

STOUFFVILLE — The Stouffville Boxing and Fitness Club is holding a formal dance and buffet, Fri., Dec. 15 at 8 p.m., in Latham Hall. Tickets (\$15 a couple), are available from the Stouffville Sound and Music; Sergeant Dymont's Fried Chicken; Fawn's Sports Centre or by calling 640-1841.

MARKHAM — The Markham Family Life Centre is holding an 'open house', Thurs., (this morning), Nov. 30 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The location is 113 Main Street.

STOUFFVILLE — The Whitchurch-Stouffville Book Club meets on the first Thursday of each month in the Latham Gallery of the Public Library at 8 p.m.

STOUFFVILLE — The Stouffville Chapter of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets every Monday at 1 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., in Christ Anglican Church, Sunset Boulevard.

STOUFFVILLE — UNICEF Christmas cards are on sale until Dec. 20 at the Whitchurch-Stouffville, Clarendon and Markham Public Libraries and can be purchased during regular library hours.

STOUFFVILLE — Next year (1979) is the 100th anniversary of the congregation of Christ Anglican Church. A centennial calendar of events is available by writing to the Centennial Committee, Box 339, Stouffville.

MARKHAM — The Markham Minor Midget Hockey Team is sponsoring a dance, Fri., Dec. 8 in the High School beginning at 8:30 p.m. Admission is \$3 with proceeds to help send the club to a tournament in Winnipeg.

STOUFFVILLE — The inaugural meeting of Whitchurch-Stouffville Council will be held on Tues., Dec. 5 at 7:30 p.m., at the Municipal Office. The public is invited.

CLAREMONT — A white gift service will be held in the Clarendon United Church on Sunday, Dec. 10 at 11:15 p.m. On Sunday, Dec. 17, the Sunday School and Choir will hold a Christmas candlelight service at 7:30 p.m.

YORK REGION — The inaugural meeting of the York County Board of Education will be held on Thurs., Dec. 7 at 8 p.m., in the Woodbridge High School. The public is invited.

STOUFFVILLE — Christmas Dance, Sat., Dec. 9 at the Stouffville Legion Hall, featuring "The Irish Show Band", 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Pot-luck lunch at 12 midnight. Admission - \$5 a couple; \$7 if no food contributed. For further information call 640-3604.

BALLANTRAE — The Ladies Auxiliary of the Ballantrae Community Centre are hosting a Christmas dinner for senior citizens on Friday (tomorrow), Dec. 1 at 6 p.m. Present and former residents of the community are invited. Entertainment will be provided by the Silver Jubilee Club Kitchen Band. For additional information call Noreen Morrison at 887-5254.

From Tribune files

Runaway horse crashed car

By Jim Thomas
What was Stouffville like "way back when?" What constituted Front Page news, twenty, thirty, forty years ago and who were the "newsmakers" of that era?

In the weeks ahead, we'll be leafing back through the files of old Tribunes to find out. We hope you find the series interesting; maybe even humorous.

As a starter, we dusted off the volume dated 1938 — forty years ago. Here are the stories that prompted street-corner conversations during the month of November.

A court case involving village barber Len Keeping was Page 1 news. It seems Len was driving his 1930 Ford sports coupe along the Main Street of Markham, heading towards Stouffville, when his car was struck by a runaway horse.

Evidence revealed that a chap by the name of Payne (a hired hand for Markham farmer Harry Ralph) had been driving Mr. Ralph's horse and rig to the grist mill. On the way, he stopped in at Hamilton's Garage but neglected to tie the animal up. It ran away and, according to the report "jumped into" the Keeping auto. Damage was estimated at \$120. After reserving judgement, Judge Barton ruled that Mr. Ralph was responsible for his employee's actions and ordered payment of \$100 and costs.

Dan Wagg of Goodwood brought a turpin into The Tribune Office that tipped the scales at an even 20 pounds. The sample was so large, it took only three to fill a bushel, the paper said.

Allan Clouston had a bumper crop of green onions that fall with sales totalling 20,000 bushels. In one day, he shipped 5,220 bushels into Toronto.

The I.O.O.F. Lodge held its installation night in Stouffville. Officers installed included — W.T. Rennie, Lorne Kester, W.R. Sanders, T.B. Rae, H.J. Malloy, Henry Slack, Edward Lintner, W.C. Sanders, W.E. Morden, Russel Storey, J.B. Sanders, Jack Silverthorne, Aubrey Spang, Lamber Malloy and C.J. Lawson.

The date of the Stouffville Christmas Fair was announced for Dec. 20. J.R. Hodgins was elected President of the Stouffville Market Board. Committee members included — M.E. Watts, J.M. Storey, R.E. Curtis, J.K. Agnew, Norman O'Boyle and Glenn Ratcliff.

It was deer-hunting time for many of Stouffville's men. Taking part in the "annual trek north" were — Ralph Flint, Sam Armstrong, Norm Baker, Frank Baker, Frank Ward, E.A. Button, Dawson Hare, Wm. Reesor, Vince Baker, Dr. S.S. Ball and Robt. Snowball.

The date of York County's Warden's Banquet was set for Nov. 17 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Royal York Hotel, Toronto. Village Reeve A.E. Weldon issued an invitation to members of council and the press to attend.

Markham Twp. Police Chief Ben Gayman held an auction sale at his property near Cashel. The weather was "like a day in June," the Tribune reported. Prices for livestock were a feature with a cow and

calf bringing \$84 and others selling for up to \$70. His horses brought \$60; a drill, \$50 and a riding plow, \$15. Mr. Gayman is renting his farm to Don Jarvis of Armadale and building a new house in Unionville, the paper said.

Mr. Cober, the caretaker at "the school on the hill" (Summitview), was granted a raise in pay of \$200 because of extra duties in looking after a new wing added to the building. His annual salary, with the increase, totalled \$920. Mr. Cober told the trustees that he begins his

day's work at 5 a.m. and leaves at 11 p.m. Blanche Slack won two ladies events at the Dufferin Race Track and was presented with two wrist watches. Her driving was described by one of the race officials as "marvellous."

Winners of the Inter-

County Flowering Championship at the Provincial Match were Andrew McClure of Woodbridge; Herb Jarvis, Milliken and Roy Smith of Gormley. It marked the sixth time they had taken the Title so they were given permanent possession of the trophy.

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HOME APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSPORTATION BY REQUEST

Late Robert Agnew Ballantrae resident asphyxiated in car

BALLANTRAE — Rev. Jim Clubine, associate pastor of the Stouffville Missionary Church, conducted the funeral service, Nov. 20 for Robert Gordon Agnew, from Churchill Baptist Church.

Bob Agnew passed away, Nov. 17, in a tragic accident. He was asphyxiated while seated

at the wheel of his automobile, parked in the garage. Mr. Agnew was 47. Born in Toronto, Oct. 14, 1931, the son of James and Gertrude Agnew, he grew up in the city. He met his wife, the former Joan Reid, and were later married, Nov. 19, 1955. They lived in Toronto for 15 years, before moving to their Jasmine Crescent home at Ballantrae eight years ago.

Like his father, Mr. Agnew was a full-time Toronto fireman. He served in that capacity 22 years. A hard-working man, he held down another job at the same time.

Mr. Agnew loved children. Beside raising their own family of five, the Agnews were foster

parents to others over the past 19 years.

Bob Agnew was a man of many talents, adept at mechanics and carpentry. A member of the Ballantrae Lions Club, and the Firefighters Club, he was also identified with the Churchill Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Joan; sons Robert, and Jerry; daughters Ellen Robinson, Linda, and Alice; a brother, Alex; his sister, Margaret Whithead, and one grandson, Jason. Mr. Agnew is predeceased by a brother Jim, and a sister, Ellen.

The pall bearers were Dan MacNeil, William Riddle, Jerry Pineau, Larry Hicky, Ken Hale, and Fred Calder.

Interment was at Churchill Cemetery.

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