

Larry Peacock, (left), of Peter Street, Markham, and Dave Forfar of Timbermill Crescent, Markham, have invented a new board game called "Off Course". The layout is similar to nine holes of golf, but you don't have to be a golfer to play, the men explain. It sells for \$19.95 and is available at The 19th Hole Golf Shoppe, McCowan Road and Hwy. 7 and The Dynamic Golf Centre, Thornhill. —Jim Thomas

# Golfer's game ready to go

By JIM THOMAS  
It's a golf game called 'Off Course'.

Anyone can play it, even a duffer, say inventors, Larry Peacock, Peter Street and Dave Forfar, Timbermill Crescent, Markham.

Now being marketed under the name of SLADE, (Suzanne and Larry, Ann and Dave Enterprises), this husband and wife foursome feel they've come up with a real winner—a hole-in-one so to speak.

It sells for \$19.95 and is presently available at two locations: The 19th Hole Golf Shoppe, McCowan Road and Hwy. 7, Markham, and the Dynamic Golf Centre, Thornhill. Larry and Dave hope to expand its availability throughout Ontario and even into the United States.

The two men, both Town of Markham firefighters, have long been avid game-players. One day, 3 1/2 years ago, they put their heads together and decided to come up with something of their own.

"How about golf?" Larry asked.

"Off course," replied Dave. That's how the game and the name of the game all got started. They've sold more than 100 sets in less than two weeks.

It's colorful, both the board and the box. The graphics were completed by David Scurr of Kitchener. "He brought it to life," says Larry.

Two, four or six people can play. The speed of the game is fast, taking less than two hours.

"Certainly, it appeals to golfers," says Dave, "but you don't have to be a golfer to play."

Like golf itself, it's a combination of luck and skill," explains Larry.

Production of 1,000 sets represents an investment of about \$16,000.

Both men admit to an interest in golf. Larry worked at a Markham area club several years.

"Did that help?" they were asked.

"Off Course," they replied in unison.

# NDP holds meeting

The first general meeting of the Markham NDP Riding Association will take place at 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday Oct. 15, 1986 in the board room of the Old Markham Arena (Highway 7 and Highway 48).

The new provincial riding of

Markham was officially created on July 10, 1986.

All NDP supporters and those interested in learning more about the New Democratic Party of Ontario are urged to attend. For further information contact Marg Searle 294-1817.

# Truck stolen

A flatbed truck, valued at \$23,000, was stolen from New Jersey Steel on Alden Rd. in Markham.

According to York Regional Police the truck, a 1985 white Dodge D 30 with no licence plates was taken sometime last Sunday.

Also missing is the portable diesel welder which was inside the truck.

# Car break-ins

A series of thefts of car stereos and other items have taken place in the last week.

Last Wednesday between 1 and 8:30 a.m. thieves removed a trunk lock to get at stereo equipment worth \$7,650 in a car on Adrian Cres.

Damage to the car is estimated at \$500.

A drill was removed from a vehicle and a miter saw and skil saw were taken from the garage of a home on Croxley Green Dr. in Markham.

According to police the theft took place between Sept. 23 at 5 p.m. and Sept. 24 at 9 a.m. The stolen goods are valued at \$1,000.

Between 12:30 and 7:30 a.m. stereo equipment worth \$300 was taken from a car parked at the same address as above.

Stereo equipment worth \$370 was taken from a car parked at Markham District High School. The theft took place Sept. 23 between 8 and 11 p.m.

# Sexual assault still unsolved

By INSP. BARRY DELANEY  
Toronto and Regional Crime Stoppers and York Regional Police are seeking the assistance of the public in an effort to solve a sexual assault in Newmarket.

During the early morning hour of Aug. 11, 1986 (3 am) a young female employee of the Mr. Donut Store, 391 Yonge Street South, Newmarket was working alone inside the store.

The victim happened to be in the rear of the store when she heard the front door open. Seconds later, she was confronted by a male suspect who was brandishing a knife.

He grabbed the victim and pushed her out the rear door, dragged her to a dark area at the rear of the complex, where he sexually assaulted her and threatened her with the knife.

He covered her face and fled into the darkness. The victim made her way back to the Donut Shop where she called the Police. The suspect made good his escape.

From investigations, it appears this assault is very similar to a previous sexual assault at the Aurora Donut Shop, this summer.

The wanted man is described as: male/white, 20's, rough voice, dressed completely in black and wore a balaclava covering his face.

This is how you can help us solve Crime in York Region. "You" pay off with information and Crime Stoppers will pay off with "Cash".

If you have any information about this Crime or any other serious case, call Crime Stoppers. As a caller, you never have to identify yourself and you never have to appear in Court. If an arrest is made as a result of the information you provide to us, you then become eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000.00.

Call Crime Stoppers Toll Free: 1-800-387-8477 or locally: 222-T.I.P.S. EDITOR'S NOTE: Inspector Barry Delaney, Co-ordinator of the York Regional Crime Stoppers program writes this column to help combat crime. A citizen board of directors administers the local program, one of more than 600 Crime Stoppers in

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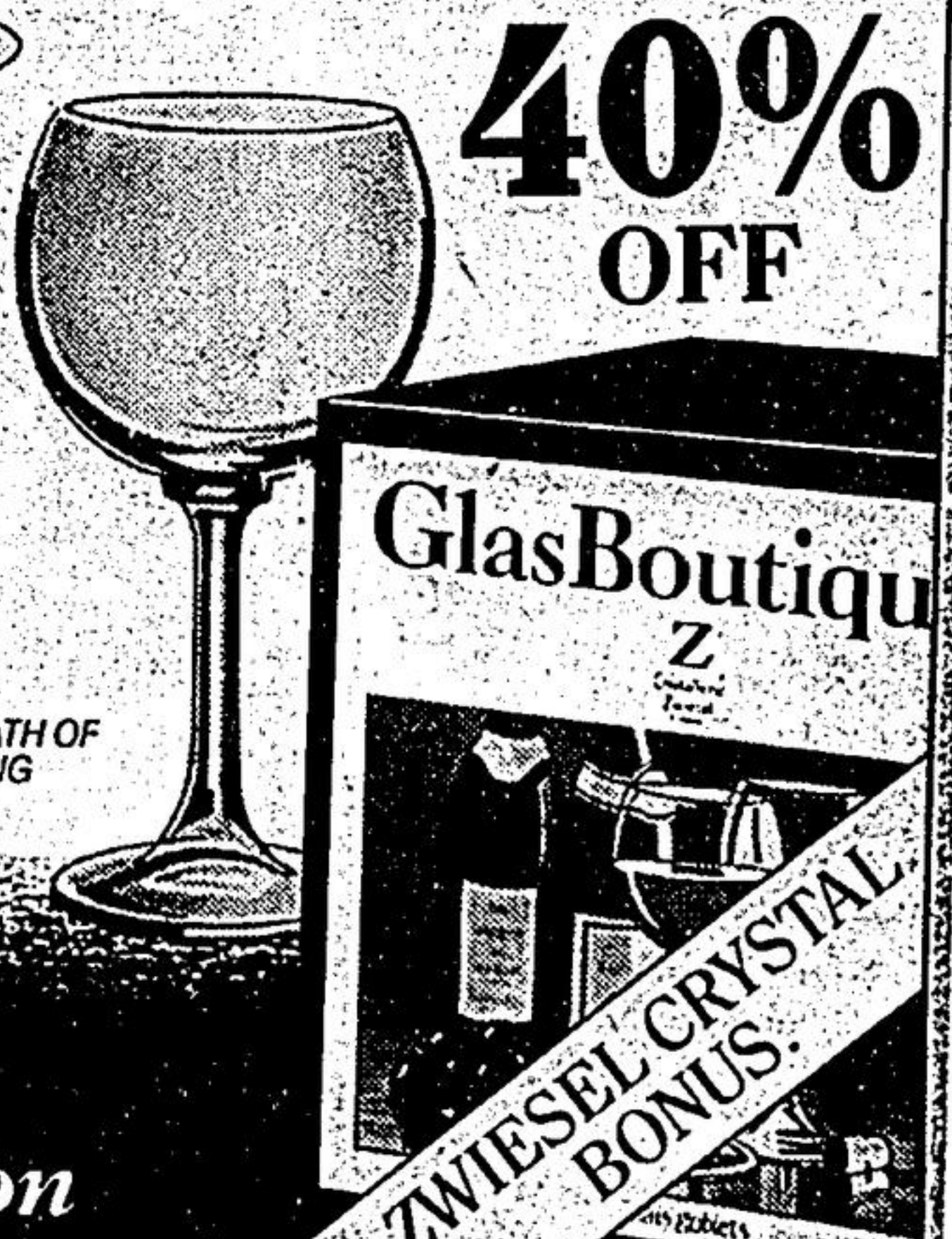
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