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## Students assaulted, merchant taunted over littering

BY HANNELORE VOLPE  
Staff Writer

An assault in broad daylight Monday in downtown Stouffville left two 14-year-old high school students roughed up and one man with a court date.

A Grade 9 Stouffville District Secondary student was finishing a slice of pizza on Main Street. Witnesses say he dropped a paper plate in front of a business. A man came out to object.

After words were exchanged, the student was grabbed and pushed against a shop window.

### MORE GARBAGE DROPPED

Several minutes later, other teenagers who witnessed the incident began taunting (a man) from the front of the shop, said York Regional Police Const. Steve Morrell.

Some started dropping garbage in the front of his store.

A man yelled at the students. He started punching another Grade 9 student who was littering.

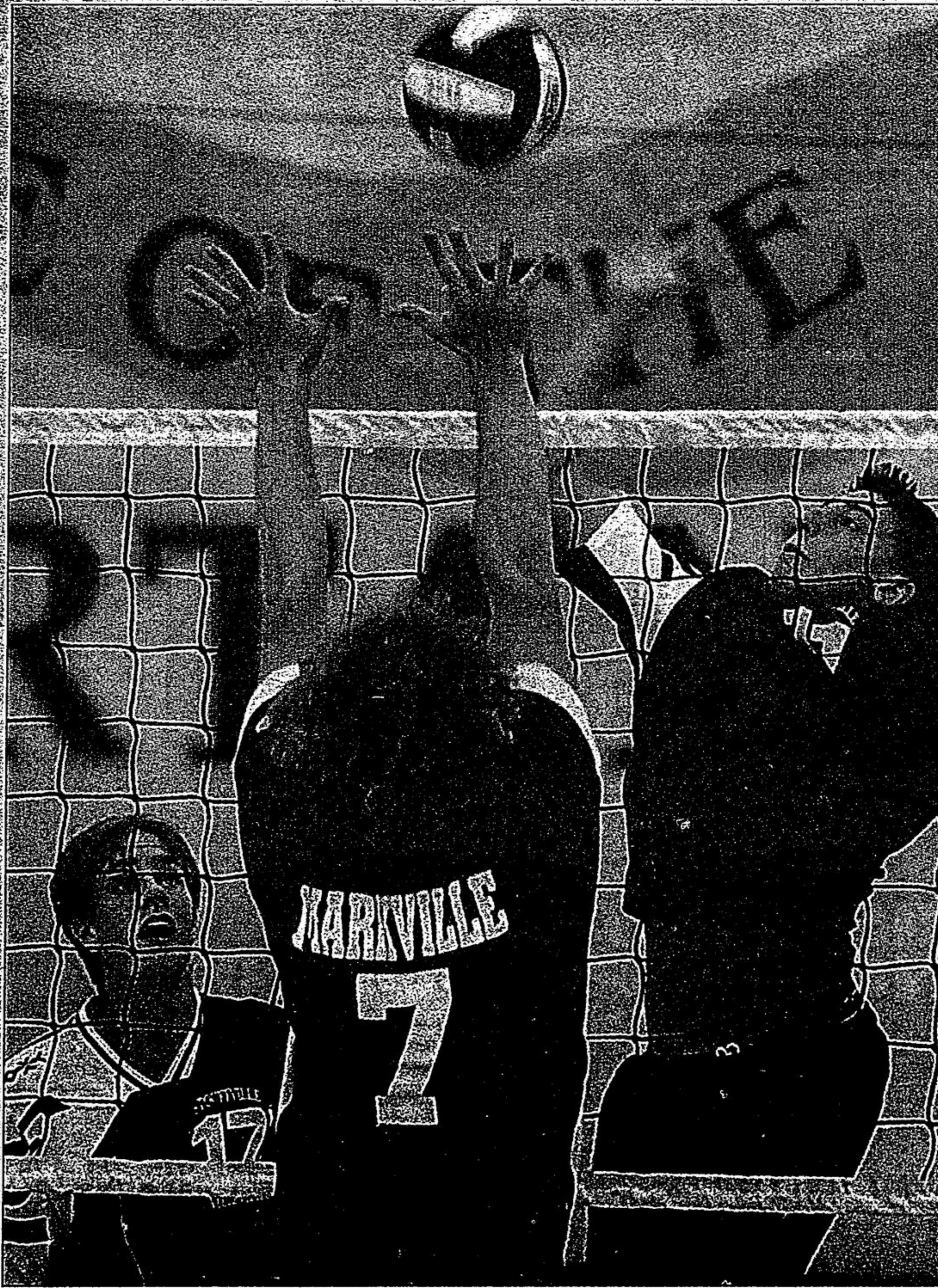
He tried to drag the teenager toward the store, eventually knocking him to the ground.

### TWO COUNTS OF ASSAULT

A 50-year-old man faces two counts of assault.

He was released by police at the scene and is to appear in court Dec. 8.

"We had no reason to take him into custody," Const. Morrell said. "No one suffered any injury, no one had to go to hospital."



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## Have a blast

John Chaput of Stouffville District Secondary School gets sets to smash a ball past Brennan Dynes of Markville Secondary School in York Region high school South East volleyball playoffs at Stouffville Tuesday. Dan Locksley looks on at left. SDSS won 2-0 and advanced with Markham Middlefield to today's eight-team regional playdowns at Toronto District Christian School in Woodbridge. The top two teams will play Monday in Newmarket for the regional championship.

## WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2003

# Ward 6 gets set for population explosion

BY JOAN RANSBERRY  
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Growth, growth and more growth is on the minds of many of the 3,293 voters in Whitchurch-Stouffville's Ward 6.

Four candidates are running for the ward seat in the Nov. 10 municipal election. With four days left before voters go to the polls, Owen Craig, Jim Hobbs, Rob Hargrave and Ron Snider are busy knocking on doors and handing out campaign literature. Residents are reminding them that growth is about to change life in their otherwise quiet neighborhood.

"Development is the favorite topic in this community," Mr. Hobbs said. "We all believe that too much is happening too quickly and not necessarily to the benefit of the current residents and voters."

There are "divisions" within our community as to the nature of the growth we are facing, Mr. Snider stressed. "I believe in this growth; a growth is vital to the continuing welfare of our town."

### FOUR NEW SUBDIVISIONS

Four of the town's six major developments are slated for Ward 6 which runs from the south side of Stouffville Road to the Markham town line, west to McCowan Road, east to Durham Road 30, the Uxbridge and Pickering border.

About 3,500 homes are to be built in the ward over the next decade or so. Lebovic Enterprises plans to build 1,444 homes west of Stouffville Creek, running south from the existing community to the town limits of

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