



Town of Whitchurch - Stouffville

'The way I see it'

by
Mayor Ken Laushway

WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE - Have you a question you'd like the Mayor to answer? Then write it out on a slip of paper and send it to The Mayor, c/o The Tribune, Stouffville, Ont. The sender's name is not required.

Question: Now that the land on Hwy. 47, east of Ringwood is under the jurisdiction of one municipality, is any pressure being brought to bear on the owners to clean up their properties?

Answer: On April 25, the council introduced a Clean-up By-law and gave it first reading. The second reading, I expect, will come May 25 with its passage, early in June. The reason for the delay is to acquaint people that such a by-law is pending. When finalized, it will prohibit the dumping of refuse, garbage, unlicensed vehicles, broken-down machinery, partially dismantled buildings, etc., on private lots. Where such conditions now exist, I hope

owners will take the initiative and clean the properties up on their own. If they do not, then the By-law Enforcement Officer will be paying them a call. **Question:** Does the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville have an industrial committee and if so, who are its members? **Answer:** The Town does not have an industrial committee at the present time. The council serves in this capacity. I have personally been in touch with representatives of two

firms, interested in locating in this area. One is a company with a base in Belleville. This week, I met with officials of the Ontario Development Corporation in an effort to have Whitchurch-Stouffville reinstated in the Industrial Development Assistance Program. **Question:** Do you favor a Board of Education imposed lot fee charge as was suggested in connection with the Dulverton Development?



The entrance to the former Village of Stouffville on Hwy. 47 is anything but an attractive advertisement for the community. A partially dismantled car, 'parked' on a private lot, is an example of the way the area has deteriorated.

Answer: I do not favor the suggested \$900 lot fee charge for educational purposes. At the present time, the Board of Education has no authority to hold up approval of a

subdivision because education costs. There are many residents within such subdivisions, well past middle-age, who should not be asked to shoulder this kind of expense.

Charged with assault

Struck pregnant wife

STOUFFVILLE - A 20 year old Stouffville man was remanded three weeks in Newmarket court, April 13 after he pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting his 18 year old wife. Evidence introduced by the crown revealed Robert Thornhill had returned home on the night of May 11 after a drinking spree and "repeatedly kicked, punched and struck" his pregnant wife, Carol.

Taking the witness stand Carol Thornhill told the court her husband had come home in a bad mood the night the assault took place. "He needed someone to take his anger out on and I was it," she testified. But when questioned by Judge Russell Pearce, she said she had left her husband the night the assault took place but had subsequently moved back in and intended to keep living with him.

A second charge against Thornhill, laid by his mother-in-law,

Home sold
The sale of the John Crerar home of Elm Road, Stouffville, to Mr. and Mrs. Tim Wright of Dundas, has been completed through Peter Walley Limited Real Estate by Mrs. Sharron Brazier. Mr. and Mrs. Wright expect to take up residence here in July.

A family man is one who has replaced the currency in his wallet with snapshots.

CANADIAN SCHENLEY APPOINTMENT



The appointment of Mr. Edward Sackfield, of Richmond Hill, Ontario, as Sales Representative in the North Toronto area for Canadian Schenley Distilleries Ltd. is announced by Mr. R. A. Kennedy, General Sales Manager, Ontario. Mr. Sackfield was born and educated in Toronto. He is a member of the Royal Order of Moose and the Canadian Legion branch of Richmond Hill. Very active in sports organizations, Mr. Sackfield is Treasurer of the Arena Board and the Junior B hockey team of Richmond Hill.

Assaulted town taxi operator

STOUFFVILLE - A 34 year old Stouffville man was fined \$150.00 and placed on a one year probation order after he was convicted of assaulting a Stouffville Street taxi driver, October 13, 1970. Charles Cummings pleaded guilty to the charge when he appeared before Judge Russell Pearce in Newmarket Court, May 13.

Evidence introduced by the crown revealed, Rex Tolton, owner of Reliable Taxi had picked the accused man up at the fifth line home of a friend the night the assault took place.

Following an altercation over the meter, Cummings was alleged to have grabbed Tolton and threatened to kill him. As Tolton attempted to radio for help, Cummings snatched the microphone and attempted to pull it out of the transmitter.

At this point Tolton jumped out of the taxi. Cummings followed and began to chase him around the vehicle. Tolton then jumped back in, locked the doors and proceeded to radio

police. Cummings was subsequently found hiding in the Ratcliff Lumber Yards on the Gormley sideroad. Prior to sentence, Council for the defence argued Cummings was intoxicated at the time and had little recollection of the events. "My client is extremely sorry for what happened."

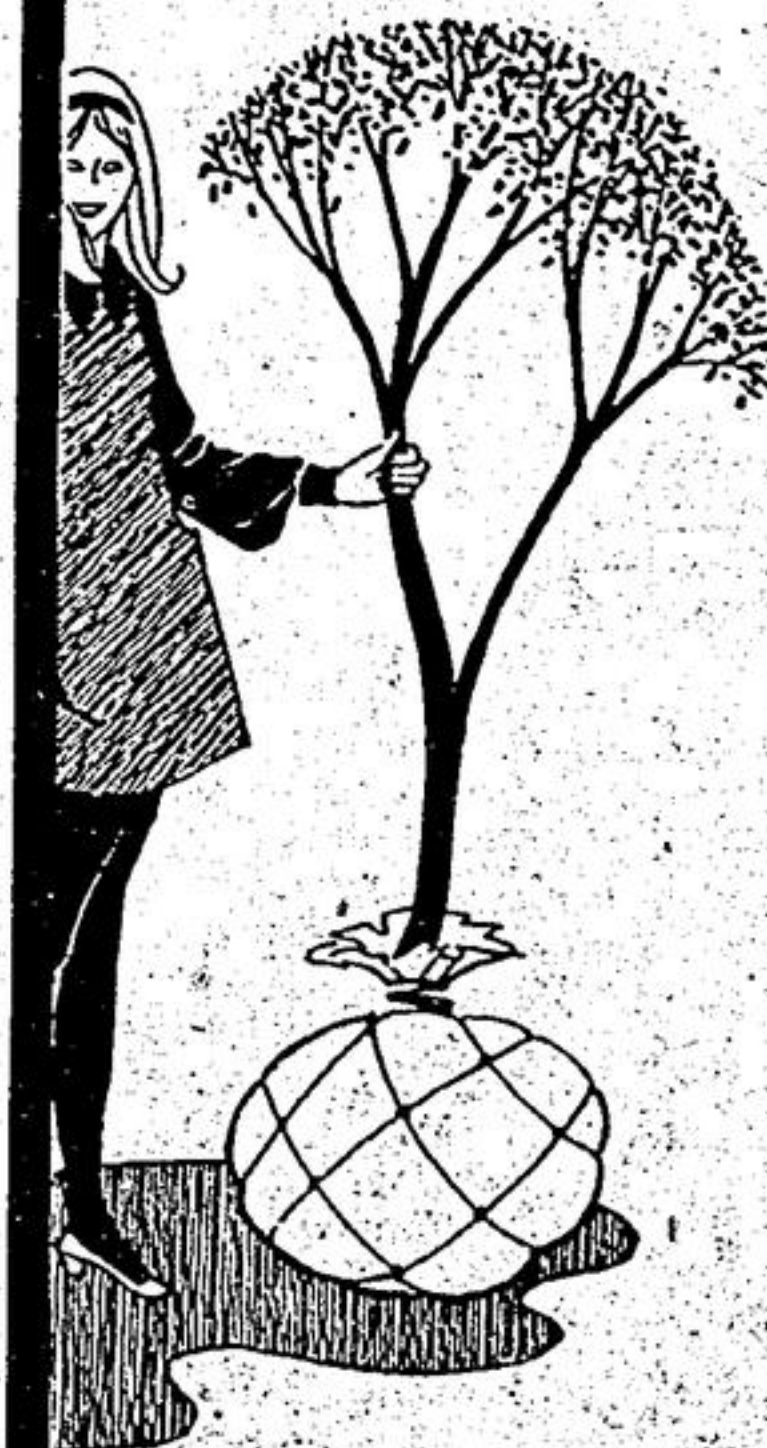
Silver anniversary

STOUFFVILLE - Sixty friends were entertained to dinner at Summitview Gardens, Richmond Hill, Friday evening, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bacon on the occasion of their 25th

wedding anniversary. Later, guests gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Timbers, Stouffville, where the Freeman Quartet of Newmarket presented a program of gospel music.

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Ray Medd M. A. Colville A. Richardson J. W. Piatti
County Weed Inspectors

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R. Medd Port Perry 985-2634
R.R. No. 1

Town of Ajax, Village of Pickering, Township of Pickering
J. W. Piatti Oshawa 723-9540
Apt. No. 104, 110 Park Rd. North Oshawa

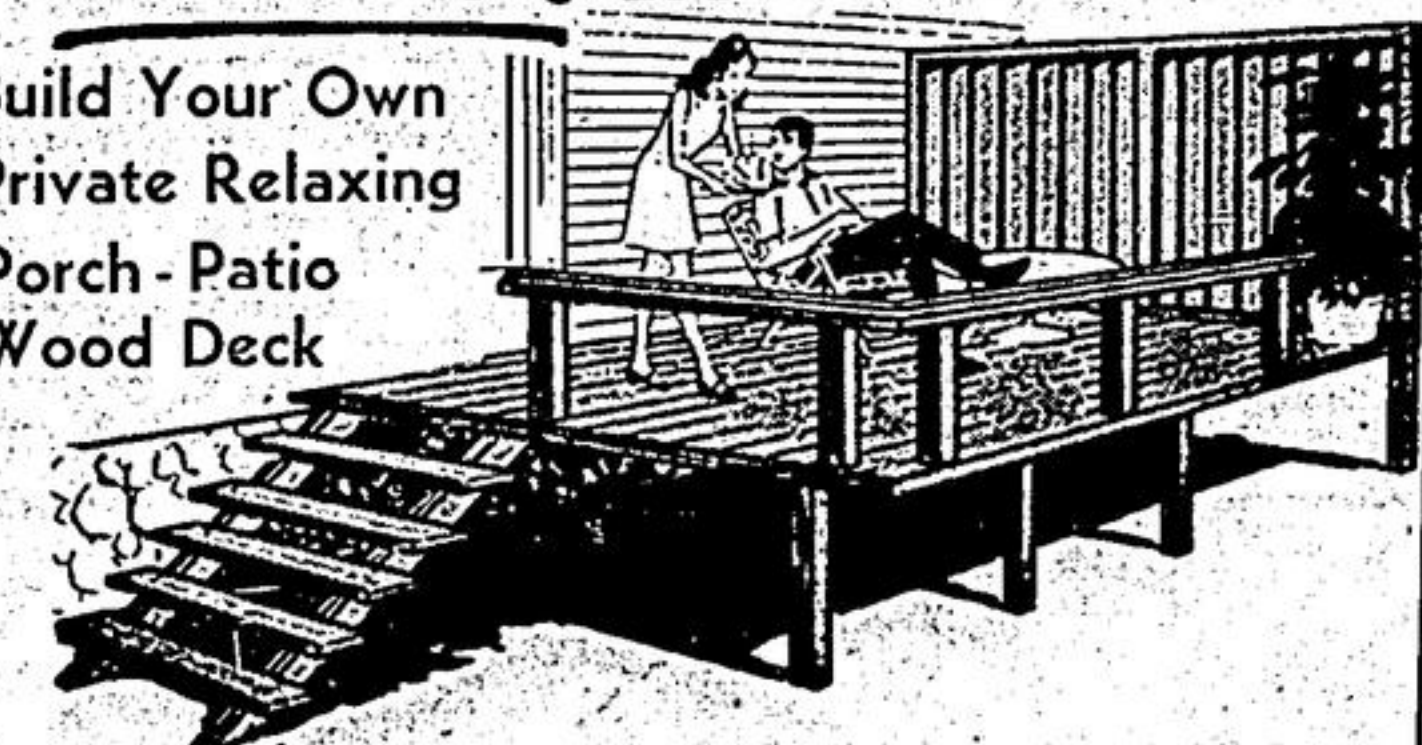
County of Ontario Administrative Office
605 Rossland Rd. East Whitby 663-5891
Whitby, Ontario

The rates charged for weed cutting by the County of Ontario: \$11.00 per hour with a Minimum Charge of \$20.00 per lot. Complaints regarding noxious weeds may be made directly to the Weed Inspectors or the County of Ontario Administrative Office.

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