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ROYAL CITY SHRINERS ADD WHEEL CHAIR TO HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT

THE GUELPH AND DISTRICT SHRINE CLUB became the latest donor of equipment to the Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital when they added a child's wheelchair to the hospital's equipment last week. Inspecting the new piece of equipment are local Shriner Noble Irwin Noble (probably the only 'Noble' Noble in Ontario), Nurse Lorraine Stephens, Hospital Administrator Fred Whitaker, a Past President of the Guelph Shrine Club and present secretary, Russ Stevens, Nurse Carol Shortt, and Noble William Hamilton, also of Georgetown.

Tough Choice, It's Real Estate Over Auctioneering

One of the hardest auction sales to conduct in the past seven years for well known district auctioneer Jack Holmes, the one he handled Saturday, January 30 - his last. Mr. Holmes said announcing his retirement from auctioneering was one of the toughest chores he has had to do.

Wielding his familiar cane and wearing western style hat, the Acton real estate man and now retired auctioneer conducted the first hour of sales at the Lloyd Gohn sale at the rear of Hills stationery store. At this point he made the final announcement and fellow auctioneer, Georgetown auctioneer Frank Petch took over the reins.

Mr. Holmes stated his regret at having to leave auctioneering but explained the decision was made as a result of restrictions laid down by the Real Estate Branch of the Ontario Government. It was either continue in auctioneering and quit Real Estate or vice versa. Mr. Holmes said auction sales were too few and far between to make this a full time occupation because of restrictions

opposing entering neighbouring municipalities.

Before handing over the Gohn sale to Mr. Petch, Mr. Holmes took time out to thank fellow auctioneers who have been quite helpful with both support and advice. Jack Elliott, Frank Petch and Roy Hindley. He also expressed his gratitude to clerks who have helped throughout his seven years, Fred Baptie, George Currie, Frank Simoni and Charles Landsborough.

Special verbal bouquets were handed to the many patrons who have frequented auctions he has conducted, to be many people whose articles he sold, and to the buyers.

Mr. Holmes said "To be an auctioneer one has to be prepared to enjoy the work and not expect to become rich on the small commission received. There is a lot of fun being an auctioneer and one meets a lot of fine people."

The retiring auctioneer said he can now devote full time to his real estate business and he hopes to do business with many friends he has met during his term of auctioneering.

returns a club for a ruff. Now what should declarer do? The only guide there is so far is that West is short in clubs. It would be most unusual for West to have two singletons. Now there is no guarantee but if West is short in clubs, he should belong in the other suits.

After winning whatever West returns at trick three, declarer should lead a low diamond from dummy. One East shows void in trump, there is no difficulty in picking up the outstanding trump.

This is a general rule and should be used only as a guide. If one hand is known to be short in one suit, then that hand may belong in another suit. If there is any other indication, such as bidding, it is better to follow the more positive clue.

"Arrow" Abstractions Granzin Gallery Show

Gallery House Sol, 45 Charles Street, Georgetown, started its new season with an exhibition of the latest oils and watercolours by Horst Granzin, called the "Arrow Series." This is Horst Granzin's third exhibition at the gallery and it is a controversial one.

Granzin is an ardent abstractionist. The visitors, who came to his last shows will find that he went in his new paintings several steps further towards a lean and un sentimental style of great force and personality.

He is, what the New York critic Clement Greenberg calls a post painterly abstractionist, and belongs to a new movement whose members are revolting against the formalism of the action painters.

The exhibition runs from February 6th to February 25th. The Gallery hours are from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. from Monday to Friday, and from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

Know Canada is Theme Scouts Prepare Program

Recent bulletins have challenged the Boy Scout Movement to "Come alive in '65" and "Get to know Canada." This challenge has been accepted by the Georgetown District Wolf Cub Packs who will participate in Canadarama 1965, a panorama of Canada, her progress, people and products.

Canadarama 1965 will be open to the public, and will enable visitors to cross Canada from shore to shore in a relatively short period of time, without making time consuming and costly travel plans. Judging from the number of visitors at last year's Around the World Coroboree, they are expecting an even bigger tourist trade this year.

Please watch for further details - but mark Saturday, June 5, 1965 for your tour of Canada.

September, 1966 Target Date for Sixth School

The Georgetown public school board has set the construction gears in motion with their sights on 2 new public schools for September, 1966.

At a meeting Wednesday, February 3rd the board moved to request the inspector to seek tentative approval for a 7 room school including six classrooms and 1 general purpose room of classroom size.

It will be the sixth public school in the Georgetown public school system.

The school will be built on a 2.4 acre site of Valdon Dr. purchased in May of 1964. Valdon drive is in the undeveloped section of the Delroy subdivision, on the west side of Mountainview Road South, in the vicinity of St. Paul's Baptist Church.

The school won't come in time to handle an overflow expected this September.

Figures show 70 classrooms will be required to accommodate the September enrolment, two more than provided by the present five schools and four portable classrooms.

Planning committee chairman Chris Walker offered a list of possible ways of solving the space problem and asked Inspector O. G. McDowell who was present, his reactions.

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The trustees discussed the possible solutions and arrived at a tentative plan. But final approval was held until the Planning Committee investigates to see if the shifting of classes involved is workable.

Customized Car Fans View Coliseum Show

Both Georgetown car clubs, the Radicals and the Majestics were well represented among the crowd of customized cars who inspected the best of continent's hot rods at the Speed Sport Show in the Queen Elizabeth building at CNR on the weekend.

Since the show included a section of scale models, model builders Doug Penrice, and Dave Clark also took in the exhibition.

Speed Sport is an International Championship Auto Show which tours Canada and the United States with some of the most unique automotive creations in both countries. Included are hot rods, customs, competition cars, sports cars, antiques, classics, motorcycles, go-karts, scale models, and experimental dream cars.

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

PLUM ROLY POLY

Serves 8 For a Snack or Dessert

3 cups biscuit mix
2 tablespoons melted butter
1/4 cup sugar
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon nutmeg
1/2 cup strained plums (or junior plums)

Prepare your own biscuit dough or use a prepared mix. Roll out in 15x10-inch rectangle. Spread with melted

butter. Combine sugar and spices. Sprinkle 1/2 on biscuit mix. Spread with strained plums leaving a 1-inch margin. Sprinkle with remaining sugar and spices. Roll up and cut in 1-inch slices. Place slices, cut side up, in a greased pan or muffin tin. Bake in hot oven (450 degs. F.) 15-18 minutes.

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LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

By BILL COATES

Good hands have often been ruined by distribution. Just when you think that everything looks good, someone shows up with four trump or a singleton or void.

Here is a hand that occurred at the Acton Bridge Club not too long ago. I offer no solution to the problem, only a suggestion as to what declarer should do.

Board No. 21.
Dealer - East.
East - West vulnerable.

North
S-A K 3 2
H-A
D-K 10 4 2
C-K Q J 10

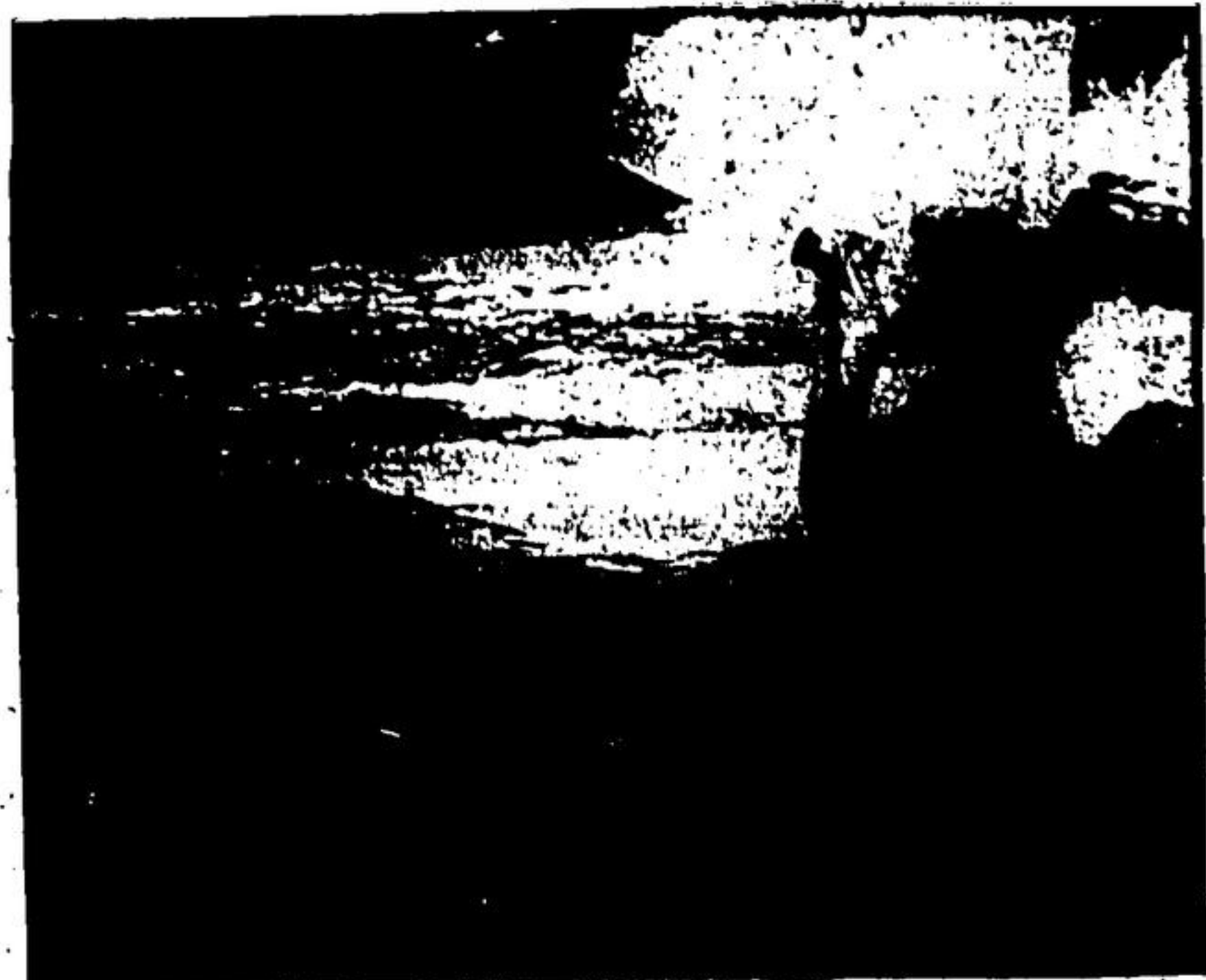
East West
S-Q 10 9 S-J 8 6
H-Q 10 9 7 5 H-8 6 4 3 2
D-Void D-Q 8 5
C-A 9 6 5 3 C-4

South
S-7 5 4
H-K J
D-A J 8 7 3
C-8 7 3

The bidding:
West South West North
Pass Pass Pass 1 C
Pass 1 D Pass 2 S
Pass 3 D Pass 5 D
All Pass

The bidding is neither as it occurred at our table nor how it should occur. At our table, North opened 2 no trump - a bid that I don't condone because of the singleton heart. I would open North's hand with 1 diamond. However, three Souths ended up in diamonds, so they must have bid diamonds first.

Two declarers went down and I wonder why. I think most Wests would open their singleton club. East wins and

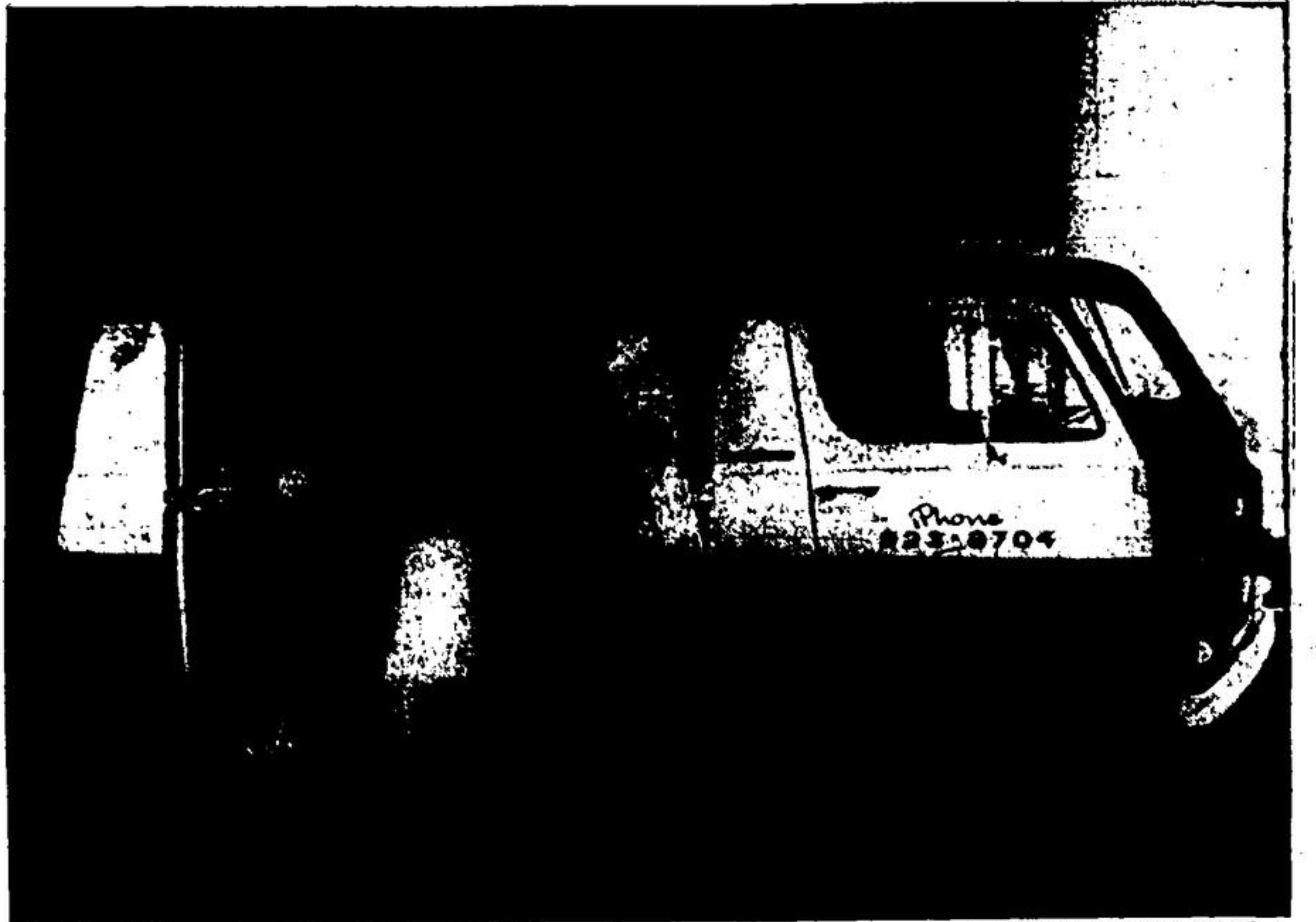


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