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Arrest 5 Youths Series of Local Break-Ins

Georgetown police arrested five local youths on Thursday and have issued a warrant for a sixth in connection with a series of break-ins which began two months ago.

Harley Lowe and Constable Harry Liberty have been investigating the rash of burglaries which included the IGA, Halton Co-Op Supplies, St. James' Bowl, the booth at community swimming pool and some private homes.

With the cooperation of Provincial Police in the district, a quantity of stolen goods has been recovered.

Appearing in court on Wednesday the men were remanded for appearance at a later date.

Trucks Collide Friday Simple Highway Corner

A two-car collision at the corner of Maple Ave. and St. Joseph St., July 22, caused approximately \$300 damage to a truck.

Menneth McMullen, Cookeville was making a right hand turn off Maple Ave. on to St. Joseph St., when he hit the rear of a car driven by Watson Enfield, Churchill Cres. The car was stopped to make a left turn into the Dairy.

P. C. Jason Field Investigator.

Pioneer in the West Marks 90th Birthday

A man who is a pioneer settler in the Lac Vert, Saskatchewan district, celebrated his 90th birthday last month.

Harry Loyne, who farmed near Brampton before he went to the west, was feted by his family on June 6, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lloyd, the farm where he has farmed for twenty years.

After a turkey dinner the grandchildren sang "Happy Birthday" as they presented him with a candle cake and a card. Fred Loyne entertained guests with picture slides of his old home and fields of golden wheat, a herd of Aberdeen Angus cattle and a snowstorm in the winter when a bulldozer was clearing paths around buildings in Manitoba.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loyne of Miami, Ontario, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loyne of Roselle, Man., Mrs. Mrs. Archie Loyne and Mrs. Mrs. Lloyd. Many letters and phone calls were received from old friends.

Mrs. Loyne, the former Annie Barber, was principal of several Public Schools before marriage. Now residents of Lac Vert, the Loyne went west in 1910.

Big One for Giants, Beat Campbellville at Home

Georgetown Giants were jubilant on Sunday and with good reason.

Playing the league leading Campbellville Merchants in their own home ground, they won a 5-4 game. It was the first defeat at home for the Merchants for several years.

Key man in the win was Bill Campbell. His homer in the third inning produced three of the Giant runs. Don Westgrove pitched sterling ball, allowing only 8 hits and scoring four strikeouts. Danny Aron, Don Lindsay and Earl Burt each hit twice.

Harry Hamilton was relieved by Jack Roberts in the last inning on the Campbellville mound. Don Joyce with two doubles and pitcher Hamilton with a walk were best in the hitting department for the home town.

In earlier games last week, Giants and Preston played to a 3-3 tie here Wednesday. The game must be replayed later, according to league rules. Giants dropped a close 2-1 decision in Preston Saturday, with Bernie Dore on the Giant mound. He allowed only 6 hits and five strikeouts.

Giants now stand fourth in



NEW ENGINEER ON THE JOB

NEW TOWN ENGINEER N. W. (NICK) KIREWSKIE, poses at his desk in the municipal building committee room, which will serve as his office until completion of the proposed new police building. He will then move into the present police quarters. Toronto-born Mr. Kirewskie attended Jarvis Collegiate and the University of Toronto, graduating in 1962. Before coming here he was employed with Wimpey Construction on the Queensway. He plans to move to town as soon as he finds a house for his wife and daughter.

'Vote for Joe' Annexation, Council in Lighter Mood

A dash of humour was injected into Monday night's council meeting when Mayor Joseph Gibbons read the following motion which was handed to him. The motion moved and seconded by Deputy Reeve J. Young and Cr. F. Harrison respectively, said:

"In view of the fact the mayor has of tonight signified his intention to run for office again this year in the fall elections, when the new water tower is painted, the contractor be authorized to paint on it in black and white, 'Vote for Joe,' provided the mayor signify his willingness to pay for same and removal after the election."

"I've been up in the air before, why not now," laughed the mayor.

Cr. A. Speight and E. Hyde abstained from voting on the motion pleading a possible conflict of interest, (their own).

Cr. Harrison explained that council just wanted the mayor to know that they're not all against him. "You're making me cry," answered the mayor.

Rapidly regaining his composure, however, the mayor read from the minutes of a recent Planning Board meeting, in which Cr. Hyde had suggested that annexation of all or part of Esqueving township should be undertaken by Georgetown, and possibly Milton and Acton.

Following that the mayor read an answering resolution from Esqueving township, as follows: "The township of Esqueving should annex Georgetown, with the exception of the water tower, and Cr. E. Hyde, and the towns of Acton and Milton be contacted to see if they want a piece of either."

Amid the general laughter, Cr. Hyde contended that in future the problem of a planned area such as Georgetown surrounded by an unplanned area such as Esqueving would be evident.

Promise Cleaning Guns, Plaque for Cenotaph

Thursday's committee meeting should see a date set for the cleaning of the bronze on the cenotaph and the cleaning and repainting of the guns, so Legion President Ralph Hawes was told at council meeting Monday night.

Cr. Roy Ballentine explained that he knew Cr. Smith, who is on holiday, had been trying to obtain estimates on the bronze cleaning, and the money is in the budget for the project.

Halton-Peel Trust Opens September

Mayor Ordered Parking Lot Oil, Reeve Charges

The question of "who ordered the oil," got hotter at council Monday night, ending up with direct accusations. Reeve Hunter and Cr. Speight both challenged the mayor directly, saying, "We think you ordered it."

The oil question was "ignited" when a letter from foreman Frank Moretto stated that general foreman Alf Collins had instructed him to have the municipal parking lot oiled.

"The most ambiguous statement I ever heard," commented Cr. Speight, "Who instructed Mr. Collins?"

"The man who instructed Mr. Collins is sitting right at this table," Reeve Hunter charged. Turning to the mayor he asked, "Did you tell Mr. Collins?"

The mayor denied the charge saying he had no recollection whatsoever, and added that the whole matter was foolish and should be ended.

"It's not foolish," retorted Reeve Hunter, "if the Parking Authority ordered it they should pay, but if the town ordered it it will come out of the Roads budget."

In a final thrust, Reeve Hunter said, "I haven't changed my mind, I think you did it."

"You have the privilege of proving that," retorted the mayor. "I never ordered Mr. Collins to order a gallon of oil in my life," continued the mayor, "but just assume I did, what have you gained?"

Joining the battle Cr. Speight charged that the mayor had told a ratepayer that he had ordered the oil. "Let's get this straight, I'm not ruffled," said Cr. Speight, in a reference to the mayor's remark of last week. "If you had come right out in the beginning and said this called for decisive action, and I couldn't get a hold of anybody, so I went ahead and did it, you would have had wholehearted support," claimed Cr. Speight.

"I would?" said the mayor. "I may have told the man it should be oiled but I didn't order it. That's the way I operate. I'll make an election issue out of the water tower, and the water hydrants. And I will be a candidate for next year," son, Georgetown.

Use Mill Street Store Till Building Ready

While reconstruction of the former Christian Reformed Church on Main Street is being planned, Halton & Peel Trust & Savings Company is planning to open a temporary office in Georgetown next month.

The firm, with head office in Oakville, is renting accommodation in the Mackenzie building on Mill Street. It will occupy a large store recently vacated by Richard's Super Discount store.

O. E. Manning, founder and president of the company, told the Herald this week that the Georgetown branch will be open for business by mid-September. Staff is being assembled at present.

Architects are working on plans for the Main St. location and the firm is planning an attractive addition to the downtown section when it is completed.

Accident Victim Taken To Hospital in Toronto

While riding his bicycle, six year old Wilfred Lavoie son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lavoie, 37 Victoria Ave., was hit by a car driven by Geoffrey Sedore, Norval, on Sunday afternoon.

The accident occurred almost across from his home, at the intersection of Chapel Street, and Victoria Avenue.

A neighbour rushed him to Georgetown Hospital, from which he was transferred to Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto suffering from possible concussion and a fractured hip.

Gastle Family Reunion Held in Lowville Park

Over one hundred and sixty descendants of the late William and Hannah Gastle gathered at Lowville Park on Sunday, July 10th for a family reunion.

After a picnic dinner, Guy Russell, president of Georgetown, presided over a business meeting which was followed by a sports program under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Reeve, R. R. 1 Georgetown.

Officers for the next reunion are as follows: President, Dr. Hugh Gastle, Lakesfield; 1st vice-president, Gordon Bennett, Toronto; 2nd vice-president, Brock Harris, Burlington; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. F. W. Wilson, Georgetown.

Four Georgetown Students Exchange Visits in Quebec

Perhaps the most unexpected Georgetown feature for four young visitors from Quebec province, is to find a bilingual school and a French-Canadian R.C. Church in the heart of Ontario.

The foursome are in town this week and next as part of the Visites Interprovinciales, sponsored yearly by the Canadian Council of Christians and Jews. They are guests of four Georgetown High School students who spent two weeks in their homes in Quebec.

Visites has a two-fold purpose — to gain some speaking knowledge of another language, and to have the young people learn something of the culture and heritage of another part of Canada.

In Quebec the town students had a sightseeing trip to Quebec City. For those in the low-

er part of the province, there was a dance and civic reception at Drummondville, and there were other dancing and swimming parties.

The visitors to Ontario were entertained at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto on Tuesday with a city and harbour tour following and yesterday were taken by bus to Niagara Falls. Further activities are planned next week.

Those who exchanged visits this year were: Louise Seckington, 45 Prince Charles Dr. and Suzanne Leclerc, St. Felicien, which is 300 miles north of Montreal.

Linda Carey, 34 Church St. and Danielle Guay, St. Felicien. Robert Saxe, Main Street S. and Marcel Ouellet, St. Elzabeth, near Riviere du Loup.

Phil White, 6 Joseph St. and Fernand D'Argy, Victoriaville.

Rent Backhoe to Work On Garbage Site Land

The prolonged dry spell affects not only crops but garbage dumps, as was shown when Cr. Fred Harrison presented a motion Monday to hire a backhoe to bite into the earth at the garbage disposal site. "The present machinery there is just scraping at the dry earth but can't dig any out," explained Cr. Harrison. The earth is used to cover the garbage, as sanitary land fill.

Taking a swipe at a neighbouring town's newspaper which published pictures of the site, claiming that Georgetown's garbage dump is unsightly and a menace to the Credit River, Cr. Harrison stated that one picture showed garbage just dumped off the truck and another showed private property labelling it a Georgetown dump.

Cr. Harrison suggested that a bank be built up on the outside edge of the dump, three feet higher than the dumping level, making it impossible for garbage to reach the river.

To a suggestion from Cr. A. Speight that it might be cheaper to haul in fill, Cr. Harrison explained that the present bulldozer sitting there could push the earth that was dug up by the backhoe, to the proper place, and the cost of trucking would be cut out.

"I'm not too concerned what Brampton says about us," commented Cr. Hyde, "an anxious neighbour always finds something to snipe at." He suggested a great deal of earth could be moved in a week.

Cr. Harrison assured him the backhoe would only be used as long as necessary.

The motion to hire the backhoe at \$12 an hour to dig into the hill to provide cover for the dump was passed unanimously with a rider that a limit of five days rental be added.

Tent Religious Crusade Brings 300 to Opening

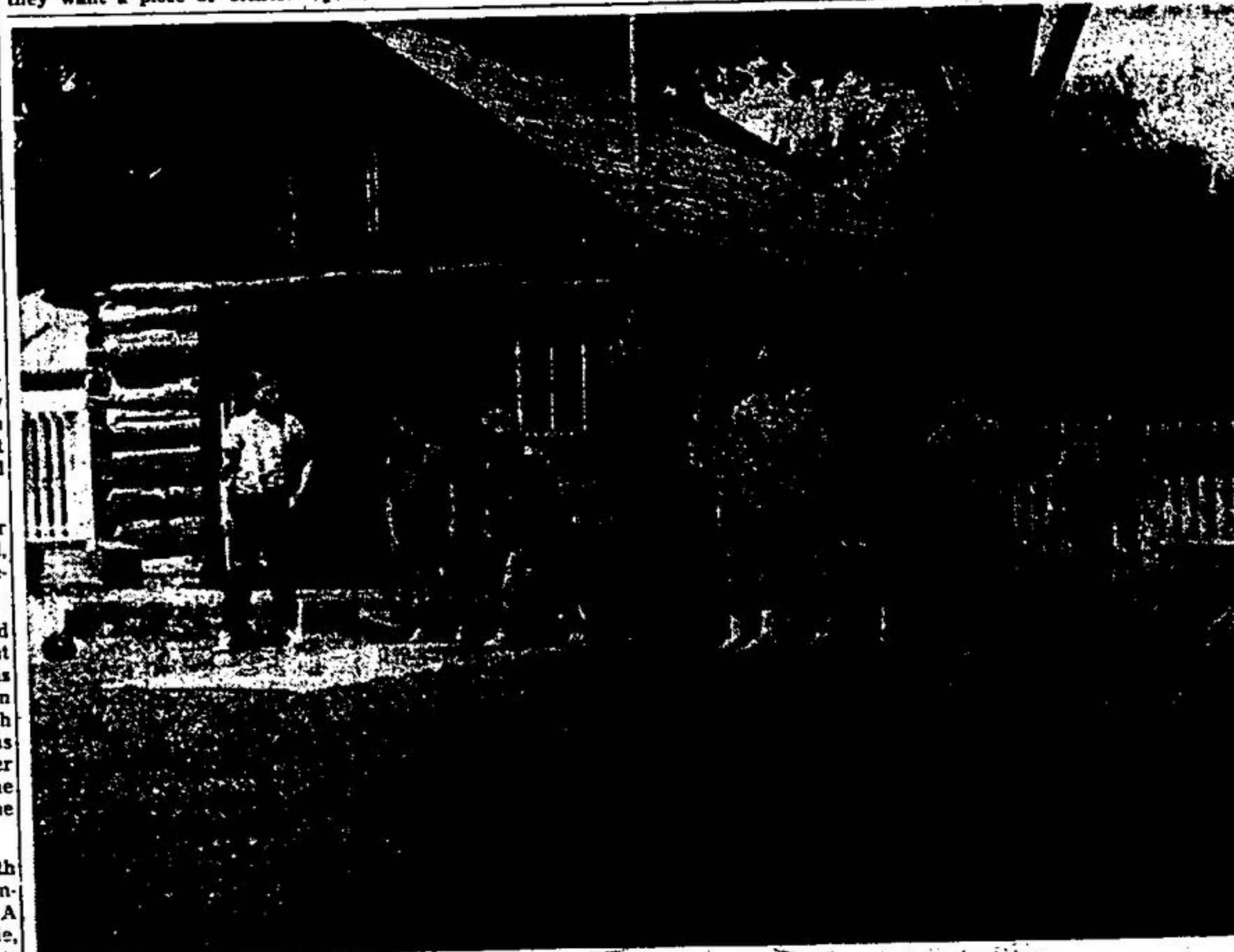
Georgetown Tent Crusade opened Thursday night, July 21st, at 8:00 p.m. with a good crowd present. It was estimated that a crowd of 300 filed into the big tent to enjoy the presentation of the Word of God and a variety of musical talent.

Reverend S. Thoman, local chairman, reports that the musical talent and preaching brought comments of inspiration and blessing from many present.

Churches represented were from Guelph, Toronto, Brant-

A LOOK AT THE WEATHER

JULY	ex.	Min.
Wed. 20th	73	53
Thurs. 21st	79	51
Fri. 22nd	84	55
Sat. 23rd	88	61
Sun. 24th	88	60
Mon. 25th	91	64
Tues. 26th	76	64
Precipitation: .09 Rain.		
Maximum — 91 Minimum — 51		
Alicia F. C. Scott		



JUNIOR BOWLERS GET EXCELLENT COACHING

THE YOUNGER GENERATION is being encouraged to learn one of our finest sports at Georgetown lawn bowling green these days. The youngsters are getting some excellent coaching from members, including Mrs. Albert Pattenden, who is convener for the junior club. Here Barry Holmes is bowling, while looking on, left to right, are Finlay Arnold, Murray Wright, Bruce Heed, Ingrid Smetink, Mrs. Pattenden and Nick Brouwer.