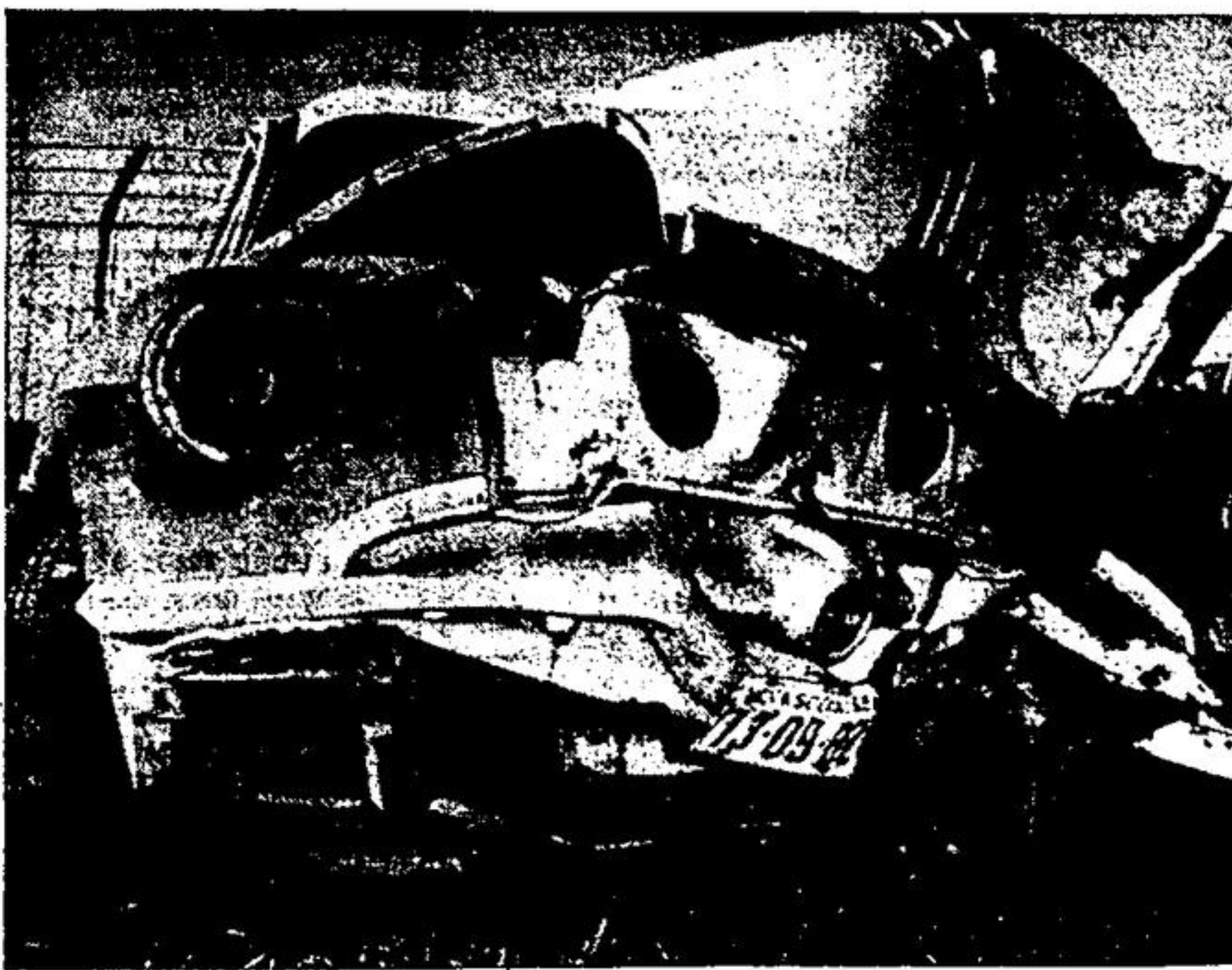


Police Spot Checking to Keep You Alive



By ignoring the rules your car can look like this



or like this.

Take it easy, use common sense, drive defensively and you will see New Years Day. That's the message from the Georgetown Police Dept. where the holiday season always means extra effort to keep motorists from coming to grief.

"With all the partying, bad weather and the average amount of general carelessness this often becomes a grim time for police officers, and even grimmer for friends and relatives of the driver who thought he would take one more for the road before taking the wheel," said Acting Chief Harley Lowe.

One good way to combat the increased hazards on the roads during the holidays is to practice Defensive Driving, the departments' senior officer recommended.

That's the kind of driving made for those people who know there are bad drivers on the roads, but don't number themselves among them. Some of the things they can do to avoid trouble are listed here:

- Never tailgate, especially

on winter roads; leave a lot of room ahead of you for stopping.

- Keep both hands firmly on the wheel and both eyes on the road.

- Reduce speed if conditions are bad.

- Always signal intentions with turn indicators, when turning or passing or changing lanes in a multi-lane free-way.

- Never pass on hills or curves, regardless of highway markings, and pass on straight ways only after making sure the way is clear.

- Have your car checked regularly, brakes, tires, steering controls, lights, mirrors, turn signals, wipers, exhaust system. (If the cost bothers you, compare it with what you think your life is worth.)

- Always lock your doors and secure your seat belts (remember a belt in the belly is better than glass in your ear).

Acting Chief Lowe said drinking drivers will get a chance to see how the county Jail is decorated for the season — from the inside. He said his men have been making spot checks since before Christmas and will increase these as New Year's Day approaches. The full force will be on duty New Year's eve.

135 Hard-Working Volunteers Key to Blood Clinic Success

A corps of over 135 volunteers worked for and at the December Red Cross Blood Donor clinic and helped make it a great success; 315 bloodpacks were collected. The house to house canvass for new donors was done by: Candystrippers:

Rosemary Meekison, Heather Harley, Norma Holo, Debbie Elsliger and Katherine Taylor; Youth-in members: Jan Laforet, Barb Wilcox, Larry Schertz, Barry Ferguson, Chris Glaude, Sharon Donnanue, Linda Farrar, Sandra Sutton, Rick De Sylva, Jim Egerton, John Paris, Ivan Wood, Steve Law, Kevin Hyde, Doug McDonald, Jim Walker, Marc Brassard, Doug Penrice, Paul Egerton and Paul French; Rangers: Judy Nichols, Sharon Collier, Mary Hay, Ruth Ovedden, Norma Holo and Janice Asseltine; 'YO members: Susan Landry, Michael Walsh, Greg Reaume, and Janet Cloke.

Others were: Mr. Fred Henzi, Mr. Doug Marsland, Mr. Andrew Wallace, Mr. Kevin Sanders, Mrs. R.H. Sales, Mrs. A. Hurley, Mrs. R.H. Jones, Mrs. H. Douglas, Mrs. J. Grady, Mrs. D. Hancock, Shirley Suchan, Dainty Ghose, Mrs. E. Balkind, and Mrs. S. Walsh. Driving and other services were taken care of by: Mrs. A. M. Sutherland, Reverend Kelvin Johnston, Mrs. S. N. Martin, Mrs. R. Kvamme, Mrs. K. Legere and Mrs. J. Nieuwhof.

Clinic conveners were Mrs. R. H. Jones, Mrs. A. M. Sutherland, Mrs. C. A. Thompson, Mrs. R.H. Sales, and the publicity was looked after by Mrs. J. Nieuwhof. Lettering and distribution of posters were done by Mrs. K. Legere, Mrs. F. R. Perigo, Mrs. H. G. Perkins, Mrs. R. E. Cliphsham, Linda Capper, Mrs. H.J. Herder, Mrs. E. J. Kelly, Mrs. R. E. Edwards, Mr. Raul Paulin, Sandra Horn by, Mrs. M. Vanlorne and Mr. Jim Dalton.

Telephone canvassers were: six members of the Cancer Society; Mrs. C. B. Dick, Mrs. Lane and Mrs. B. Saunders — Senior Citizens Club; Mrs. B. Bullock, Mrs. L. Montgomery and Mrs. J. Shortill — True Blue Lodge and Mrs. I. Darbin, Mrs. E. Wilcox, Mrs. M. McMurdo, Mrs. K. Girvan, Mrs. L. Clayton, Mrs. L. McLaren, Mrs. M. Fraser, Mrs. R. Wood, Mrs. S. J. Henderson, Mrs. H. Herder, Mrs. K. McCauley, Mrs. J. Kliffner, Mrs. K. Legere, Mrs. R. Ollivier, Mrs. F. Barber, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. E. Carney, Mrs. J. Warren, Mrs. J. Burns, Mrs. A. Pearce, Mrs. J. Pignatell,

Mrs. R. Miller, Mrs. R. Soord, Mrs. N. Palk, Mrs. B. Norrie, Mrs. T. Michasiw, Mrs. M. Whitney, Mrs. A. Brands, Mrs. E. Atkinson, Mrs. P. Siddal, Mrs. J. W. Brouwer, Mrs. E. Elsliger, Mrs. R. E. Cliphsham.

Some of these ladies also looked after addressing of Reminder cards, including Mrs. M. Bowden, Mrs. H. Douglas and Mrs. D. Scarborough.

The R.N.'s on duty were Mrs. R. H. Sales, Mrs. Ph. Siddal, Mrs. D. E. Melcombe, Mrs. F. Whittaker and Mrs. J. Frost. They were assisted by home nurses: Mrs. L. Bunton, Mrs. R. Arthurs, Mrs. Louise Ford, Mrs. D. Peck, and Mrs. G. N. Stutard. Dr. A.W. Ashenurst was on call.

Transportation to and from the clinic over "icy" roads was cheerfully done by Mrs. J. Belamy and Mrs. A. Hurley. Members of the Georgetown Volunteer Ambulance Service put their efforts in the unloading and re-loading for the Red Cross unit.

The typists were Mrs. M. Bowden, Mrs. H. Rossiter, Mrs. A. Bradley and Mrs. R. Soord.

Three Motor Accidents On District Roads

Cars operated by Donald Graham, RR 1, Georgetown, and Gary Meecham of Acton, collided on No. 7 Highway at the Bailey Fuels Tuesday, December 19, doing \$350 damage. It was the third auto accident in the Georgetown vicinity during the week.

Saturday, December 16, a car driven by Charles Homer of Acton received \$300 damage in a single car mishap on the 4th Line of Esquesing just north of the Cheek Line.

A week ago, Robert Barber of 50 Market St. and Jenny Blekenhorst of RR 2, Georgetown, escaped injury when their cars hit on the Cheek Line west of the 7th Line of Esquesing. Damage here was placed at \$400.

North Halton OPP constables Barret, Borne, and Pool investigated the crashes.

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Typewriters on loan through the courtesy of The Herald and Armstrong Insurance and screens on loan from the Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital were transported back and forth by F & S Movers. Coca Cola as usual was available by courtesy of the company and the catering was done by the Catholic Women's League.

General help was given by Mrs. A. Bullock, Mrs. R. E. Cliphsham, Mrs. C. Corcoran, Mrs. E. Elsliger, Mrs. D. Godden, Mrs. M. Goudeketting, Mrs. J. Grady, Mrs. D. Hancock, Mrs. A. Maybanks, Mrs. A. Sutherland, Mrs. A. Syme and Mrs. S. Walsh. Mrs. C. Repwick was in charge of the nursery in the afternoon.

Next clinic is planned for Monday, March 11, 1968.

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TIMELY WISHES TO EVERYONE

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