

Edmand Richardson of Acton was recently presented with a certificate and cheque as outstanding student in the Major Appliance Service Technician Program of Sheridan College, Brampton campus. The presentation was made by program co-ordinator Doug Ryan.

Police beat

Canadian Tire hit twice in one night

The Canadian Tire store on Mill St. was hit twice in one night by vandals over the week-

Halton Regional Police investigated the theft of approximately \$30 to \$40 in coins from a pop machine in front of the building, sometime overnight Saturday-Sunday. Some-

one had pried open the coin box. That same night the plate glass window was smashed, causing \$600 in damages.

Police are also investigating a cause of vandalism which took place on either Kingham Rd. or Popular Ave. Police say someone poured sugar in a gas tank of a van parked on those streets sometime between Saturday and Monday.

About \$25 damages resulted after someone used a car to knock over a mail box at Lot 25. Con. 7, at around 2 a.m., Saturday morning.

An energetic thief climbed atop the Pioneer Gas Bar sometime overnight Sunday-Monday and stole three Canadian flags which were on the roof. The flags were valued at \$29.

Police laid eight liquor related charges over the weekend, six involving males from 17years to 24, and two involving females, ages 29 and 42.

A \$300 portable stereo was taken from a car parked at the Acton High School Friday even-

ing from 9.15 to 10.15. Someone put his or her fist through a pane of glass in a door at H and H Video, Mill St. sometime between 1 and 2.20 a.m. Friday evening. There was a large amount of blood on the

sidewalk. Damage is estimated at \$30 to the door.

A 19-year-old employee of Frank Heller and Co. was found to be responsible for the theft of two packages of cigarettes from a locker at the Heller building. The cigarettes disappeared sometime during the evening shift Thursday evening.

There were no injuries or charges laid in a domestic dispute on Willow St. South Thursday at 9 p.m. Police say the dispute was between a father and

A 22-year-old Acton man has been charged with possession of a narcotic after being questioned by police about a committal warrant. The incident occurred Thursday, at 6.05 p.m.

Just like the fairy tale with the three bears exclaiming "who's been sleeping in my bed", residents of a Holmesway Place apartment building had to ask the same question last Wednesday morning.

It seems someone entered the building during the night of Tuesday-Wednesday and went into the storage room, where it appears, police say, someone slept overnight.

Damage to a broken lock was estimated at \$125.

About \$15 damage resulted after someone threw a stone through a side window of a Mill St. W. residence Saturday.

Two large batteries valued at, \$250, used in gravel pit equipment were stolen sometime between April 15 and 18, police report, from J.C. Duff's at Silvercreek.

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Fullers back from Florida

by Dork Fines Stan and Agnes Fuller have returned home after spending the winter in Florida. They had many visitors while there, including Agnes' sister and brother-in-law George and Dolly Izatt from Pickering, and Stan's brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuller from Ripley, Ont. Ben Wingrove called to see them when he was down that way, also Harvey and Mae Madgett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Madgett of Cheltenham.

The girls of the Mimosa Magic Mirrors were taught how to manicure their nails, at the sixth meeting. They also worked on their record books. The meeting ended with a book check, and they were told how to prepare their books for hand-in.

Mrs. Margaret Fletcher, along with other ladies of the Mimosa Women's Institute, as well as other Institutes in the area, went on a bus trip by Denny Bus Lines, to Stoney Creek. They stopped at a shopping plaza, toured the Andre Winery, and visited the Erland Lee Home.

Jeff and Tonia Woodruff would like to thank the people who called and were on the lookout for their dog who had disappeared. They appreciate their concern, and are happy to say "Copper came home a few days later."

Knox church was filled with the aroma of hot roast beef and vegetables on Saturday evening, as once again people from near and far, sat down to enjoy the bountiful meal.

Arrangements are now underway for the school's annual bedding plant sale. Price lists are available from the school. Delivery will be May 19, in time for the long weekend for planting.

The parents' committee turned in \$75 from dessert sales. The school, then, through the Wintario "Half Back" program, was able to purchase \$150, worth of books by Canadian authors, for \$75. These paper backs will be a welcome addition to the library.

Approve trailer

Both Halton Hills and the Niagara Escarpment Commission have approved a house trailer being put on the farm owned by Casey Boss.

Farm help assisting with the large pig operation at the farm on the Fourth Line will be housed in the trailer which will be located in the area of the existing farm buildings

Minor injuries

Minor injuries resulted after an accident in the Moore Park Plaza parking lot. Georgetown, Thursday afternoon.

Halton Regional Police say Patricla Loughnan, RR I Georgetown has been parked when she attempted to back up. Candy Gold, 49 Kingham Rd., Acton, was also parked in the parking lot, partly in her vehicle after she had been placing her child in the back seat. Her right leg was out the driver's door when her vehicle was struck.

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This month's Indusmin Link (Indusmin quarries intercompany newspaper) has a picture and a short story on Acton's newest staff member, Paul Leveille.

According to the story, Paul joined Indusmin in December as Maintenance Superintendent at the Acton quarry, after spending a lifetime at various mines, mostly in Quebec.

Married with two children. Paul is an avid scubs diver and is looking forward to diving in Georgian Bay off Tobermory this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Post of Kitchener (formerly of Acton) celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary with an open house at the home of their eldest daughter in Brantford, followed by a family dinner at the Sherwood Inn.

The couple were married in Brantford April 18, 1928. They have five daughters, Ruth Brantford; Elliott, Grace Peterborough; Pat Wilson. Mathleu, Oshawa; Shirley Hunter, Acton and Sheila Graham, Kitchener. They also have 19 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Special guest at the open house was Ernie Peasey who was best man at the wedding 55 years ago.

Mary G. Milne, of Rockwood submitted the following to this newspaper for publication.

I planted some seeds, one early spring day, Forgot all about it, and went on my way. The seeds took root, new life

had begun. Nourished by earth, and rain, and sun. The self same seeds, that I had

planted there. Did soon bear fruit with seeds to compare,

With the ones I had carelessly sown to Spring. Considering not what the harvest would bring. A voice to my heart, spoke loud and clear, As though it were spoken in my

Plant seeds of goodness, and goodness will grow. For you will reap, whatever you

you must keep, Sometimes the second mile you must go Or turn your cheek for the sec-

If beautiful seeds in your hand

ond blow. Be willing another's burden to bear

And with it your greatest blessing's share, Some seeds are small, as small

as can be. Yet they grow into the tallest Kindness and Mercy and Love

you must show. For the seeds you plant are the seeds that will grow.

Anniversary best wishes go out to Jean and Bruce Leitch. who celebrated 50 years of marriage on the weekend. Albert Brooks, one of the guests at an open house, wrote the couple the following poem which they wanted to share with

everyone. The time has rolled to this special day We must not let it slip away Think of the days of the old lamp light

As we sat by the stove on a winter's night There were a few cars on the road back then Teams of horses and wagons drove by men

All parties held at the farm-

house the same Skating and cards, was a winter's game All the days and the years roll

Look at the changes for you and Then the plans and TV did

appear Times are different year by

Now we live in a wonderful age These are now your sunset days Let the flowers in the springtime grow

In warm and sunny days they show. May every day new pleasure

When Your Golden Wedding Bells do ring.

Acton has a budding star in its midst and it's about time the town was introduced to him.

His name is Stephen Allain and he just walked away with a first prize at the Kiwanis Music Festival in Orillia for his tremendous performance on the violin. He's only been studying violin for two years, but that's pretty good-he's a mere sevenyears-old.

Stephen is a grade two student at Robert Little School and comes from several generations of violin players. His great grandfather William Frank started the tradition, and his grandmother Dorothy

O'Rourke and his mother, Dorothy Anne Allain helped pass on the talent to the young-

Stephen has one of the best child teachers at the Toronto Conservatory. His teacher Jack Montague is a very talented musician and is dedicated to his pupils.

Although Stephen has played for his teachers and friends at Robert Little before, this was his first Festival and also his first time on a big platform. He had a few anxious moments walting for the adjudicator to ring the bell.

There's been a lot of complaints around town in the last few weeks about motorists failing to stop at crosswalks for pedestrians. I wholeheartedly agree with the complaints, as we all have in the middle of the crosswalk when a speeding motorist decides he doesn't want to waste 1/2 a cent worth of gas and stop for the person with the right away.

The Royal City Ambassadors, who captured the hearts of Actonians at a recent McKenzie-Smith School show came fourth in Ontario District Chorus contest at Hamilton Place last week. The Guelph singers were beat out by the much larger centres of Ottawa, London and Mississauga.

Acton resident Don Lindsay, a member of the group, says it the best they have ever done. Acton High School teacher Paul Tambiyn is the group's newest member.





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