

From the police blotter

# Cyclist hurt in accident

One cyclist escaped unharmed but another was taken to Western Hospital in Toronto for six days as a result of traffic accidents reported to Halton Regional Police last week.

Gregory Townsend, 62 Stevens Cres. in Georgetown was taken to Georgetown District Memorial Hospital then transferred to Western Hospital on April 21 after being in collision with a car driven by Ralph Jeffrey, 52 Chelvin Dr.

Mr. Townsend, who was treated for a bruised nerve in his left arm and lacerations on his forehead, was released from the hospital April 27.

Damages to the Jeffrey vehicle in the accident, which happened at Mountainview Rd. and Campbell Gate at 4:29 p.m., amounted to \$250.

Kenneth Owens of RR2, Norval escaped unharmed after his bicycle was in collision with a car driven by Virlie A. Collins of 80 Stevens Cr. in Georgetown. Damages in the accident which occurred at the intersection of Weber Dr. and Duncan Dr. on April 30 at 3:30 p.m., were \$50 to the Collins' vehicle and \$30 to Owens' bicycle.

Following the snowstorm Sunday, April 25th, there were seven accidents reported on Monday, April 26.

The Town Line at Norval was the scene of two accidents on April 26.

The first happened at 6:45 a.m. at 5th Sideroad where a car driven by Gilbert W. Leek of Maxville, Ont. was in collision with a car driven by Christianna Sieben, RR2, Georgetown. Damage was \$1,000 to each vehicle.

The second accident occurred at 7:50 a.m. when George Smith, RR2 Norval attempted to stop for a standing school bus, slid on a slush-covered road, went onto the soft shoulder of the road and rolled his truck. Damages amounted to \$1,500.

Keith Ashby of Brampton sustained \$700 in damages to his vehicle when his car left the road and struck a telephone pole as he attempted to avoid a rear-end collision at 7 a.m. on Winston Churchill Blvd. about eight-tenths of a mile south of 10 Sideroad on April 26.

The Eighth Line, about three-tenths of a mile south of 5 Sideroad, was the scene of an accident at 7:10 a.m. when a car driven by Robert Roy Burney, RR2, Georgetown, was in collision with a car driven by Ann Helen Adcock, also of RR2 Georgetown. Damages to the Burney vehicle were \$50 and \$150 to the Adcock vehicle.

Halton Rd. 3, about seven-tenths of a mile north of 27 Sideroad, was the scene of a single car mishap at 9 a.m., April 26, when a car driven by

Daisy Hollas Marsville (RR2, Orton), struck a snowdrift and went out of control. Damages to the Hollas vehicle amounted to \$50. An eight-foot fence owned by S.G. Bennet Farms sustained \$20 in damages.

The Georgetown Market Place parking lot was the scene of an accident April 26 at 2:20 p.m. when a car driven by Chotulahal Patel of Brampton was in collision with a car driven by John R. Taylor of Wynard, Saskatchewan. Damages amounted to \$200 for the Patel vehicle and \$300 for the Taylor vehicle.

While attempting to pass a car on the Seventh Line, about six-tenths of a mile south of 10 Sideroad, a car driven by Nicholas Wiszniak of Belwood, Ont., hit a pile of slush and went out of control, fishtailed for 25 feet on the roadway and struck a fence.

Damages in the accident, which occurred April 26th at 8:30 a.m., were \$200 to the Wiszniak vehicle and \$25 to a fence post owned by Bar-Alta Ranch.

The final accident reported for April 26 occurred on the Seventh Line about two-tenths of a mile north of 5 Sideroad when a car driven by Karen A. King, of St. Catherine's hit a hazardous stretch of road, went out of control and was in collision with a car driven by Reginald K. Faulkner, 71 Delrex Blvd. in Georgetown.

Damage to the King vehicle was \$300 and \$200 to the Faulkner vehicle in the accident which happened at 8:25 a.m.

Dogs running out into the roadway were the cause of an accident April 24 when a car driven by Nicole E. Morrison, 16 Mill St., Georgetown, swerved to avoid the creatures, and entered the ditch.

Damages in the accident, which occurred on Halton Road 3, a quarter-of-a-mile south of Stewarttown at 2 a.m., were \$200.

There was no driver in a three-vehicle mishap which occurred in the parking lot at 12 Todd Rd. in Georgetown, April 27 at 9:30 a.m.

A van owned by Burns Transport in Georgetown was left unattended when it slipped out of park and into reverse, striking a Gray Coach bus and a truck owned by Customatic Aluminum of Georgetown.

Damages amounted to \$350 to Burns Transport vehicle and \$100 to the Gray Coach bus. The Customatic Aluminum vehicle was undamaged.

The parking lot at 162 Guelph St. was the scene of an accident April 29 at 9:05 p.m. when a car driven by Helene J. Enn, 6 Brucewood Rd. was in collision with a car owned by Terence H. Rogers, RR1, Georgetown.

Damages amounted to \$150 to the Roger's vehicle and \$25 to the Enn vehicle.

Main St. N. near the intersection with Hwy. 7 was the scene of an accident April 29 when a car driven by Bruce Landsay, RR1, Georgetown

was in collision with a car driven by Mary Wanda Giviero, 21 Weber Dr.

Damages in the accident, which occurred at 4:05 p.m., were \$75 to the Giviero vehicle and nil to the Landsay vehicle. After braking to avoid hitting a dog on the road, a car

driven by Sherrie L. Armstrong, 59 Windsor Rd. in Georgetown, skidded on the gravel and entered the ditch.

Damages in the accident, which occurred on Halton Rd. 20, 200 feet west of Hwy. 7 on

April 24 at 8:20 p.m., amounted to \$50.

Halton Regional Ltd. 35 about one mile east of the Eighth Line was the scene of a single car mishap on May 2 at 3:45 a.m. when a car driven by Edward Hancock, RR1,

Georgetown, rode up the bank for 40 feet, struck a stump and overturned.

Mr. Hancock, who sustained cuts and bruises but was not taken to hospital, sustained \$1,800 in damages to his vehicle.



GETTING READY for the dessert served after the Norval Women's Institute euchre held May 1 at the home of Jean May. Funds raised will be used for community events and to support their foster child in Korea.

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By Diana Timpon

The response to the notice in this column re. lawn chairs and chaise lounges is exceptionally good. If any of you have not taken advantage of this service, which is so reasonably priced, get a move on and leave your chairs down at the branch soon so you will have them back in time when the warm weather finally arrives. There are 20 colours from which to choose and these colours are numbered and on show in our window at 127 Mill St.

Ron Lincoln extends an invitation to each and every one of us to go out to see the new residence. He will show you around if you get in touch with him. If you go out in the afternoon it is a better time to see all around. In the evening, you take a chance on disturbing the folks living there, so try to plan on going out in the afternoon. They are so proud of their residence and eager to show it off.

The residence is on Trafalgar Road, 1/4 mile north of Hornby, Market at Steeles Ave and Hornby.

Bud Hill is home from hospital as of Sunday. I am still in need of members who would be available to bring our comrades home in a more comfortable manner than having to come home by bus. I only have two names and that has already proven to be too few as when I called them for their assistance this past weekend, one could not go and the other one I could not get in touch with. Our executive went away to another branch doing their elections and couldn't help me out. Call me if you are able to help please.

Steve Hillier is in Workmans Compensation Hospital during the week and home for the weekends. Len Raynor is still in hospital as is George Frost who is still in Brampton Hospital. Brian Dermott is in Georgetown and also James Bick.

Help is also needed in this area. I need a member or members who will go and visit these Comrades. Art Stamp has been good enough to do this for me but he is pretty busy now and can't spend the time he would like to, so I am sending out another SOS.

Ladies Auxiliary members who are not feeling up to par are June Greig who was in Brampton Hospital last week, Win Telford who broke her ankle and Floss Tracy who had a nasty fall when getting off a bus while on her holidays. Actually it was when Floss arrived home in Toronto from her holidays that she fell and

sprained her ankle. Floss was accompanied on her trip by Anne Collins, Pearl Wilson, and V. Hewitt. They were away just over three weeks and were in Texas, Mexico, Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Santa Fe, Tucson and Phoenix, Arizona, and had a "fantastic, terrific and marvelous" time. They saw Fishermans Wharf, the Grand Canyon and the Petrified Forest, ect. ect. etc. The other half of the travelling Collins family will be away shortly on their trip to British Columbia. Have a good trip Bruce and Virlie. Bob Dunn left on a six-week trip today (Monday) so he should have a lot to tell us when he comes back.

One of our members not as fortunate as Ed Coates who had a fire in his home two weeks ago which did considerable damage and an undetermined amount of inconvenience has been put upon the family. We have Marg and Ed will have everything sorted out very soon. One nice thing that did come out of all of this was I met Ed's nephew Ron (also a fireman) whom I hadn't seen for about 25 years. Was in the service with his Dad, so we certainly had a lot of years to catch up on.

Three of us went to Cooksville Legion on Friday to the Ladies Auxiliary of Branch No. 582 2nd Spring Elimination Draw. We weren't the winners of the big prize of \$500 nor the lesser prizes of \$20 but we had a very good time. The meal although prepared by the L.A. was served by the men members. It was absolutely delicious and piping hot. The men did the dishes, helped with the draw and helped all evening.

The entertainment was billed as top-notch and was pretty good. The Paul Brothers and Shirley were quite good

with their fast patter and witty songs. They were from London and had been on the Tommy Hunter Show. Next was Gordon Massey billed as the Great Pretender. He was a quick change artist and told jokes and sang and was quite a showman. Apparently he has been here in town as the Kinettes had him at their last 'do'. The main attraction was Eric something-or-other and he was also quite a showman. The Auxiliary Ladies put in quite a lot of work for the evening and I'm glad it was a success.

**DRAW NO 11 CAR CLUB WINNERS:** 240 K. Herrington; 26 D.E. McCarthey; 315. D. Boyd; 210 A. Stapleton; 50. Mrs. G. Browne; 270. E. Shoebridge.

Halton Hills Meals on Wheels Assoc. has thanked many groups in town for their generous donations and continued support. One of those thanked were the Imperial Section of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 120. I'm sure the efforts of all were greatly appreciated.

On the first of two Imperial Fishing trips I see the owner of the largest fish caught was Rae Clarke with a Rainbow of 1 pound 3 1/2 ozs. Last Sunday, the first of two fishing trips for the branch was held. Quite a number of members were out and about 10 fish were caught. By whom and what size I don't know but everyone seemed to be enjoying themselves and the weather. Those that were out the previous week needed a medal to endure that rotten weather. Two more trips coming up later on so hopefully they will be well attended.

There are 32 names up on the board for the golf 'do' in Acton. Good to see so much interest. I see Harold B's name up there. How are you going to manage without a caddy?

At last week's Zone Rally held in Oakville for the Ladies Auxiliaries of 11 Branches fuse Green was again elected Zone Sports Officer and Irene Shields is again our Zone Commander for another term. Congratulations to both ladies. We can help make their jobs easier by supporting them and abiding by their decisions which they don't dream up out of their heads, but are handed down by 'the higher echelon' namely district but more obviously Provincial Command.

Don't forget Ladies, our own elections are soon upon us. Think of whom you would like to lead us through another year, and all those other important jobs that need a willing and capable member to chair for the coming year. Nominate them, elect them. To do that you have to BE THERE.

Up in Exeter Legion they have a fantastic husband and wife team who play darts. You don't need three guesses. One will do. You're right. They are Marg and Bob Hendley who were on a mixed team that won a dart tournament at Exeter Branch. I hope they don't forget where they picked up their dart throwing skills. Nice going folks.

June 1st, our Provincial Service Officer Gene Traversy will be at the branch to help any member and or their dependents with any problem they may have. He is usually here about 1 pm although a notice in the paper will give a more precise time. If you wish an interview with Mr. Traversy an appointment is necessary as he is a busy man and will head out to the next Legion when he is finished here.

Get in touch with our service officer Lloyd Boyd 877-4699 or 'Buster' Hale who is now assisting Lloyd. Buster can be reached at 877-3035. These fellows are qualified to answer a lot of your questions and will alleviate some of your worries if not all of them.

Hazel Dumper has phoned to let me know the outcome of the Euchre Tournament in Erin last Saturday. Alas we did not win, sorry to say but our auxiliary came first, 2nd; Brampton; 3rd and 4th, Erin 5th and Georgetown 6th. Dodie McCartney and Rita Rudiger won draw prizes. These teams will go to Dundas for Regionals.

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