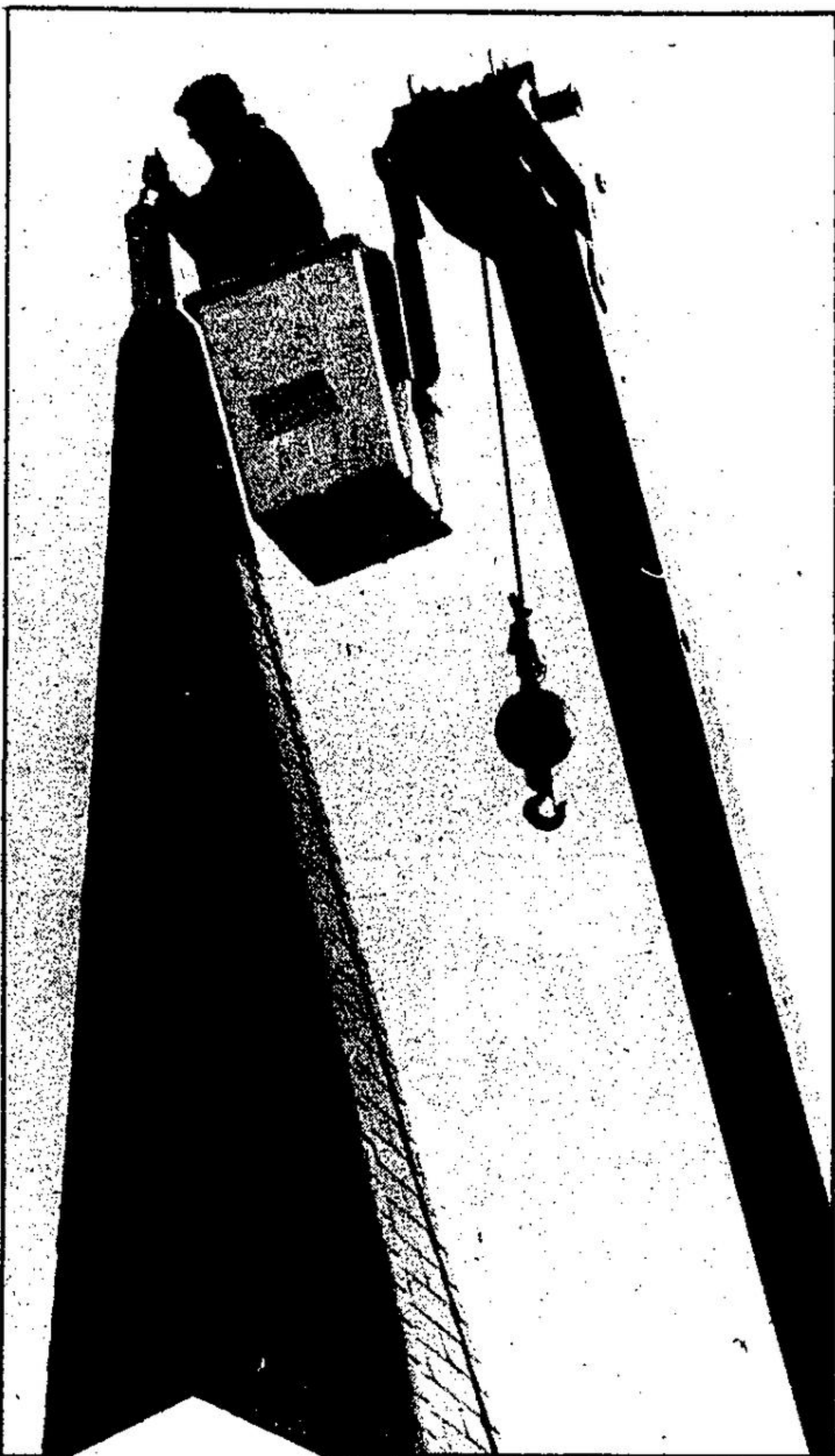


Outlook on Halton Hills



A worker at the Georgetown Cultural Centre returns the building's 100-year-old weather vane to its rightful place. The vane was damaged in a wind storm over a month ago and has been repaired over the last few weeks. It still sits atop the original congregational church tower built in the late 1800s. (Herald photo)

Windshield smashed

An unknown bearded man smashed the windshield of a car belonging to an alleged "tail-gater" Sunday night in Georgetown. Halton Regional Police say a Georgetown man driving his car into Moore Park Plaza around 8 p.m., noticed he was being followed by a car travelling near him on Main Street.

The driver of what is described only as "a white vehicle" got out of his vehicle and told the man, "don't follow too close," then proceeded to smash the driver's windshield, causing \$250 damage.

Police say the suspect, described as a white male with a beard, wearing jeans and a leather coat, drove off.
Police continue to investigate.

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Paper boxes set on fire

Four Toronto Star newspaper boxes in the Delrex area were lit on fire over the weekend.

The Halton Hills Fire Department says three charred boxes were discovered shortly after 1 a.m. Saturday at intersections on Delrex Boulevard.

One box is located at Crombie Place, another at Sargent Road and a third at McGillvray Crescent. Damages to the boxes is estimated at some \$200.

Shortly after midnight Feb. 5, a fourth Toronto Star box was discovered in flames at the McGillvray Crescent and Delrex Boulevard location. Fire damage was estimated at \$50 by fire officials. Halton Regional Police estimate total damage at \$350.

Fire officials say the cause of the fires is vandalism.

Composting considered

Halton Hills Councillor Pat McCarthy wants the town to consider composting.

He successfully urged his colleagues Monday to investigate possible government funding if the town leads residents in a full-fledged composting program.

About 30 per cent of the waste stream is made of material which can be composted, he said.

Town staff will look into the composting suggestion and report to council.

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Vito's approved for taking on postal service

Vito's Market on Highway 7 will be open for full postal services as early as March.

Marion Vito said Tuesday that Canada Post has approved the application sent by Mrs. Vito and her husband Chris last month. Although the Vitos won't be sorting mail, "we'll be doing everything else," said Mrs. Vito.

And the Vitos say they are pleased with the salary offered to them by Canada Post. "We felt that it was adequate. After all, (a post office) is good for the store too," said Mrs. Vito. "Any service you put in will help."

The Vitos were concerned that a contract with Canada Post would mean sorting mail and possibly hiring another employee. But now the couple has agreed that a part-

time person could be hired for the store if duties in the post office require it.

Vito's Market, a fruit store and grocereria on Highway 7 and Regional Road 43, was first suggested as a location for a post office when the Limehouse General Store ended its contract with Canada Post Dec. 2 last year.

The couple was approved at that time by Canada Post officials. The Vitos applied for official stamp vendor status in January, but instead received a visit from the Rural Services officers of Canada Post.

The possible agreement with Canada Post was settled last week after a month of processing when the Vitos received approval from the corporation.

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