

Do you understand the GST?



JOHN GODLEY, RR1, GEORGETOWN — I don't think it has been explained properly to the public, but from what I understand, it's (the GST) going to cost me more money.



ELIZABETH BLACK, ACTON — I understand the basic concept, but how it is going to affect me personally, has not been properly explained.



LINDY STUCKLESS, ACTON — It's been very poorly explained to the public. The ordinary man doesn't really know how it will affect him.

Control, care charge

Police have charged a 24-year-old Limehouse man for being in control and care of a motorized vehicle while under the influence of alcohol on McIntyre Crescent on June 28 at 11 p.m. Police say the Limehouse resident is scheduled to appear at Milton Provincial Court Sept. 10, 1990.

Careless driving

A 56-year-old Chatham man has been charged with careless driving after an accident at Trafalgar Road and Maple Avenue on Friday at 8:50 p.m. Police say a 61-year-old Rosemont man's 1988 brown Oldsmobile was stopped southbound at a Trafalgar Road traffic light when the Rosemont man's vehicle struck it from behind.

Impaired driving

A 24-year-old Georgetown man has been charged with impaired driving after police pulled his vehicle over near John Street and Mountainview Road on June 28 at 3:40 p.m. Police say the accused is scheduled to appear at Milton Provincial Court Sept. 10, 1990.

Rear-end collision

Police have charged a 38-year-old Milton woman with careless driving after her 1988 grey Buick struck the rear end of another car near Main Street North and Elizabeth Drive Thursday at 11:55 a.m. Police say the woman's car was northbound on Main Street North when it struck the back of a stopped 1989 grey Ford Van, driven by a 28-year-old Guelph man. The Milton woman's vehicle received severe damages and the Guelph man's was lightly damaged.

Dangerous driving

A Mississauga man, following a bus load of strike replacement workers, was charged with dangerous driving after he rammed a car six times because it was blocking his vehicle, police say.

The 42-year-old man was following the bus on Friday at 6:10 p.m. as it travelled on Winston Churchill Boulevard just south of Steeles Avenue. An employee of the local company, who was escorting the bus in his own car, blocked the Mississauga man in a driveway with his car and refused to move. The Mississauga man became angry and proceeded to ram his car into the escort's car repeatedly.

Police recover stolen truck parts

Two unrelated investigations by Halton Regional Police have resulted in the recovery of stolen transport truck parts worth \$280,000, police say.

During a search executed at a Halton Hills farm on July 18, police seized a \$50,000 1986 Freightliner truck, reported stolen from Cambridge June 22. A 30-year-old Georgetown man has been charged with possession of stolen property and is scheduled to appear at Milton Provincial Court August 27.

A June 24 search, executed at a Milton Third Line address, resulted in the recovery of \$230,000 worth of stolen truck parts. Police seized a partially dismantled 1988 Peterbilt truck tractor, reported stolen from Peel in 1988.

Also seized were a 1988 BMW and a 1986 Jeep Cherokee, both reported stolen from Toronto in 1988. Police say a 1988 Dumpster reported stolen from Milton in 1989, two sets of stolen licence plates and two trucks assembled from stolen parts.

Police have charged a 37-year-old Milton man with numerous counts of possession of stolen property. The Milton man remains in police custody pending a bail hearing in Milton.

Vehicle located in child abduction

Halton Regional Police Force have located the 1979 Ford Thunderbird belonging to Brian Boudreau of Milton, who is wanted by police for the abduction of his four-year-old son, Luke on April 22.

Police say the 1979 maroon Thunderbird, bearing the licence plate Omega 7, was found during a search executed at an Etobicoke self-storage unit on July 17. Several items of children's winter clothing were discovered in the trunk of the car.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information is asked to contact Det. Sgt. M. Eacrett at 845-7171, ext. 415 or Crime Stopper at 1-800-668-5151.

Assaults on females show significant increase

In a four-day span, Halton Hills police have charged five men with assaulting women.

On July 26, police received a call about 10 p.m. from a John Street, Georgetown, address after a 26-year-old man arrived home angry and an argument ensued with a 24-year-old woman of the same address. Police say the woman received injuries to the arm and shoulder. The 26-year-old man has been charged with assault level one.

Police responded to a call at an Acton pizza parlor July 27 at 10:30 p.m. after a 25-year-old man arrived to pick up his pizza and the woman server refused to serve him. Police say after an argument the man punched the woman in the face. The Moffatt resident has been charged with assault level one and is scheduled to appear at Milton Provincial Court August 27, 1990.

A 10:30 p.m. call on July 28 brought police to a Lynden Circle, Georgetown, home after a 47-year-old man assaulted his wife. Police have charged the man with assault level one and he is scheduled to appear in Milton Provincial Court on Sept. 10, 1990.

A 36-year-old Kingham Road man has been charged with two counts of assault with a weapon after he hit his 36-year-old wife and 17-year-old daughter with a chair. Police say the daughter attempted to break up an argument between her father and mother when she was hit. The man is scheduled to appear in Milton Provincial Court Aug. 27, 1990.

Sandra Crowley, Acting Director

of The Halton Women's Place said in the last two weeks the battered women's shelter in Milton has been filled to capacity.

Ms. Crowley said it is an unusual and unfortunate position for the shelter to be in as many women and children have been turned away. Those turned away have been given alternate shelters to contact, however, she said many other regional women's shelters are also filled to capacity.

She said reports of assaults on

women have significantly increased in the last six weeks. Although Ms. Crowley said it is not possible to pinpoint the cause of the increase she did say increases occur in the summer and when children are out of school.

The Halton Women's Place works closely with the police on referrals and in training officers or how to deal with assaulted women, said Ms. Crowley.

The North Milton centre also offers counselling services and a 878-8555 24-hour crisis line.

Police seeking Mosque vandals

The Halton Regional Police and Crime Stoppers are requesting the public's assistance in apprehending the persons responsible for vandalism to the Halton Mosque, presently under construction in Burlington. The mosque is situated at 4310 Fairview St. facing the Cashway Lumber Store.

On Saturday, July 14, at 2:30 a.m. entry was made by smashing a window on a door entering on the north side of the building. The police were dispatched to the mosque when neighbours called after being awakened by the sound of breaking glass. The suspects had fled the scene prior to the arrival of the police.

The damage consists of smashed windows, toilet, sink and refrigerator, estimated damage is \$10,000. One of the suspects was injured during the entry, leaving blood stains in the building. This incident is one of many acts of vandalism that has occurred at this mosque.

There was a similar type of break-in at Lord Elgin High School on New St. on the same evening. There was also a large amount of damage to the school. Police investigators feel these occurrences are related.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$1,000 for information that leads to an arrest in this case or any other

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case. Callers are not required to reveal their identities or testify in court. The Crime Stoppers toll-free number is 1-800-668-5151.

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