

Police Beat

Vehicle entered

A black leather briefcase and contents, worth \$300, were stolen from an unlocked 1988 black Cherokee, parked outside a Dale Gate address between Monday at 11:30 p.m. and Tuesday at 4 a.m.

Vehicle break-in

Sunglasses and \$8 were stolen from a locked car parked at a Faludon Drive residence between Monday at midnight to Tuesday at 3:30 a.m. Police believe a slim jim was used to break into the vehicle.

Apartment theft

Culprits entered a seventh floor Park Avenue apartment by opening the rear glass patio door on Monday between 7:15 a.m. and 5 p.m. Police say once the unknown persons entered the apartment they removed a box of coins containing \$125 and \$300 in gold rings. Police suspect from handprints left on glass that one of the thieves was at least six feet tall.

Construction site hit

About \$3,300 in doors and windows were removed from a home, still under construction, between Sunday at 3 p.m. and Monday at 6 a.m. Police say a large truck, possibly having dual rear tires, pulled into the construction site and left with several windows and doors.

It is not known how entry was gained because all the entrances were removed.

Business break-ins

A Queen Street, Acton business complex experienced a great deal of after-hours action as culprits ripped through stair-

cases and walls to get to four businesses early this week. Between Tuesday night and Wednesday at 3 a.m. culprits managed to break into the business of Greenlea Beauty Salon, Vector Marketing, Royal Mini Mart and Williams and Associates. Nothing was reported stolen from any of the businesses, however, police say it was apparent the culprits had gone through cupboards, offices, desks and service counters at each of the businesses. Police believe the persons were frightened away after an alarm sounded in the variety store. A lantern and a two-foot chrome pry bar were left at the scene.

Following too close

Police charged a 21-year-old Rockwood man and a 34-year-old Georgetown man after an accident at Trafalgar Road and Sideroad 10 on Monday at 1:50 p.m. Reports indicate the Rockwood man, operating a grey 1983 Oldsmobile, was northbound on Trafalgar Road when it drove into the back of a red 1986 Volkswagen, driven by the Georgetown man. The cars were driving through a construction area, controlled by flagmen. Police charged the Rockwood man with following too closely and charged the Georgetown man with failing to produce a driver's licence.

Youths injured

A single-car accident at Sideroad 22 and Third Line resulted in three Georgetown youths being taken to hospital with minor injuries on Tuesday at 11:10 a.m. Police say a 16-year-old Acton female, operating a 1978 Toyota Corolla, was speeding on Sideroad 22 when the car went out of control and skidded sideways off the road. The car struck a tree stump, rolled over and came to rest upright. The vehicle was severely damaged.



Thanksgiving shared

The meaning of Thanksgiving is shared with a Grade 3 class at George Kennedy Public School. Here, the entire class, during a discussion about the meaning of Thanksgiving, point to their favorite Thanksgiving food. (Herald photo)

Industries will be asked to share recycling costs

In response to the rising costs incurred by Halton, and other municipalities to collect recyclable material, the Region's Planning and Public Works Committee Wednesday supported in principle a recommendation calling for industry to help cover municipalities' operational costs of running a recycling program.

Committee members supported a Regional staff report in which the author, the Regional Commissioner of Public Works, Robert Moore, argued "It's only fair that the generators and users of products that produce waste should bear the costs for the management of these wastes."

Waste producing industries

could provide the necessary funding to the municipalities by incorporating the extra costs in the price of their products, suggested Mr. Moore.

Mr. Moore went on to explain that the provincial government should be lobbied by Ontario municipalities to pass legislation that would ban industry from using uneconomical recyclable material. This legislation would further reduce the costs to municipalities of operating a recycling program, said Mr. Moore.

Currently the Region relies on provincial grant funding to subsidize Halton's recycling program, said Mr. Moore. But because Halton's program has been established for several years, less and less provincial money is available each year, he explained. At the same time, the cost of run-

ing a recycling program is increasing while the price for which recyclable materials can be sold is decreasing, said Mr. Moore.

Only through new methods of funding recycling programs such as industry providing some of the funds to municipalities, will the programs be maintained and expanded, he predicted.

The committee's recommendation will go before Regional council Wednesday for final approval.

Osler selected SIU director

The Honourable John Harty Osler has been named Director of the newly-created Special Investigations Unit (SIU) under the Police Services Act, the Ministry of the Solicitor General announced recently.

The one-year appointment of the Lieutenant Governor is effective immediately.

Mr. Osler is a former justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario. The Toronto resident is a graduate of Osgoode Hall and practiced labour

relations and trade union law prior to this appointment to the bench.

The SIU is permanently established under the provisions of Part VII of the Police Services Act which received Royal Assent on June 28. Part VII, the Special Investigations Unit, was proclaimed on August 8.

The SIU will investigate incidents involving the police in which serious injury or death has occurred.



Kiwanis executive

Executive Kiwanis Club members posed for a picture during a luncheon at the North Halton Golf and Country Club Wednesday, to honor the induction of new executives for 1990-91. From left to right, Reg

Balls, Ltd. Gov. 90-91, Div. 7, John Schaljo, outgoing president, Dave Dunlop, incoming president, Dennis White, incoming second vice-president and Gary Elliott, secretary. (Herald photo)

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