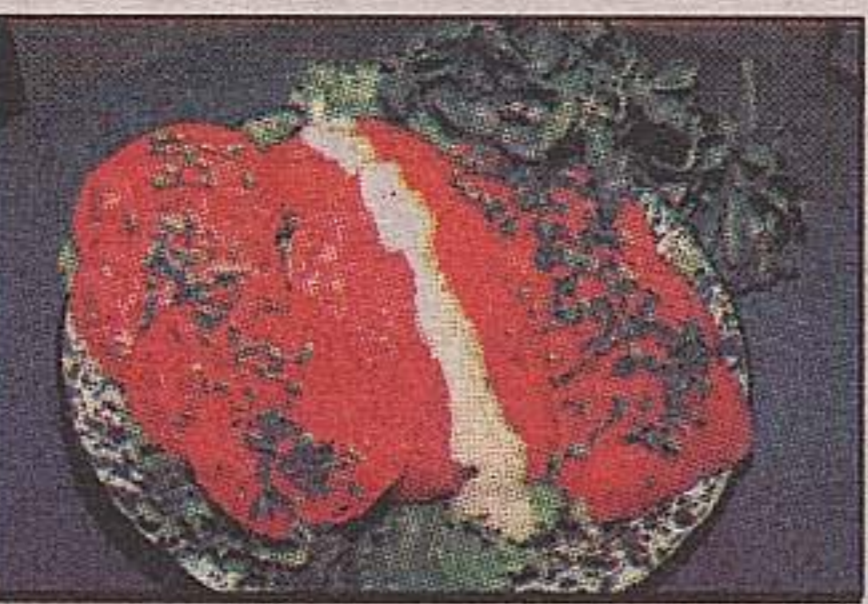


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NEWS AT A GLANCE

This thief is for the birds!

■ A 60 lb. cement bird bath, valued at \$100, was stolen from the backyard of a Willow St., Acton home sometime last Thursday night or Friday morning.
A dolly was used to remove it from the yard.

Suspect caught

■ A Georgetown man was charged with break and enter and possession of burglary tools after Halton Police, with the help of the service's canine unit, found a man

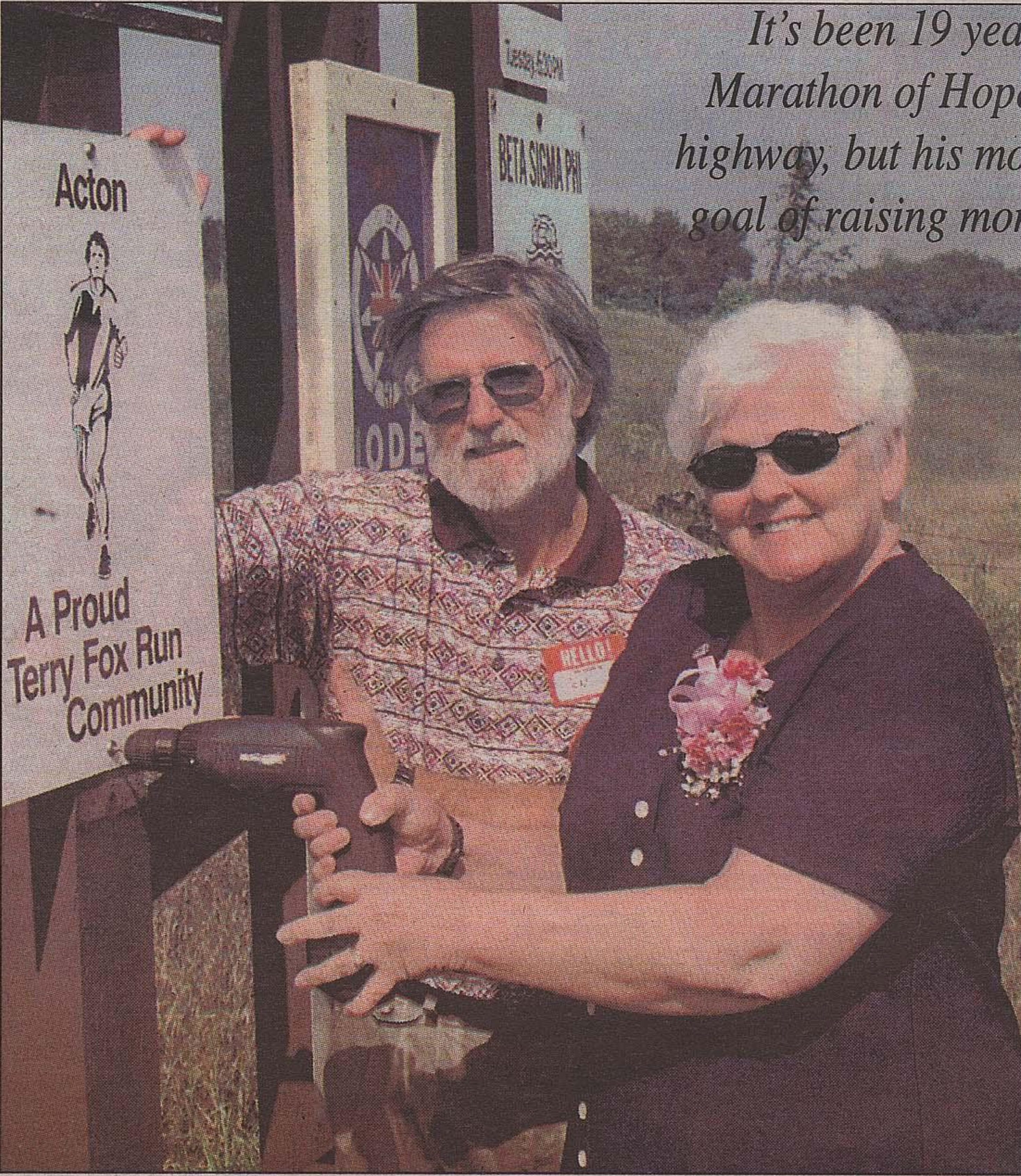
hiding in a washroom stall at Dick Licata Pool last Friday morning. Police discovered a window had been smashed in the building.

Charged is Michael Burbine, 26, of Sargent Rd., Georgetown. He was held for a bail hearing Friday.

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Mom makes sure Terry's dream lives on



It's been 19 years since Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope ended on an Ontario highway, but his mother Betty continues his goal of raising money for cancer research

While most Canadians think of Terry Fox as a hero, his mother Betty Fox said her son shunned that label.

At a stop in Acton Wednesday during her tour to promote the annual Terry Fox Run on September 19, Fox told approximately 70 people at the Acton Legion that it upset Terry to be called a hero. She said he believed he just did something that had to be done.

Before telling the story of her son she praised Acton Terry Fox Run organizer Jon Hurst for being "one of our most generous and wonderful organizers" and thanked everyone involved in Acton for raising an "amazing" total of \$353,000 since 1981. She also thanked past Georgetown run organizers, and current Georgetown run organizer Tom Wharton, participants and sponsors for raising \$68,000 over the years.

Fox said her son, who after losing a leg to bone cancer in 1977 set out to run across Canada in 1980 to raise money to find a cure for cancer, has been her role model. After logging 26 miles a day for 143 days Terry was forced to end his run in Thunder Bay when his cancer returned.

Betty Fox and Acton Terry Fox Run organizer Jon Hurst mounted a Terry Fox Run community sign at the south end of town Wednesday afternoon following a reception and speech at Acton Legion. The well-known mother of Terry Fox dropped by Halton Hills to promote the upcoming September 19 Terry Fox runs in both Acton and Georgetown.
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