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WEDNESDAY...

• A Georgetown native is serving in Kandahar, Afghanistan with Canadian Armed Forces. However, his fighting is reserved for the courtroom not the battlefield.



Making waves at the Ontario championships

Georgetown Rebel swimmers teamed up to place fifth overall out of the 283 schools and 1,700 athletes entered in the Ontario Federation of Schools Athletic Association championships this week at the Etobicoke Olympium. Georgetown's McKenzie Kimm is pic-

tured here in one of the heats for the open girls' 100-metre backstroke on Wednesday morning. For more details on how local area swimmers fared at OFSAA, please see page 19.

Photo by Eamonn Maher

Witnesses provide key information Two suspected in RBC bank hold-up

Police have arrested one man and are obtaining a warrant for the arrest of another in connection with a robbery at the Royal Bank in downtown Georgetown Wednesday afternoon.

Halton Police responded to the Main St. S. bank at approximately 1:10 p.m., shortly after a lone white man had entered the bank and given a teller a note demanding money. The

note implied the suspect had a weapon although none was seen. The man was given an undisclosed amount of money and he fled with the note to an awaiting vehicle.

With the assistance of several witnesses who provided detailed information police located the getaway vehicle, determined to have been recently stolen from Mississauga, in the under-

ground parking lot at a Park Ave. apartment building.

After further investigation by the Halton Police street crime unit in Georgetown, and with the assistance of Peel Police, a man was taken into custody in the Dundas St. and Cawthra Rd. area of Mississauga.

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