

Man charged with making threat in slots altercation

A man was charged with making a threat in connection with an altercation at Mohawk Raceway recently.

Halton Regional Police say two people were sitting beside each other playing slot machines at the Campbellville race track when one man asked the other to move his foot.

Words were exchanged and it's alleged one of the men made a threatening comment to the other.

A Mississauga man was charged.

Man punched in face

Police are looking for two white males after a man was punched in the face last Friday.

At about 1 a.m., a man was walking home at Main and Commercial streets when two young males bumped into him.

Words were exchanged and the victim was punched several times in the face.

Police are looking for two white males between the ages of 16 and 20 years wearing baseball caps. One person was wearing a yellow and red jacket.

Police Blotter

Stranger in kitchen

Residents of a Bell Street home found a stranger standing in their kitchen Monday.

People were in the home when they heard a noise coming from the kitchen. Upon investigation, they found a male youth in their home.

The male fled and the police were called.

Police arrested a 14-year-old male youth, who was charged with break and enter and failing to comply with probation.

Impaired charges laid

A resident contacted police Sunday after he witnessed a near collision on Thompson and Derry roads at about 3 a.m.

When police arrived, they noticed a vehicle swerving.

Police charged a man with driving while impaired and having over the legal limit of alcohol in his blood.

German Shepherd stolen

Police say a seven-year-old white German Shepherd was stolen from a First Line home February 2.

The dog weighs about 100 pounds, is white and has black on its back.

The canine answers to the name of Keele.

Counterfeit money found

The use of counterfeit money is on the rise at Mohawk Raceway, police say.

Last Friday and Saturday, about \$190 worth of counterfeit money turned up at the Campbellville race track.

Snowmobiles stolen

Two 1997 Polaris Skidoos and a homemade trailer were stolen from the rear of a business on Ontario Street North Sunday between 4 and 8 p.m.

The two snowmobiles, worth \$5,000 each, were sitting on a homemade silver trailer valued at about \$500.

Police are investigating.

Woman charged in alleged \$5,500 welfare fraud case

A woman was arrested in Milton court Monday while making an appearance on another charge.

The 24-year-old woman was in court for allegedly driving without a licence or insurance when Halton Region Police arrested her on a charge of welfare fraud over \$5,000.

She was taken to the police station and released.

Police allege that when the woman applied for welfare in May 1999, she said she was the sole support parent of

her child. It's also alleged she claimed she didn't know the whereabouts of her common-law spouse, the father of the child.

She collected welfare from July 1 to December 30.

But an investigation by Halton social services alleges she was living with her common-law spouse in a Campbellville apartment and received support from him in the amount of about \$5,500.

Lorraine King will appear in Milton court on the fraud charge March 13.

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ALL ELECTORS IN THE FOUR AREA MUNICIPALITIES COMPRISING THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF HALTON REGARDING THE DIRECT ELECTION OF THE REGIONAL CHAIR

2000 ELECTION NOMINATIONS AND THE CANDIDATE CAMPAIGNS

For the first time in the history of the Regional Municipality of Halton, electors throughout the Region will vote and directly elect a person to fill the position of Regional Chair for the 2000-2003 term of Regional Council.

Candidates running for the office of Regional Chair will have their names on the ballots in each of the four area municipalities within the Regional Municipality of Halton, namely the City of Burlington, and the Towns of Oakville, Halton Hills and Milton.

The *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* states that a candidate's election period begins on the date the candidate files a nomination paper. Contributions are considered to be any money, goods or services given to, or accepted by, or on behalf of the candidate and his/her campaign.

Nomination Procedure:

- Nominations using the prescribed form shall be filed at the Office of the Regional Clerk, Halton Regional Centre, 1151 Bronte Road, Oakville, in person by either the candidate or his/her agent;
 - during the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on any given day from now until October 12, 2000 when the office is open to the public, or
 - during the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Nomination Day, Friday, October 13, 2000.
- The nomination shall be:
 - in the prescribed form available from the Regional Clerk or any of the Area Municipal Clerk's offices;
 - accompanied by a filing fee of \$100.00 payable in cash, certified cheque or money order, payable to The Regional Municipality of Halton, and,
 - accompanied by a consent to the nomination and a declaration of qualification, both in the prescribed form, signed by the person being nominated.
- The onus is on the person nominated for election to an office to file a *bona fide* nomination paper.

Joan Eaglesham, CMO
Regional Clerk