

# Thief steals narcotics from pharmacy

About \$10,000 worth of narcotics was stolen from a pharmacy early Sunday morning.

Police said unknown suspects smashed the window of the door at Miltowne Pharmacy on Commercial Street to gain access. Once inside, they took large quantities of oxycontin, morphine and codeine.

Anyone with information is asked to call Halton Regional Police at (905) 825-4777 or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-

## PoliceBlotter

222-TIPS (1-800-222-8477).

### Vehicles vandalized

A man has been arrested in connection with a slew of vehicle vandalisms overnight Sunday.

Police said eight cars in a parking lot of a Bronte Street apartment building had their windows smashed.

Police received a tip that a man was seen darting back and forth from a house to the parking lot.

A 24-year-old Harrison Road man has been charged with mischief.

### Youths arrested in disturbance

Four youths were arrested after an incident at Milton Fair Grounds Saturday night.

Police received a noise complaint at about 8:30 p.m. and responded to the fairgrounds where they saw four youths fleeing.

They discovered various objects including a filing cabinet drawer had been used unsuccessfully to try to break open the door of one of the buildings.

Police said the youths were not charged and were instead placed in the youth diversion program.

### Fry truck targeted

A Bronte Street fry truck was broken into overnight Saturday.

Police said unknown suspects cut the padlock to gain entry into Capt'n Fry's, but nothing was taken.

# Think ahead to avoid drinking and driving

Think before you take that drink. It's a message Halton Regional Police want everyone to remember, particularly during the holiday season.

Recent RIDE spot checks and district enforcement initiatives show there's a slight increase in impaired driving investigations in Halton.

Although no one has been arrested for impaired driving as a result of a RIDE spot check, 23 people have had their licences suspended because roadside screening revealed they had over the legal limit of alcohol in their blood.

The RIDE program started December 1. Since then, five people have been arrested in Milton for impaired driving offences by officers involved in other enforcement initiatives.

"At this time of year we are reminded of the need to use good judgment when we are enjoying holiday cheer," said chief Gary Crowell. "We need to remember that need also exists throughout the year."

Halton police want to remind the driving public of the need to anticipate problems. An alcoholic drink can take from a few minutes to an hour to affect your sobriety. The last drink you consume might not begin to affect your judgment until after you begin your drive home.

Police hope people will instead call a taxi, get a ride from a sober friend or use designated drivers.

# Police trying to find vehicle vandals

Halton Regional Police are investigating vandalism to a vehicle.

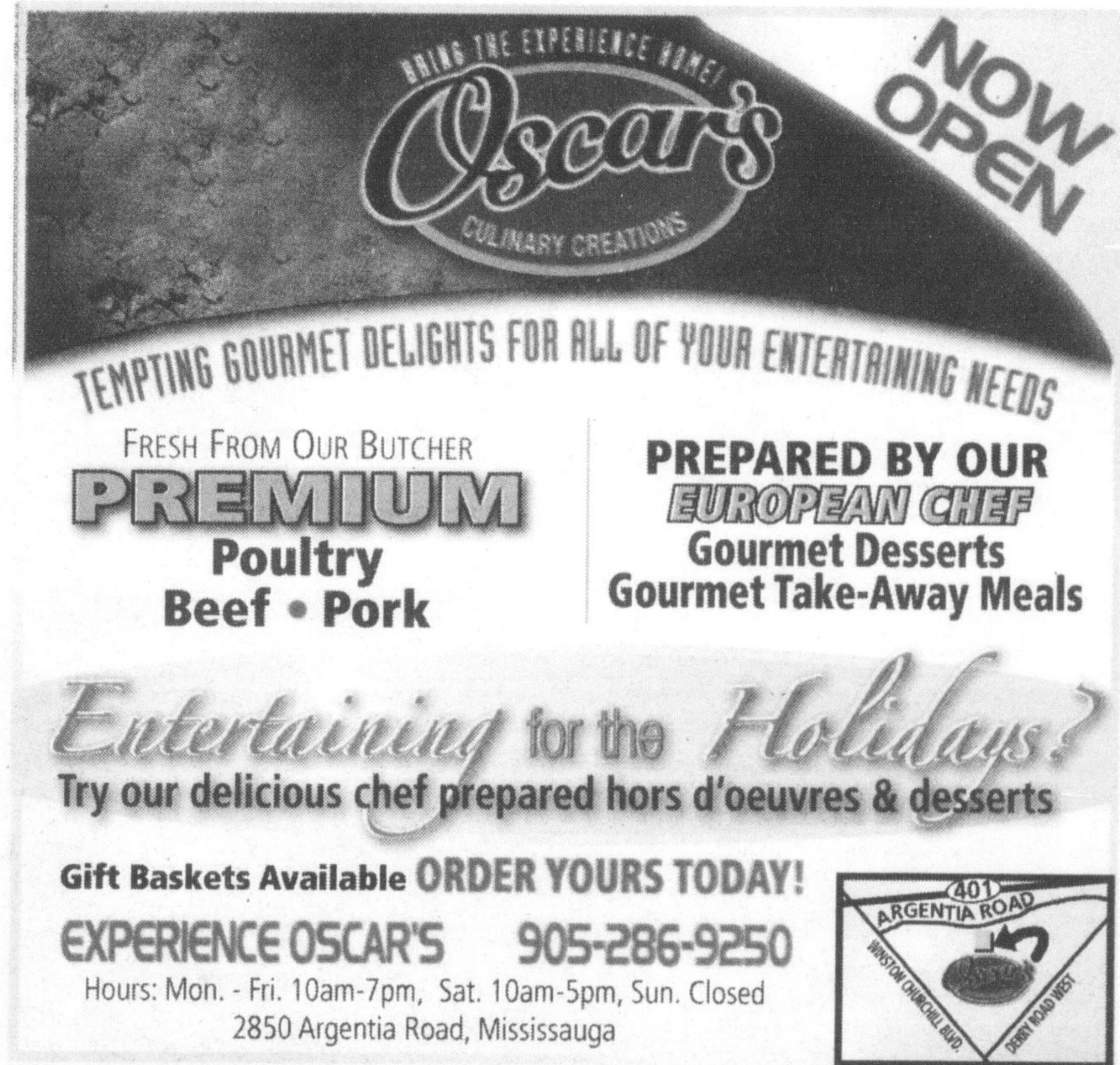
Sometime overnight December 11, suspects spray-painted a racial epithet on the side of a vehicle parked on Malick Street. The total damage isn't known.

## Crime Stoppers OF HALTON

If you have any information that leads to an arrest in this or any other matter, you may be eligible for a cash reward. You will

never have to give your name or testify in court. Crime Stoppers of Halton doesn't subscribe to call display.

Call 1-800-222-TIPS (1-800-222-8477) or check out Crime Stoppers' Web site at [www.halton-crimestoppers.com](http://www.halton-crimestoppers.com).



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