

Muspratt heads to New York

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actress, and worked as a casting assistant for a Toronto firm before deciding to try her hand at filmmaking.

A graduate of the University of Toronto with majors in English and theatre and a minor in psychology, Ms. Muspratt has no formal training in filmmaking. She has learned through experience.

The first film she made, *Foul Foreplay*, another half-hour drama, aired on CBC last year.

"People ask me where I get my creative ideas and I have no idea at all," says Ms. Muspratt, who prefers to make gentle films that have meaning.

The Pony's Tail was created on a surprisingly modest budget of \$15,000 and filmed in four days with the help of several people, she says.



Victoria Muspratt

Soon after completion, it was purchased by the Global Television Network, and last week it was presented before cast, crew and the media at the National Film Board in Toronto.

Ms. Muspratt grew up in Milton but recently moved to New York in pursuit of investors for a feature film.

Teen charged in weapon incident after threatening W.I. Dick student

A W.I. Dick Middle School student was threatened by a youth with a BB gun at lunch hour Friday, Halton Regional Police say.

A 15-year-old youth allegedly came to W.I. Dick from another school and pulled out the gun in front of a 13-year-old student, with whom he is involved in an ongoing feud. The younger youth, also male, ran to the school office and called police.

The incident occurred at the rear of the Highside Drive school at about 12:30 p.m., police say.

A 15-year-old is charged with assault with a weapon and uttering a threat.

Thieves crack safe

About \$2,500 cash was taken from the safe at the Trattoria restaurant on Main Street East sometime between 8:30 a.m. May 23 and 9:30 a.m. May 24, police say.

Special patrols

Police are watching out for aggressive drivers in a campaign that began Saturday.

In addition to regular patrols, special Halton Regional Police units are cracking down on drivers who speed, make unsafe lane changes, follow too closely and disobey signs and traffic signals.

"Curbing aggressive driving behaviour will reduce accidents and death," said Halton police spokesperson Sgt. Joe Martin.

The OPP is also in on the campaign, which continues until June 17.

Complaints of aggressive driving were abundant in a traffic survey recently conducted by the OPP, said Constable Dave Thomas, spokesperson for the Milton detachment.

Police Blotter

24, police say.

The culprits forced open a rear door and used tools they found in the restaurant to crack the safe.

The thieves also stole 19 bottles of liquor.

Beware bogus tickets

Police say a man defrauded a First Line woman of \$35 by selling fake circus tickets.

A man came to the woman's house and identified himself as a representative of a retired firefighters association in October. She gave him cash for tickets to a circus act in Oakville and was told the tickets would be delivered to her.

The circus was held on the week-

end, but the woman never received the tickets.

The man is described as male, white, aged between 40 and 50 years, with brown hair and a heavy build.

Vehicle stolen

A 1986 Dodge Aries was stolen overnight Friday from the parking lot of the Bruce Apartments at 40 Ontario Street.

The four-door, gray vehicle, which police say was locked, bears licence plate 870 ERX.

Vandals slash car top

Someone cut two 18-inch holes in the roof of a 1988 Mazda RX7 convertible overnight May 31.

The vehicle was parked at a Sunnyvale Crescent home when it was vandalized. About \$500 damage was caused.

Cops out to curb aggressive driving

The campaign to curb aggressive driving was recently announced by the Ministry of Transportation

(MTO). About two-thirds of accidents in the province involve aggressive driving, according to MTO statistics.

Crimestoppers golf tourney held on July 14 at Carlisle

The Rotary Club of Burlington has chosen to help fight crime with the proceeds of its second annual Partnership Charity Golf Tournament.

The event will be held Thursday, July 14 at Carlisle Golf and Country Club. All profits go to Crime Stoppers of Halton.

The tournament, open to all interested golfers, will feature a shotgun start. The entry fee of \$150 covers the green fee, power cart, dinner, bucket of warm-up balls and prizes.

For further details, call Chris Gilante, tournament chairperson, at 1-800-277-7561.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEAL BOARD HEARINGS

EUGENE CUMMINS, 5193 8TH LINE

The Environmental Appeal Board has scheduled Main Hearings concerning the Cummins site at 5193 8th Line Milton. Members of the Community are welcome to attend the hearings as follows:

June 13, 1994
Main Hearing
Town Hall Council Chambers

June 14, 1994
Main Hearing
Town Hall Council Chambers

June 16, 1994
Main Hearing
Town Hall Council Chambers

It is anticipated that these proceedings will commence at 9:00 a.m. until approximately 5:00 p.m. Members of the community wishing to participate as parties to the hearing, should contact:

**Ms. Susan Dunn, Secretary,
The Environmental Assessment Board
at 416-314-3300**

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Applications are now being accepted by the Town Clerk for appointments to the following committees:

LEISURE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE (2 members required)

Want to be involved in the direction of Leisure Services in Milton? Want to share ideas and contribute to the development of leisure opportunities and services for all residents? Can you spare a couple of hours once per month from September to June... Applications are being accepted for the Leisure Services Advisory Committee (LSAC - 2 members required). The LSAC is a committee of Council that provides an advisory and consultative role to assist the Department of Leisure Services in recommending appropriate policies and plans, and assists in the development of programs and services available in the community. We need your valuable input - apply today!

For committee appointments, the successful applicant must be a resident of Milton, or an owner or tenant of land in the municipality, or the spouse of an owner or tenant, and be a minimum of eighteen years of age on the date of the appointment. Please apply in writing, stating your qualifications. Applications will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. on June 10th, 1994. Further details may be obtained by contacting the undersigned at 878-7211.

**Wm. Roberts, Town Clerk
The Corporation of the Town of Milton
Victoria Park Square, P.O. Box 1005
Milton, Ontario, L9T 4B6**

TENDER CALL

The Corporation of the Town of Milton is accepting Tenders for Ventilation Alterations at Milton Town Hall.

Tender documents may be obtained from the Department of Leisure Services, Victoria Park Square (Brown Street at Mary) Milton, Ontario.

All Tenders to be submitted should be placed in a sealed envelope which clearly states the nature of the tender. Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. local time on Monday, June 27, 1994 at the following address:

**Clerk's Department
Town of Milton
Victoria Park Square
P.O. Box 1005
Milton, Ontario
L9T 4B6**

Jennifer Reynolds,
Director of Leisure Services.