

Town Police

Sticks and stones may ...

The tinkling of shattering glass broke the silence on Saturday night around Al Fitzgerald's home on Church Street. Town Police report that someone threw a rock through two windows; the storm window and the interior one.

High winds fell branch ...

High winds on Saturday caused at least one minor accident in Penetanguishene. At 1:35 p.m. a branch fell from a tree on Fox Street damaging the aerial and the body of a parked car. Damage was estimated at \$35.

Busy hands make ...

Thieves were busy in Penetanguishene within the past week.

Ken Gauthier's Sports reports a suspected shoplifting on Friday. A weaver gun scope valued at \$20 is missing from the store.

The ten minute theft

Ten minutes after Doran Moreau's car was reported stolen it was recovered by the Elmvalle detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police.

Moreau, of 251 Bay Street in Midland, found his car missing from the Brule Hotel Parking lot at 11:05 p.m. Saturday night. At 11:15 p.m. Elmvalle OPP reported the car was discovered near Orr Lake with possible damage to its transmission. A tool box was stolen from the car. The case is still under investigation.

The largest theft occurred sometime over the weekend in Penetanguishene's Industrial Court at the North East end of town.

A total of \$1,795 worth of tools was stolen from Reno Court Construction on Centennial Drive. The investigation into the case of the missing tools continues.

Charged with disturbing

A 23-year-old Midland man was charged with causing a disturbance by being drunk on Main Street near the Commodore Hotel at 1:15 a.m. Saturday. Paul William of 367 King Street was picked up by Town police.



Happy workers

Everyone's smiling now that the program for Winterama 1975 has been set. From left to right Winterama Committee members at last Thursday's meeting; Roland Desrochers,

Bryan Byng, Christine and Paul Rollinson. For details see the story on this page.

Staff photo

Town's Winterama program set

The program for Penetanguishene's Winterama has been finalized according to Paul Rollinson, a co-chairman of the Winterama committee.

At a meeting last Thursday night at the Centre D'Activites Francaises committee members pieced together the final events for Ontario's longest running winter carnival.

Missing from the program this year are the snowmobile races which Rollinson said are "simply too expensive to finance." Earlier the committee had announced that the traditional dog sled races would also be dropped for the same reason.

In place of these two traditional events this year's winterama committee is stressing activities which it hopes will involve more people in the community. New events such as the toboggan slalom, a log sawing contest, and snowshoe races are designed to fill the gap created by the cutting of the snowmobile and dog sled races.

Instead of running all the Winterama activities on Penetanguishene Bay as in past years, Winterama 1975 will operate out of four

locations: McGuire Park, the Centre D'Activites Francaises, an area for the toboggan slalom, and the old Dominion Store on Robert Street West beside the town offices.

A craft show and sale which has already been booked up will be held at the old Dominion Store.

In keeping with Penetanguishene's centenary, as an organized municipality the craft show will feature lifestyle demonstrations of 100 years ago - spinning, quilting, and pottery making.

A fantasy land created out of old Christmas trees and ice sculptures will be located next to the Dominion Store.

Committee members said the full Winterama program will be released to the press on the week preceding the festival.

While the program has been finalized suggestions are still welcomed. People who have any specific suggestions for the carnival are asked to phone the French Centre at 549-8594 or Christine Rollinson at the Odd Copy Bookshop (549-8167).

Winterama announcements
Floats

Persons interested in entering a float in the Winterama parade should phone Tim Robitaille after 5 p.m. at 549-2271. The entry fee for floats is \$5.00. The design of floats is optional although spokesmen for the committee suggest building entries around the centennial theme.

Floats will be judged on their appearance with a first prize of \$50 and a trophy being awarded.

Snowshoe race
Anyone interested in taking part in the snowshoe races should contact Angela North at either 549-8167 or 549-8182. Prizes will be given to the first three finishers in the mile long race.

Looking for a Queen
The Winterama Committee is still looking for girls for the Miss Winterama Contest. Sponsors for the girls are also needed.

Interested girls and sponsors should contact Dave Babcock at 549-2953 or Gary Lauring at 549-8137.

The basic rules are that girls must be at least 16-years-old, unmarried, reside in Simcoe County, not be a previous Winterama Queen and preferably still be attending school.

Wanted: old Christmas trees
Old Christmas trees are needed to create a fantasy land display outside the old Dominion store. If you have not thrown away your tree call Christine Rollinson at 549-8167. She can use it.

Midgets win

In a game played at the Penetanguishene arena Monday evening the Penetanguishene midget all star team beat Midland 4-3. Scoring for Penetanguishene were John St. Amant, Larry Cowan, Greg Arbour and Martin Quigley. Assists went to Mark Duquette, Brian Pilon, Kenny Cowan. The Midland markers were scored by Gerry Lalonde, Steve Clark and Bob Bray. Midland assists went to Tim Merkeley and Kirby Wagg.

Questioning PGH child care

The question of treating a child at the Penetanguishene General Hospital even if the child's doctor does not have privileges there was discussed at last Wednesday's meeting of the Simcoe County Board of Education.

The Board reviewed a report from the Board's French language advisory committee regarding the question of what happens if a child living in Midland attending Ecole Publique St. Joseph in Penetanguishene if injured is taken to Penetanguishene General Hospital.

It was pointed out by Elmvalle-Flos-Wasaga Beach trustee Mrs. Wendy MacKenzie that if the child's family doctor was a Midland doctor who did not have privileges at the Penetanguishene Hospital, the child would be seen at the hospital by the doctor who was on call at the time.

However, the child at no time would be refused treatment at the hospital.

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Signing for safety

Mayor Vince Moreau signs a contract on Monday morning which will provide for the erection of stop lights on Main and Poyntz Street by the first of March. The completed project will cost roughly \$13,000. Councillor Armand Charlebois who chaired the committee which worked on the project looks on. This was Charlebois' last official duty as a councillor. He retired with the swearing in of the 1975-76 council on Monday night. The stop lights on Main and Poyntz are meant to ease the outgoing traffic flow from the Poyntz Plaza.

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