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YORK CENTRAL HAS 23 ONTARIO SCHOLARS

Bayview Has 5, Langstaff 3 Over 80%



WENDY MOREHOUSE
Langstaff
8 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Morehouse, 108 Garden Avenue, Langstaff, Wendy attended Rawlinson Public School in Toronto and Richmond Hill High School for two years. She has been a student at Langstaff for three years, where she has taken a great interest in the school's library. Wendy does not yet know of her achievement since she returns this week from a visit in England. She will study modern languages at Victoria College, University of Toronto.

JO-ANNE NUGENT
Bayview
9 Firsts

Only child of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nugent, formerly of 401 Fernleigh Circle South, now of 505 Cummer Avenue, Willowdale, Jo-Anne attended Walter Scott Public School. She has been an honor student for all five years at Bayview Secondary School, as well as head prefect and editor of the year book in grade 12. Her interests also included intramural and extra-mural sports, being captain of the girls' basketball team. She will be attending York University, where she will major in English and History.



NORMAN COOPER
Bayview
7 Firsts

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cooper of 230 Altamira Road, Norman came to Richmond Hill from Sault Ste. Marie four years ago. In that northern city he had attended Sir James Dunn High School and has been an honor student at Bayview for the past four years. In the fall he will journey to Victoria where he will begin an engineering course at Royal Roads Military College.



PIJO MANINEN
(Langstaff) 9 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Toimi Maninen of 31 Vaughan Boulevard, Concord, came to Canada 15 years ago from Finland. She attended Concord Public School and Thornhill Secondary School for two years. She has been an honor student at Langstaff for the past three years. Next month she will be entering the pre-med course at the University of Toronto.



GERALDINE BRUCE
Bayview
10 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Bruce, 403 Allencourt Crescent, Geraldine began her schooling in Sault Ste. Marie. She has been an honor student for five years at Bayview Secondary School and also has achieved her grade 8 standing in music. She has been a school prefect, has played field hockey and was a member of the art club. She will attend Victoria College, University of Toronto, majoring in Latin and French.



EVELYN ENNOR
Langstaff
8 Firsts

Evelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ennor, 41 Boyle Drive, Langstaff. Because she is away on holidays, her plans for the future could not be ascertained.



GUY SNAITH
(Bayview) 9 Firsts

Only child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Snaith of 68 Rockport Crescent, Guy was born in England. He attended Walter Scott Public School and has been an honor student at Bayview for five years. His future plans were not determined since Guy is out of town at present.

Scott Tremaine Top Wins 7 Firsts, 94.2%

Grade 13 results received last week indicated that York Central District High Schools had 23 Ontario Scholars (with an average of 80% or over on seven papers) who will all receive a \$400 scholarship from the Province of Ontario. This represents 7% of York Central's enrolment as compared with the provincial average of 5% who won the scholarships. It also compares very favorably with the 8.1% of Metro students who achieved this level.

Tops in the York Central system was 17-year-old Thornhill Secondary School student Scott Tremaine, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. J.



SCOTT TREMAINE
Best in York Central

Tremaine, of Thornridge Drive, Thornhill.

With seven firsts, Scott achieved 94.2%. His lowest mark was in English—88, which counted for two papers. In Math B he received 98, in Math A, 97, and these two counted for three papers. He also obtained 97 in physics and 94 in chemistry.

In the same mail in which he received his results, Scott received a notice of acceptance from McMaster University in Hamilton and the offer of a scholarship of four years' free tuition, at present rates worth over \$2,000.

Scott's results were ploughed to him at Cobourg where he is putting in a five week stint as a counsellor at Ilalae Lodge, a camp for handicapped youngsters. He plans to accept the handsome offer from McMaster and will enter the general science course there, probably specializing in physics in his second year.

An honor student throughout his five years at Thornhill Secondary, Scott brought distinction to his school earlier this year when, topping the 1,220 students in the province who competed in a contest May 1, he won the \$250 Canadian Association of Physicists' prize.

Previous to that, he placed in the top 35 of the 5,000 Ontario students who competed in the 18th Annual International Mathematics Contest.

10% Get Top Awards At RHHS



CARL LUCAS
7 Firsts

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lucas of 108 Levensdale Road, Carl has lived in Richmond Hill for 10 years and attended MacKillop Public School. He has been a Richmond Hill High School honor student for five years. Fortunately he has completely recovered from serious injuries which required surgery, suffered in a car crash during a visit to Expo early this summer. He will be attending the University of Toronto where he will study chemical engineering.

Other first class honor students at Richmond Hill High School were Dennis Paxton, Louise Monks, Lynda Hayes, Linda Diceman, Hille Schmier.



LOREN GORDON
7 Firsts

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Gordon, 216 Church Street South, Loren was not available for further details.



EVE HARWOOD
8 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Harwood, 83 Richmond Street, Eve attended McCoughey and MacKillop Public Schools and has been an honor student at Richmond Hill High for five years. She was president of the student council and active in the library, drama and film clubs. Besides this she has been working toward her ARCT and this year passed her piano examinations, requiring only one theory subject to complete the requirements. She has not yet decided which university she will attend but plans to specialize in audio-visual teaching.



BRENDA FIRMAN
7 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Firman, 399 Brownvale Crescent, Brenda could not be reached for details about her scholastic career and future plans.



URSULA SOLICH
7 Firsts

Born in Germany, Ursula is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Solich of 283 McCouvey Drive. She came to Canada at the age of five and attended Beverley Acres Public School, Bayview Secondary and Richmond Hill High School, where she has always been a hard working honor student. She will attend the University of Waterloo, specializing in modern languages.



JOHN CAMPBELL
7 Firsts

Son of William Campbell, science teacher at Richmond Hill High School, and Mrs. Campbell, of 70 Powell Street, John attended MacKillop Public School. He has been an honor student at Richmond Hill High for five years and participated in the Outdoors Club as well as in intramural sports, particularly football and basketball. He will be studying engineering science at the University of Toronto.

Carruthers Drowning

Authorities Implement Majority Jury's Findings

At a joint special meeting of Richmond Hill Town Council and the recreation committee held Monday evening those present made a detailed point by point study of the coroner's jury's recommendations on the accidental drowning of Daniel Carruthers. An eight year old resident of Beverley Acres the Carruthers boy drowned at the Centennial Pool on July 8.

The meeting was presided over by Acting Mayor Donald Plaxton in the absence of Mayor Thomas Broadhurst who is on vacation. In addition to discussing the 14 recommendations contained in Dr. B. W. Granton's report the meeting also met Pool Manager Paul Wilson and Assistant Manager Jim Glover, and made a tour of the pool.

At the close of the meeting Mr. Plaxton released the following public statement:

"The council and recreation committee of Richmond Hill have discussed all aspects of the recommendations of the coroner's jury in connection with the tragic death of Daniel Carruthers on July 8. Discussions were held with the pool manager and an inspection made of the pool.

"All the material and facts were carefully evaluated by the committee of council. As a result the council and recreation committee have insisted on immediate implementation of all but two of the recommendations and these will be considered before the 1968 season commences.

"It should be pointed out that the Centennial Pool has all the safety equipment required by the York County Health Unit and many of the jury's recommendations have always been in force at the pool.

"Nevertheless it is the concern and objective of the town council and recreation committee to maintain a maximum safety standard for our pool and we do appreciate the efforts of the jury in their deliberation.

"The pool will continue to serve the people of Richmond Hill in both recreation and also as an excellent place to learn to swim."

The two recommendations that will be considered before next season pertain to staff and changing the color of the interior of the pool.

9 Winners At Thornhill S.S.



HEATHER M. BARRETT
8 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barrett of 159 Chestnut Road, Heather attended Powell Road Public School and Thornhill Secondary School, where she has been an honor student in all five years. She was also a member of the Nutlets, a school folk singing group. This fall Heather will enter Trent University where she will major in languages.



JULIA ROBINSON
8 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson of 30 Johnson Avenue, Thornhill, Julia attended Woodland Public School and has been an honor student for five years at Thornhill Secondary School. She also was a member of the Nutlet group with which she sang and played guitar. She will study Honor English at McMaster University, Hamilton.



HEATHER HAWKE
7 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hawke, 83 Babcombe Drive, Thornhill, Heather entered Thornhill Secondary School on October 1, 1966. She attended public school in Ottawa and was an honor student at Ridgeway High School in that city for four years. She will be returning to her home city to study for a Bachelor of Science degree at Carleton University.



PAMELA HERON
7 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Heron, 11 Oakbank Road, Thornhill, Pamela received her elementary education at Thornhill Public School and her secondary at Thornhill Secondary School, where she has been an honor student. She also participated in basketball and was a member of the school orchestra. In the autumn she will enter the University of Waterloo to study applied chemistry.



ROBERT TROW
7 Firsts

Son of Mr. and Mrs. William Trow of 21 Thorbank Road, Thornhill, Robert attended Rodding Street Public School in Downsview and has been a five year honor student at Thornhill Secondary. He also played in the school's orchestra. He will be studying Honor English at the University of Toronto.



CHARLENE GANNAGE
7 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Gannage, 7 Courtham Avenue, Willowdale, Charlene received her elementary education and one year of secondary education in Detroit. She has attended Thornhill Secondary School for the past four years and was the school's prom queen in 1966 and 1967. She will be majoring in philosophy and sociology at St. Michael's College, University of Toronto.



JOANNE GREEN
7 Firsts

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Green, 87 Woodward Ave. Highland Park, Joanne has attended school in five Canadian provinces — Manitoba, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Alberta and Ontario. Coming east from Edmonton she attended Northmount Junior High School in grade 9 and for the last four years has been an honor student at Thornhill Secondary School. She worked on the year book and was secretary of BOSS as well as being a member of the senior cheer leaders. She will study for the degree of Bachelor of Science of Nursing at McMaster University, from which she has received a four year scholarship.

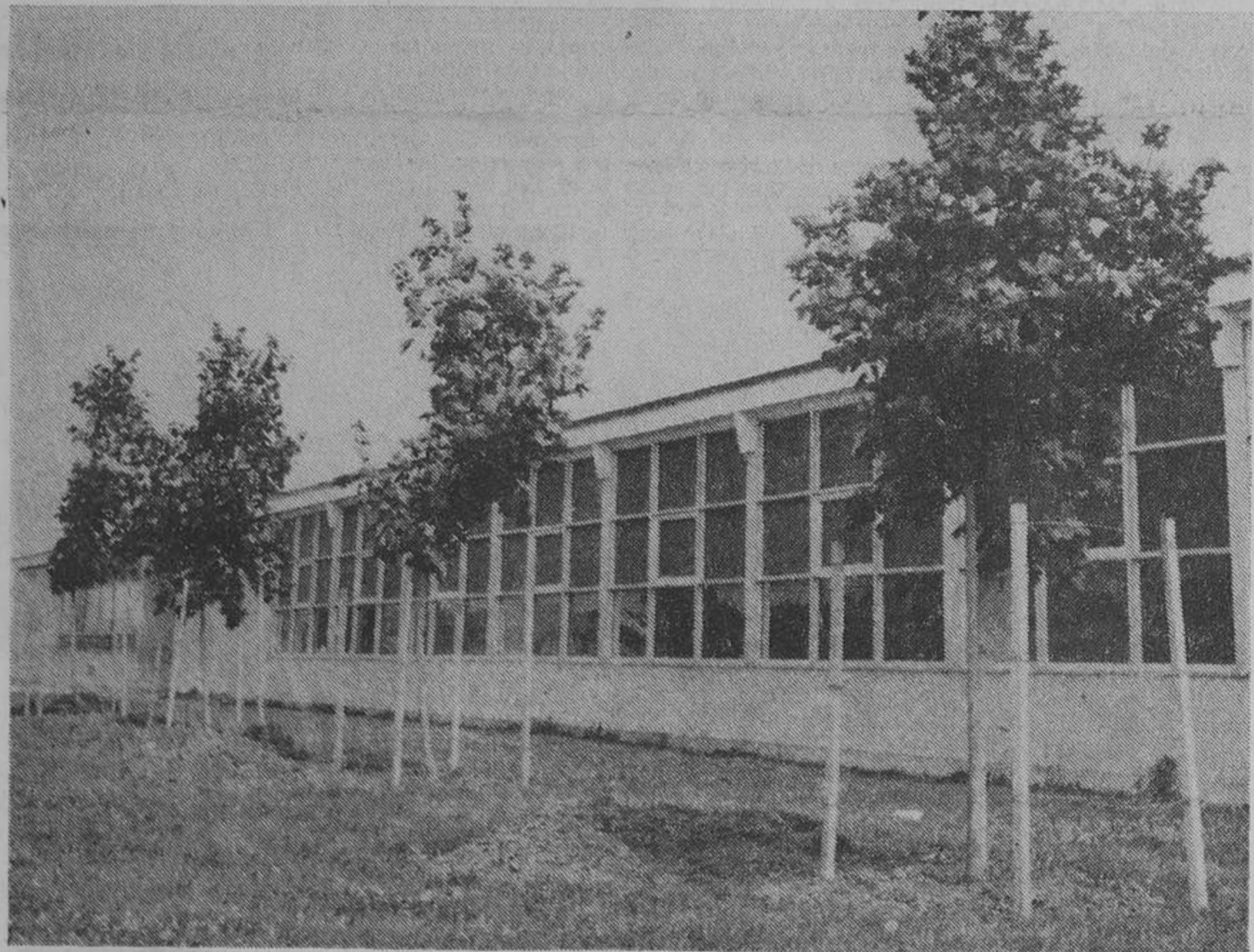


JEFFREY COLEMAN
7 Firsts

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Coleman, of 408 Highway 7 East, Langstaff, Jeffrey attended the former Thornlea Public School (now the Montessori School) and Thornhill Secondary School. Besides being a top student and winning several awards, he was president of the Board of Student Senators and took an active part in sports, particularly basketball. He also was a member of the Nutlets, and is a keen scuba diver. Jeffrey has not yet decided which university he will be entering next month.

Dynes Win At CNE

Richmond Hill Dynes Jewellers exploded for a 10-5 victory over Toronto Plating Tuesday night in the CNE Centennial Bulova Watch Fastball Tournament. The Jewellers next game in the one-game knockout tournament will be this Saturday at 7:15 p.m. Opponents will be J & M Sports comprising players from the former Richmond Hill Tom Hughes Shell fastball squad.



(Photo by Stuart's Studio)

Only two days after the four trees in the above picture were firmly planted in front of Beverley Acres Public School, they were stripped of bark and the protective stakes pulled down and broken.

However, it is believed the trees will survive the vandalism and the above picture shows the Norway maples after corrective treatment had been done and the stakes replaced.

In future years (if allowed to grow by the young people) these trees should be a beautiful reminder of the Centennial year.

Hardy Norway Maples Survive Vandalism

By JIM IRVING

Dutch Elm disease is the least of the worries of Richmond Hill Public School Board where its tree-planting scheme is concerned.

Six-year-old Kevin Reesor drowned Monday night in a stream near his home at Dixons Hill. The stream runs under Old Highway 48 in Markham Township.

The youngster, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Reesor of RR 1 Markham, was apparently playing by himself near the stream when he toppled in.

Markham Township Police said the body was discovered around 10:30 by Mr. Reesor upon returning from work.

The victim is survived by his mother and father and two brothers and a sister.

Investigating Constable Robert Burbidge said no further details on how the accident happened are immediately available.

An autopsy report has been ordered.

The big blight on trees, at least in the Beverley Acres School grounds, has been vandalism, much more devastating and far quicker than any botanical scourge.

Last week it took only a couple of days to put four 15-18 foot Norway maples out of condition at Beverley Acres, where they had been planted along the front end of the school.

The trees were stripped of their bark and the protective stakes around them were pulled down and broken, the result of vandalism. Somehow or other, though, the vandals left another 10 maples on the south side and three Australian pines in the south-west corner, untouched. (Cost of the trees is \$150 each.)

Vandalism in such matters at Beverley Acres is old stuff, however. Kenneth Turton, business administrator for the school board, said that four years ago 700 trees were planted around the school by the students after they had first been given an inspirational talk on their beauty and value by a member of the Department of Lands and Forests.

A few days later they had all been pulled out.

Three years ago 53 poplars were planted in front of hydro poles separating Beverley Acres from the separate school next door. They, too, disappeared within a month.

This week, two juveniles, 11 and 13, will appear in juvenile court in Newmarket on charges of creating malicious damage by throwing some concrete blocks through windows at the north end of the school.

The two juveniles are both girls. Despite the heavy tree damage, however, Mr. Turton said there had been relatively little damage at the other schools throughout the summer. He said the most severe bit of vandalism occurred at the new Crosby Heights Senior School addition, where panes in the west end doorways were smashed in and had to be boarded up.

In fact, Mr. Turton said, they may just be left that way to discourage a repetition, as "the summer's not over yet."

He said that several years ago when the schools went through a relatively calm summer and were all cleaned up awaiting re-opening vandals visited Crosby Heights on Labor Day and destroyed \$279 worth of windows.

"We're keeping our fingers crossed," said Mr. Turton. Labor Day, it seems, is a busy day for vandals.

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