



Police blotter — burglar covers wakened Thornhill girl, 14

A 14-year-old Thornhill girl had her sleep disrupted in the early hours of May 25 by an intruder who, however, left without taking anything.

Police said the girl, who was asleep on a couch in her Henderson Avenue home, was awakened by a man who covered her with a blanket and told her not to say anything.

After looking around, the man then left by the back door.

Rifle intruder

An intruder also made his presence felt at the home of Warren Pennie of Con-

cession 6, Kleinburg. Police said a man called around at the Pennie residence, about 1 a.m., May 26, and asked for "Garth". When told there was no one there by that name, he produced a rifle and said he would return to shoot the home owner.

Vaughan shooting

Sometime during the evening of May 24 and the morning of May 25, someone shot holes in the side of a building owned by Mr. Pennie on Concession 10, south of the King-Vaughan line. The building was also ransacked, but nothing was taken.

Police found some spent 30.30 shells and 16 gauge cartridges at the scene.

Sports thieves

Golf and tennis clubs were also popular with other than the players over the weekend.

At Richmond Hill Lawn Tennis Club, Crosby Avenue, thieves removed shingles from the roof of the clubhouse, damaged the air vent, and then littered the floor of the club with paper napkins and cleaning sprays.

Damage amounted to \$50.

Meanwhile over at Glen Shield Golf Club, 7400 Dufferin Street in Thornhill, a thief broke into the locker of Karl Zigelsteen, of

Willowdale and stole a diamond ring and \$350 in cash.

Total loss was estimated at \$2,835.

Legion hit

Not even the Royal Canadian Legion clubhouse on Ohio Road in Richmond Hill was immune.

A \$125 rug was yanked from the front lobby.

One of the heaviest hit homes in the area was that of Bruno Quattrin, 3411

Kirby Side Road, Maple.

Taken from the latter in a break-in May 22 was a quantity of jewelry and household articles, valued at \$11,000.

Other occurrences

Other occurrences in the area included the following:

In Richmond Hill — a snowblower valued at \$325, taken from a shed at the rear of the home of Angelo De Angelis, South Taylor Mills Drive; tools, battery charger, amplifier and tuner, valued at \$300, from an unlocked garage at the home of Glen Woods, Cascade Circle; Chris Gleave, Langstaff Road, reported the theft of \$15 from

his home while he was away on the weekend.

In Thornhill — three sets of coins were taken and a table was broken at the home of John Cannane, Riverside Boulevard, for a total loss of \$325; Ernest Chiasson, 7471 Yonge Street, had \$300 worth of fishing equipment taken from his locker, sometime in the last six months.

Arrow Steel Erectors, Rayette Drive, Vaughan, lost \$1,300 in equipment, which included various cables and cutting torches; Dale Metal Spring Company, Guardsman Drive, Markham, was relieved of 30 steel plates and two engines valued at \$2,300; Double

Rinks Arena, Jane Street and Highway 7 in Concord, was robbed of \$200 during a 15-minute absence of employees from the office.

Cattle rustling There was even some cattle rustling.

The latter took place at the

farm of Wayne Patterson, RR 1, Unionville, who lost three Hereford purebred heifers, and three steers from a field on Concession 7, north of 19th Avenue in Whitchurch-Stouffville.

Estimated value was \$1,800.

\$7,000 Woodbridge house theft

Thieves who visited the residence of Richard Phillips, 30 Monshen Drive, Woodbridge, last week, didn't even bother to bring their own bags to pick up the loot.

Or maybe they didn't expect to find as much as

they did. Whatever the reason, after emptying the house of \$7,000 in various articles, they stole some sheets from the linen closet to wrap their booty in.

Kidnapped and left unconscious

York Regional Police are investigating a kidnapping in Newmarket, which may have been the result of a vendetta.

Kidnapped and severely

beaten was Michael Bamford, 18, of Handley Crescent, Newmarket, who police said had been the complainant earlier in the year in a theft case.

Bamford was accosted by three people on Main Street in Newmarket, May 22, about 9:30 pm, and bundled into a waiting van.

The trio drove to the provincial courthouse parking lot, where one of them threatened to kill the abductee.

Bamford was then assaulted several times, driven to a remote area and assaulted again. He was also threatened with a knife if any more charges were laid.

He was then beaten again and left unconscious by the side of the road.

From there, Bamford crawled to a house and got help, police said. He was taken to York County Hospital for observation.

Facing charges of kidnapping and assault occasioning bodily harm are, Reginald Harris, 16, of Queensville Side Road; Daniel Harris, 21, of Davis Drive and David Walker, 21, both of Newmarket.

Woman killed, police seek hit-run driver

Ontario Provincial Police are seeking the driver of a brown station wagon that left the scene of an accident where a Thornhill woman was killed on Saturday.

The woman's son and two Richmond Hill residents were also injured in the accident and were in satisfactory condition in Guelph General Hospital Tuesday.

An OPP spokesman said a Ford Country Squire car driven by a man, described as heavyset, with short hair and possibly balding, side-swiped another car as it tried to pass between two cars eastbound on Highway 401, four miles east of Guelph.

Patricia Martin, 45, of Steeles Avenue was dead on arrival at hospital after the car in which she was a passenger flipped over twice into a ditch.

Injured were the driver, Michael Martin, 24, of the same address, Ronald and Christine Ribbons of 216 Anzac Rd., Richmond Hill. The station wagon's left rear bumper was damaged. Anyone seeing the car is asked to call the OPP.

A spokesman at Guelph General Hospital said the Ribbons and Michael Martin

might be transferred today to York Central Hospital in Richmond Hill.

Only Metro expansion to be into Lake Ontario

The only direction Metropolitan Toronto can expand is south into the lake, Ontario Premier William Davis told a group of Metro area municipal politicians Friday.

The question of Metro boundaries was raised by Markham Councillor Walter Grieve at an information session on the Parkway Belt West.

He asked Ontario Treasurer Darcy McKeough if the Parkway Belt plan may have established in advance of a report by the Robarts Commission the outer limits of Metro.

McKeough said the Metro boundary will not move north

of Steeles Avenue, as has been suggested by North York in a brief to the commission.

Premier Davis then said Metro would not expand west, someone called out it would not expand east and Davis added it could expand south into the lake if officials want.

His last comment was greeted with laughter.

Recently Pickering council voted to seek admission into Metro, instead of Durham Region.

But politicians in York Region have for several years feared the loss of lands south of the Parkway Belt because this area is the principle source of industrial tax revenue.

Gustar, Lewis are NDP York North nominees

Wally Gustar or Bob Lewis, both former NDP candidates, will contest the seat to seek the York North seat at Queen's Park for the NDP.

Both Gustar and Lewis were nominated from the floor at the riding association's general membership meeting held in Vandorf Hall Monday.

The contest is still open, since more nominees could come forward, but the issue will be decided at a general membership meeting in Nobleton, scheduled for Monday, June 23.

Wally Gustar represented the NDP in the last federal election.

Student at York
An employee relations officer for Canadian National now working on his master's degree part time at York University, he has recently moved to the Bradford area from Richmond Hill.

Bob Lewis ran for the NDP in the last provincial election, placing second behind incumbent Bill Hodgson for the Conservatives.

Lewis has been a councillor in Whitchurch-Stouffville and leader in

various citizen actions concerning the environment. He is an employee of IBM and a resident of the Stouffville area.

Federal leadership

In anticipation of the July federal NDP leadership convention in Winnipeg, a majority at the general meeting expressed a preference for candidate Rosemary Brown.

Brown, a member of the legislature in British Columbia, will oppose federal MPs Ed Broadbent and Lorne Nyström as well as former MP and university professor John Harney.



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This brings up the question of where to start in planning a room. I would think that the first thoughts should be to the style and size of the room itself. If the room is small and fairly well crowded as to doors and windows and so forth, then perhaps a simple styling would make the room seem larger and more comfortable. But with today's styles and materials, almost anything is possible. Remember that you plan a room to live in for a number of years, so be sure that you think and choose wisely.

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