

York Regional Police News

HITCH-HIKER'S NIGHTMARE

On January 21 between 4 a.m. and 5 a.m., a 15-year-old female accepted a ride at Yonge and Bloor Streets in Toronto and was driven by three men to Pine Valley Drive and Rutherford Road in Vaughan.

She was then raped by the men, driven back to Shoreham Road and Jane Street in Downsview and dropped off.

The suspects, who fled in two cars are described as follows: 1) male, Italian, 5' 9" tall with a bushy moustache, wearing a camel-colored three-piece pinstriped suit; 2) male, Italian, 32 years old, 5' 7" tall, having dark brown hair and a goatee beard and wearing a checkered, medium-length coat and black shoes; 3) male, Italian, 5' 1" tall, 45-46 years old, wearing a light blue suit and leather jacket. He does not speak English.

The two get-away vehicles are described as a red, 1975 Pontiac Laurentian and another red Laurentian having two lights mounted on the hood near the windshield and bucket seats with blue fur seat covers. It is also believed to be a 1975 model.

WRONG PLACE AT WRONG TIME

On January 6 at about 2 a.m. while Robert J. McCullough of Ruggles Avenue in Richmond Hill was standing in the McDonald's parking lot watching two men fight, one of the combatants assaulted him.

He was punched and kicked in the mouth, losing several teeth in the fracas. On January 21, police arrested Roy Cecil Lelecheur, 21, of Elka Drive in Richmond Hill for assault causing bodily harm. He was released for a court appearance on February 12.

VROOM GONE FROM HIS CAR

Between January 16 at 6 p.m. and January 17 at 10 a.m. a car belonging to Henry Vroom was

parked at Islington Toyota in Woodbridge. During that time, someone came by and stripped its hood, air cleaner assembly and radio. The items were worth \$400.

COIN MACHINES THEIR TARGET

During the months of October and November, 1978, a man forced open a machine belonging to Atlas Coin Machines Limited, which was located at the Newkirk Bowling Alley. He stole a quantity of money. Also during that time, two other men picked open a machine at the Black Hawk Motor Inn; it belongs to Ike Christolou of Scarborough. They eventually broke it and stole a sum of money.

Arrested for theft over \$200 and possession over \$200 was Shawn Darrell Mackay, 17, of Yonge Street in Richmond Hill. Charged with theft over \$200 were James George Downing, 16, of Kemano Road in Aurora and Dave James Corless, 26, of Elgin Mills Road in Richmond Hill.

All three men were released for a court appearance on February 12.

CACHE OF FURS

Between January 5 at 10 a.m. and January 8 at 1 p.m. entry was gained to the home of Kurt D. Schickendanz on Glenbourne Park Drive in Unionville. After a north side door was forced open, thieves stole a portable television, quantities of furs, luggage and camera equipment all worth \$10,000.

DEFENSELESS IN THE DRESSING ROOM

While a hockey team coached by Jack Major of Wenlock Avenue in Richmond Hill, was playing at the Richmond Hill Arena on Church Street between 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. on January 21, entry was gained to the dressing room. Stolen were several wallets and other personal property from clothing left in the room. The articles were worth \$250.

Suspects are described as: 1) male, white, 5' 5"-5' 6", 14-18 years old, having bushy hair and a slim build, wearing a blue and red jacket; 2) male, white, 14-18 years old, 5' 10" tall, having a slim build and bushy hair. He was wearing blue jeans and a dark jacket.

HOUSE RAIDED FOR FIXTURES

A house belonging to Maril Zeppieri of Rustic Road, Toronto, was broken into on Pine Valley Drive in Woodbridge. Between January 14 at 3 p.m. and January 16 at 9 a.m. a west-side window was smashed to get inside.

Stolen were 10 brass chandeliers, six brass light fixtures and a number of velvet and sheer drapes all worth \$15,000.

FAULTY WIRING STARTS FIRE

Faulty wiring is believed to be the cause of a fire that started in the upstairs bathroom of a home belonging to Ellen Brittan, R.R. 1, Gormley. The Aurora Fire Department attended the scene and extinguished the flames which began at about 7 p.m. on January 18.

Structural and smoke damage amounted to \$1,500.

COIN COLLECTION STOLEN

At about 1:30 p.m. on January 12, two men forcibly entered the home of Rex Hunter on Pleasant Valley Drive in Thornhill. After breaking a window at the rear of the house, they stole a coin collection worth \$2,500.

Charged with break, enter and theft and possession of goods over \$200 were Shahram Haghighi, 18, of Pennard Court in Willowdale and Jeffrey Grigsby, 17, of the same address. A 14-year-old juvenile was arrested for giving information and assistance that enabled the two suspects to commit the act.

The same two men were summonsed to juvenile court for a February 7 hearing on a charge of contributing to juvenile delinquency. They are alleged to have harbored a 15-year-old female for four days when she was reported missing by her parents.

The men were held in custody for a show cause hearing on January 17 on the two previous charges.

THE TOWN OF VAUGHAN 1979 ELDERLY HOMEOWNERS' TAX ASSISTANCE PROGRAMME

To provide financial assistance to elderly homeowners. The Town of Vaughan Council has authorized the Treasurer to allow certain owners of residential property a credit of \$100.00 against the 1979 taxes imposed on such real property subject to the following qualifications:

TO QUALIFY, THE OWNER OR SPOUSE OF THE OWNER MUST:

- Be 65 years of age or more by February 28, 1979 which is the last day for filing applications.
- Be in receipt of the monthly GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT provided under the Old Age Security Act (Canada).
- Occupy the property on which the municipal taxes are imposed and:
- Have been continuously assessed as the owner of such residential real property in the Town of Vaughan for not less than 5 years immediately preceding February 28, 1979.

If you qualify for this assistance and have not received an application form TELEPHONE S.T. JONES AT THE TOWN OFFICE, 832-2281, and an application form will be mailed to you.

Application must be made each year for this assistance. This credit, where allowed, will be an outright grant made by the Town and will not entail repayment of any kind.

For further information or assistance, telephone S.T. Jones, Deputy-Treasurer.

H.C. BURKHOLDER
TREASURER

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York drops opposition

York Regional staff was forced to drop its opposition to a severance of three acres from a 102-acre parcel Thursday after hearing a hard-luck story from a Vaughan farmer.

John Kersey is attempting to farm land that has been in his family for three generations while living in a trailer with his wife, mother and three younger brothers and sisters.

The only house on the property burned and so did the house where the family has lived which was separated from the farm when the route of Highway 50 was changed.

Mr. Kersey's father died, leaving the farm with an executor who would not go ahead with plans to build a new house. But the estate would allow the younger Kersey a severance to build one.

King Mayor Margaret Britnell said that councillors were hearing the

story all the time about building houses for sons to work on the farm and the next thing they knew, the house was sold.

But Vaughan Mayor Garnet Williams said Mr. Kersey was in fact trying to farm the property. The severance was recom-

mended by Vaughan council, and approved by the regional land division committee.

Council considered sending the matter back to the planning committee for another hearing, but Georgina Mayor Joe Dales per-

suaded his fellow councillors to deal with it and drop the severance.

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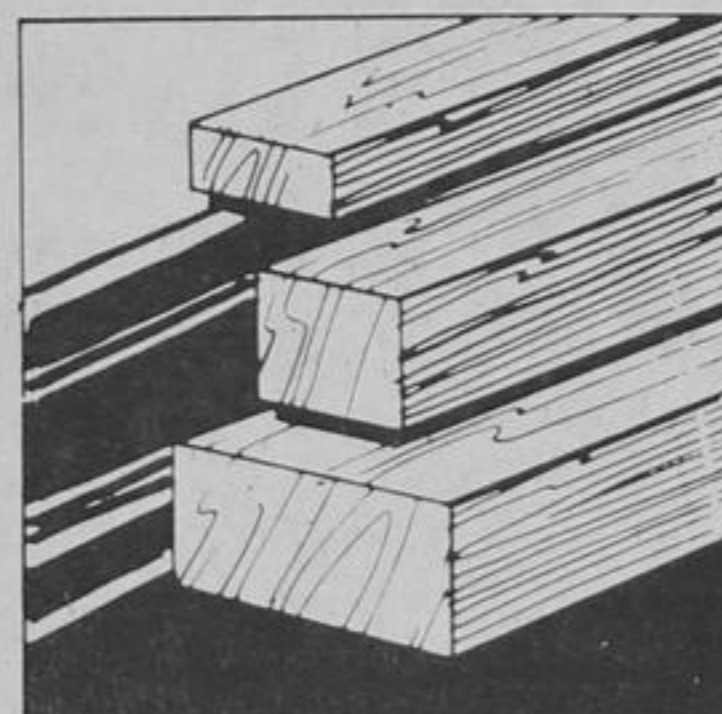
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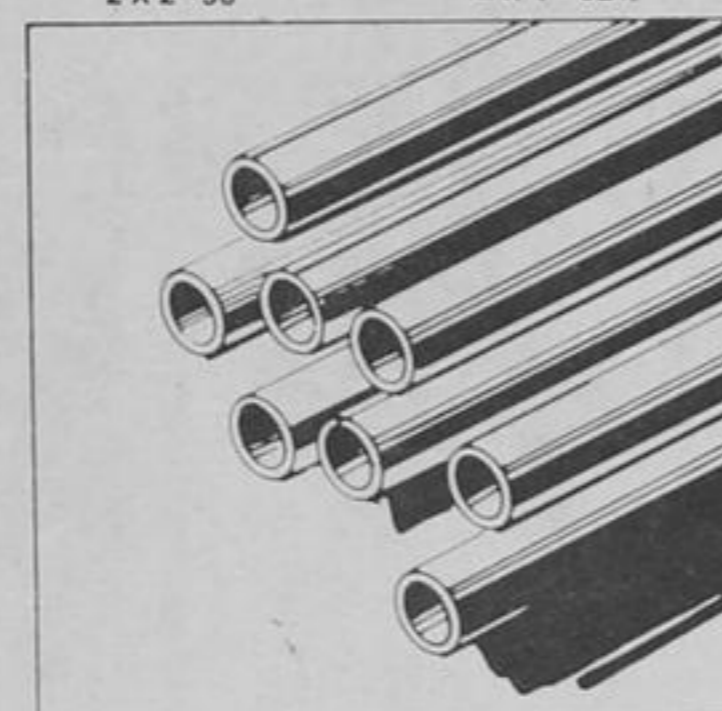


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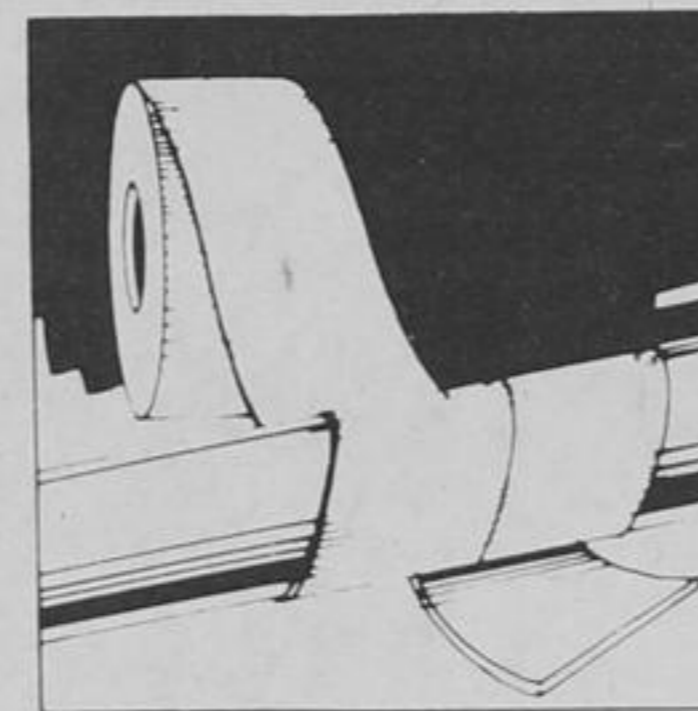


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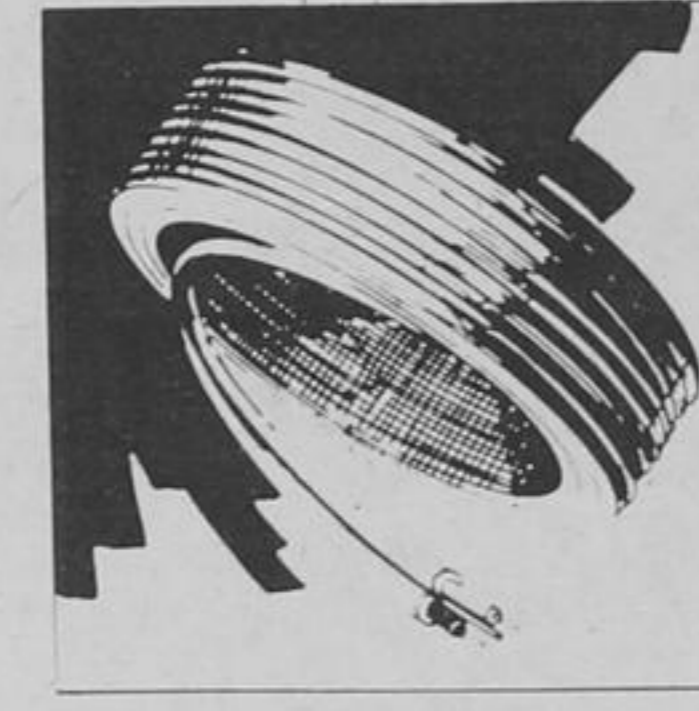


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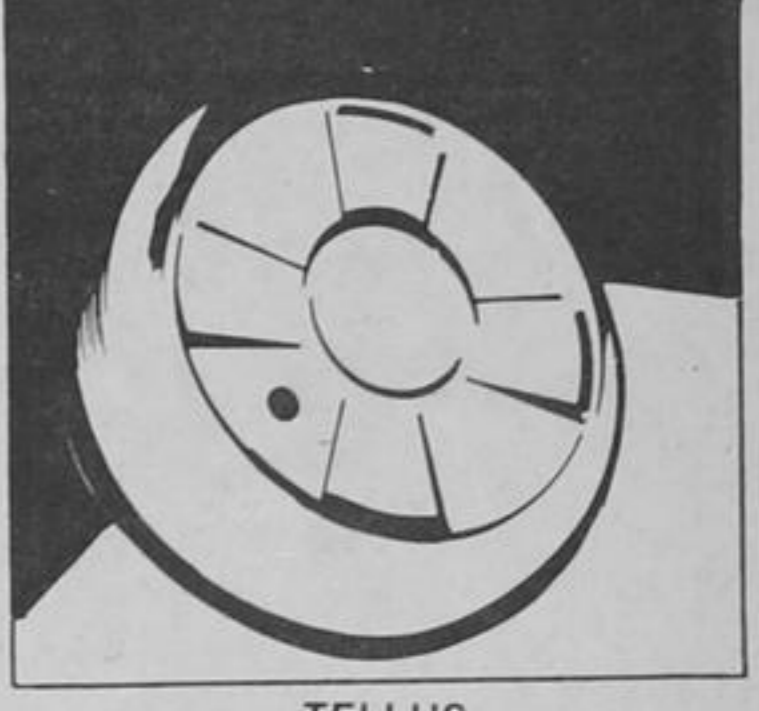


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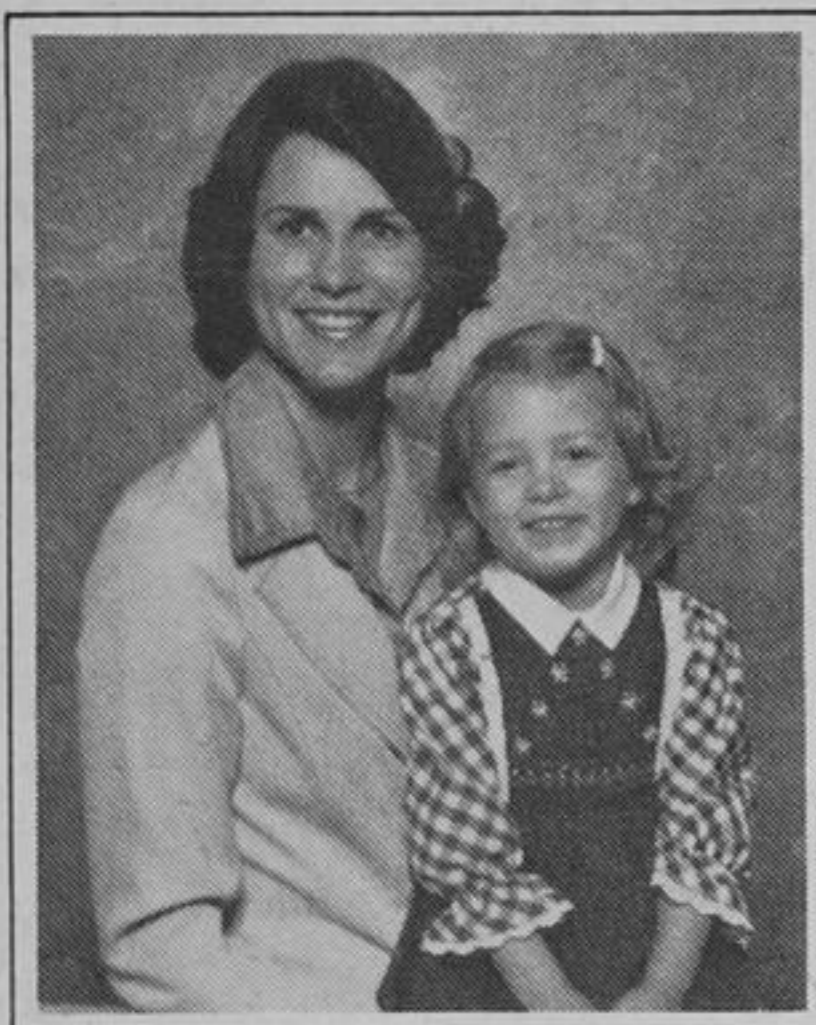
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