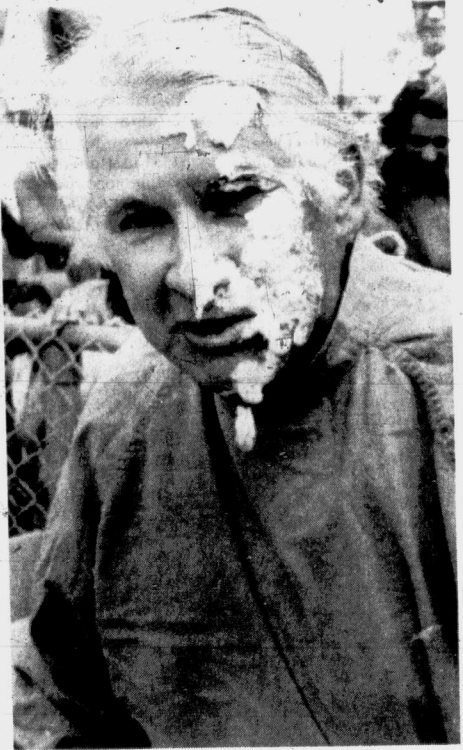


Fun times

Dixie Quality Foods at 1607 Dundas St. E. in Mississauga held a celebration on Saturday to mark their 66th year in business. For the children there was an apple-dunking contest and a visit by Mickey Mouse. There was also ethnic folk-dancing, music by the Dixie Belles and free soft-drinks and hotdogs. One of the highlights of the celebration was a pie-throwing contest. Among those taking part was Times advertising manager Fay Taylor, who, in picture at right is taking aim. Mississauga Mayor Ron Searle (far right) was a recipient of one of the pies.



Photos by Gorm Larsen



School board wants higher drinking age

By GREG SNOW
A coroner's inquest into the death of a 17-year-old boy who fell from an apartment balcony in an alcohol-related incident has caused Peel Board of Education to take a stronger stand in favor of increasing Ontario's legal drinking age.

The board has approved a double-edged recommendation by the coroner calling for the provincial government to raise the drinking age to 21 and to ban all ads promoting sale of alcohol.

Exactly one year ago, the board sent a letter to Premier Davis asking that the drinking age be raised to 20, primarily to put drinking beyond the legal

reach of high school students.

"We're always told that if 18-year-olds are old enough to fight and vote then they are old enough to drink. Well, if that's the case, let's raise the voting and fighting age to 21 as well," said Trustee Margaret Marland.

"I don't think 18-year-olds are in the position to make decisions for themselves, their province or their nation," she added.

Brampton Trustee Archie Gould described the issue as a "motherhood issue" and said raising the age wouldn't make any difference.

"Regardless of what the age is, it won't make one iota of difference, except it

changes the number of people who will be breaking the law. A lot of kids can get alcohol now at 16 or get a friend to get it for them," Gould said.

Trustee Tony Aston also said it was a "motherhood issue," adding he thought it was difficult for parents to tell their children to do something "when they insist on doing it themselves."

Ward 3 Trustee Robert Skipper, however, suggested that it was not a "motherhood issue," but an education dilemma.

"I think there are real problems in our high schools because the drinking age is as low as it is and we're not going to solve these problems until the age is raised," Skipper, a high school

vice-principal in Etobicoke, said he knew of schools which were unable to hold formal dances because the students had requested a bar which was impossible because some in attendance would be under age.

Bill Kent said he thought that the legal drinking age of 18 was wrong, but he wasn't sure that 21 was right either. He described as sensible a report by Mississauga

North MPP Terry Jones which, among other things, recommended that the drinking age be raised to 19.

If that were done, the report estimates that 97 per cent of all high school students would not be eligible to drink legally.

The coroner's recommendation to request the elimination of all alcohol advertising was passed by the board without comment.

Charge man following gun incident

A man, who apparently intended to defend his car from break-ins by guarding it with a shotgun, was arrested Thursday night after a neighbor called police.

Officers responded to a call that a man was seen standing with a shotgun beside a car parked near 1855 Silver Spear Rd. Detectives and the Peel police tactical unit were called to the scene.

Detective Jack Webster saw the man leave the parking lot and enter the apartment lobby. He followed the man and arrested him on the eighth floor of the building.

Police learned the man had become frustrated by a break-in to his car and had decided to guard it personally.

Charged with possession of a dangerous weapon is Kevin Ball, 20, of 1355 Silver Spear Rd.

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NOTE: For further information please contact Mr. Jim Glenny, Ministry of Government Services, Toronto, Telephone (416) 965-2040.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DESIGNATE

Take notice that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Mississauga on the 13th day of June, 1977, decided to designate the lands and buildings, known as the Lewis Bradley Pioneer Museum located on the South Side of Orr Road, West of Meadowwood Road (Part of Lot 28, Conc. 3, S.D.S.) as a property of historical value or interest under The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974, S.O. Chapter 122.

SHORT STATEMENT OF THE REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED DESIGNATION:

The Lewis Bradley Pioneer Museum is recommended for designation on the architectural grounds that it is a well-preserved example of a salt-box style farmhouse. This simple gable structure with its roof-line extension represents the settler's second home. The historical grounds for designation are that it was built by Lewis Bradley, a United Empire Loyalist. He received the title to the Crown Grant in 1811, but did not build this house until c. 1830. He is representative of many early settlers in the Clarkson area.

Notice of objection to the designation may be served on the Clerk within thirty days of June 22, 1977.

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