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Police Surprise Suspect Breaking into an LCBO

Officers surprised a 31-year-old male who had broken in an LCBO store. On Friday, April 13, 2018, at approximately 1:14 a.m., officers responded to an alarm call for the LCBO on Gilbert Street West in Whitby. A male was found inside the store attempting to steal bottles of alcohol. He was arrested without incident.

Joshua CURLEW, age 31 of Oshawa, is charged with Break and Enter Commit and Fail to Comply with Probation. He was held for a bail hearing

Male Stabbed in Oshawa

Investigators have made an arrest for a stabbing in Oshawa in February. On April 10, 2018, Christopher ALLAN, age 39, of Albert Street in Oshawa was arrested and is charged with: Aggravated Assault; Weapons Dangerous; Fail to Comply with Recognizance and Assault with a Weapon. He was held for a bail hearing. Employer in Whitby Charged with Sexual Assault

An employer in Whitby is facing numerous charges of sexual assault after victims came forward to police.

On Thursday, April 12, 2018, the two female victims contacted police regarding incidents of sexual assault by their employer at a Whitby restaurant. The incidents took place between June, 2015 to April, 2018. The accused owns a restaurant in Whitby and the investigators want to ensure there are no further victims.

Cameron MCGEE, age 34, of Burns Street West in Whitby has been charged with Sexual Assault x7 and Forcible Confinement x2. He was held for a bail hearing.

Student Arrested After Threats Made in Uxbridge

A teen is facing charges in connection with threats relating to Uxbridge Secondary School earlier this week.

On Wednesday April 11, 2018, at approximately 11:20 a.m., police were called to Uxbridge Secondary School for reports of a student who made threats relating to the school via text messaging. The threats were determined to be unsubstantiated and there were no safety con-

cerns. A student at the school was arrested and charged.

A 17-year-old male is charged with Utter Threats and Mischief.

Cannabis Store in Whitby Raided Again

An illegal cannabis store in downtown Whitby has been raided for the fourth time in the past year.

On Tuesday, March 27, 2018, members of the Central West Division Community Response Unit (CRU) executed a search warrant at the Cannastop store on Dundas Street East in Whitby. Eight people were arrested and a large quantity of marijuana, marijuana products and approximately \$30,000 in cash were seized. Of the eight people arrested, five were later charged with Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking and Possession of the Proceeds of Crime Under \$5,000. All five were held for bail hearings.

Physiotherapist in Whitby Charged with Sexual Assault

A physiotherapist working in Whitby has been charged with sexual assault after a 17-year-old female client complained about being touched inappropriately. On Thursday, March 22, 2018, the 17-year-old victim and her family contacted police regarding two incidents

at the same Whitby clinic in 2018, involving the same physiotherapist.

The DRPS Sexual Assault Unit conducted an investigation and arrested the accused on March 28, 2018. The accused has also worked in the Etobicoke, Scarborough and Markham area as a physiotherapist.

and Possession of a Controlled Substance x2 (cocaine/marihuana).

Suspect Arrested After Series of Break and Enters

The male arrested for a series of break and enters earlier this year is facing more charges after he breached a condition of his release and

Break and Enter x6; Possession of Stolen Property x4; Mischief; Fail to Comply with Recognizance x2; Dangerous Operation of a Motor Vehicle; Escape Lawful Custody; Fail to Remain at the Scene of a Collision; and Fail to Report a Collision.

Three People Charged with Stunt Driving in Less than 48 Hours

North Division officers laid stunt driving charges in three separate incidents in less than 48 hours.

The first incident occurred on Tuesday, March 6, 2018 at 9:51 p.m., in the area of Highway 7A and Island Road in Scugog. A vehicle was clocked travelling 138 km/hr in an 80 km/hr zone.

On Wednesday, March 7, 2018, at 12:50 a.m., a vehicle was found travelling 140 km/hr in an 80 km/hr zone in the area of Lakeridge Road and Medd Road in Scugog. This driver was also charged when found in possession of marijuana.

On Thursday, March 8, 2018, at 2:06 p.m., in the area of Regional Road 21 and Mast Road in Scugog, a vehicle was found to be travelling 152km/hr in an 80km/hr zone. All three of these drivers had their licenses suspended and their vehicles impounded for seven days under the stunt driving legislation in the Highway Traffic Act.

Police would like to remind drivers to slow down and travel below the posted speed limits to help keep our roadways safe.

SIU Called In After Pursuit in Oshawa

The SIU has been called in to investigate after a pursuit in Oshawa led to the arrest of three suspects.

On Tuesday, March 6, 2018, at approximately 11:50 p.m., DRPS officers attempted to stop a stolen vehicle near Simcoe Street and Bloor Street in Oshawa. The vehicle collided with a police cruiser and three male occupants fled on foot near Highway 401 and Highway 412. All three occupants were arrested at the scene. One suspect received injuries during the incident and was taken to hospital.

A 17-year-old and two 15-year-old males from Toronto face numerous charges including Possession of Property Obtained by Crime over \$5000. They were all

Violent Home Invasion in Whitby

A 24-year-old male was assaulted by two unknown suspects in his home in the Garrard Road and Manning Road area of Whitby.

On Tuesday, March 20, 2018 at approximately 1:30 p.m., the victim was in his home when he answered a knock at the front door. A male holding a handgun pushed his way into the residence and a second suspect also entered. The armed suspect pistol whipped the victim several times and demanded money. Nothing was obtained by the suspects, who fled in a vehicle that was parked in the driveway.

The victim attended a local hospital for treatment of his serious but non-life threatening injuries and called police. Suspect #1 is described as: male, black, 6'4" tall, approximately 28 to 35 years old, and 250 to 300 lbs. Wearing a hat, reflective vest, black sweater and black pants. He had a scruffy black beard.

Suspect #2 is described as: male with a dark complexion, approximately 35 to 40 years old, 5'8" and 275 lbs. He had a 1"-long curly hair and a grey beard, and was wearing a plaid long-sleeve shirt, reflective vest and dark jeans.

The suspect vehicle is described as an older model black Nissan Altima or Maxima four-door or similar sedan with tinted windows. Police do not believe this is a random incident.

Suspect Wanted after Bank Robbery in Newcastle

A lone suspect is wanted after a robbery at a bank in Newcastle. On Thursday, April 12, 2018, at approximately 10:40 a.m., members of East Division responded to a robbery at the CIBC bank on King Avenue West in Newcastle. One suspect entered the bank and made a demand for cash. The suspect then fled the scene with an undisclosed amount of cash. None of the store employees or customers were physically injured.

K-9 officers along with uniform officers searched the immediate area with negative results. The suspect is described as - male, with a tanned complexion, 6' tall, slim build, wearing sunglasses, blue baseball cap, blue knitted scarf, dark jacket, jeans and a backpack.

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Anup PEDNEKAR, age 30, of The Esplanade North in Pickering has been charged with Sexual Assault x2 and Sexual Exploitation x2

Suspect Arrested after a Convenience Store Robbery in Oshawa

Robbery investigators arrested a suspect after an armed robbery at a convenience store in Oshawa in January. On Sunday, January 7, 2018, at approximately 4:20 a.m., the lone suspect entered the Circle K convenience store on King Street East in Oshawa. The suspect, who was armed with a knife, made a demand for cash. The suspect then fled the store with the victim's cellphone and cash.

The lone employee didn't sustain any physical injuries. On March 27, 2018, the suspect was arrested and is facing numerous robbery-related charges and drug possession charges.

Michael MAGUIRE, age 36 of King Street East in Oshawa, is charged with: Robbery with a Weapon; Disguise with Intent; Possession of a Weapon Dangerous to Public Peace; Fail to Comply with Probation;

fled from police.

On Friday, March 16, 2018, at approximately 2:30 p.m., officers observed a parked vehicle with the accused in the driver's seat and had grounds to arrest him for breaching a condition of his release. When officers approached, the male fled in the vehicle, jumping a curb and driving through a backyard. A short time later, he was involved in a collision at Kingston Road West and Notion Road in Ajax. No one was injured during the collision but the male failed to remain at the scene, fleeing on foot. West Division officers, along with Air1 and a K-9 Unit, continued to search for the male. While fleeing, the male broke into several homes in area. Officers located him inside a home. The accused positioned himself on the roof and refused to come down. Members of the Tactical Support Unit and Ajax Fire attended to negotiate the surrender of the male. After more than two hours, he was taken into custody with no injuries reported.

Scotty MCGREGOR, age 39, of Birchcliffe Avenue in Oshawa, is charged with:

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