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Hallowe'en Revelry by Teen-agers Brings Disorderly Conduct Charges

Over-enthusiastic Hallowe'en revelry on the part of a large group of local teen-agers who failed to obey a police order to move on, resulted in six of their number being arrested last night on charges of disorderly conduct.

The youths were taken to the police station where it was said they would be formally charged. They were later released and allowed to go home.

Police stated that earlier a group of teen-agers had stoned a police cruiser as officers went to check on a crowd at the Belleville Collegiate campus.

Inter-school rivalry between students at city high schools and Albert College apparently had something to do with the exuberance which ended with the apprehension of the six youths.

Early in the evening a large group of teen-agers had raided the campus at Albert College where goal posts on the football field were toppled and carried away.

Police said also that bottles filled with paint had been thrown through dining room and kitchen windows at Albert College, spill-

ing glass and paint over floors and tables and ruining a special Hallowe'en dinner which had been prepared for college students. About \$100 property damage was done at the college, it was stated.

Police said Albert College students were not involved. They said college students had been confined to the college for the evening with school officials preparing a special program and Hallowe'en dinner to compensate for any loss of outside fun.

The pilfered goal posts were carried downtown by the raiding teen-agers and a group estimated at about 400 later congregated on the Belleville Collegiate campus.

Fearing trouble over what appeared to be an argument over which particular group was to have custody of the Albert goal posts, police moved in to disperse the crowd. It was at this point that stones were heaved at the police cruiser.

Later the crowd moved downtown and when police orders to move on were not complied with the six youths were taken to the police station.