



FOR THE BIRDS

Pat Vance, left, and Jim Buck of Buck's Fine Foods start surgery on one of the birds at the Senior Citizens' Dinner in Knox Church hall. A hundred and twenty-five guests enjoyed the rite which is held annually for the town's senior citizens by the Georgetown Rotary Club.



## Ten Senior Members are Honoured by Auxiliary

by Ralph Haws

Pete Chapman of Labatts met with the Branch Provincial Curling Committee last week for a further discussion on the February Ontario Provincial Curling Bonspiel. Among the subjects that were discussed and finalized were the catering, etc., banners proclaiming the date and whereabouts of the bonspiel will be displayed in several parts of the town.

A downtown store window has been donated to the Branch, this will be used to display the curling trophies and prizes.

North Halton Golf and Country Club are co-operating with the Branch to ensure everything for the curling week will be smooth sailing.

Accommodation for the influx of visitors to Georgetown is the responsibility of Ken DeRose. Ken has bookings at the Thunderbird to handle everyone.

Up to date things seem to be under control and in excellent shape.

### TWO SITTINGS

Back at the Branch things are running smoothly. Early birds continue to increase in number. President Hile was heard to say "Maybe we will have to have two sittings for the early bird dinner, Dave will love that."

The New Year tickets are sold out. The demand this year has been the greatest yet.

After the ladies auxiliary meeting last Thursday, ten senior members of the auxiliary became guests at a senior ladies night. This was the first such evening that the senior ladies have been so honoured. It is to become an annual event.

The 10 senior ladies were Comrades Isley, Murphy, Shepherd, Taylor, McCarty, Kemshead, Tenman, Sargent, Preston and Alcott. Comrades Isley and Alcott who were the two senior ladies of the group being 80 years were presented with a bouquet of flowers arranged and presented by Mr. Fendley who also demonstrated to the ladies the gentle art of arranging, displaying and preserving flowers.

### TOP TEN

The Senior ten received gift boxes from Comrade Greta Stoddart, and Comrade Marlon Carney, also from Comrade Roma Timpson.

The Senior Ladies occupied the head table and were waited on by members of the executive.

At the meeting three new members were accepted, and two were initiated.

A letter from Branch secretary Wally Thompson was read to the ladies. The letter expressed the thanks of the Branch to the auxiliary for the recent donation of \$1,000.

The members of the Branch executive gave the green light for the pipe band to purchase a number of uniformed jackets. Hoping they will be ready in time for the February bonspiel.

### UPHELD PRESTIGE

On to sports this should be headline news. Because of pre-

vious commitments the "A" Curling team were unable to compete in Zone B7 Bonspiel at Brampton on Sunday, however the Branch "B" team of skip Bill Schenk, vice skip Stu Young and Trev Williams, who did double duty by curling first and second rock upheld the prestige of Branch 120 by bringing home the Zone B7 curling trophy.

There were two rinks from Erin, two from Port Credit while favourites to win, Brampton entered four rinks.

The next step is district curling where the two Branch teams will compete.

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— Pauline Newman (Mrs.)

**DINNERS FOR CHRISTMAS**  
Friday night Dart Shoot should draw turkey hunters this week for Joe is giving away Christmas turkeys to lucky dart throwers, last week's winners were S. Tipton, B. Hill, D. Andrews, J. Ferguson, F. Tracey, M. Russell, P. Chamberlain, A. McCartney, J. Ferguson, B. McQuarrie.

Saturday night dance was one of those that should never be very poorly attended. Could be the condition of the highways. Big prize was won by Cec Mufford, while Bill Wishier and Bill Wilson on the door prizes.

Car club draw went to G. Brayley, A. Brown, B. Lorrman G. Brown, B. Hill.

#### HOPE TO GET LONG LOST BOOKS BACK

If you are harbouring a long overdue library book, include the Georgetown Library on your Christmas list.  
Between December 22 and 27, the library is accepting gifts — specifically books which are weeks, months and even years overdue, without charging a fine.  
"Never mind how long you have had them," says librarian Miss Marjorie Nazer who hopes to recover many books which might never return to the library shelves otherwise.

### ASHGROVE

## Cameo Brooches Memento of Service to Ashgrove W.I.

The Christmas meeting of the Women's Institute was held in Hillcrest Church with Mrs. Clifford Hunter as hostess on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 9, with 32 members and six visitors attending.

At one o'clock all sat down at pretty Christmas decorated tables to a luncheon of tantalizing kinds of desserts.

After singing some carols, bells could be heard and into the room bounced a well stuffed Santa Claus who handed out gifts to the ladies. No one could guess who it was but later revealed herself as Mrs. James Reed of Hornby.

At two o'clock everyone went up to the Fellowship Room for the meeting with president Mrs. Chas Austin opening with a Christmas poem. Secretary Mrs. Fred Nurse read last month's minutes and called the roll which was answered with a favourite Christmas recipe or poem.

The 4-H Achievement Day at Ballinacred on Dec. 13 was announced. Ten dollars was voted to be sent to the Hospital for Sick Children. Mrs. Ralph Cunningham stated the needs for the Christmas cheer for the family we are assisting.

Committees were appointed to arrange for a eucire and dance in the New Year after which Mrs. Arthur Ruddell and Mrs. Clayton Wilson were called forward and Mrs. C. B. Dick told how these ladies through 43 years have given of their time and abilities to Institute work. To show our appreciation Mrs. John Bird and Mrs. Wilfrid Bird presented them each with a Wedgewood cameo brooch. Both ladies were taken completely by surprise and thanked the members for their thoughtfulness.

A reading "At Christmas Time" was given by Mrs. John Bellbuddy, the motto by Mrs. Clayton Wilson, was "Blessed are they who can give without remembering and receive without forgetting" had some splendid thoughts in it, followed by demonstrations on Christmas ideas. Mrs. James McPhail and Mrs. Gordon Barnes had splendid Christmas door and window wreaths, table centrepieces, place mats and assorted Christmas cookies attractively displayed. Mrs. Frank W. Wilson had a luscious looking decorated ham and mouth-watering dessert on display and Mrs. G. Guy Wilson showed how to decorate an ordinary box with Christmas wrappings for gifts and also Christmas goodies that can be made to fill the boxes, which looked very attractive for Christmas giving.

Mrs. Arthur Ruddell read the legend of the carol "We Three Kings of Orient Are". Marilyn McNabb sang very sweetly two Christmas songs. Mrs. Wilbert Cleave thanked the hostess and all who had made such an interesting meeting, specially the president Mrs. Austin who puts so much time and thought in preparing the meetings, all sang a Christmas carol with prayer by Mrs. Hector Bird. Christmas punch and cookies closed a very wonderful afternoon.

It's that time of year again. Red and green are the popular colours right now. The houses show up so pretty at nights

## Appoint Lenz as School Principal



JOHN LENZ

John Lenz, vice principal of Stewarttown Senior Public School, has been appointed acting principal. He replaces Ron Chatten who has been transferred to the principalship of Pineview Public School.

Mr. Lenz, who lives at 16 Victoria Street, has been at Stewarttown school three years, the last two as vice principal. Prior to that he taught for one year at Centennial Public School and for three years at Howard Wrigglesworth Public School.

He received his Bachelor of Arts degree in November at the fall convocation of Waterloo Lutheran University.

and old. But still the most heart warming of any ever told. We wish to extend the season's greetings to the Editor and his staff and to our readers. A Merry Christmas.  
— Mrs. John Bellbuddy

## First Christmas Party For Firefly Campers

Thirty-two campers marked the season with a Christmas party in Cedarvale, Tuesday, December 9. Georgetown Fireflies, the local branch of the Canadian Family Camping Federation, enjoyed a turkey supper, contests and carol singing at their first such affair. The club was organized this year.

Mrs. Elsie Hewitt and Mrs. Marilyn Hastings arranged the meal, and Mr. and Mrs. John Booth were in charge of the program. Mrs. Mary O'Brien won the memory game, and Russ Hamilton was the winner in the Holding the Clotheshpin contest. Who Am I, in which names of items associated with Christmas were planned on members' backs for them to guess, was also played.

President Ted Hewitt led the group in carol singing.

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