Trina Noel, Churchill Road South, continued her family's tradition of Christmas displays in the home. Tring spent many hours preparing the exhibit which celebrates the season.



Lucy Synnott was awarded the 30-year pin at the Legion ladies appreciation night. Jean Earle presents the pin. Freida Lamb also received a pin.

are residing elsewhere was well performed by

A generous hamper of Kranendonk and Mrs. E.

food, along with a turkey Norton, just before

and toys, will make a Santa, and his helper,

Mrs. H. Dodds, Mrs. J

had a striking resem-

blance to sons of two of

good job of distributing

gifts to everyone. At last, the identity of each pen-

pal was revealed. They

also handed out gift

packages to each of the

ladies of a Christmas

Pudding, the gift of the

There were 35 persons attending the Christmas

expressed thanks to

everyone who had contri-

In closing the meeting,

organization.

Sunday school choir lifts their voices in the story of Jesus at Knox Presbyterian Church's cantata, Sunday evening. Proceeds collected go to adopting a foster

## Epiphany has special meaning

Many of who have long Americans, it is a solemn heard the phrase "On the festival as well as twelfth day of Christ- beginning of the remus. . . " do not know Lenten carnival season. what it means. Twelfth Mexicans celebrate with Night, or Epiphany, feasting, candlelight pro-"appearance" cessions and fireworks. and the holiday commemorates Acton "proofs" of Christ's Progressive divinity, each occuring Conservative on that date-six days

after Christmas. These

were the visit of the

in various parts of the

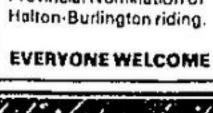
For

ANNUAL Magl, the baptism of Christ, and the first GENERAL miracle at Cana where water was changed to MEETING Monday, Jan. 5, 1981 Traditions have grown Acton Y.M.C.A. up around the Epiphany

BP.M. invited speakers will be the declared P.C. candidates for the Provincial Nomination of

Association

Halton-Burlington riding.





Step right up for the merriest Christman yet!

Thanks for your loyal support.

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**Jolliffe** 

Leathertown Village

accept only bagged garbage, to be placed on the grounds of the Acton Sewage Treatment Plant.

This was rejected by

examined in the hope of operation. In the meantime, Hal- finding some form of ton Hills Council feels the solution.

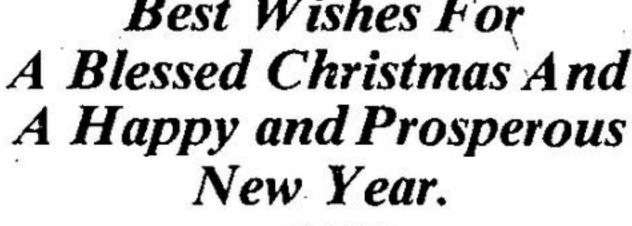
\$60,000 to put the bin into idea should be re-



in our first year of business. Eva & Kenneth Jorgenson

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Acton waste bin restudied

Halton Hills and Halton Regional officials will meet to try to find a way to establish a waste transfer station in Acton. The Halton Hills Coun-

cil had asked Regional Public Works Committee

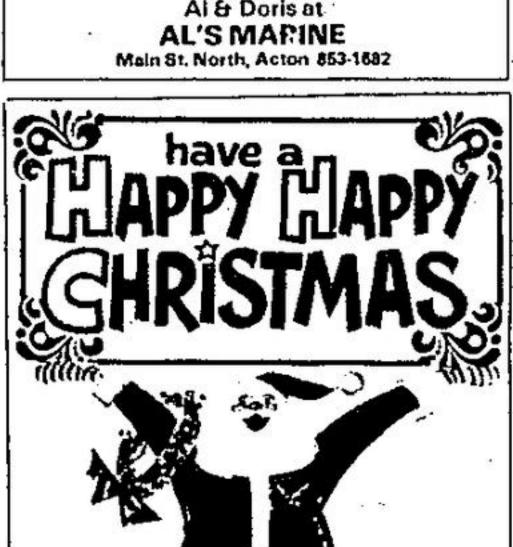
the Public Works Committee after it was found to allow a garbage bin to it would cost about

## Knechtel vice-chairman

Acton councillor Ross Knechtel was re-elected vice-chairman of the Halton Hills Planning Board for a second year at the recent first meeting of the new term. Ward four councillor Mike Armstrong retained the chairman's post.



Al & Doris at AL'S MARINE



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Dublin W.I. Donate funds to Friends-in-Deed in looking after the many three Christmas parties families, some of whom Night Before Christmas'

by Laura Dennis Due to a power inter-Following the dinner, ruption that lasted over Mrs. W. Lasby, pretwo hours, members of sident, presided and read Dublin Women's Institute

dined by candle-light at

their Christmas party

Thursday evening. They

was hostess at her home.

Golden Agers

the Golden Age Club was

held on Wednesday,

A splendid attendance

braved the wintry

weather and enjoyed a

December 10.

enjoyed the full course Silly Santa Saga. dinner with all the trimmings despite the lack of Mrs. A. Dlamond gave a report of her work as Mrs. Grant McMillan

Card convener. A fine sum of money 25 Sideroad, Halton Hills, was turned in to the and was assisted by her treasurer, Mrs. Kranendonk, by Mrs. E. daughters, Mrs. E. Burt and Mrs. G. Henderson, Wilson, as proceeds from

Enjoy trip to Turkey Point

Our final 1980 bus trip

December 16, when a full

bus went to Turkey Point

for a Christmas dinner. It

was an ideal day for

Tuesday,

helpers had served dinners. Another dinner was looked after for an Acton organization on a poem "In readiness" Saturday, December 13. family happy on Christ- Rudolph, came in ringing before conducting a short Approval was given for business session. Roll

at which she and her

a cheque in the sum of call was answered by a \$300 to be forwarded to the members of the Friends-In-Deed, Acton, to bolster their work. Fifty dollars will also be forwarded to Ebenezer U.C. Ladies for their kindness in loaning dishes, etc. Cards will be sent to

McLeod, Mabel Van

Emily McIntyre, Jean

Preclous, Jean Leish-

man, Vera Inglis, Alice

Pilkington, Mabel Tol-

mon, Harry Besley,

Walter Hug and Stan

Picking up a guide at

Simcoe, we toured the

Christmas Lights. Home

by 10 p.m. we ended a

Jane Gamble,

McDonald, Sue

Myrtle Taylor,

Fleet.

Isabel

Robinson.

mas Day, due to the Christmas bells. They 01 members. Engertainment the members. In a ho-ho-

Committee in charge was ho manner, they did a Mrs. H. Dodds, Mrs. J. McLean, Mrs. B. Rennick and Mrs. J. Krandendonk. Carols were sung, and readings "An Old-Fashioned Christmas" by Mrs. Rennick; "Keeping Christmas" and "Happy Dreams" by Mrs. John McLean were

Winners of games were Party, and Mrs. Smith Mrs. W. McIntyre, Mrs. W. Britton and Mrs. David Hunter. Prizes buted to making such a went to Mrs. K. Lehn who had a birthday nearest the party date, and Mrs. W. Frank who was celebrating her wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Lasby read a verse entitled "We wish you the best of everything," and the carol "O Little Town A skit entitled "The of Bethlehem" was sung.

pleasant party.

a note of cheer at Christmas to you and those you

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sightseeing - sunny and delicious roast beef dincold, but inside a warm ner served by the Ladies' bus, with a witty and Aid of Knox Presbyterian amiable host, we forgot Church. Candles, polnhow cold it was. settias and Christmas Santa Claus was very decorations added to the good to all but lucky evening. numbers helped several entertainment numbers to bring home consisted of a piano solo added goodies. Those happy day.

The Christmas Party of members joining in.

"Star of the East" by Jean McLean a solo by Gladys Davidson and duet by Alice Pilkington and Isabel MacDonald. Evelyn Near read a poem composed by one of our members, Mary Milne, "The Strikes."

Many carols were sung and the GA Choral Group sang medleys of Christmas songs ending with "We wish you a Merry Christmas." The club

# Lions tail winners

Ten people will have a cheerier Christmas after winning glass talls in the Acton Lions Club draw Saturday.

Irma Marshall and Peter Luty won five tails each with tickets number 139 and 1,877 respectively.

Ticket numbers 1,369 won Mary Whalen and D. McIntyre four tails each while Gladys Vyse of Milton Won three tails with ticket number 419, 1,062 won Mrs. G. Beerman three tails. Peter Turkosz and Violet Hamman Won two tails apiece with tickets number 125 and 1,978 respectivly. Ticket 33 won Bill Dawkins one tail and Rino Braida won one tail with ticket 94.

The draw was held Saturday at the Acton Legion. Call 853-0612 for pick-up or delivery of

## Donkey, a family favorite

The donkey, or ass, was the most valuable animal to the biblical family, and also the most economical, since he ate only a quarter as much barley as a horse. The most menial of animals he was famous for his and stamina, footedness. Humble as his status was, he would bear the cameleer on his back, and lead the long. stately strings of camels

across the desert. Even poor families, like Joseph's of Nazareth, could afford one donkey, which they trimmed with blue beads and red wool to show their pride of ownership.



of old fill the

air with merriment and

cheer. We join the chorus

with thanks to all!

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