

## On the Leavell

With Helen



The Optimist Club held a Yule Log Draw recently, with Keith Whipple, Burlington, winning first prize of 10 "logs". Ted Gardner, Acton, won six logs and Pauline Barlow, Acton, three logs.

A surprise birthday party was held on Boxing Day for Mrs. Minnie Simpson of 17 Elizabeth Dr. in honor of her 80th birthday on December 28. The party was held at the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Simpson, of Burlington assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bittorf of Acton.

Attending were her grandchildren and great grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bittorf, Robbie and Jeri-Lynn of Willowdale, Mr. and Mrs. David Bittorf and Kelly, of Guelph, Steven, Scott and Lynda Simpson of Burlington. Also at the party were Harry Burns, Allison and Douglas Bittorf, of Vancouver Island British Columbia.

David McGilloway, Victoria Ave. was home from university in the United States just in time to celebrate Christmas and the new year with his family. Dave is on a hockey scholarship at Ferris State University, Michigan.

And Janice Thornhill, of Kingham Road, was also home for the holidays. Janice is in her second year of university at Trent in Peterborough.

The Cooks and Toths got a pleasant surprise from the west a few days before Christmas. Seems Steve Goy, son-in-law to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Cook has had a surprise visit from family in Alberta cooked up since Thanksgiving.

Steve delivered a Christmas present to his in-laws—George and Anne Cook (nee Toth) and Ken and Betty Ferguson (nee Cook) and sons Troy and Travis, all of Whitecourt, Alberta. Ann is the daughter of Bill and Marg Toth, also of Acton.

It seems the surprise was planned well. Steve even had all the presents he supposedly looked after sending out west stashed at his home. He picked up the crew at the airport. They returned home last Tuesday.

Marion Williams plans on keeping hubby Colin, thank you very much.

You may remember a few weeks back I wished the Williams a happy wedding anniversary. However, much to my embarrassment, I referred to them as George and Marion. She has received several calls asking her when she ditched Colin for George. but she assured me, she hasn't done that.

Last Wednesday, John Lightle, of 35 Mowbray Place was pleasantly surprised by his fellow employees of Cantario Farms, Campbellville at the noonday break by a birthday party, complete with cake and candles to celebrate his 80th birthday.

The same evening he was again surprised by a family gathering at the home of his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fear, Fergus with a buffet dinner, games and gifts. A pleasant time was spent with relatives from Milton, Acton, Guelph and Orangeville.

500 Club winners for December 25 were: 417, Bob Lazenby; 451 Hank Utiwyk; 44 Andy Wagner; 500 Jean McPhail; and 186 Barrie Hills.

Winners for January 1 were: 212 Ed Atherton; 239 S. Martin; 297 Doug Rogers; 186 Barrie Hills; and 19 Colleen Jordan.

Sheryle Wedemir, of Cobblehill Rd. could just possibly be the New Year's aunt for Acton Sheryle's sister and her husband Shelley and Mark Steiler, in Bracebridge became the proud parents of that town's new year's baby on January 1, at 3 p.m. Shelley gave birth to a baby boy in Muskoka Memorial Hospital, weighing in at 7 lbs. 6 oz.

The birth interrupted a family gathering on New Year's Day.

Women interested in information about breastfeeding are welcome to attend the series of meetings offered by La Leche League of Acton.

The next series of meetings begins on Monday (January 10) and continues on February 14, March 14 and April 11. Meetings begin at 8 p.m. and will be held at 79 Churchill Rd. S. Nursing babies are welcome.

For further information please call 878-4732 or 878-3884.

The Nassagaweya Historical Society will be holding their next meeting on January 11 at the Brookville Hall at 8 p.m.

**The PREMIER MILTON Cinemas**

1 **STARTS FRIDAY**  
**AIRPLANE II**  
 Daily 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.  
 Wed. Thurs. "KISS ME GOODBYE" 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

2 **STARTS TODAY, WEDNESDAY**  
**EMPIRE STRIKES BACK**  
 ONE COMPLETE SHOW 7:30 P.M.  
 SATURDAY & SUNDAY MATINEE 2:00 P.M.

3 **HELD OVER 4th WEEK**  
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 RICHARD PRYOR  
 JACKIE GLEASON  
**THE TOY**  
 Even at 7:10-9:10 - mat. 2 p.m. sat. sun.

3 **STARTING FRIDAY**  
**AIRPLANE II**  
 THE SEQUEL  
 Even at 7:10-9:10 - mat. sat. sun. at 2:05 p.m.

Last 2 Days - Wed. Thurs. "KISS ME GOODBYE" AA  
 Winner of Teddy Bear - Charlene Peacock - Georgetown

### Police beat

## Mail boxes stolen

Three of the large green mail boxes were reported stolen in town and police have recovered them. Halton Regional Police continue to investigate, but haven't determined yet if any mail was stolen. (One box was stolen from the corner of Elizabeth Dr. and Tyler

Ave. and it was found Monday on Elmore Dr. Two others were found Sunday on Elizabeth Dr just west of Fairy Lake on Sunday. There was an attempted burglary at the Brewer's Retail on Queen St. sometime between Friday and Monday. A rear window was

smashed but the culprits found steel bars on the inside. Police were called to a Church St. resident last Wednesday to investigate a domestic dispute. There were no injuries or charges laid. The Acton Community Centre reported a break and enter sometime between Friday and Sunday. A bubble

gum machine was smashed and \$5 in cash was stolen. Damage to the machine was \$75. There were two charges of impaired driving laid on New Year's Day one at 3 a.m. on Main St. when a 26-year-old female was stopped and the other at 10:15 p.m. when a 51-year-old Acton man was stopped on 22 Sideroad.

**The 'Y's News**  
 By Eileen Dix

**The Acton "Y" - Tel: 853-1070**  
 Office hours: Wed. & Friday 9-5  
**Registration for Winter Courses Saturday, Jan. 8, 1:30-3:30**

Karate - Monday 7:00-8:30 p.m. (7 adult)  
 Dancercise - Wed. or Fri. 1:30-2:30 p.m.  
 Wed. 7:30-8:30 & 8:30-9:30

Ladies' Exercise - Tues. & Thurs. 10-11 a.m.  
 Seniors' Exercise - Tues. & Thurs. 11-12 a.m.  
 Kiddies' Corner - Friday 1:30-3:00 (3-5 yrs.)  
 Gymnastics - Sat. 10-11 a.m. (5-8 yrs.)  
 Gym & Rhythms - Sat. 11-1 p.m. (9-12 yrs.)  
 Tiny Tumblers - Wed. 1:30-2:30 p.m. (3-5 yrs.)  
 "Y" Smoke? - Tues. 7:30-9:30 p.m.  
 Learn to Dance - Thurs. 9-11 p.m.  
 C.P.R. Heart Saver - Sat. 9:30-12 noon  
 Feb. 12 & 19

Bridge Instruction - Fri. 1:30-3:00 p.m.  
 Flower Arranging - Thurs. 10:30-11:30 a.m.  
 Mon. 8-9 p.m.

Babysitters' Training - Wed. & Fri. 4-5 p.m.  
 "Y" Judo Club - Tues. 6:30-7:45 & 8:00-9:30  
 Sat. 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Yoga - Thursday 1:30-3:00. An evening class available, please call if interested.  
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