

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR AT ST. GEORGE'S St. George's Women's Auxiliary held their annual Christmas Bazaar last Friday. Betty McHale, a member of the auxillary decided to get her shopping done before it was too late.

Standing on the opposite side of the baking table is fellow

Local clothier loses to St. Catharine's firm

After providing Georgetown firemen with firefighting uniforms for many years. Henry's Clothing on Main Street has been out-bid by a St. Catharine's company for the business and Councillor Ernie

auxillary member, Anne Coombs.

Sykes is upset. "If there are going to be tenders called I don't mind at all having local merchants bidding on them, but it's wrong to take our business outside of

problems and he has had to handle them. Now we're going out of town just because their prices are \$10 lower." The St. Catharine's firm

for years. He knows the

"He's accepted this business

submitted a bid on the outfits that was \$10 per outfit lower than the local clothier could provide them. The town's purchasing agent, following the procedures outlined in the

town's purchasing bylaw, ac cepted the lower bid.

"Local merchants," countered Councillor Sykes. "should be supported as much as possible as long as their prices are fairly competitive."

The purchasing agent has been asked by the town's finance committee to prepare a report on the bidding on the clothing in time for the committee's next meeting.

Police charge in car theft

District One investigated the theft of an auto which was removed from the lot of J. J. person broke the front wind-Texaco on Guelph Street.

The incident occurred last parked in front of the main Friday. A Georgetown man was arrested and charged with the offence.

theft, the same man was later charged with possession of stolen goods after using a Sargent Road resident last observation. licence plates stolen from

The Master Feed shop at Stewarttown on Halton Road 3 was the scene of a break and enter that same night as unknown persons entered through a rear window and removed keys to a pop machine and filing cabinet along with cash.

Police are still investigating the forcible entry.

Charges are pending in connection with a theft of a sait and peper shaker set and sugar bowl from a local restaurant after a dis-satisfied client refused to pay his bill and left the scene shouting and

Police have advised the offender that he has 24 hours to make restitution to the east end restaurant.

Nurseries reported to police last week that an unknown shield of the company bus

nursery building. A Georgetown man was assaulated last week in the In connection with the auto beverage room of a local hotel. A pair of Citizens Band aerials were reported stolen by

Halton Regional Police, An employee of Sheridan Saturday from his vehicle parked in his home driveway. Value of the goods was estimated at \$80.

> An RR1 Georgetown man was found laying on the sidewalk at the Georgetown Market. The 45-year-old man was found to be intoxicated and taken to Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital for

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ficiently handling Brazilian wagering

requirements, which are more complex than those of Canada or the U.S. Similar Varian systems

are also available for use in processing orders, reservations, educational examinations etc.

basis for this automatic Good Neighbours Christmas aid organized

By Roma Timpson

Action is beginning already since last week's notice in this paper. Many gifts have come to the house all nicely gift wrapped. Cheques have been forwarded to me and the phone has been ringing with offers of help. Thanks so much, it is really appreciated and we can see where this year's campaign will be a successful one even though we may not be able to reach businesses,

The Kinettes will look after all toys again and the addresses are 8 Weber Dr., Peg Elliott and 79A Charles, Sue Cooper. Yes, we will also accept toys and forward them to the Kinettes and also clothing which we believe we will have a ladies group looking after.

Don't hesitate to call me at 877-9135 if I can help you with an inquiry or if you want to merchants and the people help.

SALE ENDS

'Tut' Harrison may also be contacted and Linda Wright. Lions, Leos, and Lionettes are helping as are the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 120, Halton Regional Police, and many other individuals of town. This is a combined effort

remember. Much of the food is received from the students at school but much has to be bought (this has already been ordered) and we will need money to pay for this food and the turkeys. I'm hoping to hear from you.



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