

**Town official warns of fraud**

# Check tradesmen's licences

By JACK LUSTY  
Town bylaw enforcement officer

Most tradesmen in the town of Halton Hills are competent, but from time to time the municipality has received complaints of shoddy workmanship. These complaints are very difficult to rectify.

However, since Sept. 21, the municipality now licenses and regulates the following trades: plumbers, electricians, heating and air conditioning installers, insulators and building renovators.

It is suggested if residents are contemplating any repairs, that prior to entering into any agreement, the tradesman should be requested to produce proof that he is licensed for the current year by the municipality of the town of Halton Hills.

The above listed tradesmen must be licensed for the current year to legally work within the town and to receive such a license from the municipality. The tradesmen must produce proof that they hold the necessary certificates of qualification, and in some instances, must pass either a written or oral test to prove their competency.

The fact that a tradesman must renew his license each year provides the municipality with an effective lever to ensure that the work by the

tradesman is of top quality. If a dispute arises over the quality of workmanship, or there is a reluctance to rectify defective workmanship, the customer should register a complaint with the town's licensing department, telephone 877-5185, extension 29. Verification of the tradesman's license can be made quickly by calling this number.



A number of surprise guests joined the Georgetown Choral Society for their family Christmas concert Saturday at the John Elliott Theatre in Georgetown, including Frosty the Snowman and Santa and a few of his elves. It was the first of a double bill over the weekend for the Choral Society. GCS admirably performed Handel's classic Messiah at Holy Cross Church Sunday to a sell-out crowd.

(Herald photo)

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**AHS teacher among Community Players**

## Quintet in concert

A seven-year old musical quintet boasting an Acton High School teacher among its members and a wide-ranging repertoire will perform two shows in Halton Hills this Saturday thanks to the public library board.

The Community Players Wind Quintet will present a selection of toccatas, fugues, Renaissance music, popular works by Scott Joplin, George

Gershwin and others and some classical pieces Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Acton public library and at 2 p.m. in the Georgetown library.

Oboe player David Sale, who is familiar to Acton high school students, will perform along with flautist Anne Monkhouse, clarinetist Warren Leighton, French horn player Judith Sheppard and bassoonist

Lutzen Riedstra.

Since the group's founding in 1974, the Community Players' programs have ranged from classical to modern, from serious to light to suit the occasion. The group specializes in quintet music but also plays duets, trios and quartets and is occasionally augmented by a guest pianist.

Admission to the two library concerts is free.

## Set sail for Anything Goes

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to fame, our group he'll steer. But try his patience, budding stars, and you'll be on your ear.

—By George Mitchell  
Aside from the above lines, Bev Nicholas recently appeared in "How The Other Half Loves" for Bramalea Little

Theatre, "The Hollow Crown" for Normic Studio and directed "Finishing Touches" for Curtain Club of Richmond Hill. His past experience has been with Georgetown Little Theatre, Brampton Musical Society and top Amateur Theatre Groups plus Pro work in U.K. Rep Companies and Musical Com-

panies. Tickets for "Anything Goes" are available for Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 11, 12, 13, 18, 19 and 20. Prices are \$5 and \$6 by calling 877-0643 or 877-0476. That's all for this week from BEHIND THE CURTAIN of "ANYTHING GOES".

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