Spun into ditch

Two Kingham Road men from Acton were involved in an accident which did \$4,000 to a 1974 Buick. Both men received minor injuries in the crash and went home after the accident, police said. The crash happened Friday at 3 a.m. The men were southbound on a snow-covered First Line at an unknown speed when the car spun into the ditch.

Deer hits car

A deer ran into a Georgetown man's 1981 Ford on Trafalgar Road on 15 Sideroad Sunday, police said. The man was southbound on Trafalgar Road when the deer ran onto the road. Damage to the car was \$2,000.

Woman sees red

A Georgetown woman westbound on River Drive did not stop for a red light at Mountainview Road and was hit by a Georgetown man's 1980 Ford Dec. 1 at 1:30 a.m. Damage to the 1978 Ford was \$1,000 and \$2,000 to the man's 1980 Chevrolet.

Skids Volkswagen

An Erin woman southbound in her 1980 Volkswagen on Trafalgar Road braked and skidded into an east side detch where she hit a fence and rolled her car over, police said. The Friday morning accident on Trafalgar Road did \$2,000 to her Volkswagen.

Impaired charges

A Georgetown man was stopped in a routine check on Mountainview Road Saturday at 5:32 p.m. He was charged with impaired driving. His court date is Jan. 27. A Brampton man driving his car on Guelph Street at Winston Churchill Boulevard Sunday at 12:50 a.m. was charged with impaired driving and refusing a breathalyzer.

Programs need help

Many programs offered in our community could not run without the help of volunteers. Volunteers are needed to help carry out the following programs: basketball, swimming, daycare and nursery, child testing program, crafts, and programs for preschoolers, adolescents, adults and

There are a wide variety of programs that need your help. Call 877-3219 for more information.

Health care jobs

Are you interested in health care or business administration? The Volunteer Bureau has many volunteer positions available in these two fields. The following are some examples: ward workers, teenage volunteers; porters, instructors to teach first aid courses, and a patient co-ordinator.

Business opportunities include general office work such as typing, catalogueing, indexing, copy typing, filing, answering the phone, and reception. Call your Volunteer Bureau today at 877-3219.

Memorize this number

There are a number of new organizations and community services in town.

To keep up with this growth, there is one number you can memorize. If you need information or want to talk to a volunteer about your concerns, call the North Halton Distress and Information Centre, 877-1211.

The Centre can suggest alternatives to a problem or just provide you with a telephone number and contact person, if required.

A Telephone Deaf Device (TDD) is also available for the hearing impaired

Hardware plan delays

The Home Hardware application for Guelph Street and Sinclair Avenue in Georgetown is being held up another week by the town's planning depart-

Town planner Ian Keith told council Monday night a written objection to the Home Hardware application had been received Nov. 27, one day prior to the deadline for submissions. It was made by Avila Investments Ltd.

Home Hardware wants to use 4,000 square feet of the former Irwin Dorsey building for retail commercial purposes and change the industrial zoning on the property to commercial to permit offices, restaurants, and financial institutions on the same property.

Next week, the planning depart-ment expects to have a report for councillors answering issues raised by Avila Investments and analysing the application and the existing commer-cial-industrial opportunities in George-

Canoeist butts out

Olympic canoeing medalist, Canadian Larry Cain, will do his part to discourage teenage cigarette amoking. He's in the leading role in a comedy-drama produced by Sheridan College's Media Arts Depart-

ment. "Get Off Your Butts" is being produced in co-operation with the Halton Lung Association, Halton Regional Police and the Oakville Fire Department are assisting students carry out a number of intricate

"stunts, including a burning car scene. The production is comical, but the message is serious, according to Media Arts Instructor Barbara

Hunter-Waldroff. "We're going to make smoking look as ridiculous as possible," said

instructor David Tucker. The video will be distributed to Halton high schools in mid-January.

Cars collide

A Georgetown driver cut in front of a Georgetown woman's 1980 Plymouth and hit the car Dec. 5 on Mountainview Road South near Guelph Street. Damage to the Plymouth totalled \$1,000.

No dodging car

A Bolton man driving a 1976 Volvo stopped at the Guelph and Main Street Intersection in Georgetown and started into traffic on Guelph Street. He hit an Acton man's 1978 Dodge. The accident happened Dec. 2 at 7 a.m. Damage to both cars WAS \$1,000.

2 car collision

A Simcoe woman's 1985 Honda received \$2,500 damage in an accident with a Georgetown woman's 1985 Buick on Trafalgar Road at Steeles Ave. Dec. 6. Her Honda was southbound on Trafalgar Road when the Buick made a left turn in front of her onto Steeles Avenue. Damage to the Buick was \$1,000.

Sideroad crash

A Bramalea man driving a 1986 Dodge did not remain in his lane before turning and hit a Georgetown woman's 1984 Oldsmobile Sunday at 2 p.m., police said. The Bramalea man was eastbound on the 17 Sideroad at 50 kilometers per hour. The Georgetown woman was westbound on the 17 Sideroad when the eastbound car entered her lane. Damage to her Oldsmobile was \$700 and \$2,000 to the 1986 Dodge.

Go train damaged

A GO train parked near Elgin and King Streets in Georgetown received \$400 in damage Sunday. A window was smashed with a fire extinguisher and seats were sprayed with an extinguisher.

Shoplifters caught

Two Kitchener men were arrested for shoplifting from the Olde Hide House Thursday at 3:54 p.m. The men were chased after they left the store, and they dropped the stolen goods. They were caught by police and \$125.50 in stolen wallets were

5 bazaar winners

There were five winners at the John P. Armstrong Terrace bazaar held last week at 8 Durham Street. Carol-Lynne Kemp won a quilt while Jean Hancock received an antique creamer. A food hamper was awarded to Stephen Jones and Sarah Richards left with some Christmas cake. Anne McClements received a bottle of wine.

Breathing easy

The Lung Association helps those suffering from emphysema and chronic lung problems through programs and seminars. If you suffer from a chronic lung problem, contact The Lung Association for information on programs to help you breathe easier.



Provincial Papers, a division of Abitibl Price I.td., held their annual Quarter Century Club dinner Saturday. They welcomed into their group a new member, William Richardson (centre) who works in the purchasing depart-

ment. To his left is Mill Superintendent Fred Aggles and (right) George Wild, the company vice-president. To be a member you must have worked with Abitibl for 25 years. (Herald photo)

Auxiliary reps attend talk on ethical issues

Mrs. Helen Zeravlev, Mrs. Vi Haines, Mrs. Margaret McClintock and Mrs. Stien Ligterink of the Georgetown Hospital Auxiliary were among the 750 delegates from nearly 220 hospital auxiliaries across Ontario who attended the 75th Annual Convention of the Hospital Auxiliaries Association of Ontario at the Downtown Holiday Inn, Toronto, Dec. 1 to 3.

Concurrent sessions attended by our delegates featured discussions on nutrition and cancer; designing an award system; designing a handbook for auxiliary presidents.

Life memberships were presented by the Honorable Pauline McGibbon at a luncheon on the Monday. Convention activities concluded with an address by Dr. Abbyann Lynch on "Ethical Issues on the Horizon".

At the teen volunteer sessions, Toni McClements, Lisa Brading and Kelly Brown from Georgetown Hospital Auxiliary participated in workshops and a visit to the Bob Rumball Centre for the deaf.

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Young Drivers of Canada

Taxis prepare for a booming Christmas

One business that is going to profit from stricter drinking and driving laws is the laxi business. Willie Wilkinson believes he is providing a much-needed service to the community in more ways

than one. He is part owner of Halton Hills Taxi and has watched the need for his cabs increase steadily as the campaign against drinking and driving has been strengthened. Now that stricter penalties are enforced, he predicts that more people will be taking cabs.

He is also aware that many people will continue to drink and drive. "Maybe it will take a few people to get caught before more people start taking cabs," he sald. Halton Hills Taxl is trying to cut

down on the number of drunk drivers by improving their service in the evenings. That means getting to pick up points quicker and by having more cabs on the road. The company has 11 cabs and six

or seven are out on a Friday night.

"It's important not to keep them waiting too long or they might decide to take their cars," he said. The increase in business means

more part-time cab drivers are used.

Some companies have taken steps to solve the problem of drinking and driving after Christmas parties. Halton Hills Taxi has five orders from local companies to drive employees home after parties. The McGibbon Hotel paid . .: for transportation of customers last "or; New Year's day, Mr. Wilkinson said.

What does Santa do?

What does Santa do when his sleigh breaks down Christmas night? To find out watch The Great Canadian Christmas Caper, a play by the Toy Town Troupers Theatre Company, performed at the John Elllott Theatre Dec. 28 at 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$2 and are available at the recreation department offices on 25 James Street in Georgelown and 40 Mill Street in Acton and at the Cultural Centre, Call 877-5185 ext. 219, 260 and 267 or 877-7915 for more information.

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