

Selfless service



Two volunteers recognized for their efforts for the Acton Branch of the Red Cross, are Mary DeLiaan (left) and Alice Schreiber. Mrs. Schreiber received a service award and Mrs. DeLiaan a citation at the branch's annual general meeting and awards night March 18. The meeting was at the Christian Reformed Church in Acton. Dr. Richard Telford, who was to receive a citation, and Ruth Courteney, who was to receive a certificate of merit, were unable to attend the meeting.



Blood donors were honored at the Acton Branch of the Red Cross Annual Meeting and Awards night. Seen here (from left) are Glen McKenzie and John Kamminga who have donated blood 35 times, and Victor Morris who has donated 50 times. The meeting was March 18 at the Christian Reformed Church in Acton. Others who donated 25 times include: William Fisher, Jack Traas, Rev. Arthur Tribe, Frank Van Wyck and Harold Jeffrey. (Herald photo)

Most emergency home requests from youth

Halton Region is asking for trouble by not taking care of its young people, warns a youth worker. Ugo Filice of Halton Adolescent Support Services says at least 80 per cent of emergency housing requests are from young people under 25 without dependents. That's according to 1984 statistics from the Halton Social Planning Council, the most recent statistics.

"Our agency alone has received 329 requests for housing in the last calendar year," Mr. Filice said.

He was asking for \$34,832 for a special project to recruit families in the community to house homeless youth, but Regional councillors didn't have the money in their social services grants for it and had to turn Mr. Filice down.

"I don't think I have to stand here and tell you about the need for affordable housing in the community," Mr. Filice said, noting the latest Regional housing report doesn't indicate the housing needs for young people. Housing problems are most severe for those 16 to 18 years old, he said.

The Halton Adolescent Support Services has been working to recruit willing and capable families who will look after homeless youth, but that work will end March 31 with the termination of funding.

In the last four to five months, the program has recruited 20 families and a total of 28 beds, he said.

The United Nations has declared 1987 as International Year of the Homeless, Mr. Filice said.

McClure's 8th grandchild

By KAY WILSON
Herald Special

NORVAL—Congratulations to Roy and Marie McClure of RR2 Norval on the birth of their son Corey Donald Hyatt, 5 pounds 4 ounces on March 10 at Peel Memorial Hospital in Brampton.

Welcome home to Ethel Webb who spent a week with daughter Louise Louthier and husband Harry and family of Charlottetown, PEI.

Gertrude McGee of Georgetown and Betty McClure of RR2 Norval enjoyed a week's vacation in Jamaica.

Belated birthday greetings to one grand lady, Mrs. Joey Haynes of Huttonville, who celebrated her 95th birthday Jan. 15. Mrs. Haynes has lived in the Huttonville area

since 1911 and has seen many changes since then. She continues to look after her own home and is looking forward to the lovely spring weather.

Duplicate bridge

Duplicate bridge is offered, for those interested, at the Georgetown Legion (upstairs) every Monday afternoon at 1 p.m. except when a holiday falls on a Monday.

There are free refreshments and partners if needed. Free play will be given for winners in first place.

Bridge winners for last week are: first, Bill Scannell and Norma Maynard, second Harry Arble and Bob Jackson, Liz Barnes, Sonya Graeden and Doris Barber and Jean Servos.

April 13 is the free special wind-up of the duplicate bridge gathering.

KILLING FIELDS Grass fire damage a spring malady

More fires are starting outside the home now that the warm weather has arrived. Firefighters responded to four rubbish fires and five grass fires between March 17 and 23.

According to local bylaws, many of those fires were illegal. Open burning is forbidden in the urban areas of Halton Hills. In the rural areas open burning is permitted, but only with the approval of the fire department. A permit is needed.

Those applying for a permit should have the site inspected, said Dave Ford, fire prevention officer. Fire department officials will suggest how to make the burn safest. They might suggest the site be moved away from a fence or building, or they could suggest a trench be dug around the site, Mr. Ford said.

Fires must be attended at all times and should not be started or continued if it is windy, Mr. Ford said. Burning after dark is not allowed, nor is burning rubber, plastic or anything else which smokes excessively.

It is best to dispose of garbage at a dump site, Mr. Ford said. If garbage is not dumped it is best to have the fire site inspected. The fire department will explain how to make the burn safest, Mr. Ford said.

So far this year the amount of grass and rubbish fires has been small compared to Oakville and Milton, Mr. Ford said. July and August are the months which really give fire departments trouble, especially when it is windy, he said.

Rubbish or grass fires are not the only types of fires to beware of, at this time of year. Discarded cigarettes create problems too, Mr. Ford said.

A fire which began March 17 at

1:31 p.m. at Lot 13 Concession 5 is believed to have started when someone near the train tracks threw a cigar away. There was no damage.

The cause of a grass fire behind Zellers March 19 at 2:03 p.m. is unknown. Again there was no damage.

A rubbish fire grew into a grass fire on the Tenth Line north of Sideroad 5 March 19 at 8:36 p.m. The unattended rubbish fire spread to the grass and caused some damage to the side of a barn, an official from the fire department said. Another grass fire started March 20 at 2:47 p.m. when a rubbish fire in a barrel spread. That fire was on the Ninth Line north of Glen Williams. There was no damage.

A rubbish fire is also responsible for a grass fire on Fallbrook Trail in Glen Williams March 22 at 1:03 p.m.

March 22 at 5:48 p.m. a grass fire started at 605 Main Street in Glen Williams. The cause of the fire is unknown and there was no damage.

Children are believed to be the cause of a March 17 fire which began behind Mr. Submarine at 212 Guelph St. in Georgetown. The fire began in a rubbish bin where children were seen playing. A small fire began in a box car near Academy Road March 18. A few papers were set on fire in an area. There was no damage in either of these fires.

A person burning rubbish on Arletta Street in Georgetown was told of local bylaws March 18 at 7:12 p.m. There is no open burning in urban areas, they were warned. Another rubbish fire on Mill Street was extinguished in Georgetown. The small fire was near the Georgetown's Memorial Arena. There was no damage.

Penpals can write Hazel in hospital

By MID BRUNSKI
Herald Special

I wish to express my thanks to the many wonderful friends of Hazel Preston, who took the time to phone me about my request for Hazel's address. For all our comrades who would like to send a card or letter to Hazel, who is recovering from major surgery, the following will get to her: Hazel Preston, c/o Mrs. Jack Topp, Richmond Hill, Postal Station "D", Box 2472, L4E 1A5.

Mae Lawr reports that Lily has been out walking with the support of Alice and is getting along very well indeed, keep it up Lily and you will soon be back to your meetings.

Georgetown "C" team came in third at zone bowling at Oakville this past Saturday. Congratulations again to Marion Carney's team of

Hazel Dumper, Trudy Paul, Leanne Hall, Jean Foster and Anne Nicholson.

District darts will be held at Dundas April 4 ladies, so keep that date open. Brampton ladies auxiliary will be 60 years old March 27 and Cooksville will be celebrating their 25 years of service April 26. Congratulations comrades. Your next zone convention will be held in Oakville, Tuesday, April 7.

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Ambulance calls include heart, drug emergencies

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Some of the most serious cases for the week reported to be "urgent", involved three heart problems, a drug overdose and distress breathing.

Cases considered to be "prompt" included: a knee injury from hockey, three distress breathing, two possible seizures, a motor vehicle accident with back and neck injuries, a possible stroke, two drug overdoses, shortness of breath and chest pains, and a possible ankle

fracture from hockey.

The ambulance service was called out once on stand-by, to the corner of Mississauga Road and Highway 7.

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1 c. quick cooking oats (not instant)
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1 egg, beaten
1/4 c. butter or margarine, melted
1 c. milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 c. chopped nuts

In large bowl, combine flour, baking powder, salt, oats and sugar. Mix together egg, butter, milk and vanilla, stir into dry ingredients until well blended. Stir in nuts.

Turn into greased 9" x 5" loaf pan. Bake in 350° oven for 55 to 60 minutes, or until toothpick inserted in centre comes out clean. Cool in pan for a few minutes, then turn out on rack to finish cooling. Wrap in plastic or foil and store at room temperature for a few days, or freeze.

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