Community News



Ho Ho at Hallmark

Santa Claus came early to Hallmark Greetings and Gifts in Georgetown Saturday to greet customers during the stores' open house. Among the visitors crowding around Santa were (left to right) Ed Dwyer of Milton holding son Michael, Brad

Ferguson of Georgetown holding son Evan, Angela Cobban, Sarah Cobban and the store's owner, Mary-Lou Young. The open house is a national event among Hallmark stores. (Herald Photo)

W.I. holds anniversary meeting

By SHIRLEY McDONALD Herald Special

Dowds, President, Linda started the afternoon celebrations with everyone repeating the Women's Institute Ode and the Mary Stewart Collect, She welcomed everyone to Union Presbyterian Church for our special 60th Anniversary celebra-

Mrs. Peggy Dadd brought greetings from the Provincial Board, Sub Division 9 and Mrs. Edith Hutchinson brought greetings from Peel North District W.I. Reminiscenses were told by Mrs. Norma Lovell of how the Terra Cotta Women's Institute first began.

Mrs. Georgina Dolson told of the 4-H Clubs beginning as our Institute sponsors 4-H each year. Mrs. Margaret McKane told of Institute meetings we have had in the past of tours, speakers, etc. Mrs. Jane Frazer entertained with a selection of songs she played on the piano.

Mrs. Barbara McKane. Secretary-Treasurer, read a poem and in Loving Memory highlights of lives of 3 very active Institute members who are deceased, Marjorie McDonald, Marjorie Sharpe and Bernice Faulkner. Two minutes silence

was observed for these 3 distinguished ladies.

Mrs. Mary MacDonald presented Jane Frazer with her Life Membership Pin. Three ladies were presented with Certificates for 60 years of work with Terra Cotta Women's Institute. Those were Eleanor MacDonald. Eldred Anderson and Marg McKane.

Mrs. Florence Christie gave the courtesies thanking the Anniversary Committee. Eleanor MacDonald, Eldred Anderson and Enid McBride. A social hour was enjoyed by everyone including the cutting of the 60th Anniversary cake.

Youth exchange program being offered

Canada World Youth is now recruiting Canadians and landed immigrants between the ages of 17 and 20 (as of December 31, 1991) for exchange programs with countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean.

If you are working, studying, or looking for a job and are interested in participating in a challenging international development programme, apply now. Along with other young people from across Canada and from overseas you will spend 7 months doing volunteer work in community development, agriculture, or social services. You will gain knowledge and skills that will help you in future academic or professional careers.

All expenses are covered by Canada World Youth during the programme. Your commitment

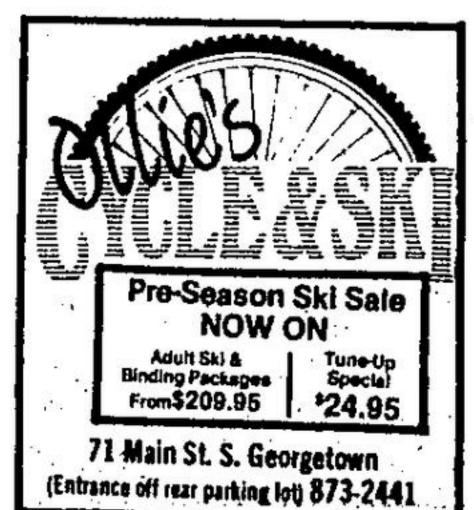
will be in the form of time, energy and an interest in learning. It is a challenging experience and one that will last a lifetime.

Exchanges start as early as July 1992. The final deadline for applications is January 31, 1992.

For application forms or more information, contact: Canada World Youth, Ontario Regional Office, 386 Bloor St. West, 2nd Floor, Toronto M5S 1X4. (416) 922-0776.

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Award recipients announced recently

By GERALDINE CAMPBELL **Herald Special**

The Erland Lee Appreciation Award is presented by Federated Women's Institutes of Canada to a man who most exemplifies those qualities of Erland Lee which led to the funding of the Women's Institute, an organization which spread across Canada and grew to include millions of women worldwide.

In 1897 Erland Lee heard an address by Adelaide Hoodless and he invited her to speak to the local Farmers' Institute Ladies Night. As usual a suggestion like this was not greeted with 100 per cent approval. However, Erland Lee was the President, and also active in agricultural and government circles throughout the area. 101 women and one man, Erland Lee, attended the first meeting and Erland Lee's wife, Janet, wrote the first Constitution of the very first Women's Institute on the Lee's dining room table.

In a day when women were without a public voice, and with limited access to scientific knowledge, Erland Lee lent them his voice, his position, his contacts and his influence.

Throughout the years many men have assisted the Women's Institutes to become the force

they are in the communities throughout Canada. Federated Women's Institutes of Canada recognized this fact and this year at their convention in Victoria they presented the very first Erland Lee Award to the Honourable Bill McKnight, Minister of Agriculture.

Ontario has been honored to have two recipients this year.

Reg Whitty, a reporter for the Kingston Whig-Standard, was for many years a great supporter and reporter of the Women's Institute meetings in the Kingston area. He had attended so many . Women's Institute meetings that he probably knows more of the history of WI than some members.

The second award was presented on Nov. 7th, during Women's Day, at the Royal Agricultural Fair. Charlotte Johnston, President-Elect of Federated Women's Institutes of Canada will be presenting the Erland Lee Award to Wally Knapp, Agriculture Manager at the Royal. For many years Wally Knapp has been a tremendous booster for the talents of the WI members and the work that Women's Institutes have done. He is a worthy recipient of the Erland Lee Award.



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TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1991 IN GEORGETOWN

On Monday, November 25, 1991, the Council, of the Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills, intends to pass a by-law to close, temporarily, various roads in the Town of Halton Hills (Georgetown) on Saturday, November 30, 1991, from approximately 1:00 p.m., until approximately 3:00 p.m., for the purpose of the Georgetown Lions Club Inc.'s Annual Santa Claus Parade. The parade route will be as follows:

The parade will form on Sinclair Avenue, travel through the Georgetown Market to Mountainview Road at Campbell Gate, follow Mountainview Road to Guelph Street, Guelph Street to Maple Avenue, Maple Avenue to Main Street, and Main Street to James Street where it will disperse.

The Council Meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, 1 Halton Hills Drive. At this meeting, Council will hear, in person, or by his counsel, any person who claims his lands will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to the Town Clerk at 873-2600, before the Council Meeting. Ad, No. 1474