

## Ernie's 80 now

Ernie Pearce, a lifelong resident of Georgetown celebrated his 80th birthday with family and friends at a party in Oddfellows Hall, December 5. Congratulating their grandfather were two of his four grandchildren, grandsons Tyler Pearce (left) and Brandon Pearce. Mr. Pearce has been active in the Rotary Club, Oddfellows and Belles and Beaus.

SALE

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## Dublin W.l.

## RUTH KRANENDONK

Composting is becoming a familiar word to most people these days. With recycling and a general concern for our environment, more and more people are composting to help reduce the amount of waste we send off to the dumpsite.

It's surprising how much waste comes from the kitchen, but if put in the composter, can eliminate large volumes of trash. Basically, the only food scraps which should not be composted are meats, fish, and dairy products. These products attract animal and insect pests. Welcome additions to your composter are all vegetable peelings, egg shells, coffee grounds (including filter), tea bags, leaves and grass clippings. Instructions on how to compost can be found in a **Environment Ministry brochure** "Be a Good Sort to Your Garden."

Recycling was the topic for the November meeting of Dublin W.I. at Kathleen Alder's home in Rockwood. June Hunter was auctioneer for a Treasures from Trash auction. Keeping with the theme, Ruth Kranendonk demonstrated how odds and ends of fabrics can be made into Christmas decorations.

"Christmas at Dublin" will be held Thursday, December 17 at Maisie Lasby's home in Rockwood. A gift for Acton Foodshare and an unwrapped toy will be part of the Roll Call. New faces are always welcome at Dublin. If you'd like to attend our Christmas meeting and see what we're all about, contact Kathleen Alder at 856-9353, June Hunter at 877-7165 or Maisie Lasby at 856-4436. You're always welcome at Dublin.

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO PLAY AN ACTIVE ROLE IN CONSERVING HALTON'S NATURAL ENVIRONMENT?

The Regional Municipatity of Halton invites applications for membership on the Halton Ecological and Environmental Advisory Committee (EEAC).

WHAT IS EEAC?

EEAC is a voluntary advisory committee appointed to provide technical advice and assistance to Regional Council on current development and policy planning matters which affect Halton's natural environment. EEAC promotes and monitors Halton's Environmentally Sensitive Areas through field work, technical document review, and environmental education. EEAC formally meets once each month.

WHO MAY APPLY?

Anyone with professional or practical experience in dealing with environmental issues and who is prepared to devote several hours per week for meetings, field work, and the review of technical documents is encouraged to apply. Individuals with a background in environmental science or resource management disciplines such as environmental planning/engineering, botany, ecology, fish and wildlife biology, environmental education, and hydrogeology are particularly needed to complement the current membership.

**HOW TO APPLY?** 

Application forms are available from the Halton Planning and Development Department at the address below. A letter and resume outlining the applicant's environmental background, activities, and interests should also be attached. All applications should be submitted by Friday, January 8, 1993.

Planning and Development Department Regional Municipality of Halton 1151 Bronte Road, P.O. Box 7000 Oakville, Ontario. L6J 6E1

For further Information please contact Lynne Simons at ext. 7215 or Kathy Kielt at ext. 7200 at:

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