

CELTIC SOCIETY: The North Halton Celtic Society held its inaugural meeting last Wednesday at Ballinafad United Church, followed by a visit to McClure cabin at Fallbrook Farm in the Silver Creek Conservation Area on 27 Sideroad. Members of the executive who cut the cake were, from left: Kate Murray, Anne McIntyre, Lloyd McIntyre, Mary McKay, Reverend Jim Kirkwood and Bill McKay. – Denise Paulsen photo

unidentified woman driver

Balcony blaze

believe a smoldering ciga-

Acton firefighters

injured her foot.

Police/Fire Report

rette in an ashtray started a exterior of the unit.

fire under an electric bar-

becue on the balconv at 53

Cook Street at 1:26 last

Monday afternoon. The

fire caused \$1,000 to the



Inuit carvings, the many

hours of daylight and the

"super friendly" popula-

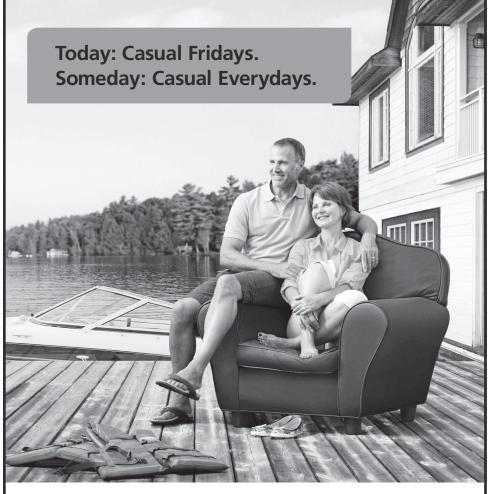
tion. He also enjoyed the

Far North politics Talk about sticker shock. Eighteen dollars for a box of cornflakes, \$100 for a package of diapers and \$95 for a bag of dog food - those prices made Acton/Regional Councillor Clark Somerville glad he was just visiting Iqualuit, Nunavut earlier this month. Somerville travelled to the south coast of Baffin Island to attend a Board of Directors meeting for FCM - the Federation of Canadian Municipalities. Somerville said he was impressed with beauti-

fresh Arctic char and the "fresh perspective" that observing life in the tundra provided him. 'September is always our priorities meeting

where we decide our agenda for the coming year," Somerville said on Friday, adding he is vice-chair of the socialeconomic development committee that is researching a national food security policy.

"I was appointed to a task force that is going to look at municipal protocols and response to national disasters like how the Halton EMS workers went to Haiti," Somerville said, adding other issues on the FCM agenda include preparations for the next Federal election and the longform census. He said now that the policy directions are decided, they move to advocacy days next month when they sit down with MPs and MPPs to talk about municipal issues.





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Apartment B&E

An undisclosed amount of cash was stolen during a break-in at a Main Street South apartment on Saturday. The tenant went out in the morning and found the break-in when they returned home in the afternoon. Police said there was no forced entry.

Fuel spill

Acton firefighters used absorbent "diapers" to soak up a fuel spill in the Giant Tiger parking lot at 9:29 last Thursday morning. The leaking vehicle had left the parking lot before the firefighters' arrival.

Crash help

At 6:37 on Monday morning, Acton firefighters were called to the scene of a single-vehicle accident on Dublin Line, north of 25 Side Road where a late model Honda had left the road and slammed into a tree. The

ors Erin Optimist Club

