

by E. Lorraine Orr

Once again, for the fourth year in a row, Jack Teskey has claimed first prize at the Royal. His Birdsfoot Trefoil placed first in open class, and second in Pedigree at the 1980 Winter Fair in Toronto. His Timothy seed placed third in it's class.

The grounds of the Coldwater Memorial Library have received a face lifting. Villagers were concerned when the two majestic blue spruce trees were removed from the front of the building. However, the new landscaping with low shrubs is very complimentary to the beauty of the building itself. Additional trees are to be planted in the spring of 1981.

The refinishing of the water-damaged interior wall is now being completed.

The book committee has purchased more best-sellers with the remaining book-budget funds. These books will be available to the public soon. The circulation report for the month of October shows - Fiction, 544; non-fiction 164; juvenile, 179; making a total of 887.

The annual Christmas dance conducted by the Coldwater Curling Club will be held on Saturday, December 13, at the Community Centre, commencing at 8:30 p.m. Tickets are available at Beach's Shell station and are \$3.50 per person. Music will be by the Bellaires, and lunch will

be served.

The Coldwater Senior Citizens are having their Christmas party on Thursday, Dec. 11, at 12:30 noon in the Riverside Centre. The dinner is to be catered and all members are welcome.

The Christmas spirit was alive early in Coldwater when the Coldwater Canadiana members held their annual Christmas party as the Log House on Saturday, Nov. 9. A turkey dinner with all the delicious trimmings was enjoyed before the large fireplace. Cay Thomson and Peggy Townes were responsible for the cooking of the fowl and the members generously donated the accessories. Carol singing, led by Margot Finan, added to the holiday celebrations. Entertainment was provided by Grace Leigh, Pat Hogan and Lillian Bell.

The new executive for 1981 will consist of - President, Gary Brandon; Vice president, Murray Townes; 2nd Vice president, Wilf Martin; Recording secretary, Anne MacBean; Corresponding secretary, Ruth Edit; Treasurer, Jean Carson.

Carols by candle light enhanced the Christmas celebrations for the members of the Coldwater and District Horticultural Society at their annual party recently. The Christmas centrepieces were won by Marg Jennings and Lillian O'Connor for the

lucky numbers under their saucers. A ceramic cookie jar representing a gingerbread house was won by Irene Wells. It was necessary to conduct a short business meeting to select a nominating committee for the January elections.

June Lolk will head this committee. The president, Lorraine Orr, made special mention of the charter members present, who were, Mrs. Nel Clarke, Mrs. Doris Cooke, Mrs. Cora Lane, and Mrs. Olive and Bill Wylie.

A resume of the bulb planting in the village explained to the audience that five dozen daffodils will be waving their bright heads beside the Riverside Centre in the spring of 1981. Red tulips and white crocus will appear at the postoffice and a mixture of tulips at the Woon memorial park. Exhibitors winning at the society's spring, summer and fall flower shows are awarded points. The Jack Tipping award is then presented to the person accumulating the highest number of prize points for the year. The award went this year to a very surprised Irene Wells, of Coulson. Although Mrs. Wells is a director of the society, information had been successfully kept a secret and she was amazed when Helen Booth called her name as the winner. Irene received a "keeper" trophy and her name will be engraved on the

large plaque.

The ordinary corn husk was magically turned into beautiful flowers and wreaths and attractive dolls by guest speaker Mrs. Alice Cockburn of Warminster. Mrs. Cockburn had brought a wide selection of her craft and also demonstrated how to make the various articles.

The exchange of gifts brought the enjoyable evening to a close. There will not be a December meeting. A directors' meeting will be held on Monday, Jan. 5, at 9:30 a.m. The next regular meeting will be on Thursday, January 15, at 8 p.m. at the Riverside Centre.

Birthday congratulations to Diane Godwin, who says she is celebrating her "29th-plus a few".

Villagers will be pleased to learn that Horace Sallows has returned home following a serious illness that kept him in the Toronto General Hospital for some time.

Melanie Fontaine was treated by her friends, Barbara Finan and Valerie Orr to dinner and a show to celebrate her 15th birthday.

Renovations are almost completed at the Athron Marine. The building which originally contained the boats and snowmobiles was demolished and an addition made to the modern marina. This smaller office will serve as the sales outlet for the gas station.

Congratulations to Carla Ostertag on her engagement to Mac Steele of Mississippi Station, Ontario.

The sympathy of the villagers is extended to Kay and Dan Martin on the sudden death of their son.

John Bannerman, son of Orla and Irene Bannerman, is at present touring the east coast with a singing group. John is a graduate of Ryerson Technical Institute in Toronto, having majored in the School of Dance and Theatre

Arts.

Excited shoppers boarded a bus last Tuesday for a Christmas shopping trip to the Eaton Centre in Toronto. Many interesting purchases were made and the shoppers enjoyed the beautiful Christmas decorations throughout the Centre.

Visiting with the Peter Ostertag family recently were Pat and Arnold Steele of Mississippi Station, Ontario. They are the parents of Carla's fiance, Mac Steele.

The home of John and Eva Maurer was destroyed by fire last week. John returned from shopping in Coldwater to find the house ablaze. He broke a window with his hand and managed to rescue the family cat, some jewellery and other business and personal items. A fund has been established at the Toronto Dominion Bank in Coldwater for anyone wishing to donate.

Ella Reid and Grace

Willmott have returned from a holiday in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. While there they joined the celebration of the natives in a parade for the anniversary of the 1912 revolution. The massive parade is comprised entirely of public school children, all in school uniforms.

The movie The Night of the Iguana was filmed at this location. During their time there the girls visited the beaches and small villages and enjoyed the expected bartering before they made their purchases.

They also saw the homes owned by Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton. Ella was especially impressed by the whiteness of the natives' clothing. Synthetics are not used at all. Garments are made of cotton only. The wash is still done in the old-fashioned way out on the rocks and then to be bleached by the sun. Soap and bleaches are never used.

Sunday visitors

by Eleanor Edwards and Carol Graham

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Edwards were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnstone and Lisa, and Mr. Bruce Edwards and Doug all of Barrie.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Vic Wilson a former resident of our community had the misfortune to fall last week and break her knee. She is convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dwayne Turcott of Peterboro. Mrs. Roy Graham of Toronto is visiting with her mother Mrs. Gladys McLav for a few days this week.

Saturday, Mr. Sid Bell of Wasaga Beach visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Vasev attended a dinner and social evening at the Highland Restaurant on Saturday evening. The event was sponsored by the Midland L.O.L.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvern Isaac visited on Tuesday with Mrs. J. Bell at the Bethany Lodge in Unionville.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards visited with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dunn and family of Scarborough and

Vasey news

celebrated Andrea's fourth birthday.

The Vasey Women's Institute monthly meeting will be in the form of a pot luck luncheon on December 9th at 12 noon. The members of the Vasey U.C.W. are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Edwards and Gwen of Wasaga Beach visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Edwards. Sympathy of the community is expressed to the family of the late Mrs. Milton Racher,

Local resident elected

by Mrs. Aubrey Giffen
Mr. and Mrs. Warren Giffen and family attended a family dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O'Connor of Barrie, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O'Connor Jr. who are visiting the Barrie district from Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. Muriel Coker of Winona had lunch on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ball.

Mr. Tom Ingram and family of Holland Landing spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Giffen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon

who passed away last week, and was a former member of this community.

Mrs. Bob Spracklin of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ross Faint.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Edwards were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doeke of Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Cascadden of Toronto were guests on Wednesday and Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smitham.

Giffen attended their grandson Jason's 2nd birthday on Sunday, Nov. 9. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Giffen of Wyevale.

We are glad to report Mrs. Maurice Schaer is home from the Toronto Hospital and is progressing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon King of Wyoming, Ontario and Mrs. Mel Bates of Stayner were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Giffen.

Congratulations to Gravdon Giffen who was re-elected as councillor for Flos in the Nov. 10th election.

THE WINNER'S CIRCLE

If your club or organization is holding a draw, please let us know who the winner is. 526-2283 NO CHARGE

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WIN'FALL NO. 49

The winner of 75 lbs. of hind quarter was E. T. Long, of R.R. 31 R.R. 1, Perkinsfield with ticket number 05543.

Herb Dusome of Highland Point, Penetanguishene won 25 lbs. of hind quarter beef with ticket number 06669.

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