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Rockwood

# Firefighters battle rural house blaze

by Barbara Funk responded to an alarm last Thur- Cathy Hennigs and Brenda Nelson sday evening on Concession 6 of along with the local Baha'i com-Eramosa. The call was a house fire munity. on the property of Frank Beras yet unknown.

Rockwood Scouts and Cubs wish to 28, beginning at 2 p.m. thank the villagers of Rockwood, Eden Mills and Everton for their recording artist will be leading the support in the groups bottle drive. children in song and flights of fancy. Scoutmaster Bill Hammond reports Schneider is able to create a special a profit of \$204. He also reminds of atmosphere with children enabling tickets the scouts are selling to raise him to lead them in brushing their money for new tents. These can be teeth and then taking a walk in the obtained from many businesses in forest without ever leaving the the area. The draw will be held at stage. the Lionettes Christmas Bazaar on Dec. 5.

Marilyn Tosh.

an extra special treat at the meeting 856-9095. when refreshments were served. Kelly Parkinson, Trudy Milne and December 25. Mandy Page.

Tues, evening as well.

St. John's Church Parish Hall will be the scene for euchre players again this fall. They will be playing every second Wednesday beginning himself completely available, to all on November 25 at 8 p.m. Prizes will be awarded for high, lone and low. An admission of \$2 and \$1.50 for him know your requirements. It is seniors will be charged, with not necessary to be a member of the refreshments to follow. The parish or a Catholic, so if you are in proceeds of the euchre parties will need, please get in touch. go to St. John's restorative fund.

Aghdas Javid of West Flamboro Community Centre is the date and presented a discussion of the history of women in Iran for village ladies Lionettes Christmas Bazaar. Many on Thursday November 19. Mrs. local crafts people will have their Javid brought with her examples of products on sale. There will also be Iranian craftsmanship, needlework, teatables, a bake table, and a penny wallets, handkerchiefs, table cloths, table.

as well as inlaid wooden boxes. Rockwood-Eramosa Firefighters Hostess Susan Gault welcomed

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The Rockwood area Baha'i tagnolli. An estimate of damages is community is presenting a free children's concert at Rockwood The parent committee of the Centennial School on Sat. November

Bob Schneider, a Toronto

The Rockwood and District Lions Clubs monthly dance is on Saturday The first Rockwood Brownie pack November 28, beginning at 9 p.m. at welcomed seven new Brownies at Rockmosa Community Centre. The their enrolment ceremony on theme for this dance will be the Tuesday November 17. The new fifties. So try to dig out some of those brownles are Natalie Manse, Kara old clothes and see if we can still do Fry, Jennifer Duff, Lisa Ward, Mar- our hair in a "duck tail" and we can tha Wingate, Sharon McDougal and turn the clock back for an evening. Tickets can be obtained from any Parents and brownies were given Lion or call Mrs. Jenny Mitton at

Put Christ back into Christmas! Three brownles who are working on As a spiritual preparation for their bakers badge served cupcakes Christmas, Sacred Heart Church, they had baked and decorated Rockwood is having a mission, bethemselves, under the supervision of ginning with evening Mass at 7 p.m. Mrs. Carolyn Wingate and Mrs. on Saturday December 19 and en-Shirley Foster. The new bakers are ding with mass on Christmas Day,

The missionary priest will be Rev. Heather Tamblyn and Shelly John Kane from San Francisco, Ward received their Golden Bar on California. For every day of the Mission there will be a service in Rockwood church at 5 p.m. and at Ouslie church at 8 p.m.

Father John wishes to make people for councilling at any time, in the home, church or rectory, just let

December 5 at the Rockmosa scene of the Rockwood and District \*\* .... -------



posed industrial area while planning consultant Howard Smith looks on.

## Industrial land for Eramosa needed

Opinions were split at a public meeting to look into a proposed industrial area in Eramosa Township.

About 30 concerned property owners were present at the meeting held at Rockmosa Centre, Rockwood last Thursday evening to hear of purposals to rezone an area from along Highway 7 from Concession five to seven, lots one and two.

Chairman of the Eramosa Township planning board Mac Storey explained that his committee had spent the past two years looking over potential areas in the township in which to rezone industrial to attract industries.

Storey told the audience the township has lost three industries in the past few years because they had no land zoned industrial, and the firms could not wait for the rezoning. Ho explained that process takes up to two or three years.

Industry in the township would ensure jobs for residents and their children, and would help provide a more balanced tax base.

Storey noted the lands in question are only proposals, through a process of elimination of other areas. Residents were called to the meeting to ask their feelings. By rezoning, land owners would be

free to start up their own industries or sell their land to incoming businesses. Those who chose to continue their life as is would be able to Howard Smith, a planning consultant hired by the township council

explained that should the rezoning take plan and any residents object, they can go to the Ontario Municipal Board. There will be plenty of chance for public input before any decisions are made, he said. Smith noted the municipality will

be closely scrutinizing any industry coming into the area to make sure

they are "clean, light industry". The municipality will have such close reins on the businesses they will even have a say as to the size and looks of the building.

Sue Shaw, a member of the Fort Erle Committee of Adjustment, and a Eramosa land owner inquired as to the development of future industrial area. It was explained to her it would be spot development and spot zoning, developed and rezoned as the need arises.

One area resident asked what kind of industry does not pollute. "Industry pollutes, people and cars pollute," Smith said. "We would be dealing with industries that

would not put smoke in the air. "We are not talking about great industries with belching smoke or

Acton real estate agent Alec Johnson questioned Storey on how he planned to get an entrance off the highway for the industries. He noted he has several landowners who cannot get permission to get a driveway entrance for a home on the highway much less than a factory. Storey exclaimed only one entrance would be necessary as any in-

dustries would be concentrated in one area in a subdivision. Any rezoning would not affect residents taxes, Smith told the landowners. Taxes are based on land

use, he said. The planning consultant also pointed out the land would not be rezoned until one or more persons asked for it, and not all at once. He noted planning board has done

tests on soil, site sizes, availabilities of services, and other factors, in the land in question. Many residents were concerned

about council's ability to control the industries, when at least one person in the township has contravened a (Contimitéd on page 8)

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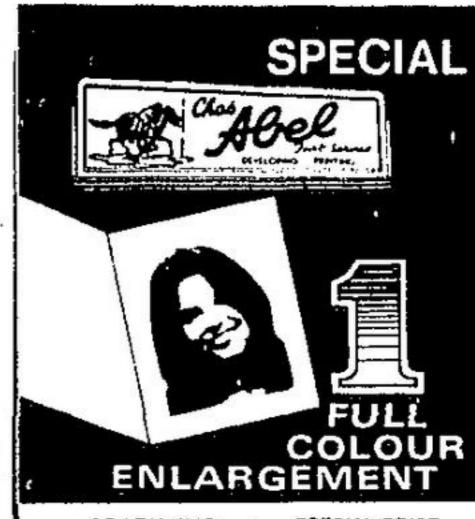
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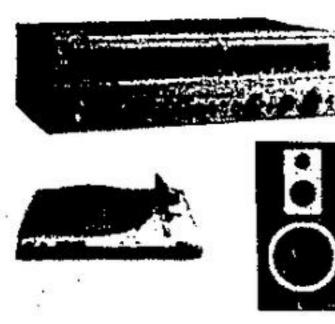
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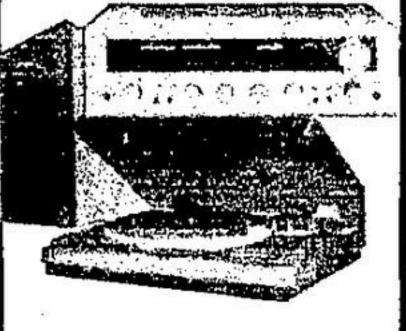
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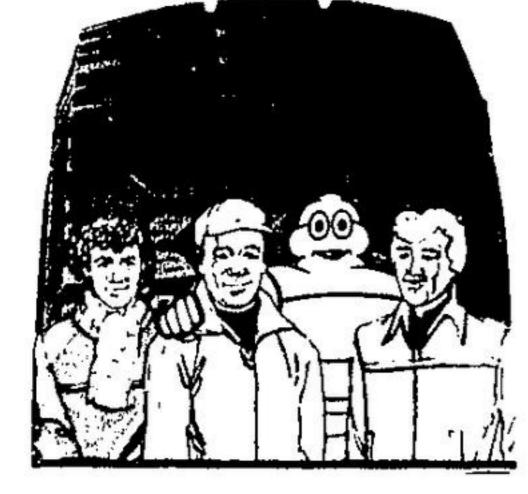
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