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Birthday party for 10

A birthday party for 10 residents of the Georgian Manor was held Wednesday evening in the manor. Standing behind birthday celebrants Myrtle Brock, Delianne Duquette, and Grace Cole, are Quota Club members Nel Peever and Elda Robillard.

## Reeve Darby, a busy man



#### Reeve Darby

Tiny Township's Reeve Morris Darby is involved in several levels of government, and is finding his schedule a busy one.

As a representative of Simcoe County he attended the meeting of the Association of Counties and Regions of Ontario (ACRO) in Chatham from Oct. 18-

As the President of the Rural Ontario Municipalities Association (ROMA) he has

been attending "a rash of meetings concerning the takeover of the new Association of Municipalities of Ontario" (AMO).

The new organization incorporates several sub-groups including ROMA, and the final transfer is to take place at the annual convention in February. The Reeve will remain on the executive of the new association as the Chairman of the Rural Section in 1982.

From November 16 to 20 the reeve and his wife Marjorie will be in Edmonton for the annual Conference of Alberta Rural Municipalities.

They will be back just in time for the Simcoe County Warden's banquet to be held in Stroud on Nov. 20.

### On dump site safety

# Env. Minister Norton gives MPThis word

by Adrienne Graham Gardner

The Minister of the Environment for Ontario Keith Norton, has provided the Midland Penetanguishene Tiny Landfill Site Committee with written assurances concerning the safety of the Pauze dump and the question of liability for damages and remedial work which may be required.

In a letter dated Oct. 19, Norton advises that the study by Pauze's hydrologists indicates "the continued disposal of domestic waste...will not substantially aggravate any environmental problem at the site."

Henderson, Paddon, another consulting firm have concluded that "there is physical capacity for a further three years" at the Perkinsfield site, according to the Minister.

The Minister also promises to "keep a close watch on the completion of the Phase II study (by Morisson Beatty) to ensure there are no undue delays." "The District Office will be ensuring that the site is operated in accordance with the Act...and will support it in any enforcement action which becomes necessary," the letter continues.

The Ministry will "advise you (M.P.T.) as the successive parts of the close-off work...are satisfactorily completed."

On the question of liability, the Minister states "In the event it becomes necessary to lay any charges with respect to the operation of the site, the Minister would regard the site operator as being responsible and would not lay charges against any of the municipalities.

Finally, Norton says "I trust your arrangements with Mr. Pauze will Sports proceed more amicably then (sic) in the recent past until you have a new Classified/Real Estate Page 12 site and that your Committee will proceed expeditiously with obtaining Movie Review the necessary approvals for one."

The letter is signed simply "Keith". =

#### Citizen briefly

#### **Airport Commission** to meet on Monday

There's to be another meeting of the Huronia Airport Commission.

That session is slated for Monday of next week at which time it is expected the commission will look into charges laid by the RCMP against an official of Garrison Aviation and also against another individual under the Immigration Act.

Garrison has been operating the airport for

the commission.

#### Colour the week 'quiet' for P.F.D.

It has been another quiet week for Fire Chief Ted Light and members of his Penetanguishene Fire Department.

Meanwhile the chief reports that both he and Capt. Art Desjardins of the fire department recently attended a Simcoe County Mutual Fire Aid Association meeting at Creemore.

The month before Light's fire department played host to a mutual meeting Penetanguishene.



**Chief Light** 

That session was highlighted by a foam demonstration next to the K. of C. on Poyntz Street which attracted well over 150 firefighters from the more than 30 fire departments in Simcoe County.

#### **FLAC** member Dupuis has resigned: SCBE

One of the six members of the French Language Advisory Committee, Victor Dupuis, has resigned.

News of his resignation was included in the report of the Oct. 15 meeting of FLAC received and accepted by the Simcoe County Board of Education, Wednesday.

Dupuis is taking post-secondary school education in Ottawa, local trustee Alvin Gravelle said. Dupuis has not been replaced: FLAC's next meeting is on Nov. 12.

#### Get your report cards ready now

Here's your chance to grade your local lawmakers.

Send us their report cards. For details turn to Page 3.

#### Task force hearings start Monday

The Emergency Task Force on Agriculture hearings for the Toronto area have been rescheduled for Nov. 2 and 3, reports the Simcoe County Federation of Agriculture.

Simcoe County Federation of Agriculture and other farm organizations in this county will be presenting briefs.

It is expected that the recommendations from the task force hearings will be available for discussion at the Ontario Federation's annual convention, which starts Nov. 23 in Toronto.

#### Bundle up! More snow heading our way

We can expect more rain or snow to appear this weekend as a result of blustery weather heading our way.

So far this month a total of four centimeters of snow has fallen on the area: two centimeters on Nov. 18-19 and two more on Nov.

During all of last winter a total of 295.02 centimeters (116.14") of snow fell on this area from Nov. 24, 1980 to March 18, 1981 with additional traces appearing on April 19 and April 25.

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