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Issue heats up

Fire returning officer: Simcoe Centre candidate

Warren Bailie, Ontario's chief election officer, said he would respond today to a

request from a Liberal candidate in the last provincial election that Cliff Goodhead, Simcoe

Centre's returning officer, be fired, because of an incident in the last provincial

election. Last Wednesday the Liberal candidate in Simcoe Centre in that

election, Bruce Owen, asked as well that an apology to his campaign organiser, Frances Reid, be published in the Bradford newspaper.

Reid was barred from entering the polls on election day in Bradford and West Gwillimbury by Goodhead as the result of a charge that Reid misrepresented two men who wanted to vote at an advance poll, Owen said Wednesday from his Barrie office, following the press conference he called.

Bailie said last Wednesday that an arrangement was reached at the time whereby Reid could enter the polls in the company of her candidate, but that a telephone threat against Goodhead confused the matter and the contact between Owen and himself was not continued. (The case against the man charged with making the threatening call was dismissed this month, Owen said.) Bailie at that time was the assistant to Roderick Lewis, who was the chief election officer.

Bailie on Wednesday received affidavits gathered by Owen from the two men, who were allegedly brought to an advance poll by Reid, stating that no collusion was involved.

Bailie said the contents of the affidavits provided by Owen were "certainly different than the reports I received." Goodhead is a returning officer of long standing, he pointed out, however, a man who has acted as returning officer in several federal elections.

Goodhead, reached at his Barrie home Wednesday, said that he had no comment, but continued to say that as far as he was concerned the matter is "over and done with," that he "dealt with the matter at the time according to instructions from the chief returning officer," and that "I can't very well say anything about it."

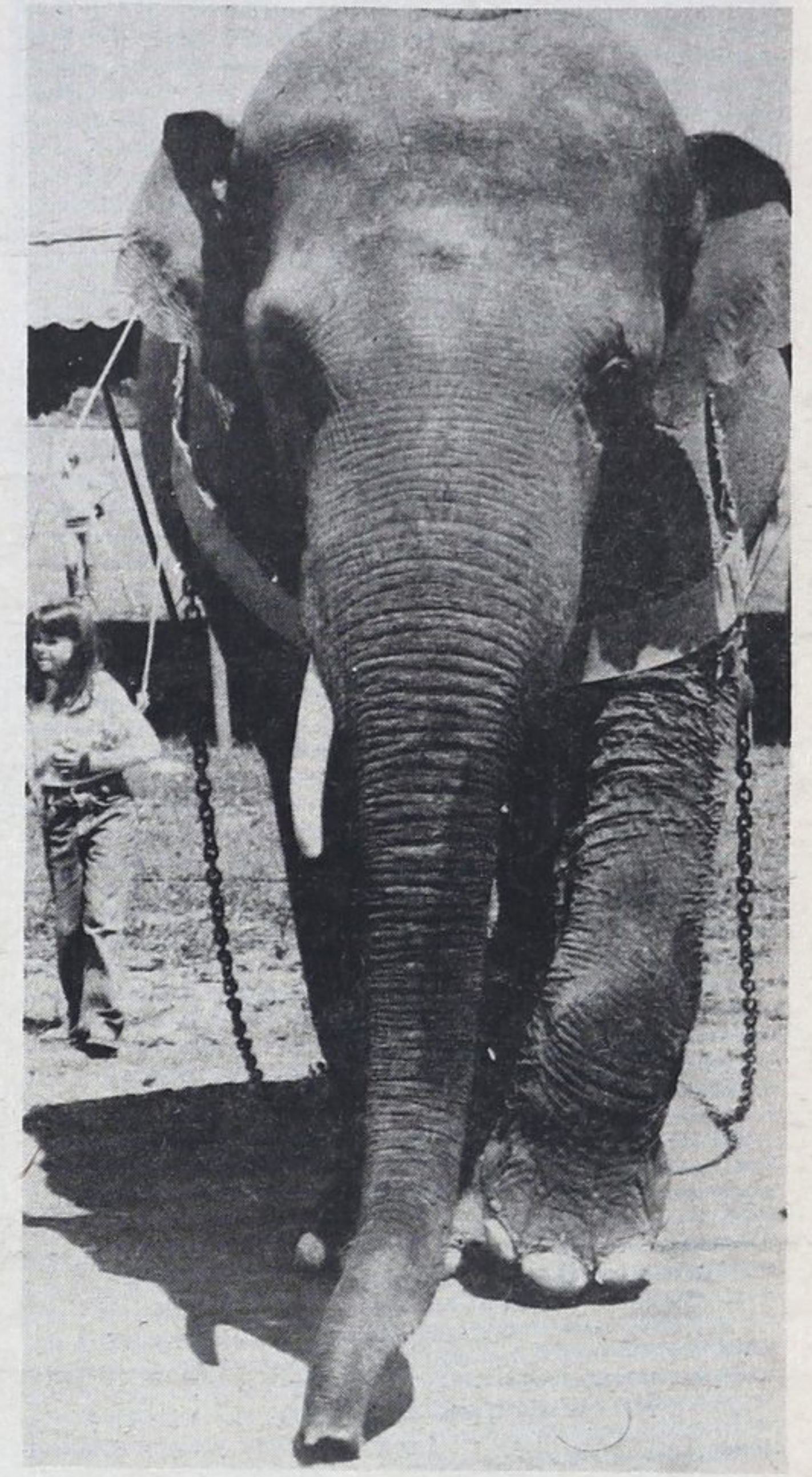
He has been a returning officer in five provincial elections and one federal election.



Water ball time

These smoke-eaters (water-drinkers?) from Penetanguishene, Midland, Tay and Port McNicoll were photographed Wednesday night in

Penetanguishene brushing up on their water ball competition skills in preparation for July 3's tourney in Penetanguishene.



Cheap labour, eh?

Here's a fellow who does the work of a dozen or more people on only a bale or two of hay a day. This elephant was photographed yesterday helping to raise a circus tent in Penetanguishene for the Martin and Downs Circus that came to town.

Sherk application has planning board support

An application from contractor Don Sherk to build two buildings in Penetanguishene smaller than allowed by the town's zoning bylaw has the support of the Penetanguishene Planning Board.

The town council next Monday will receive a recommendation from the board that Sherk be allowed to build two buildings substantially smaller than regularly allowed on one of two lots he owns in the town's industrial park.

Sherk recently traded land with the town, allowing the town to move its public works department into the industrial park, to the benefit of the town. Sherk's office and shop is already located in the industrial park. He is applying to move it to another lot.

The council will also receive a recommendation that the revision to the zoning bylaw for one of the two lots be conditional upon Sherk acknowledging that any building erected on his other property in the industrial park will have to comply with zoning regulations.

CITIZEN BRIEFLY

Both blazes still under investigation

Still to be determined by the Ontario Fire Marshal's Office is what caused an \$800,000 fire earlier this month at Bay Moorings Dining Lounge in Penetanguishene.

Also to be pin-pointed is what caused last Saturday's early morning \$80,000 fire at the Penetanguishene Curling Club.

Look for us next Tuesday and Friday

This newspaper, your community newspaper, will publish next Tuesday and Friday.

We will be closed on Thursday, July 1, Dominion Day.

Cattlemen planning July 14 get-together

Simcoe County Cattlemen's Association is planning a Twilight meeting to be held at Kilmorlie Farms, RR2 Bradford, July 14.

This will be a social evening for cattlemen and their families. The program will consist

of demonstrations, weight guessing contests and entertainment. Guest speaker for the occasion will be Roy Maxwell of CBC Radio Noon. The evening will conclude with 'beef-on-the-bun and a salad plate.

Tickets are available from directors of the association and the office of the Simcoe County Federation of Agriculture, 49 Essa Rd., Barrie.

Kilmorlie Farms is located on the fifth sideroad of West Gwillimbury Township, halfway between Highways 88 and 89.

Guess what happens six months from today?

Don't look now but in exactly six months it will be Christmas Day!

Top town brass meets Monday

A regular monthly meeting of Penetanguishene Council is slated for Monday at town hall.

That session starts at 7:30 p.m. and as usual it will be open to the general public.

Tax tally told to council

Sixteen per cent, or \$33,092, of the Elmvalle 1982 municipal tax has been paid, Councillor Keith Rossel told council last week.

And 84.5 per cent of the 1982 interim tax had been collected.