

HONOURS

Pair applauded by Sally Ann's

Former Midland councillor Nancy Keefe and the editor of The Midland Times Doug Reed were on the receiving end yesterday morning of special honours during surprise presentations at Midland town hall.

The pair was on hand to watch Mayor Moreland Lynn sign a Salvation Army Centennial Scroll which Major Wilfred Hammond of Orillia (head of the Army's Northern Ontario District) has been taking across the district to be inscribed by heads of municipal councils.

The scroll pays tribute to the Salvation Army's centennial in Canada this year.

Red Shield campaign efforts cited

At the conclusion of the official signing Lt. Ray Braddock of the local Salvation Army presented the Army's Award of Appreciation to both Keefe and Reed for their involvement with the local Red Shield Campaign in North Simcoe during the past couple of years.

Keefe has chaired the campaign committee while Reed has been its publicity director.

The presentations, kept secret from both recipients for more than a week, came as a complete surprise to both when they were made yesterday.

"I only had a couple of shots left in my camera after I took the mayor's picture signing the scroll. What a surprise when Ray mentioned my name after saluting Nancy. I was so excited I got Moreland to take a picture of us," Editor Reed said later.

"To say I was thrilled is an understatement. I've enjoyed working with Nancy and the other members of the Red Shield Committee. Really the award means a lot to not only me but to all the people who have helped over the years with the campaign."

Last day is Dec. 23 at RCA

The remaining employees of RCA's Midland colour picture tube plant will finish work at the plant on Dec. 23. Dec. 31 is the official closing day. The plant does not operate between Christmas and New Year's Day.

Jeff Peck, head of the Union of International Union of Radio, Electrical and Mechanical Workers local at the plant, says that a number, unknown to him, of parties have toured the plant. He doesn't know who the touring parties represent, he said. The employees are "sitting back and taking a wait and see attitude," he said.

Blackhurst says he'll run

Midland PUC Commissioner Miles Blackhurst won't be seeking another term on the PUC, instead he'll be going after a seat (alderman-Ward 2) on town council Nov. 8.

Blackhurst has served on the PUC for four years, has been an active member of the Harbour Committee for a number of years and has previously served as an alderman on council for a total of five years.



Keefe, Reed saluted

Awards of Appreciation were presented yesterday morning at Midland town hall by the national Salvation Army to Nancy Keefe and Doug Reed. The presentations came as a surprise to both Midlanders who were invited to see Mayor Moreland Lynn

sign a Salvation Army Centennial Scroll. From left: Major Wilfred Hammond; Doug Reed, editor of this newspaper, Nancy Keefe, former Midland councillor and Lt. Ray Braddock. The Midlanders were saluted for their untiring efforts

during recent Red Shield Campaigns in North Simcoe, Keefe has been the campaign's chairman while Reed has been its publicity director.

-Photo by Mayor Moreland Lynn

A promising curtain-raiser

Drama at MSS is well underway. Casting for the popular YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN has been completed and rehearsals have started.

There are three performances slated in January for this warm-hearted musical revue that captures the full flavour of the 'Peanuts' comic strip.

The following students have been cast: Ian Veall as Charlie Brown, Monica Tietz as Lucy, Walter Stewart as Linus, Jim Kulczycki as Schroeder, Sue Patterson as Patty and Aaron Bertram as Snoopy.

The musical will be presented partially in the 'round' and at least one of the performances will take the form of 'dinner theatre' where patrons will be served a meal before they enjoy the show.

After Christmas, work will begin on this year's one-act entry into the Georgian Bay Drama Festival and later in the year our audiences will be treated to a revue of popular songs from Broadway musicals.

Job Fair '82 at Georgian

it will bring employers and students together...

At least 25 major employers, representing areas of employment for all Georgian College divisions, will take part in Job Fair '82 on Oct. 27 from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., in the gymnasium at the Barrie Campus.

Organizer Janet Priest, the College Placement Officer, says Job Fair '82 has been designed to provide students, faculty and staff with the opportunity to talk to employers about their companies. Topics such as career opportunities, entry level requirements and educational requirements will be discussed.

The employers will have displays and information material on hand. Mrs. Priest says students and guidance counsellors from high schools in Simcoe County have been invited to attend. The event is also open to interested members of the general public.

Those companies which have already confirmed their participation are: Association of Ontario Land Surveyors; Gray Coach; CUSO; O.P.P.; Bank of Commerce; Mental Health Centre, Penetang; Huronia Tourism Association; Santa's Village; Cara Operations; Sperry Univac; Bell Canada; Volkswagen Canada; Sun Life; King Optical; Mother's Restaurants; Tektronix; Harlequin Enterprises; Woolco / Woolworths; South Lake Simcoe Conservation Authority; Ministry of Tourism and Recreation; Blue Mountain Resorts; Graphic Arts Industries Association; Canadian Armed Forces; Georgian College and Transport Canada.

Catholic Family Life Education a two-fold approach

RC Board trustees approve project

Simcoe County Roman Catholic Separate School Board approved a two-fold approach to Catholic Family Life Education at its Oct. 6 meeting.

In the initial year of the program development temporary programmes will be introduced for Grade 8 students in order that they might receive understanding before leaving elementary school. In a first step toward development of a complete program, pilot approaches will be used in three centres during the current school year.

Barrie, Bradford, and Midland have been selected as the three centres. Local committees composed of parents, trustees, priests, and teachers under the chairmanship of a principal will develop local understandings, clarify the needs, receive community input, and generally develop

implementation approaches.

The local committees will receive direct assistance from Consultant Sister Marjorie Casey. Religion Consultant John Prokopich will assist in maintaining consonance with Religion programmes.

High School Committee

Representative parents from the five Barrie schools will be invited to participate in further consideration of any plans for a Catholic High School in Barrie.

The Simcoe County Roman Catholic Separate School Board approved a resolution from the High School Committee at its Oct. 6 meeting which provides for determination of a community consensus for methods and timing of a 9-13 Catholic High School for the city. A report is anticipated by Nov. 17.

Year One

The Special Education Committee reported to the Oct. 6 meeting of The Simcoe County Roman Catholic Separate School Board that everything was very much in place in relation to the board's Special Education Services Plan. With the exception of a French language speech consultant, the board's plans for year one have been met on the staff front. The board approved the membership of school and area Identification, Placement and Review Committees and the parent hand-book describing the board's approach to programme for students with exceptional needs.

French Language Instructional Units

A determination has been made by The

Simcoe County Roman Catholic Separate School Board as to how additional grants for French language students will be used. At its Oct. 6 meeting the board decided:

(a) to continue to provide the services of a French language Religion Consultant on a shared basis with neighbouring separate school boards.

(b) to continue the accelerated development of resource materials in its small new French language units.

(c) to continue to meet the need for increased moneys to purchase texts and library materials which sell at premium due to the limited market.

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