

Tory Rowe says environment 'sacred trust'



by GEORGE EARL ROWE

Earl Rowe was born in Simcoe County and with his wife and two children lives on a 200 acre farm at Newton Robinson. He is the Progressive Conservative candidate for the riding of Simcoe Centre in the Provincial Election on May 2nd. He is a 33-year-old farmer-businessman, he is known in the many Barrie Service Clubs in which he has held office as a hard working young man who works quietly, quickly and effectively. He actively farms in West Gwillimbury; as manager of the Barrie Raceway he employs 300 people.

Rowe Issues

Earl feels the most important issues facing the constituents in this area are as follows:

Earl Rowe feels the Environment is a sacred trust which must never be breached. He is well aware of the environmental problems of waste disposal and pollution in Ontario and Simcoe Centre. His goal, as is the goal of the Ontario Government, is to achieve and maintain a quality of environment - air, land and water - that will protect human health and contribute to the well being of the

people on Ontario.

It is an aim that will require dedicated study and decision as problems arise with future growth and expansion of Business and Industry. The Province of Ontario spends in excess of \$300 million annually on programs aimed at improving our environment. The Government has undertaken measures to control emission and to reduce the problem of Acid Rain within Ontario.

Both Hydro and Inco are under controls imposed by the government to reduce their emissions.

Ontario was the first of the Provinces to deal exclusively with hazardous contaminants and standards. For instance, Pauze Landfill site is being monitored. According to the environmental studies there has been no effect on the environment. Other landfill sites must be located. It is a fact of modern life contaminants are produced and must be managed and stored so they do not effect the environment. The problem is what do we do with the contaminants - they will not just disappear on their own.

Growth, expansion and more employment will come to Simcoe Centre with the proposed tax breaks incorporated in the Enterprise Ontario policy. And one of the first industries to benefit in Simcoe Centre will undoubtedly be the tourist industry. Although this industry has recently suffered like many others from the economic slowdown in this province, it is still Ontario's second largest - a \$6.9 billion industry - or 6 percent of the gross provincial product annually.

Earl Rowe believes that the tourist industry in Simcoe County, already well based in one of the most beautiful sections of Ontario, will become a major revenue producing industry in the next decade. With Government sponsored advertising and long term loans for expanding tourist operators, he could well be right in his belief. If he is, more jobs could quickly become available for our youth and older residents.

As a farmer, Earl Rowe is well aware of the low prices and high costs experienced by farmers in their attempt to provide food for this nation. He is encouraged by the P.C. Government's awareness of the problem and

their plans for increased low interest loans for farmers now in effect. He is also encouraged that the low interest loans are now available for drainage projects and new vegetable and fruit storage facilities. The proposed Red Beef Plan will also assist many farmers by providing \$62.5 million in economic assistance to the beef and sheep industries in Ontario over the next five years.

Earl Rowe is dedicated to the task of building on the best of Ontario's past. He is well aware that problems exist and improvements must be introduced in many areas of our economy. Growth and expansion will increase the problems, but his positive attitude is a refreshing approach. As he recently stated; "Unlike the opposition parties, the Progressive Conservative Party is a creative not a destructive force. Unlike the opposition parties, we don't seek power by capitalizing on the smoldering fires of discontent."

Earl believes as well that our seniors must not be forgotten. They have made this Province what it is today and they shall never be forgotten.

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Red Shield Month starts today across the nation

May is Red Shield Month in Canada. In North Simcoe, the Midland Salvation Army will be holding a kick-off parade on Saturday at 11 a.m. in Midland to mark the annual event.

Then on Monday, May 6, local Sally Ann's will be conducting a blitz for funds.

This year's target is \$25,000 reports campaign chairman Doug Reed. Honorary chairman is Midland Mayor Al Roach.

Did you know that The Salvation Army in Canada has 8,887 officers and employees serving in 547 centres?

...That The Salvation Army has prison and court chaplains in most penitentiaries, jails, and court facilities in the nation?

...That The Salvation Army in Canada has 11 hospitals, from the superb Grace Hospital in Vancouver to a new \$55 million, 300-bed facility about to be opened in Scarborough, Scarborough?

...That The Salvation Army has 20 senior citizens' homes where 2,000 enjoy their retirement years?

...That at civic government request, the Army opened a 100-bed Emergency Shelter during the winter months in Canada's largest metropolis, Toronto?

Wherever there is need, The Salvation Army is present. They've been caring for the outcast of Canadian society for more than 100 years and still wrap their arms around the unloved and the unlovable to feed, shelter and restore them to dignity and health.

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During this year's National Red Shield Campaign for funds, the people of North Simcoe will have opportunity to help The Salvation Army in its efforts to help the underprivileged of society. Give generously to

this organization which has abundantly demonstrated boundless love for others in its great humanitarian endeavours.

The Midland Citadel of the Salvation Army is celebrating its 100th year of service.

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Fatal mishap on Hwy 69

During the week ending April 29, Midland OPP investigated six motor-vehicle accidents including one fatal mishap on Highway 69, Sunday morning.

Richard A. Edwards, 30 yrs. of 579 O'Conner Drive, East York, was driving his 1974 car southbound on Highway 69 in the southbound lane.

The car struck seven guide posts and continued into a rock cut on the west side of the highway.

Edwards was thrown from the vehicle and was pronounced dead at the scene by Dr. H. Jileson.

The car was totally destroyed

Now the paperwork begins

Huron Airport Commission is presently working on terms of reference in preparation for hiring a consultant to carry out a \$35,000 Design and Environmental Impact Study for the tri-municipal airport in Tiny, west Midland.

Funds for the study have come from the federal government. It is the intent of the commission to extend the airport's 3,000-foot north-south runway by an additional 1,000 feet so as to handle small executive jets.

The plan also calls for paying a section near the two hangars, south of the administration building and offices.

Traditional confirmation with Bishop Clune

Bishop Robert Clune, an auxiliary bishop to the Archdiocese of Toronto, presided over St. Margaret's Parish traditional springtime confirmation ceremonies on Saturday.

Seventy-five grade 8 students from Sacred Heart Elementary school, Monseigneur Castex secondary school, and the church sunday school, participated in the con-

firmation.

Bishop Clune's responsibilities to the northeast of the archdiocese require his presence at about 70 confirmation gatherings each year.

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