Temporary postmaster in two towns

John Arbour as of yesterday is acting postmaster of both the Midland and Penetanguishene post offices. Les Bell's last day as Midland postmaster was last Friday.

Arbour has been acting postmaster of Penetanguishene since June of 1984. He expects a new postmaster for Midland will be appointed by January.

Arbour. Penetanguishene tive, started with the post office as a postal clerk in the Midland office 14 years ago. He has been a postal clerk in Penetanguishene and worked in the post office's Barrie marketing office.

Arbour said he would be interested in being the Penetanguishene postmaster. Being in charge of the Midland post office will give him an idea of how that office works, he said.

Victoria Harbour

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There are lots of new books that have been purchased by the library: Sweet Valley High Christmas, Honey Bears Christmas Surprise, Siegfried's Silent Night. Little Golden Christmas Books, The Nutcracker, Christmas Candies, and

Christmas Cookies. Do drop in, have a good browse, and take home a good book.

For those of you who missed it, the Georgian Craft Club had an excellent luncheon last Saturday in the Community Centre. There were excellent displays of crafts, plus home baked goodies.

Winds gusted to 47 knots: O'Hara

They didn't have to worry about clearing off the north-south runway at Huronia Airport in Tiny Township yesterday.

Snow, whipped up by 18 knot winds, gusting to 47 knots, "blew down the chute," reported

John O'Hara.

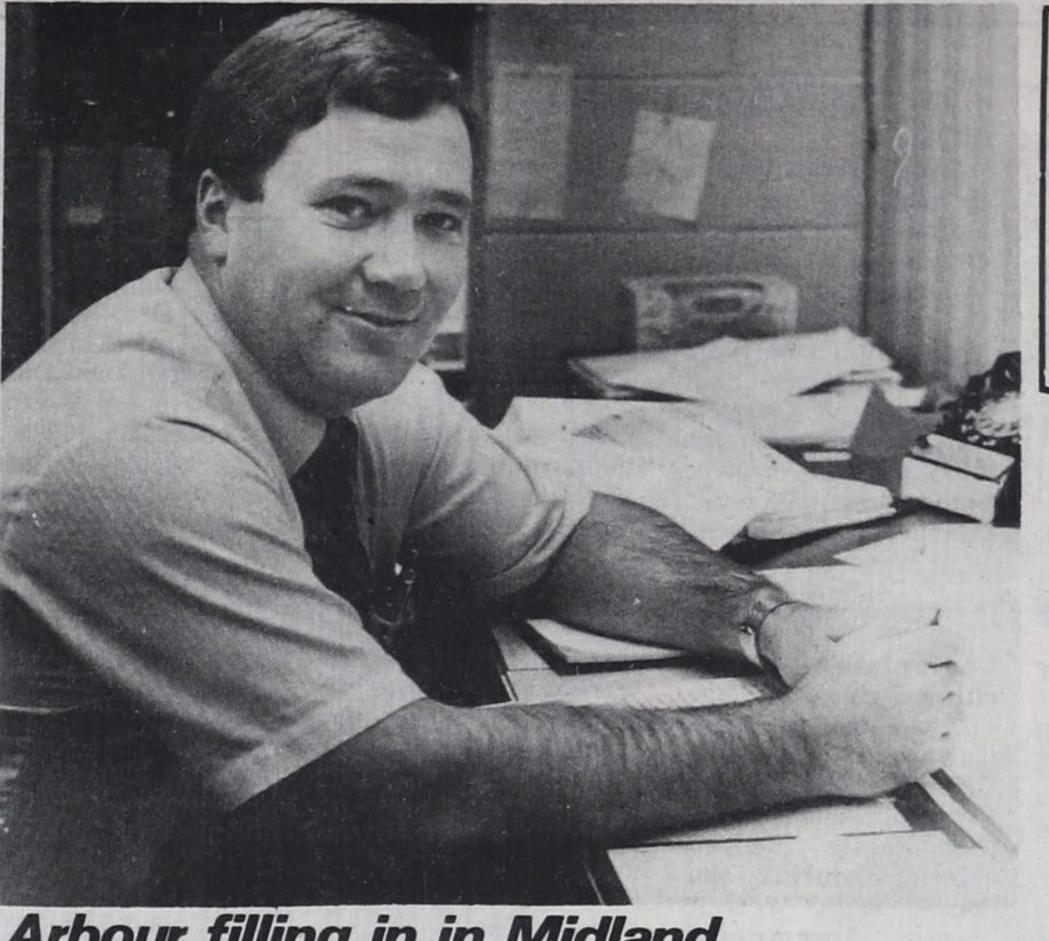
Winds from the due north carried blowing snow directly down the paved 3,000-foot strip.

"There were times when not only could you not see the end of the runway but you couldn't see its beginning, O'Hara confirmed.



Festivewear weekend

Over 32 volunteer and amateur models, including 12 young children, were the centre of attention at Midland's Highland Inn, during the annual Quota Club Fashion Show, in support of the hearing impaired. Bonnie Fleming (left) and Stella Pike (right) modelled a variety of outfits from Boutique Marie Claire, Gagnac's Children's Wear, and Village Leisure Wear.



Arbour filling in in Midland

Penetanguishene, became as well the acting postmaster of Midland as of yesterday. Former Midland post-

John Arbour, acting postmaster of master Les Bell's final day was last Friday. Arbour expects Midland will have a new postmaster in January. -Photo by Valorie Brucker

Children's Wildlife Club ready for exciting 1986

The season has wrapped up for a very special club. The Children's Wildlife Club, held every fourth Saturday of the month in the Wye Marsh Wildlife Centre, is one year old.

The brainchild of biologist Eva Kaiser, the club is geared to showing children ages seven to 13 the wonders of nature. An enthusiastic core group of 10 children have attended regularly and anywhere up to 20 have joined in the fun of spring dipnetting, frog catching, wildflower walks and nature scavenger hunts.

The new season (first meeting next Jan. 25) promises to be even more exciting. Divided now into junior (ages six to eight) and senior (ages nine and up) groups, the club welcomes helpers (teens or adults) to take part in snowshoe hikes, salamander survey, search for turtle nesting sites and other outings. The charge for each meeting is only 75 cents per child or free with membership to Friends of Wye Marsh.

