



Christmas cheer

Midland Salvation Army Lieutenant Norman Garcia receives \$500 from the Midland Lions Club, for the Army's annual Christmas Cheer campaign. Represent-

ing the Lions is Don MacKenzie, chairman of the Midland Lions health and welfare committee. The goal for the Christmas Cheer campaign of 1986 is \$35,000.

Town exams sites

Three or four parcels of land in Midland are being considered as the site for a research and development centre.

Midland council was asked last month by the North Simcoe Development Corporation (NSDC) to donate land for a research and development centre. The committee appointed by Mayor Al Roach, and NSDC representatives, held their first meeting last week.

Kamran Khozan, NSDC commissioner, expects that a recommendation will be ready for Midland council within the next two weeks.

The ideal parcel of land would be 10 to 15 acres, accessible, visible, with a good view of the surroundings, in a non-residential area but connected to all municipal services, and with a connection to commercial level 550 volt electricity.

Possible sites for the consideration of the committee are land south and east of Little Lake Park, the northeast corner of William Street and Highway 12, the area of Tiffin Park, and east and southeast of the intersection of Vinden Street and Fifth Street.

Huron Park, above Bayshore Drive, is the only completely municipally owned land which meets most of the criteria. It is not 10 to 15 acres in area.

The NSDC, the mandate of which is job creation, is not idle in the meantime, Khozan says.

Negotiation has begun with York University, Waterloo University, and Georgian College, Khozan says.

He expects that by February the groundwork will be laid. Letters of mutual interest will be exchanged.

The Ministry of Employment and Immigration has given the project a "green light." A proposal for money will be submitted to the federal Community Initiatives Fund by the end of this month. A copy of the application for the multi-million dollar project will be forwarded to the provincial Ministry of Colleges and Universities. The private sector will be approached for money, too, Khozan says.

Khozan described himself and NSDC chairman Robbert Hartogg as being extremely optimistic. Khozan believes the ceremonial sod turning for the building will occur at the end of the summer of 1987.

The proposed research and development centre will concentrate on skills on which Canadian industry depends but which are in short supply.

Contract negotiations

Tomorrow, negotiation for a contract will resume between representatives of Waltec Plastics and 170 employees.

A conciliation effort by a provincial government mediator last month was unsuccessful. Local 1476 of the Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union (ACTW) members legally can strike on Dec. 14.

Tomorrow's meeting was suggested by the company. Local 1476 President Ken Stonehouse says.

The old contract, covering two years, expired last Sept. 20.

Waltec Plastics is a division of Waltec, Inc. Plastic component parts are molded to industries' specifications by Waltec Plastics.

Publisher wins two awards

Bayweb Limited, of Elmvale and Bracebridge, the printer of the Midland Times and the Penetanguishene Citizen, was the recipient of two awards for the quality of its web offset printing at the ninth annual meeting of The Printing Industries of America, Inc., (PIA), held Nov. 11 to Nov. 13 in Phoenix, Arizona. The company placed first and third in a graphic arts award competition in categories for the best four colour mechanical and photographic process pieces.

The company has won 10 such awards since it became a member of the organization in 1980.

Purpose of the annual awards competition is to recognize printers and their customers who excel in creating and producing the finest in non-heatset web printing. Winners were selected this year from over 400 entries submitted by printers across North America, with judging from Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, N.Y. At the same meeting Bayweb's general manager Charles Wadge was elected to a second one-year term as a director of the organization. He is one of two board representatives from Canada with other

members from all parts of the United States. Bayweb's first place award for a four colour sales catalogue for the Hamilton area Beaver Lumber stores and third place award for a four colour advertisement in Quill and Quire, a Key Publishers newspaper for

the Canadian book trade published in Toronto. Bayweb recently announced that it will soon be entering the heatset web offset field and is currently constructing a 41,000 square foot addition to its Elmvale plant to house 13 Solna Commercial press units with three folders.



Wedding bells

Ellen Beck and Tim Belcourt were married September 27 at Elmvale Presbyterian Church. Ellen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Beck of Vasey. Tim is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Belcourt of Elmvale.

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