



BIRTHS

BURNHAM - Farrel and Kristine (nee Chepelsky) are pleased to announce the birth of their first child, Steven on July 29, 1977, 5 lbs., 8 oz. at the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

RETIREMENT NOTICE

FOR
CLIFF DALEY

Wishing you all the very best

- From the Family

*OPEN HOUSE - Sunday, August 21st, 2 to 6 p.m.
at 218 Kenogami Road., Everyone Welcome.*

Some plants need a lot of water

Most of Northwestern Ontario's electricity, or up to 600,000 kilowatts, normally comes from the region's 10 hydro-electric plants. It takes a lot of water to supply that much power.

And it took a lot more than a few dry spells to threaten those supplies. As last year's drought dragged on water levels dropped, lower and lower. Meanwhile, demands for electricity rose higher and higher to top all records.

This precarious supply and demand situation has meant that the coal-fired Thunder Bay Generating Station has had to be operated around the clock and that as much electricity as possible be drawn from eastern Ontario and Manitoba. But the amount that can be brought in is limited.

Water levels in most lakes used for storage are much lower than normal, and without heavy rainfalls recovery will be slow. Therefore water-power generating stations are being used as sparingly as possible now to save water for the fall and winter when demands reach their peak.

There could be serious shortages ahead. Blackouts or brownouts. It is most important that everyone keep on saving as much electricity as they can. At home, in industry and commerce.



Your help is needed. Conserve electricity.