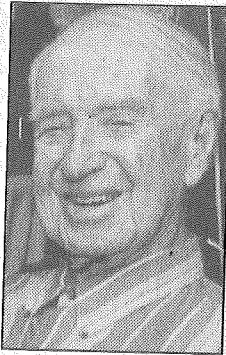


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Happy 105th!

Mayor Hazel McCallion was among well-wishers at Burd McNiece's birthday party Sunday at Erin Mills Lodge. McNiece was born on June 8, 1889, near Durham. He spent his working years in



Saskatchewan, where he earned a place in Canada's Curling Hall of Fame. After retiring in Kelowna, British Columbia, he remained an avid golfer and can claim five holes in one after the age of 80. McNiece returned to Ontario nine years ago. He is affectionately known as Grandpa Big Bird by his nine grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. *Miss Row June 8, 1991*