

A TALE OF TWO WINTERMYERS

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Saturday, September 14, 1963

Ontario Liberal Leader John Wintermyer is attempting to make old age pensions the principal issue in the Provincial election. He is praising the Federal Government's Pension Plan and deriding the Ontario Government's scheme. The best comment on Mr. Wintermyer's campaign on this subject is to contrast what he is now saying about pensions with what he had said earlier in the Legislature.

In his opening speech of the election campaign at Ottawa, on August 26, Mr. Wintermyer said: "We in the Ontario Liberal Party wish to see the Pension Plan in effect in every Province that wants it. We believe that what is of social welfare and justice should be equal across all of Canada."

On April 7, 1960, Mr. Wintermyer expressed appreciation to the Ontario Legislature for passing the Pension Plan. He argued: "It has been said that these plans really should be national in scope, that they should not be limited to the Province. Well now, it is almost a constitutional difficulty that a Provincial pension plan is a matter of property and civil rights under the British North America Act. As such, I think it is more closely allied to the Provincial Government than to the Federal."

Local municipal officials got discouraging results from their efforts to locate a sufficient and suitable water supply that might fill the needs of the municipality. However, their efforts at least must be commensurate with the needs of the people. An ample flow from a well in the Village provided an ample supply of water but the hardness precluded any hope of utilizing it in a water system. The quarry, three miles west of the Village was equally discouraging in that the supply proved insufficient for the need. The quality aspect was not checked out in this instance. This effort points up the growing problem of water supply in the north west section of the Province as well. It would appear that in the years ahead a utility complex will have to be resorted to in order to meet the needs of the ever growing population. The Great Lakes system is apparently the only answer.

In his 1960 speech urging a provincial pension scheme, Mr. Wintermyer said: "I think this plan should be actuarially sound, care whether it operated by the Government. Personally, I would like to see it kept in private hands with some degree of compulsion enacted by law."

Mr. Wintermyer revealed in the same speech that he had been consulting insurance company experts. He said: "In this respect, I might say I have talked to several insurance executives who are very interested in this matter."

In his campaign attacks on the Ontario pension plan, Mr. Wintermyer has consistently sneered at it as the "Robarts plan" and has severely criticized the coverage it would extend to the people and the benefits it would pay.

When the bill to enact the Ontario Government plan was put before the Legislature for second reading on March 22 this year, Mr. Wintermyer's spokesman in the debate was Mr. R. C. Edwards, Liberal M.P.P. for Wentworth.

Mr. Edwards concluded: "As I say, Mr. Speaker, in support of the bill, we as Liberals, take some credit for this legislation coming forward at this time. We feel we have had a part in it and we are pleased to have the opportunity to do our credit for bringing the legislation forward, we are proud of that part and we are pleased with the contribution that it will make to the workers of this Province."

As Mr. Wintermyer said in his speech at Ottawa: "It is important that we as Liberals campaign with honesty and responsibility and integrity."

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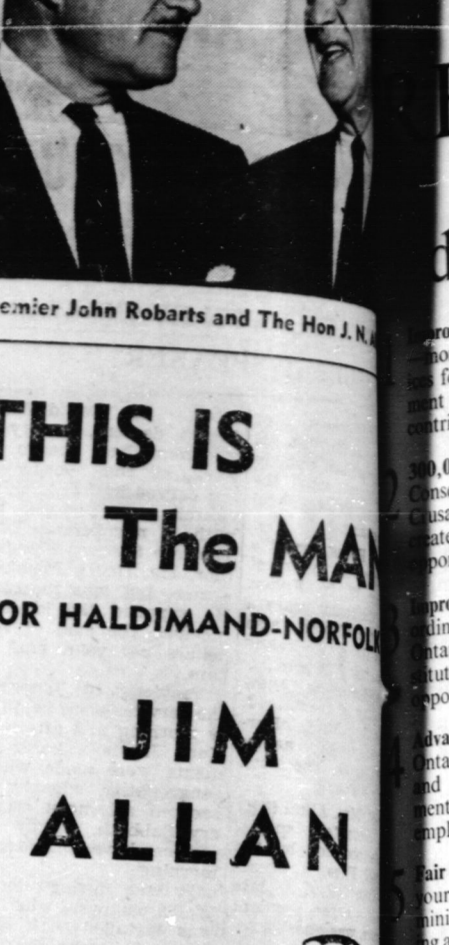
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By C. D. CLARKE
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WOMEN TEACHERS ASSOCIATION
(Intended for a previous issue)
The forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Federation of Women Teachers' Associations of Ontario was held at the Royal York Hotel on August 20-22. It was attended by Nancy Fehman, Miss Grace Bagley, Mrs. Estelle Bruce and Mrs. Dorothy Parsons, all of Haldimand.

BUTTER PICTURE BRIGHTER
(Intended for a previous issue)
Ottawa, August 1963 - Agriculture Minister Harry Hays, said today there are now firm indications that butter production in close balance this year for the first time since 1957.

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AT THE CHURCHES

ANGELIC CHURCH NOTES
(Intended for last issue)
The Nanticoke S. S. Picnic was a very happy affair, although weather did interfere. The races were all run off in sunny weather and then the rain came. Everyone adjourned to the Pentecost Hall where hot dogs and watermelon made everyone forget the rain. The picnic was held on the grounds of the Denison Estate and thanks are due to the Denison Family for the use of their ground and for the generous contribution towards the expenses of the picnic.

KNOX CHURCH LADIES
Bishop Bagnall will administer the Sacred Rite of Confirmation at Christ Church on Sunday, 15th September, at 11.00 A.M. The Jarvis service being cancelled for that day.
The Rector wishes to thank Mr. Jack Cooke, L.R. for taking the services most acceptably during his absence.

GARNET UNITED CHURCH WOMEN'S MEETING
On Thursday evening, September 5th, the Garnet Ladies met at the home of Mrs. Emerson Phillips for their September meeting. Mrs. Mark Phillips opened the programme by having a hymn and the Lord's Prayer in unison. After a welcome, the minutes were read and adopted and the treasurer's report was given. The telling of a good income from the past three bales sales. We were reminded of our Anniversary Services coming on the last Sunday in September, also that Miss Margaret Laidlaw would be coming as a speaker later in the fall. Two of the members offered to decorate the church for Anniversary Sunday. It was agreed that a letter of appreciation and a church plate should be sent to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker of Victoria B. C. for their generous contribution towards the new building at the side of the church. Mrs. G. Cherry took charge of the programme, prepared by Mrs. Walter North. A fine devotional period followed led by Mrs. Chae with Mrs. R. Smith reading the scripture and all joining in the "Confession of Sin" and prayer. Mrs. Chae Hartrop gave an interesting reading.

ENJOYING SUMMER
Having heat trouble? Just remember last winter and maybe you'll feel better. We picked out a paper at random from last winter and this is what the Journal reported for the week. The high for the week was 28 degrees and the low 16 below zero.

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