

It would appear some major changes are going to take place with respect to elementary education in the Walpole area.

with the joint approval of the North Walpole Board and the Village Board. The administrative lines of demarcation should be forgotten now rather than when the new education Bill becomes effective.

It would appear that, after this year, one Board will administer the affairs of the present three Boards. Any precipitous action now, on the part of any of the three Boards to make major changes in their facilities could prove expensive in the years ahead.

Departmental policy has apparently had a profound effect upon those elected to administer educational policy locally. There seems to be, all of a sudden, a determination to build new schools. We have no quarrel with that but, as we have pointed out before, such a major change as this requires that the most careful thought and planning be given to the educational needs of the Township and the Village of Jarvis should be worked out

E. P. Taylor is not held in the highest esteem by many of his fellow Canadians but he is an impressive story indeed. Who would have guessed, for instance, that in a province of some 7 1/2 million people, close to 1 1/2 million received care in our general hospitals during 1963. Of these, nearly one million were bed-patients, who averaged roughly 10 1/2 days each in hospital. The remaining half million patients needed emergency care but did not need admission as in-patients. Altogether our 192 general hospitals provided more than 10 million days of care. Confound it by figures like these, it is easier to understand why the provincial hospital insurance plan ran up a bill for \$273,000,000 was returned to the general economy of the province in the form of salaries and wages for hospital staff. Because of their special need for 24-hour staffing, every day of the year, hospitals have always faced the problem of exceptionally heavy wage bills - even though they were rarely being accused of overpaying their staff. In point of fact, however, hospital salaries have risen steadily over the past few years to a point where they are now more or less in line with other industries.

All told there are now approximately 70,000 people working full-time and another 15,000 part-timers in Ontario's general hospitals. A great many of these are highly skilled and extensively educated staff, such as technologists, pharmacists, nurses, physiotherapists and so on. No story of hospital service would be complete without mention, too, of the role which hospitals are playing constantly in education and research - all aimed at making Ontario a healthier place in which to live. Although the 55 hospital nursing schools are mostly attached to the larger institutions, there are quite small hospitals now making courses available for building technicians, nurses, assistants and other vital members of tomorrow's health care team.

National Hospital Day every year is also an appropriate time to remind ourselves that we, the public, can take a great deal of credit for the fine standard of hospital care which has been built up in this province. Our community hospital system has been founded securely on the basis of local interest and support. Although we are now in an era of centralized financing through the hospital insurance plan, the tradition of local trustee management remains as strong and effective as ever.

It is this tradition of voluntary community effort that has made the story of our hospitals not only one of service, but a story of continuing progress in caring for the health needs of us all.

Reduced to its simplest terms, the new Minimum Wage Orders, implemented and enforced by your Ontario Department of Labour, are designed to protect every working man and woman in the Province from exploitation, and set a minimum wage of \$1.00 an hour (\$1.25 in the construction industry).

The Orders, now in effect in the Toronto-Hamilton-Oshawa "horsehoe", will be extended throughout the entire Province on June 29. However, so that employers will have sufficient time to adjust to and absorb the higher rates, the Orders must be carried out in stages.

Briefly, here's how your Ontario Department of Labour plans to go about it. The Province will be divided into two Zones. Zone I takes in the more heavily populated and industrialized areas and centres. In this Zone, the \$1.00 Minimum Wage will be achieved not later than March of next year. In Zone 2, covering the remainder of the Province, the wage will be achieved by December of next year.

In the Construction Industry, the Minimum Wage of \$1.25 an hour will be reached in the same manner in both Zones. The map and salary boxes on this page show the two zones, and the salary increases scheduled in both.

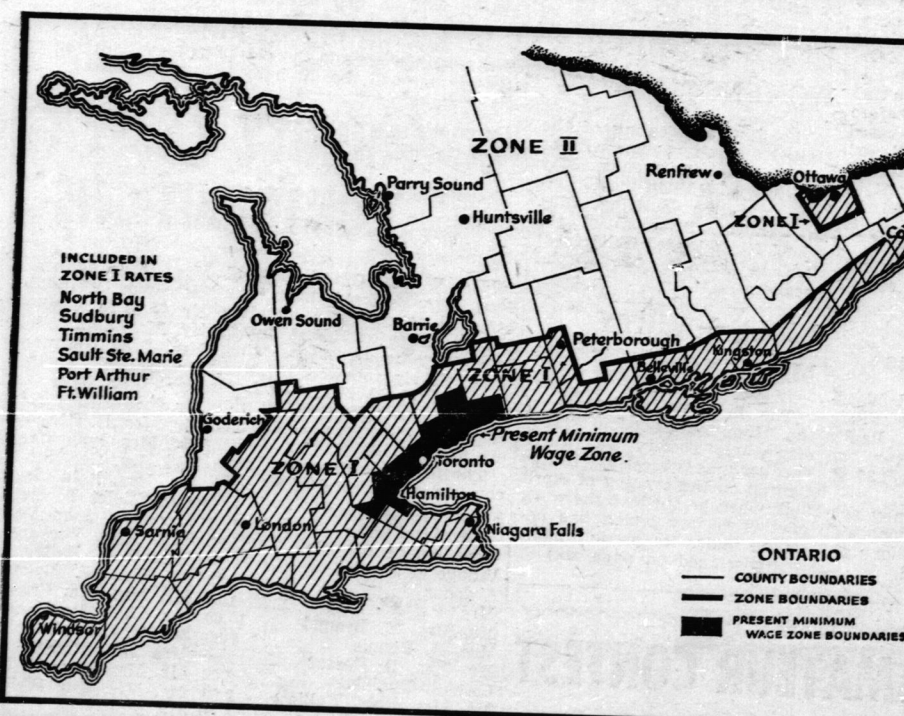


Table with 2 columns: Zone and Minimum Wage Order. Zone 1: June 29, 1964 (\$1.00), Sept. 28, 1964 (\$1.25), Dec. 28, 1964 (\$1.50), March 29, 1965 (\$1.75). Zone 2: June 29, 1964 (\$1.00), Dec. 28, 1964 (\$1.25), Dec. 27, 1965 (\$1.50).

SPECIAL GROUPS: The General Minimum Wage Order does not apply to: Registered apprentices; camp counsellors or students employed in certain recreational programs; apartment house janitors who live in; real estate and insurance salesmen and saleswomen who determine their own hours; professional persons and teachers; domestic servants; farm labourers.

EMPLOYERS NOTE: Where employees are being paid on a piece-work basis, if at least four-fifths of them are earning at least the minimum wage, you will be considered as complying with the Orders.

Your Ontario Department of Labour stresses the fact that these are just the highlights of the new Minimum Wage Orders. To find out exactly what the Orders mean to you, please write: THE LABOUR STANDARDS BRANCH, THE ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR, 74 VICTORIA STREET, TORONTO 1, ONTARIO, or telephone 365-5251

ONTARIO DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR Where programs are planned for people

- CHURCHES: THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA, Rev. Fred C. Bayer, B.A., B.D., Minister, Sunday, May 10th. WESLEY UNITED CHURCH, 11.00 A.M.—Church School, 11.30 A.M.—Sacrament of Baptism, 7.30 P.M.—Young People's Union.

NOTICE

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THE COUNTRYSIDE The Record's Correspondents A.C. French, Youngstown. The death of the late James Lishman, whose home is on the 5th Concession, Walpole, occurred suddenly at the home of his nephew, Lennox Lishman, on Saturday morning.

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CHURCH REAFFIRMS STRICTER MEMBERSHIP The Halimand-Norfolk Presbytery of the United Church at its regular meeting held last Tuesday night in the Courtyard United Church, unanimously reaffirmed the original statement on the doctrine and practice of church membership for the United Church of Canada which culminated in 1925.

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ROCKFORD Mother's Day will be observed in the Sunday School on Sunday morning following the regular day school service. Mrs. Anson Edwards is in charge of the service.

CHEAPSIDE Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton, who were recently married, were honored at a shower on Saturday evening in the Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Jean Weaver had dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hoover at Hamilton.

TOP \$85 AT BETH-HAVEN HOLSTEIN DISPENSAL (Intended for a previous issue) The top price was \$85 at the dispersal sale of the Beth-Haven Holstein herd of Thomas McBeth and Chuck Cottam, Ontario held March 1964 at the Shore Sales Arena, Glanworth. This amount was bid by Glen Hartwick, Fisherville, Ontario for the bred heifer, Beth-Haven.

HONOURABLE JAMES AULD, Minister 11-6-64

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