



Bob Vett sets his camera and waits for the signal to start a series of photographs for this test. (Ontario Hydro Photo).

Regional Budget Expected August 8th

Haldimand-Norfolk's first budget will be submitted to regional council next month.

Although final figures have not been compiled most of the region's budget requests have

been processed by council's finance committee. Mayor Fred Peacock, Delhi, chairman of the finance committee, said he hoped to have budget estimates ready by August 8.

The region is relying

on special "start-up" grants from the Ontario government to keep the mill rate down. Both the regional council and the six area councils are eligible for these grants.

Haldimand-Norfolk has requested 100 per cent assistance for the regional planning department until sufficient industrial assessment becomes available; complete reimbursement for radio communications and road renumbering costs; and assistance toward water and sewer project capital costs, the purchase of waste disposal sites and the capital and maintenance costs of roads.

Mayor Peacock said he is confident the extra provincial funds would be made available and added he was "not pessimistic" about prospects for the region's first budget.

Regional residents are billed for taxes through the local municipalities with local, regional and educational levies making up the total. The three school boards have already set their budgets.

Earlier the region authorized the borrowing of up to \$700,000 to commence operations.

FRIENDS 'N NEIGHBOURS

by Jessie Miller

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoover of Fort Erie left Jarvis on Saturday driving their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Troke to the West Coast; stopping over in Alberta (Coaldale) to visit Teddy Reynolds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reynolds of Mary Street.

Mrs. Kenneth Parkinson and Mrs. Patricia Innes of Hagersville spent the weekend at Fenelon Falls.

Miss Luciana DeNoni of Venice, Italy is visiting her sister, brother-in-law and nieces on Morley Crescent, Jarvis.

Mrs. Frank Reeves spent a week at the home of her daughter in Mississauga. (Mr. and Mrs. Burroughes) caring for their baby while they were on holidays.

Visitors at the United Church, Jarvis on Sunday morning and remaining for the day as guests of Rev. and Mrs. Reeves were six former members of their former charge at Port Perry and four from Prince Albert on the previous Sunday.

The youth of the B.I.C. Church at Cheapside had charge of the Sunday evening service. Harry Nigh, a teacher at Niagara Christian College of which he is a graduate also a graduate of Brock University was in charge. Mr. Nigh also has a ministry to those in gaol under the Mennonite Church.

The Rev. Harvey Sider and family on furlough from India is carrying on the work of the Church in America. With his family and parents he spent the weekend at Stayner with his mother's brother, Rev. and Mrs. Sheffer, and her sister, Mrs. Minnie Wyant.

The Harvey Sider family leave this week for Pennsylvania where Mrs. Sider will visit relatives and Rev. Harvey will carry the mission work to the faithful at home.

On July 14 Rev. Taylor - Munro was a member of the morning congregation of Essa Road Presbyterian Church, Barrie and during the morning received a most gracious acceptance from the minister, to be the guest minister for Chalmers' Walpole 132nd Anniversary on September 15.

Rev. W. H. Fuller, B.A., Th.B., D.D. is a well-known and beloved person to the Presbytery of Hamilton for

which Court he served as Clerk for several years during his pastorate with Knox - Jarvis and Chalmers' - Walpole from 1939 through April 26, 1953.

Official confirmation has been received by mail from Rev. Howard D. Smith (minister of the two point Charge of Norval and Union in Brampton Presbytery) that he will be the guest minister for Knox - Jarvis' 118th Anniversary on October 27, 1974.

It seemed most appropriate to the Session of Knox Church to have this beloved pastor come back to the local parish for this official Centennial of the first General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The Rev. Howard D. Smith was ordained and inducted into the local Church (on his graduation from Knox College, Toronto) on May 29, 1958 by the Presbytery of Hamilton.

During Mr. Smith's early years as a minister he won a very warm and friendly place in the hearts of many people in the parish and community. So that when he accepted a Call to a new charge (Strathcona, Burlington) on October 14, 1962 the prayers and affectionate regards of the local people went with him.

Pastor Christopher Ederesinghe will be guest resource person of area clergy at Knox Church Minister's study in Jarvis on Thursday, July 25, between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m.

Mr. Ederesinghe has been in the States and Canada about 4 1/2 months coming from Ceylon (now called the Republic of Sri Lanka). Most of his ministry has been that of presenting Christ to the members of the Hindu and Buddhist Religions.

Weekend highlights of local minister are as follows: On July 12, the Rev. G. Taylor - Munro served as a companion for a very senior Orange brother, seeing him on the special bus for St. Thomas - Mr. George Semple. Took part in the long walk for the glorious 12th through the St. Thomas business District, pick up the step and swing our arms for the judging of the March past in Pinafore park; listen to the Mayor of St. Thomas the successful Provincial and Federal Representatives bring greetings. Received the following

notables of the L.O.L. and L.O.B.A. as they spoke from the podium in the park.

M.W. Sister Ruth Day, P.G.M. of Canada, LOBA introduced by M.W. Sister Nellie Ryan, Honourable member of British America. Rt. W. Brother David C. Worden, P.G.M. of Ontario West, G. Secretary of Ontario W. introduced by Rt. W. Brother J.L. Savage, Dept. Grand Secretary of Ontario W.

Rt. W. Sister Lela Warnock Dept. G. M. of Ontario W. L.O.B.A. introduced Rt. Wor. Sister Valeria Endicott Grand Resistrar of G. Crystal Chapter of Canada.

Rt. Wor. Sir Knight Lloyd Horn, Grand Registrar of Grand Black Chapter of Ontario W. introduced Rt. Wor. Sir Knight John B. Munro, Grand Master of the Grand Chapter of Ontario W.

Worthy Sister Ruth Savage, W.M. of Pride of Ingersoll Lodge, No. 538 L.O.B.A. introduced Rt. Wor. Sister Dorothy Drown, Grand Director of Ontario W. L.O.B.A.

Among the Senior members of the Order was one man of 103 years of age. Three other members of L.O.L. and L.O.B.A. were introduced as having over 60 continuous membership in the Order.

Rev. G. Taylor - Munro, Hon. Dep. Grand Chaplain of L.O.L., Grand Chaplain of the Grand Black Chapter of Ontario W. and Dep. Grand Chaplain of L.O.L. of Ontario W. closed the program with the Benediction.

Finally see Brother George Stremble home to Caledonia and continue on to help wind up the Fisherville Lions up the Fisherville Lions Club Fish Fry and Games Program.

On Sunday, July 14, a drive up to Barrie, a quick cup of tea with sister Olga and her husband Norman Rankin. Attended Church at Essa Road Presbyterian 11 a.m. service conducted by former Minister of Knox, Jarvis and Chalmers', Walpole, the Rev. W.H. Fuller B.A. B.Th. D.D. preaching as supply.

Dr. Fuller has accepted the invitation as guest speaker at Walpole's 132 anniversary on September 15, 11 a.m.

Rev. Taylor - Munro then drove to Orillia to visit his daughter and to visit his daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Smith; arrived at Marantha Dutch Reformed Church, Wainorville in time for fleet in time for 7:30 p.m. Church service enroute home to Jarvis.

Carelessness Causes Drowning

Statistics don't make the most interesting reading, but they often reveal interesting facts. The 1973 drowning statistics, compiled by Red Cross Water Safety are no exception.

The total number of drownings -- 1339 -- was an increase of 173 over 1972. All of the increase was in age groups over 13 years of age. Parents of young children did an excellent job of supervision last year, but older children and adults became careless.

The biggest single increase -- 70 -- was in the age group 22 to 33 years of age, with the next largest increase -- 21 -- in the next oldest group, 34 to 46 years of age.

People in the prime of life, who should be the most capable of taking care of themselves, became careless. Breaking the rules of water safety is asking for tragedy.

For a safe, enjoyable summer of aquatic activity, we remind you of the basic water safety rules:

Always swim with someone else, never alone. Don't dive into water you don't know. Don't overload a boat. Always carry a government - approved personal flotation device (PFD) for every passenger. Children and poor swimmers should wear theirs at all times.

Check weather reports before boat trips. Don't go if there is a storm warning.

Don't mix alcohol with water.

No matter what your age, you can learn to swim with Red Cross Safety. Special adult classes teach you not only how to swim, but the techniques of personal survival and water rescue. Help defeat statistics -- keep in the swim with Red Cross Water Safety.

Tractors Kill

Each year some 90 Canadians are killed and approximately 800 others are injured, many permanently, in accidents involving farm tractors.

This sobering information was released by the Canada Safety Council which, in co-operation with Agriculture Canada, sponsors Farm Safety Week.

It is estimated, by farm safety experts, that a 75% reduction in the severity of farm tractor accidents could be realized if the machines were equipped with protective frames or crush resistant cabs and seat belts were worn. These devices are available in newer models. Farmers not using machines so equipped should consult the manufacturer's representative concerning modifications.

The operator can do much to prevent overturn, or any other tractor accident, by observing the following basic rules.

* Be familiar with the operating and maintenance manuals for all machines.

* Keep in good physical and mental condition by getting plenty of rest, dressing comfortably, working at a pace within your physical capabilities and taking frequent rest breaks.

* Avoid operating on steep slopes and stay clear of ditches, embankments, etc.

* When travelling farm machines along roads at speeds of less than 25 MPH, display the Slow Moving Vehicle emblem.

* Drive slowly on rough surfaces and slopes or when visibility is poor --- such as through tall grass.

* Reduce speed when turning or near ditches.

* Keep guards and shields in place and shut-off power before unclogging or servicing machinery.

* Keep children off and clear of all machinery.

* Don't use "Boy - sized" tractors for "man sized" jobs.

TAKE TIME FOR SAFETY!!!!!!

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June 11, 1931.

The Jarvis Public School report shows those grading honors were Alma Bailey, Amy Anderson, Ruth Parsons, Doreen Parsons, Loreen Leatherdale and Jack Bailey.

Those passing were Jack Horne, Dorothy Smith, William Miller, Vernon Bingleman, Glenn Reicheld, Joseph Johnson, Harry Leatherdale, Patricia Stallwood, Audrey Mitchell, Dorothy Deeth, Margaret Powell, Violet Stengel, Pearl Carpenter, Ilene Faulkner, Gertrude O'Donnell, Myrtle Mitchell, Myrtle Bingleman, Bennie Stallwood, Jean Holland, Stanley Carpenter, Morley Leatherdale, Bertie Peacock, Billy Holland.

Below pass marks were given to Mary Banks, Vera Fitzgerald,

Warren Fess, Orlan Bingleman, Mary O'Mahony, Ralph Hazlett, Mildred Fess, Isabel Franks, Dorothy Thorne, Robert Johnson, Gordon Blight, Malcolm Peacock, Eileen Reynolds, Bruce Miller, Eleanor Taylor, William Howell, Marion Franks, Harry Reynolds, Jack Franks, Audrien Bingleman, Phyllis Carpenter, Connie O'Mahony, Marjorie Reicheld, Jessie Ward, Murray Butler, Margaret Rider and Frank Smith.

In order of Merit - Senior - Eva Fitzgerald, Roy Hazlett, Thelma Horton, Amy Reynolds, Mary Eaid, Rae Bingleman, David Parsons.

In order of Merit - Junior - Billie Machell, Cyril Thorne, Ernie Thorne, Audrey Reynolds, Gordon Miller, Tony Stallwood.

December 18, 1969.

Haldimand Warden Ernest Craddock of Jarvis greeted nearly 400 people at the Warden's Banquet Friday.

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The Degree of Doctor of Social work was conferred on Lawrence Allen Lundy at the Fall Convocation of Toronto University.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

The province has mailed out its first cheques under the Guaranteed Annual Income System which came into effect on July 1, 1974. These first GAINS payments have gone to qualifying Ontario residents, 65 years of age or older, who have incomes of less than \$2,600 annually.

Recipients are reminded that these cheques are in addition to the regular federal Old Age Security and Guaranteed Income Supplement (OAS/GIS) which is mailed at the end of each month. The Ontario GAINS cheque represents the difference between the OAS/GIS entitlement at the new July, 1974, rate, combined with any private income the recipient may have in this regard, it should be noted that the federal government announced the amount of the OAS/GIS cheques will be larger, effective in July, as a result of an increase in the cost of living.

Qualifying blind and disabled residents under 65 will receive their GAINS payments incorporated in their Family Benefits cheque which, as usual, will be mailed at month end. The eligibility of GIS recipients for GAINS payments has been determined from information already on file. They do not need to apply. Elderly residents of Ontario who have incomes of less than \$2,600 annually, but who do not meet the federal 10-year Canadian residence requirements for OAS/GIS pensions, may still qualify for GAINS entitlements under Ontario's less stringent requirements. Persons in this group may apply for GAINS by returning an application form obtained from the Ministry of Revenue.

For further information about residency or other qualifications, please call the Ministry of Revenue Information Centre, free of charge, by asking the operator for Zenith 8-2000 or within Metro Toronto by dialing 965-8470.

English Abuse

We all abuse the English language far more than we realize. I am undoubtedly one of the worst offenders.

I speak an unnamed dialect stemming from English which includes such deformities as dincha, yous guys (a sure sign I'm from Haldimand some newcomers say) and nice to meet ya.

My English laziness and slang really became apparent when attempting to converse with the girls who arrived in Jarvis from Japan last week.

No wonder they had difficulty in deciphering a quick "Anyplace in particular you wannasee in Canada?" the first time round.

And what does "Did you feel bad" - mean to an outsider.

At least all the Lions and host families seemed to be able to communicate far better than I. And I'm relieved this is a newspaper.....not a radio.

Put It In Writing

The temptation is always to tell it to someone rather than write it. That's why editors and reporters often get told about a person's agreement or disagreement with a public action, an editorial viewpoint, or a public attitude.

It is interesting, but far more effective would be a letter to the editor outlining that strongly-held view.

Sometimes we're criticized because we don't suddenly take up the cudgels for a point of view that is expressed to us. Bear in mind that issues are pressing in from many sides and our space for comment is limited.

A simple, brief, straightforward letter to the editor with your name signed to it can be even more effective than more comment from us.

Next time you're inclined to "sound off" to us, put it in a letter that we can print. That will get your point of view across and you may even feel better after having written us.

We can urge, of course, that you state your case fairly and without malice. Freedom of speech still requires some responsibility too.

(Times - Advocate, Exeter).

H.M. TOURS

BUS TRIPS

August 15, 1974

Going to Metro Toronto Zoo for Grand Opening. Zoo covering 700 acres in a public-like setting and five major regions representing five countries. Pack a lunch or lunch in a snack bar or restaurant.

AUGUST 21st

A visit to beautiful Niagara-on-the-Lake and the Shaw Festival Theatre for a matinee of "Too True To Be Good". On our way we will see Jordan Museum, one of the oldest in the Niagara Peninsula.

Aug. 24th, 28th, 31st

The buses will be going to the Toronto Exhibition.

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