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Getting Harriet To Moosonee--

A Problem That Took Some Solving

Harriet the heifer, the prize in a Waterloo Lutheran University Alumni Association draw for those who aided the library book fund, will soon be frozen, neatly packaged as 375 pounds of freezer beef, and on her way to Moosonee.

She was won by Ekkehard Simla, principal of the public school at that James Bay community, some 650 miles north of Toronto. Mr. Simla, a 1970 graduate of the university, had his name drawn at the Alumni Association's recent annual Homecoming meeting.

A problem of transportation immediately arose since the association had promised to deliver Harriet, ready for the freezer, to the winner. But Moosonee has no roads and finding a way of getting Harriet from a farm near Paisley to the far north presented difficulties.

These were solved when a member of the alumni executive, Jack George, Kitchener, volunteered the services of his company---J. M. Schneider Ltd.

Thanks to Mr. George and his firm, Harriet will soon be picked up by truck at the farm of Frank Forbes, RR 5, Paisley, where she has been grazing, and transported to Kitchener. Once there, she will be tagged with the winner's name, prepared, and dispatched by truck to Iroquois Falls.

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Harriet will be stored for a few days at the terminal of R. Gerard Transport, and then taken to Cochrane for loading aboard an Ontario Northland Railway train for the final 200 miles trip to Moosonee and Mr. Simla's freezer.

"It has been quite a problem to work out these details but Mr. George came to our rescue," said Clarke Mecredy, WLU alumni director. "But it was worth it. Graduates donated \$5,945 to the library book fund in an effort to win Harriet."