

# Everyone Pitches In To Help Build Northwood Camp

The busiest place in Northern Ontario is the site of the Crippled Children's Camp at Lake Sese-kimka. According to Alex Harris, chairman of the camp committee, there have been as many as sixty workers at the camp at one time.

Just now, work on the camp has slowed down because of the unexpected length of winter but with the thaw well on its way it should soon be possible to start work on the walks and terraces that must be quite smooth so as to be comfortable for invalid chair movements.

Almost all the painting and decorating work is yet to be done but the camp committee believe that the buildings will be basically ready by the end of the month.

Soon after that, the furniture and equipment will arrive, most of it straight from the factories. The fittings and furniture used at the camp have been bought at considerable discount. Some of it has been given as a gift.

The opening ceremony will be performed on Sunday afternoon

by the Hon. Mackinnon Phillips M.D., C.M., Minister of Health and guests are expected from all over the Province. By that time the camp will already be in use as the first group of children will arrive on June 30th.

Altogether it will take about 26 staff members to run this Northwood Camp including a camp director, two graduate nurse, three nursing assistants, a program director, swimming counsellor, an arts and crafts counsellor, two senior counsellors, a housekeeper, a cook, an assistant cook, five kitchen and laundry assistants and five volunteer counsellors who will likely be students on vacation.

One of the things that the slow winter leave-taking hinders is the landscape gardening of the whole lakeside area on which the camp has been built. Mr. Harris says that the committee are hoping to take full advantage of the beautiful natural contours. Already many individuals and clubs have offered to help in this work which will begin as soon as the earth is ready.

### MR AND A. P. MRS. COBB'S SON OPENS BUSINESS IN NAPOLEON, OHIO

We read with interest a recent edition of the Henry County Signal, published in Napoleon, Ohio, which carried a story on Alex Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cobb of Haileybury.

Mr. A. W. Cobb, owner of the Davis Paint Associate Store announced today, that he plans to open his store on Friday, April 2nd. The store will feature complete lines of Davis Paints, Varnishes and Enamels, wall paper housewares and gifts.

Before deciding to locate his store in Napoleon Mr. Cobb and his wife looked at several other locations throughout the state but finally decided on Napoleon because he and his wife thought that this was the kind of community where they would like to make their home and establish a business.

The Cobbs have three daughters Carol, Mary and Marjorie and one son, Richard. They are moving to Napoleon from Columbus, Ohio, where they have lived for the past two years. Mr. Cobb has been engaged in business and industry in several states for the past twenty-five years.

### I. O. D. E. Plan Tea and Hat Derby in June

The monthly meeting of the I.O.D.E. was held at the home of Mrs. R. W. Carter, Rorke Avenue. After reports from the treasurer, Mrs. E. Heaslip, and secretary, Mrs. G. Morgan, an interesting report was given by Mrs. C. H. Liddicot on hospital visits and giving of ice cream and books to patients. The June tea was discussed and it was decided to hold a Hat Derby—guests and members to make and wear original hats. Prizes to be given to the most original, funniest and prettiest. This should prove to be very amusing. Also very strongly discussed was the supervision of the children at the Beach by a competent person with a Life Saving Certificate. A letter was sent to the Rotary Club concerning this. The meeting closed with refreshments.

"A garden with a gardener working in it is no more your own than is a kitchen with a cook in command."—Richard King.

### LIBRARY NOTES

**So Long as Love Remembers** by Russell Janney. Olga Lasenkas, from a Wilkes-Barre "five and ten", came to New York looking for a job in the Ziegfeld chorus. There she met Joseph Halka, soulful young doctor of music from Vienna who made his living by pounding a piano in the Horse and Buggy night club. He was drawn at once to Olga, since she was the very image of a 12th century image of the Madonna of the Sword in the Metropolitan Museum—the same

treasure, where Constrain saw the sacred goblet that inspired "The Silver Chalice".

Olga's resemblance to the statuette was due partly to the fact that she wore her braided hair in a coronet around her head and also partly to the fact that an ancestress of the Polish girl had posed for the sculptor who had made the effigy.

The book is the story of love and music in mid-Manhattan, full of color and simplicity fascinating and delightful. You'll love every word!

### REBEKAH SISTERS HONOR MRS. N. AUSTIN AT OFFICIAL VISIT

Northern Light Rebekah Lodge held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, April 21st in the Masonic Temple with the Noble Grand Sister Olive Childs presiding.

The attendance was splendid for it was the occasion of the of-

ficial visit of Sister Nellie Austin, District Deputy President.

The Noble Grand presented Sister Austin with a lovely corsage. Sister Duncan expressed the appreciation of the Lodge with the gift of a purse. Sister Austin thanked the members for their thoughtfulness.

At the close of the meeting lunch was served.



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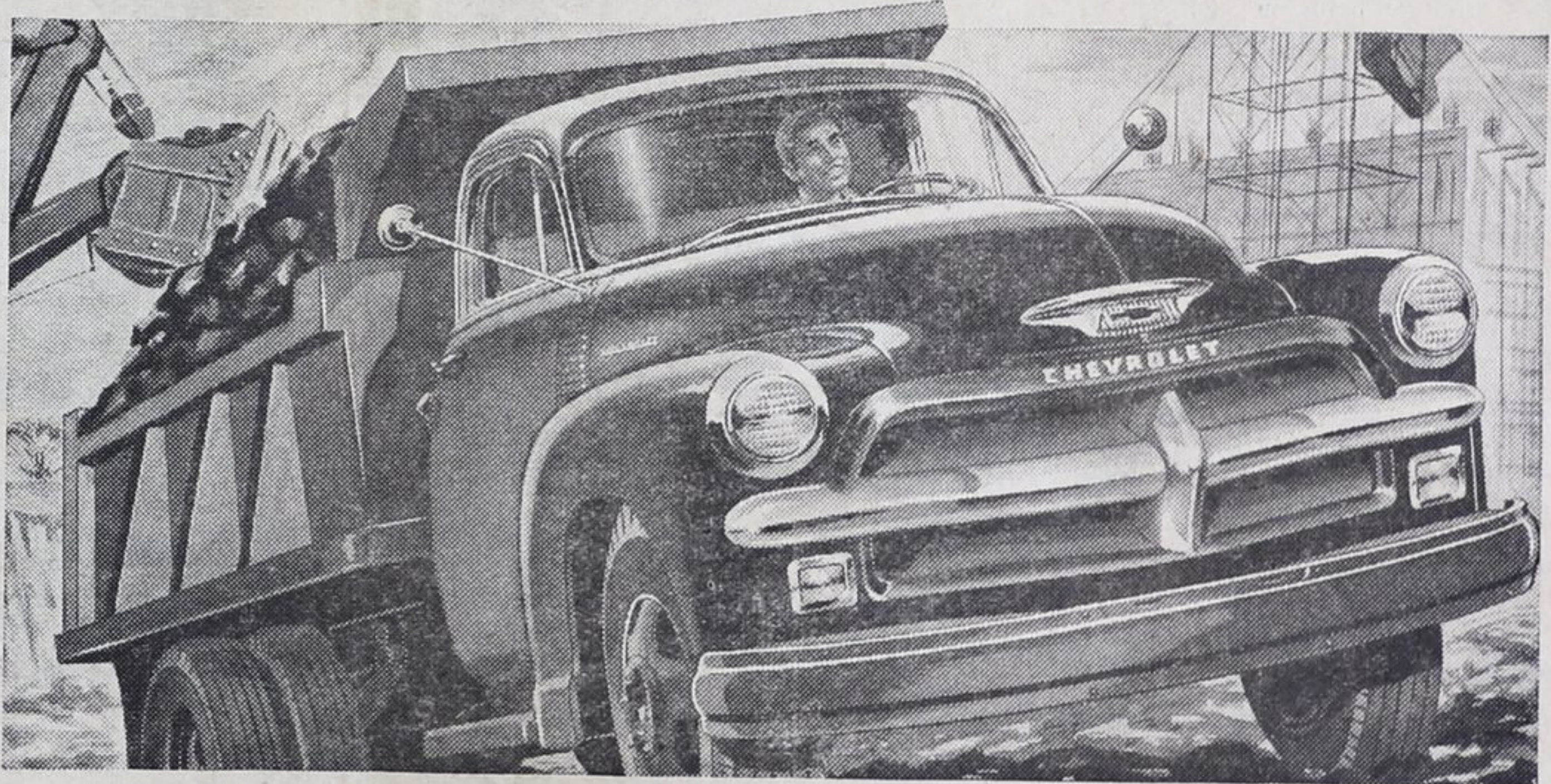
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