

Cobalt To Have A Planning Group

At a special council meeting on Monday night, the Cobalt Council voted to set up a town planning committee. The committee will act on an interim basis until a full town planning board can be created in co-operation with the Department of Planning and Development.

Mayor Fulton Purdy said that such a board has been needed for many years in Cobalt, and that there are many matters which should be investigated by such a committee.

Be Kind to Animals

Tri-Town Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has been active since formed a short time ago, and has already found the need for an inspector to assist with the work of checking up on reported cruelty in the district.

Roy Manners of New Liskeard is contributing voluntarily in this service and has already made several out-of-town trips to check on reported cruelty.

The local Society, along with Canada-wide organizations will be observing "Be Kind to Animals Week", from October 8 to 14.

Four Injured Near Englehart

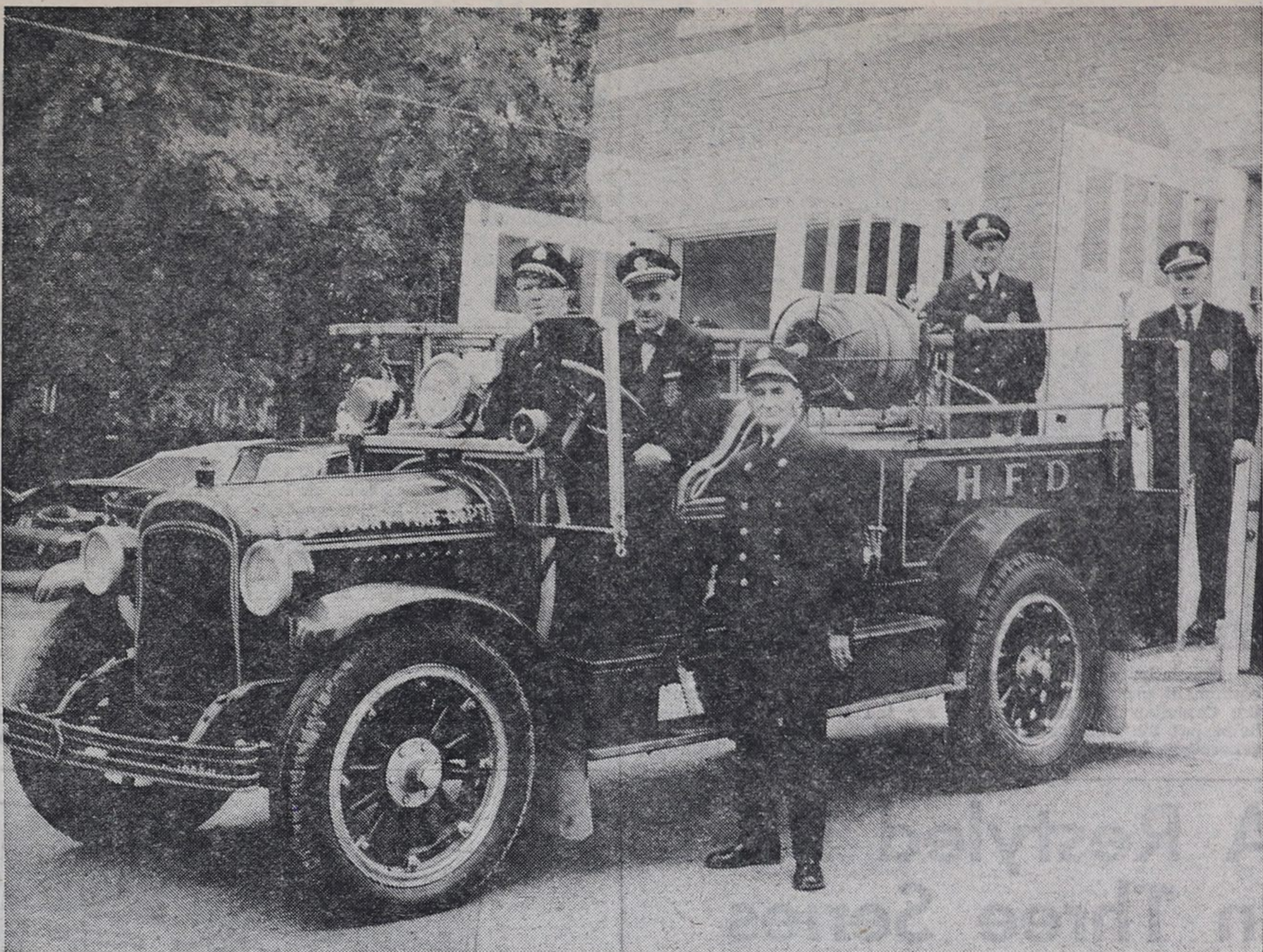
A young Kirkland Lake man is reported to be in fairly good condition after being seriously injured in a car accident.

The accident took place Monday night on Highway 11 just north of Englehart. It is believed that Robert K. Whalen, 20, driver of a southbound car, was turning on the highway when his vehicle was struck by a truck driven by George Goulet, Kirkland Lake.

Whalen was rushed to Englehart hospital, where doctors operated on him for several hours. He is reported to have serious internal injuries.

Three others in the car were also injured, but all are now said to be in good shape. They were Gary Ring, 18, Kirkland Lake, who suffered a fractured pelvis. Claudia Goodman, 18, of Dane, and Linda Hoskens, Dane, both had facial lacerations.

Provincial police at Englehart are investigating the crash.



Haileybury's veteran Ruggles Fire Truck is being retired this week, replaced by a high-powered GMC/LaFrance combination. The Ruggles will not suffer the ignominy of complete dismemberment, but will receive the honor of being kept as a museum piece, a tribute for its years of service as the first power driven fire engine in Northern Ontario.

Junior Fire Marshalls Launch Fire Prevention Week Campaign

A broad attack on fire dangers will be launched this week by the Cobalt third, fourth and fifth graders, who are undertaking fire safety inspections of their homes.

As Junior Fire Marshalls, they will join more than four million youngsters in 15,000 elementary schools across the nation in carrying home the lessons of Fire Prevention Week, October 8 to 14. Thus, families as well as the youngsters will learn life-saving fundamentals, according to H. Arnold Todd of the Todd Insurance Agency.

The agency sponsors the Cobalt Junior Fire Marshal program in

cooperation with Fire Chief Harry Cooper.

"When you consider that more than 11,000 persons die each year as the result of fires, and that one-third of them are children," said Chief Cooper, "you see why we want to give our youngsters real respect for fire's terrible threat and encourage them to check their homes for safety with Mom or Dad."

Each child will get a home fire inspection report, drawn up by the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, national sponsors of the program.

Listing 17 safety checks, the report is included in the Fall issue of the Junior Fire Marshal magazine, to be distributed at schools on October 10. Parents are asked to sign a Certificate of Merit in the magazine to show that the child and a grown-up member of the family have truly checked the home.

"It is important that both children and adults learn the lessons of home safety and emergency exit procedures," said Mr. Todd. "That's why the Certificate of Merit includes an emergency procedure sign and is designed to be cut out and hung up at home as a year-round safety reminder."

A youngster qualifies as a Junior Fire Marshal when he brings a signed Certificate to school and his name is posted on a special honor roll in each class. The school, or classroom, with the highest percentage of completed home inspection reports will be awarded a blue and gold-colored silk achievement award banner.

"Thirty million boys and girls have participated in the 14-year-old Junior Fire Marshal program," Mr. Todd explained.

As part of this public service program, Mr. Todd said, the Hartford Fire Insurance Company is also distributing a new 36-page Teaching Manual to the nation's elementary schools. With it, teachers will be able to work fire prevention lessons into established areas of the curriculum, such as history, English and science.

SPEEDY DEER FLY

The speed champion of the world is an insect. The deer fly's speed has been estimated at 400 miles per hour.

Liskeard Ti-Cats Edge Roughriders

After playing for 28 minutes on a mud covered field in the District Town Sunday afternoon, quarterback Wayne Sarson caught a Haileybury kick and ran the ball back 70 yards for the first New Liskeard touchdown. The convert was blocked. Both teams played good defensive football in this first half with the Roughriders having the edge in play, but the Ti-Cats made two courageous goal line stands to keep the Haileybury team off the score sheet.

Once again in the third quarter, after holding the Roughriders on the three yard line, quarterback Wayne Sarson took the ball on a keeper play and ran 90 yards down the far sidelines for another New Liskeard major score. Once again the convert was blocked.

Haileybury took the kick-off and moved the ball down the field into deep Liskeard territory where Pat Culhane took a hand-off and scooted 25 yards around left end for a touch down. Culhane converted to put Haileybury back in the game. The Roughriders kept the play in the Ti-Cats' end during the fourth quarter, but once again a good defensive display by the Ti-Cats kept the Roughriders from scoring.

Robbery at Charlton Co-Op

Provincial Police are searching for thieves who broke into the Charlton branch of the Temiskaming Producers Co-Operative last week-end.

The theft was discovered Monday morning by Manager Randy McFarlane when he opened the store Monday morning. The Charlton store has been broken into several times. The last theft of this type there was in May of this year.

The thieves opened a door beneath a toilet in the warehouse to gain entrance. Then smashed a glass panel in the door between the store and warehouse.

They took a quantity of work clothes, as well as cigarettes and chocolate bars. Total loss has been estimated at about 200.

Conference President To Visit the Tri-town

The Rev. E. M. Howse S.T.M., Ph.D., President of the Toronto Conference of the United Church of Canada, began his annual tour of Northern Ontario Monday afternoon with a visit to Northdale Manor, the Senior Citizens' Residence at New Liskeard and an "At Home" at night to the ministers and wives of the Temiskaming Presbytery of the United Church held at the United Church manse at Haileybury.

Dr. Howse is an outstanding churchman of our Canadian life. He is a graduate of Universities of Halifax, Toronto, New York and Edinburgh and has represented his church on many ecumenical councils and next month will attend the World Council of Churches meeting in Delhi, India.

He has travelled in Europe and in the Mediterranean countries and at one time had the unique distinction of representing the Christian faith at an inter-faith conference of Christians, Muslims and Jews.

Desiring to visit the smaller churches of our area, Dr. Howse, when he returns from his visits to Kapuskasing, Cochrane and Timmins, will spend Thursday and Friday with the Temiskaming Presbytery meeting in Hanbury, Thornloe and Harris Churches.

Tonight, Thursday, Dr. Howse will address the combined congregations of the United Churches of the area in a public service at 7:30 p.m. in Hanbury United Church.

Legion Zone Convention Held at Elk Lake Branch

Delegates from Temagami, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart assembled at Elk Lake Saturday evening, September 30, for the semi-annual meeting of Zone K-1 of the Royal Canadian Legion. Irvine McKay, President of the Elk Lake Branch, welcomed the delegates and introduced Zone Commander S. M. Daley, of Haileybury, who conducted the meeting.

During the review of the minutes of the previous meeting it was noted that a resolution urging the institution of a veterans' preference at Provincial level has resulted in the formation of a Provincial committee to study the situation. It was felt that a discussion at the Spring meeting, concerning the possibility of a technical school in Temiskaming was a contributing factor to the establishment of such a school in Haileybury.

The names of the Zone Executive were announced as follows: Deputy Commander, also Zone Membership Chairman, L. Riopel, Temagami; Zone Service Bureau Chairman, J. C. Elliott, Temagami; Zone Sports, Walter Hurst, Haileybury, and Zone Public Relations, J. J. Clancy, Englehart.

Zone Commander Daley will also assume the office of Zone Poppy Chairman.

A notice from the Hon. J. P. Roberts, Chairman of the Legion's Provincial Citizenship Committee, was read, furnishing particulars of the annual Public Speaking contests. It was emphasized that in the 1962 contest, speakers would be permitted to choose their own topics.

During the meeting, special mention was made of branches whose accomplishments had furthered good public relations. These were: New Liskeard, whose pipe band organized a Highland Tatum, July 1st; Temagami for sponsorship and development of minor hockey; Elk Lake for its annual organization of Civic Holiday sports, and Englehart for the Guard of Honor provided for the recent visit of the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario.

The delegates were reminded of the slogan relative to the District Convention in October: "See you in Hearst on the twenty-first".

Temagami was selected as the location of the Spring Zone meeting. Following the meeting, a social evening, arranged by the Host Branch, was thoroughly enjoyed.