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"Information is the hallmark of democracy"

Some observations

HATS OFF to members of Penetanguishene Legion who last week turned over the last of the money they either collected or raised to Midland Salvation Army for the Army's Red Shield Campaign.

In all, the men and women of the Legion collected a total of \$3,000.

Members of Branch 68 can be proud of their efforts...it was truly a fine gesture.

AS A RESULT of a decision made by Penetanguishene town council, Monday night, the municipal police force will soon be back to full strength.

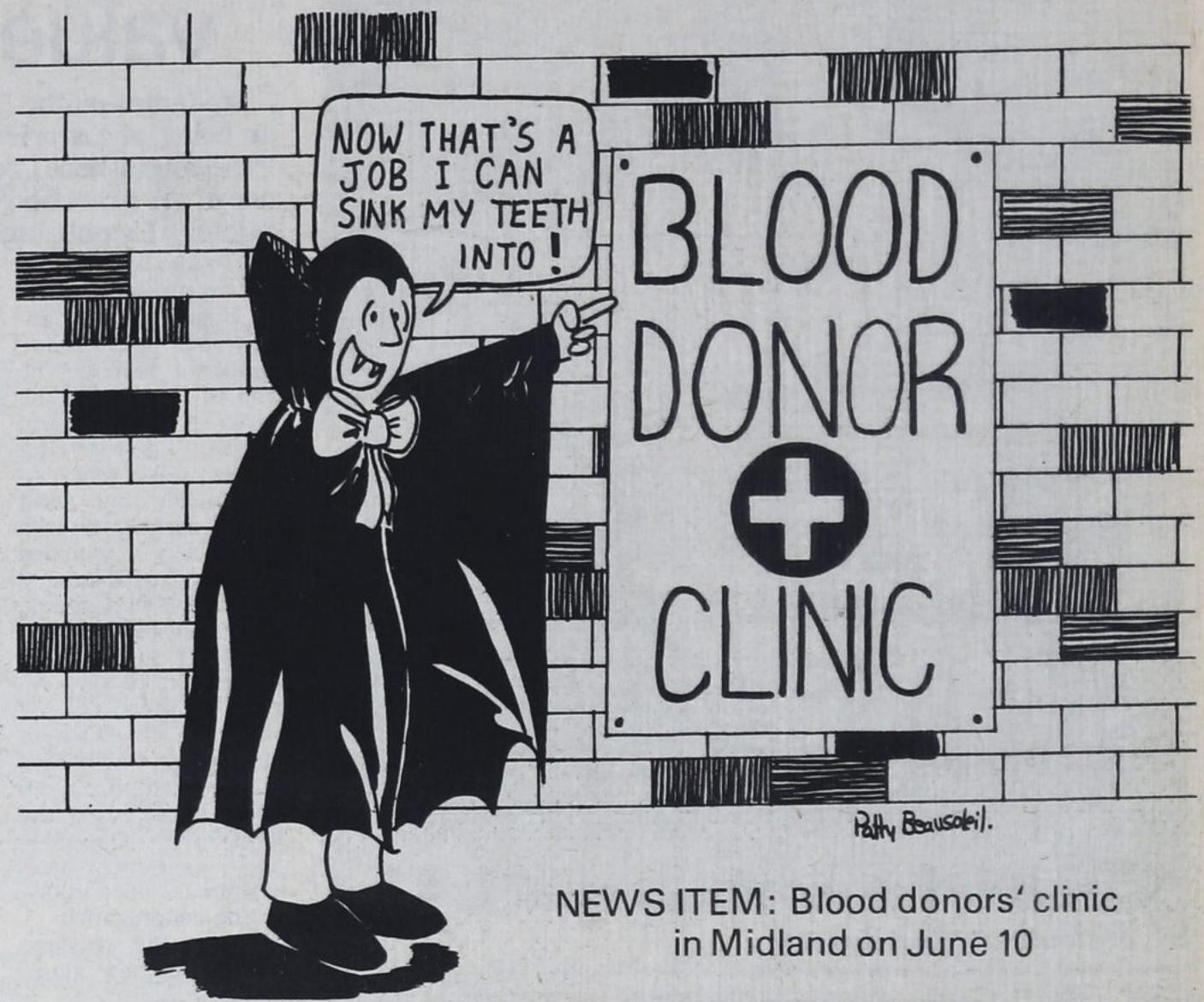
A new chief of police and a new constable were hired by the town.

The force operated shorthanded for some weeks but with the new additions this will all change.

We welcome the new policemen to Penetanguishene and hope they have a long and happy association with the town.

IT IS HOPED when councils from Penetanguishene and Tiny Township meet in Perkinsfield tonight, elected officials from both municipalities will be able to take the first steps in resolving differences that have occurred since the province put a development freeze on a section of Highway 27 west of Midland in Tiny Township.

We would hope tonight's meeting will be the first of many Penetanguishene and Tiny hold so that eventually things can return to normal.



Summer Festival will pack 'em in

THE HIGH POINT of this summer's Penetanguishene Summer Festival, now being organized, will be an auction to be held at the waterfront park.

One can't help get excited about the many events and attractions already planned for Summer Festival.

There's still time for individuals and organizations to signify their interest in becoming part of Summer Festival '81 in Penetanguishene.

For more information please get in touch with the Penetanguishene Chamber of Commerce.

From all reports this summer's big "do" in Penetanguishene will attract thousands of visitors to the town from far and near.

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Our readers say...

Holland Days are coming

Dear Sir:

Stayner, the Town of Friendly People, will be celebrating Holland Days on June 5 and 6.

This annual community event recognizes the many Dutch people living in the Stayner area. We "WELKOM" everyone to come and visit Stayner and join in the festivities planned.

On Thursday, June 4, Byng Public School have organized a "HOLLANDS SPORT DAG" for children 10 - 13 and up. This is a local track and field competition held at the Stayner Collegiate Institute to qualify for the upcoming area meet. Time: 12.45 p.m. - 4 p.m.

A Dutch dance, featuring Bill Van Der Hoogen and the Music Makers will be held on Friday night, June 5 at the Stayner Arena from 8 p.m. - 1 a.m. Tickets \$10 per couple. Good variety of dance music. Tickets can be purchased at the door.

On Saturday, June 6 (rain or shine) the annual parade will start at 11 a.m.

If you are interested in submitting an entry, contact Mr. Clarence Dunlop at 428-3727.

Prizes will be awarded for various categories. Children are encouraged to decorate their bicycles and enter the parade. Many people will be wearing Dutch costumes throughout the two-day event.

Following the parade, opening ceremonies will be held at Railway Park, Main Street, Stayner. Prizes will be awarded for parade entries, and the costume contest will be judged.

From 12 noon on, come and visit the Marketplace where you can taste some Dutch food; test your skill at novelty events at 2 p.m.; try the pipesmoking contest and see craft displays. Come and listen to live entertainment at the Holland Days Festival Tent at Railway Park. Marilyn McLeod from Collingwood will be demonstrating Dance Fit routines at 1.30 and Manfred and Jean Leimgardt at 428-6415.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Main Street, Stayner, will be serving smorgasbord meal from 12.00 - 2.00 and from 4.30 - 6.00 p.m.

To wind up the event on Saturday night there will be a street Dance starting at 8 p.m. Fun for the whole family. Stomp your wooden shoes to the Rural Rythms band. Location: Huron Street.

The draw for the trip for two to Amsterdam (or \$1,000 cash) will be held at the Street Dance.

You are "welkom" to attend Holland Days, June 5 and 6 in Stayner. It's a family affair.

The committee

Ball hockey was very exciting

EARLIER THIS month Penetanguishene Arena was the scene of a very successful ball hockey tourney.

The weekend event attracted eight teams, three from this area the remainder from Toronto and Orillia. Those who organized the event are to be saluted for a well organized tournament.

We regret not more ball hockey fans turned out to watch the action but those who did saw ball hockey played at its very best.

Got too much to do? Hire Agricrew

Dear Sir:

Agricrew '81 is getting ready to help Simcoe County farmers and farm organizations. What is Agricrew? It is an Experience '81 Program sponsored by the Ontario Youth Secretariat and the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food.

Agricrew is designed to supply farmers with temporary help for various farm jobs, and to provide students with summer employment and an exposure to various types of Agriculture.

The title "Agricrew" appropriately describes the crew of three enthusiastic crew members and their working foreperson. The crew of four are hired as a unit at a cost of \$90 per day. They arrive on the farm at a previously arranged time, work eight hours, provide their own lunch and drinks, and are covered by Workmen's Compensation.

The crew may be hired for a maximum of five days throughout the whole summer. Crews are available from June 22 to August 14.

What can Agricrew do for you? In previous summers crews have performed a wide variety of tasks such as hoeing, building fences, cleaning out pens, haying and painting.

Agricrew can be hired for almost any job! However, they are not allowed to do second storey construction, use chainsaws or creosote, or drive farm vehicles on the road.

Interested farmers are encouraged to contact

their local O.M.A.F. office as soon as possible to ensure that Agricrew will be available to work for them this summer. Even if you cannot say a specific date a general one will do.

Don't delay, book an Agricrew today!! Elmvale O.M.A.F. 322-2231, Alliston O.M.A.F. 435-5521

> Cheryl McArthur Agricrew Co-ordinator Simcoe County

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