



Subdivision nears completion

The 34 lots in the newest subdivision, Bonaventure Estates, in the Town of Penetanguishene are a week away from completion.

According to Pendeco Developments President Raymond Marchand, all that is left to be done on the lots, located at the southend of Dunlop Street between Edward and Robert Streets, is the electrical services which are to be finished this week.

Last week the finishing touches on Bonaventure Place, the roadway leading into the subdivision, were done leaving only light standards and indicators to be completed.

Marchand says all of the sewer lines are in place along with the water and hydrants.

Bonaventure Estates is only the first of two subdivi-

sions in that area of the Town the developer hopes to service.

According to Marchand, the second phase of his development, north of Bonaventure Estates, is presently in front of the Town's Planning Advisory Committee.

Out of the 34 lots in the subdivision 14 have already

been sold and construction of homes has started on three of the 14.

Marchand, who has returned to Penetang after spending the last eight years in Florida, says the fully serviced lots are selling at \$18,000 and he is presently looking at building some homes himself on some of the remaining 20 lots.

Countdown is coming

The Lung Association's Countdown program is tailor-made for smokers who both want to quit smoking, and who need help, the Lung Association says.

Countdown is described as two programs in one: a group program and a self-help program. The Lung Association claims that in

five weeks "smokers can gain their freedom from smoking and enjoy life as a non-smoker."

Interested smokers can register by telephoning 526-6403. The course begins in Huronia District Hospital May 27, and runs two Tuesdays and five Thursdays. The cost is \$75.

Teachers promoted

Two teachers on staff at St. Theresa's High School have been promoted.

Jerry Goodeil is the next principal of St. John Vianney School. Rick Presse is the new vice-principal of St. Theresa's.

And principal Anne Gagne will join the curriculum development branch of the

Ministry of Education's head office for a two year term.

Final stages

Pendeco Developments President Raymond Marchand (far left) makes a quick inspection of what construction workers are doing in the final phases of work on the new Bonaventure Estates in the southeast end

of Penetang. Last week the Bonaventure Place road was paved and within a week all the work on servicing the lots in the subdivision should be completed.

Ducks Unlimited, MNR to rejuvenate Marsh

A provincial government ministry and a private wildlife conservation group are co-operating to make the Wye Marsh greener and fuller of wildlife than it is now.

The Ministry of Natural Resources and Ducks Unlimited propose to make a log dam between the bottom of the marsh and Georgian Bay higher, to keep out of the marsh Bay water in times of a high Great Lakes level.

And electric pumps would pump water out of the marsh. Dan Mansell, district manager of Huronia District for the Ministry of Natural Resources, explains, "A marsh is like you and I. They tend to age."

Nutrients produced by marsh vegetation which is underwater stay in the vegetation's roots. But if the water level drops and the vegetation is exposed to air, those nutrients will migrate into the marsh bottom. When water covers the marsh bottom again, the vegetation feeds on the released

nutrients and grows even more healthily, Mansell says.

Mansell compared this process to a farmer letting an overworked parcel of land to lie fallow for a year. The plan for the Wye marsh does not include changing the water level, he says. The water level at the marsh's edge will be lowered but not to the point that the marsh bottom will dry.

Since vegetation is the first link in the food chain, flourishing vegetation will sent benefits up the ladder through the small organisms to the fish to the waterfowl, he said.

Ducks Unlimited will pay for the cost of the work. The group has a formal agreement with government extending across the country, he said.

Red Shield at \$19,500

By last Friday, the Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal had collected \$19,500, more than three-quarters of the way to the goal of \$25,000, with two weeks to run in the month long annual fund raising campaign.

Midland, Penetanguishene, Elmvale, Wyevalle, Hillsdale, Port McNicoll, and Orr Lake have been canvassed.

To be done are businesses and manufacturers.

Red Shield Appeal funds are spent on nation-wide Salvation Army projects including alcoholic rehabilitation centres, homes for unwed mothers, hostels, and orphanages. Some of the money raised locally is returned for local expenditure.

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