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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN TERRACE BAY

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TOWNSITE

Perhaps this might be a good time to review the progress that has taken place so far this year in the Townsite at Terrace Bay under the able guidance of Ralph Williams.

G.A. "Aint makin' a dime" Stewart, Bill Lowe and Bob Sheppard are carrying out the various engineering aspects of the Townsite construction.

People in the Townsite needn't worry about that large trench that Ontario Construction Company has dug on C-2 Street. It isn't a proposed atomic bomb shelter; it isn't a proposed atomic bomb shelter; it isn't going to be the Townsite Wine Cellar, either; it is the beginning of the sewer and water line for the 1947 houses. If you saw our mighty little atom, Bill Lowe, down on his hands and knees looking through a telescope, it wasn't through force of habit; he doesn't work that way all the time. Bill was giving the boys grades to lay the water and sewer lines.

Bob Sheppard has kept Jack Enstrom and Murray Ellis quite busy shovelling snow as the three laid out the locations of the 1947 houses. The procedure is to locate the houses a good deal prior to building so that if any changes in location are to be made, which will save trees or provide better grades, these can be made without affecting the construction schedule.

Gord, Stewart and Ted Scott (the gay blade of the Townsite Crew) have been kept busy on the design of the new sewage disposal plant. The office becomes blue with smoke and intermittently illuminated with brilliant showers of sparks emanating from their calculating machine as the two boys solve the many hydraulic problems encountered in such a design. Gord says, "I've got V² over 2G working like it never worked before".

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WOODLANDS LOG

April 1st was the official opening of the fire season and although the fire hazard is nil at present, it was not so at this time last year. Anyone who has been in a forest fire will appreciate the necessity of adequate preparations. Mr. G.D. MacAdam, Chief Ranger, Pays Plat, Ontario, visited Terrace Bay on April 14th and was pleased with our plans for fire prevention. The following names were submitted to him as Honorary Fire Wardens: E.J. Brady, J.E. Isbester, W.A.H. Lowe, J.A. Flatt, M. Spiddel, J. Hennessy, L. Massicotte, R. Cramp and Len Christianson. These men are to work in conjunction with Mr. F. Jones, Fire Chief, Terrace Bay, in case of bush fires until the Ontario Forestry Brigade arrives and takes over. Let us hope these precautions will not be needed. The men mentioned above will be authorized to enforce fire prevention rules or regulations. Mr. G.D. MacAdam also visited Hydro with the same purpose in mind -- co-operation and co-ordination.

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Malcolm Spiddel and Willie Heinrich are preparing for the spring drive of pulpwood: boats, camp repairs, telephone lines, booms, etc. Malcom has recently returned from Longlac where he was doing an improvement job for Pulpwood Supply Company.

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