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CANADIAN WILDLIFE FEDERATION IN OPERATION

The hopes of Canadian outdoor sportsmen approach fulfillment next week at Ottawa. Establishment of a national organization has long been the dream of all provincial conservation-minded sportsmen's groups.

On November 2 - 3, twenty-one delegates from seven provincial Fish & Game organizations will hold a two day meeting at the Chateau Laurier. These delegates represent 750 local associations with a total membership in excess of 150,000 outdoor sportsmen. Provincial groups from Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland are expected to affiliate in 1963.

The Founding Convention of the Canadian Wildlife Federation is the result of action undertaken just one year ago at the "Resources for Tomorrow" Conference in Montreal. At that time a unanimous decision of intent to form a national body was expressed by sportsmen delegates in attendance. The follow-up action in forming the Canadian Wildlife Federation is thought by many to be one of the greatest tangible dividends of that important conference.

A five man Working Committee with Stan Hodgkiss, President of the Ontario Federation of Hunters and Anglers, as Chairman has successfully worked out all preliminary details during the past year. Other Committee members were: Ralph Olive, President, New Brunswick Fish & Game Protective Association; Ted Glendenning, Director of the Quebec Federation of Fish & Game Associations; Ed Meade, Secretary Manager of the British Columbia Federation of Fish & Game Clubs; and Paul Murphy, Executive Director of the Manitoba Federation of Game & Fish Associations.

This Working Committee's responsibilities terminate at next week's Convention. Election of officers to head the national body will take place at Ottawa following constitution ratification.

The existing provincial organizations have long felt a need for a national body. Many matters of their concern are under the jurisdiction of federal agencies. The Canadian Wildlife Federation will provide the instrument to present the organized sportsmen's views on matters of federal control.

A representative from the National Wildlife Federation, the U.S. counterpart, will attend the Convention, giving delegates the benefit of twenty-five years experience in operating on a nation wide basis.

One of the major purposes of the Federation will be to promote the cause of conservation throughout Canada. The national body will also assist its provincial affiliates in working for sound renewable resource management with emphasis on the welfare of wildlife. (Continued on page 9)

ARENA OPENING SET FOR WEEKEND

Installation of ice in the local Arena commenced on Monday morning and it is expected that arena events will begin this weekend.

Arena schedules will be posted at the schools, Recreation Centre and arena before the end of the week and three-week schedules will be distributed to homes in the near future.

KEEP THESE THREE-WEEK SCHEDULES POSTED IN A HANDY PLACE SO THAT YOU MAY BE AWARE OF ARENA EVENTS.

FOUR TEAM LEAGUE IN N.S.H.L.

Hockey rumors have been coming thick and fast lately but it's been difficult to ascertain fact from Rumor.

The announcement that Red Rock Royals will definitely stay in the Lakehead Senior Hockey League was received in this district with apathy. A more popular announcement is the one that Schreiber will definitely ice a Team this year. District fans will take a keener interest in a league in which more "home grown" talent is involved.

In past years Schreiber has produced many tough, hard-hitting hockey players and the spirit of competition is keen enough to provide spectator interest aplenty. With teams from Marathon and Nipigon to round out the League fans are promised some old-time interesting hockey.

A thirty-six game schedule is proposed with three away and three at home. Probable starting time is December 15th.

ARTIFICIAL ICE SOUGHT FOR SCHREIBER ARENA

A public meeting will be held on November 6th, in the Schreiber Town Hall at 8 P.M. to discuss the possibility of establishing a fund to put artificial Ice in the local Arena.

Artificial ice is a real need if a Schreiber Hockey team is to get the required practise time needed to get and keep a competing team in top condition.

COUNCIL QUOTES

Reeve J.P. Heenan with Councillors A. Fraser, J. Wellings and Secretary W.F. Strutt were each sworn in before becoming a local selector of jurors prior to the regular business of Council Wednesday afternoon in the Utilities Building.

Councillor Welling quoted estimates received for curbing at the Cemetery and suggested recommendations be made to the incoming Council. (Continued on Page 11)
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