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HYDRO UTILITIES BUILDING FORMALLY OPENED



Thirteen months ago the cornerstone was laid for the Hydro Utilities Building in Terrace Bay, opened by Councillor D. Evans-Smith as he introduced Reeve J. P. Heenan to welcome the many visitors to the official opening Monday, November 12th. Reeve Heenan noted that many of those present attended the cornerstone ceremony.

Dedication of the building was pronounced by Rev. T. Garnett Husser before Mr.J.Ferrier, Mill Manager of Kimberly-Clark Corporation was called upon to cut the ribbon, declaring the building officially open.

Manager of Ontario Hydro, Northwestern Region, Mr. I.C. Ingimundson of Port Arthur, expressed his pleasure at being present for the occasion.

The Hon. George Wardrop, Minister of Mines, brought greetings from the Premier of Ontario and expressed personal pleasure at being invited. Mr. Wardrope offered congratulations on the erection of the Hydro Utilities Building and felt it most notable and praiseworthy that it had been built without requesting remuneration from the Government.

Visitors were invited to inspect the newly-opened building before adjourning to Terrace Bay Motor Hotel for dinner.

The guests included Hon. & Mrs. George Wardrope, Mr. & Mrs. I.C. Ingimundson, Mr. & Mrs. J. M. Tarling, Consumer Services Superintendent, Mr. E. M. Bodkin, Consumer Services Engineer, Mr. & Mrs. Eric Coggin, Mr. & Mrs. D.I. Nattress, Mr. & Mrs. W. J. Neish, Architect, Mr. C. Gatien of Port Arthur and, from Terrace Bay, Mr. & Mrs. C. Crandlemire, Mr. & Mrs. J. Phillips, Rev. & Mrs. T. Garnett Husser, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Ferrier, Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Heenan, Mr. & Mrs. D. Evans-Smith, Mr. & Mrs. J. Wellings, Mr. & Mrs. A. Fraser, Mr. & Mrs. A. Valliquette, Mr. & Mrs. C. E. Paget, Mr. & Mrs. D. Boudreau, Mr. W. F. Strutt and Mr. & Mrs. W. Hanley.

Open House was held at the Utilities Building between the hours of two and four in the afternoon.

REMEMBRANCE DAY OBSERVED HERE

Those who remembered gathered at the Cenotaph Sunday afternoon to pay homage to the dead of two World wars and were cautioned by Rev. T. Garnett Husser in his address that it was well to remember the empty place at our tables. Referring to the first and second world wars he continued that their sacrifice was meant to provide a future for us, but now the question was, would there be a future tomorrow? Recalling the words of Moses, "I have set before you Life and Death, the Blessing and the Curse. Therefore, chose you Life." He concluded with the assurance that God is Here as never before.

Wreaths were respectfully laid at the Cenotaph by Mrs. W. Anderson, representing the Mothers of Canada; W. T. Baillie, President of the Canadian Legion, Branch 223; Mrs. N. Bajkiewicz, Legion Ladies Auxiliary; Gordon Black, Province of Ontario; Mrs. G. Dashkewytch, Catholic Women*s League; Mrs. R. Harris, Order of Eastern Star; J. Gross, Loyal Order of Moose; Mrs. L. Legault, Women of the Moose; John Ferrier, Kimberly-Clark Corporation; Reeve J. P. Heenan, Township of Terrace Bay; James Hale, Kiwanis Club; Donald Colborne, for Waghorn*s Pharmacy; Tony Costa, Costa's Foodmaster; Jack Caccamo, Tony's Groceteria and Mrs. F. Ford for Anford's Limited, before Bugler W. F. Colborne sounded the Last Post.

The Two Minutes silence was ended as W. Baillie intoned the familiar "They shall grow not old, as we who are left grow old; Age shall not worry them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning, We will remember them", followed by the sounding of Reveille.

Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Husser. The Terrace Bay Band again accompanied the gathering as they sang The Queen before Parade Marshall John Shivas gave orders for the Color Party to march past, followed by Veterans of both wars, Legionnaires and Auxiliary members.

