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SKI CONDITIONS IDEAL

Ski conditions are excellent with all trails now in use.

Facilities are greatly improved this year with an electric powered tow and floodlights for night skiing. The tow will be operating at the following times:-

Tuesdays - 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Fridays - 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Saturdays - 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sundays - 1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

If sufficient interest is shown in night skiing, the above schedule may be increased to include one other night.

Ski instruction classes for beginners and novices will be held every Saturday morning from 10:30 a.m. to 12 Noon, commencing Saturday, January 16.

The Ski Club again ask the co-operation of the public in observing the following rules:-

No dogs or toboggans on the hill, and no walking on the hill without skis or snowshoes.

ALL VISITORS ARE WELCOME

WARD FAMILY FETED ON DEPARTURE

Good wishes in their new home and position were tinged with regret as many groups and organizations in Terrace Bay gathered to say their farewells to Ken Ward, his wife Marion and children, D'Arcy, Leslie and Robby. Director of Recreation in Terrace Bay for the past eight years (all very enjoyable, he adds), Ken has been tireless in his efforts to further all phases of recreation, both cultural and athletic, in the community. Not to be over-looked either is his good-natured wife Marion. The Wards have left to make their home in Manitowadge.

Last Thursday evening the Art Club, Ceramics Group and friends gathered in the Art Centre for a social evening with Marion and Ken as their guests of honor. Mrs. Isobel Ferrier proposed a toast to the departing couple and a painting of Jackfish Lake by Gertrude Boyd was presented by Mary Middaugh and Sadie Gaulin.

Several organizations, as well as many of his friends, were represented at the Stag held for Ken Friday evening in the Moose Hall. Ken MacLeod of the Public School made a presentation of a fishing rod and reel from the Recreation Association Committee. On behalf of the Figure Skating Club, Jim Cumming gave Ken fishing equipment with their best wishes. A book of cartoons of humorous incidents in Ken's life here, the creation of Lorne O'Neil, was presented by Jack Phillips and, on behalf of the group gathered, Jerry Papousek presented Ken with a transistor and (Continued on page 7)



NEW HIGHWAY SAFETY TRIANGLE

A new type of highway safety warning device is beginning to appear on Canadian highways, announced the Canadian Highway Safety Council.

This new safety red triangle is clearly visible day and night, at a distance of 1,500 feet. When a vehicle, for any reason, is stalled on the side of a highway, the safety device is placed 100 feet behind the stalled car or truck. Constructed of aluminum, surfaced with red reflective material, it is always visible, day or night, in any weather condition, and there is no danger of failure from a power source.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police have equipped their patrol cars with this new safety red triangle. It has been accepted in many countries around the world as a standard highway warning emblem.

The Canadian Highway Safety Council recommends every vehicle on Canadian highways should be equipped with such emergency warning equipment.

CHRISTMAS GOES TO AUDEN

During the pre-holiday rush we neglected to read the weekly bulletin from the Geraldton office of the Dept. of Lands & Forests. However, we believe our readers would be interested in knowing about "Operation 90" as sponsored by the employees of the Dept. at MacDiarmid.

Conducted without fanfare the operation was designed to bring the spirit of Christmas to ninety Indian children at Auden which lies approximately 90 miles from the base at MacDiarmid. Collecting of clothing, toys, candies etc. exceeded all expectations and Santa Claus was contacted to make an appearance.

The trip was made on December 18th - equipment including a portable radio (to contact Santa) and a portable generating plant to (continued page 8)