



THIS IS NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO?

The photo at the left is a reproduction of place mats used in the coffee shop at Lakehead Airport. The area depicted is encircled and the title underneath is 'Northwestern Ontario'. This leaves one wondering where the communities on the North Shore of Lake Superior, between the Lakehead and Wawa are since Northern Ontario doesn't claim us either.

REPORT CARDS (Continued from page 10 on the back and offering yourself hearty congratulations. I'd like to add mine. To you I say "Keep up the good work!"

You know you could have done better. You are now mentally kicking yourself and promising yourself to study next time. Does this sound like you? If so, do you really expect to keep those promises? Why not start now? I said NOW!

You've heard it before but I'll say it again--good marks just don't pop out and surrender themselves. You have to fight for them! The most effective weapons I can suggest would be paying attention in class and good hard, honest-to-goodness studying. You may be surprised to find, that with a little determination and persistence the battle is easily won.

OLD ENOUGH TO VOTE (Continued vote at eighteen.

Other ideas brought out were that at this age many girls begin married lives, a great number of boys work at steady jobs and a large sum leave to better their education. You can readily see how these persons would benefit by the right to vote.



Clergy and doctors attend nurses meeting.

VOTE AT 18 - by Ted Petrus

Should people having the full age of eighteen years be allowed to vote? This was the controversial topic which split Grade 10A's opinions and caused a heated debate. There were many good points made on both sides, however, I shall only mention a few.

The predominant point was that should we be called into the armed forces while between the ages of eighteen to twenty-one, we are expected, if need arise, to die for our country, yet we have no influence over the government which makes use of us.

Our adversaries suggested that the vote would be abused or disregarded. This, our opponents said was evident in the actions of the present day young adult. The reply was that given the voting privileges these people would have responsibility and would take an active interest in politics. If we are considered responsible enough to obtain firearms and driving permits at sixteen, we should surely

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CAN WE AFFORD TO STAY HOME NOVEMBER 8TH?

A fact of life, is that we can least afford at this time in Canadian history to meet the upcoming Federal Election with apathy and distrust. We must listen carefully to the candidates, familiarise ourselves with their political platforms and vote on the basis of what we believe to be in the best interests of Canada.

Our selection of a political candidate at the polls, should not be based on rampant emotionalism, but on the facts as we know them. It is the duty of each one of us to know and understand the issues, and clearly define any ambiguous promises made in the heat of an election campaign with the political candidates representing the riding in which we reside.

Regardless of whether or not the thought of another Canadian Election is somewhat provoking to the average Canadian, Canadians everywhere should realize that by failing to exercise the right to cast a ballot at the polls, they are neglecting their duty as responsible citizens.

We should not forget the captive and suppressed peoples of other lands, who long ago, lost their right to vote by the means of democratic choice without the fear of reprisal, arrest and sometimes death. We are clearly given a choice here in Canada, if we don't exercise one of the basic freedoms we now enjoy, it may be too late to do so tomorrow. Protect your right, protect democracy, protect the freedom of future generations of Canadians, on November 8th vote as you like—But VOTE!

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