

TWO-DAY CONFERENCE HELD BY A.A.

Delegates from Pittsburgh, Duluth, Dryden, Thunder Bay, Sioux Lookout, Nipigon and Marathon attended the first conference of Alcoholics Anonymous to be held in Schreiber. Special speakers from Oakville and Winnipeg were here for the two day event on March 20th and 21st.

The program began with an open meeting on Friday evening in the High School in Schreiber, followed by a banquet and social evening on Saturday night in the Moose Hall in Terrace Bay and Sunday brunch.

Among the local dignitaries attending were Reeve Fred Harness of Schreiber, Reeve W.E. Cavanaugh of Terrace Bay, Rev. Dean J.M. Cano, Father Gvora, Rev. Rex L. Dye, Jack Stokes, M.P.P. and Mrs. Stokes.

There was an attendance of 150 at the meetings.

The object of these conferences is for people to share experiences, their love for one another enabling them to achieve sobriety over the years.

TOWN TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCuaig and Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCuaig, with their families, of Thunder Bay, will visit various relations during the holiday week.

David and Susan Bromley of Islington are visiting friends here for the holidays.

Albert Costa is in McKellar Hospital.

Mrs. Gordon McParland is visiting her daughter Judy who is in St. Joseph's convent, North Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Morrill and daughter Karen, of Thunder Bay, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morrill.

Brian Bailey of Ottawa is home with his parents.

Nancy Spillane is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Spillane in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gordon are visiting in Toronto and St. Catherines.

Mauro Cebrario and Mr. and Mrs. Giovanni Cebrario are on a holiday in Italy.

Miss Doris McParland of Calgary, Alta. spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McParland.

Mrs. Ray Sisson, with daughters Rae and Dale, are spending the holidays in Thunder Bay with Miss Linda Sisson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kragero and Miss Sandy Kragero are visiting in Montevideo, Minn. with Mr. Kragero's sister Mrs. Myrtle Christianson.

Mrs. Art Moore and son Paul are in Vancouver visiting relations.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stitt are visiting the former's father in Renfrew.

John and Gerard McGrath are visiting relations in Eganville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stortini of Sault Ste. Marie are visiting various relations.

Miss Sandy Clemens and Denis McParland are home from Dryden and Fred Eickmeier from Sioux Lookout.

Miss Edith Clemens is visiting friends in London.

Mrs. Richard Sheedy of Pettawa visited her sister Mrs. John Spillane and her brother Jack Handel and families last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McParland entertained a large party of relations and friends on Saturday evening in honor of their daughter, Doris, who was home from Calgary for the weekend.

Sharon Riley and Rose Patterson, are home with Mr. and Mrs. George Riley, Ray Small and Paul Batchelor are with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Small - all from Toronto.

Mrs. George Lehto is visiting relatives in Sudbury and Sault Ste. Marie.

Marta Krystia is visiting Muriel Nesbitt in London.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Willoughby and their family, Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Pellagrino, Warren Morrill, John Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Orchard and family and Russell Nesbitt, Ricky Chicoine, and Janice Burns are all here from Thunder Bay visiting relations and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne O'Driscoll and family of Sudbury are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Chicoine and Mr. and Mrs. Terry O'Driscoll.

Lawrence Guillet is home from Severan Lake visiting his mother.

Danny and Gloria Ilijow are here from Nipigon spending the holiday with their grandfather, Walter Ilijow,

Miss Diane Rummery of Fort Frances spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rummery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Birch were with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krizan (their daughter Helen) and family in Canmore, Alta. for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cote and daughter Liana, and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, are here from Espanola, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Law and family of Chalk River are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S.G. Law.

Tommy Relph is home from Clinton, B.C. with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T.C. Relph.

Mrs. Jack Noonan has returned home from St. Joseph's Hospital, Thunder Bay.