

ROSSPORT SOCIAL SPECTRUM

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chapman and sons, Douglas and Brian of Winnipeg visited Mrs. C.W. Todesco on the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gerow are visiting friends in Espanola and Toronto this week.

Raymond Goodchild has left to study at Confederation College in Thunder Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lanigan and family of Nipigon visited relatives here over the weekend.

The Windjammer Gift Shop has been closed this week for the season. Proprietor Ally Sundland has returned to Thunder Bay.

RATEPAYERS MEETING

A meeting of the local ratepayers was held in the school hall Sunday evening to discuss the problem of supporting two community halls. The majority present favoured making the school building the community hall as it has running water and other facilities which are required. A discussion was had on ways and means of supporting this building and the possibility of moving the former Women's Institute Hall across the tracks and adding it as an addition or extension of the school building. The school lot has land available to make a proper parking lot adjacent to the building. Thus by joining the two halls a larger and more accommodating community center would be available.

Bill Schelling chaired the meeting. It was announced that another meeting would be held September 19 at 3:00 to further discuss this issue. Suggestions were heard on the many possibilities of raising funds to cover the costs of this project. It was suggested that voluntary workers would be welcome as it would eliminate much of the cost.

ACHNEEPINESKUM:

The funeral for Harry Achneepineskum of Pays Plat Mission, aged 28 years who died in a plane crash near Timmins, was held Wednesday morning from King's Funeral Home to St. Jerome's Roman Catholic Church at the mission with the Rev. Father S. Hyrchenuk officiating at the Requim High Mass.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paymartin Achneepineskum of Pays Plat Reserve. Besides his parents he is survived by four brothers all of Pays Plat - Peter, Frank, Jack and Norman; four sisters - Mrs. Susan Baxter, Mrs. Elizabeth Monias, Sally and Margaret; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Achneepineskum; several nieces and nephews; uncles and aunts - Mr. and

Mrs. Gilbert Martin, Chief Gerry and Mrs. Bouchard also of the Mission.

The late Harry Achneepineskum was a graduate of Lakehead University and was engaged with the Grand Treaty number 9, a Northern Ontario Indian Group at the time of his death.

A Memorial Service was held at Timmins and prayers were offered in the King Funeral Home in Schreiber led by Rev. Father Meyer, parish priest and the Catholic Women's League members.

Pallbearers were: Simon Moses, Donnie Wesley, Bill Thompson, Charles Thompson, Sabin Morriveau and Garry Morriveau. Burial was in St. Jerome's cemetery with Father Hyrchenuk in attendance.

Among the large crowd from out of town attending the funeral were: Rev. Sisters - Jean Hartleib and Rita Ryan of Beardmore; Mr. and Mrs. V. Romanec, Mrs. Herb Legault, Mrs. Anne Todesco, Mac Hubelit, Dave Mushquash, Mrs. G. Goodchild, Nick Bain all from Rossport; Norman Coulter, Dept. of Indian Affairs, Miss Mary Smith, Fred Plain of Treaty #9, Stanley Stevens, Sara McKay, Donny Wesley, Dave Wesley of Indian Friendship Centre of Thunder Bay; Ben Wawia of Union of Ontario Indians from Nipigon; Daryll Boisseneau of Timmins and Emile Morriveau of MacDiarmid. A large number of floral and spiritual offerings were received along with messages and condolences.

LIVE ENTERTAINME

*FIVE
COINS
(Orient)*

SEPT. 20th
to
SAT., SEPT. 25th

COVER CHARGE
at the
**MAYFAIR HOTEL
SCHREIBER**