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Ray Kenney delivers the Introductory Remarks at the Official Opening of the

Rosspport Community Hall.

Official Opening:

Rosspport Community Hall

BY ANNE TODESCO
Rosspport villagers have now entered into the second phase of the existence of the former Women's Institute community hall. It was built by the contractors Molinski Bros. over fifty years ago, actually it was built in 1929. This company operated a sawmill that supplied the area from Kenora to Manitouwadge with lumbers, timbers and fish boxes. Joe Molinski too over the contract and supervis-

ed the erection of the hall. He will always be remembered as a very considered and capable person. All the lumber was supplied by them from their mill. The finishing material was purchased through the Thunder Bay Lumber company and the plans for the building were drawn up by the late Al Bentz. Of course everything had to be shipped by C.P. freight from the Lakehead as we hadn't a highway in those

days.

The building was financed by soliciting donations and raising funds by holding dances, bazaars, concerts, draws, box socials, concerts etc. When the bank account swelled to the magnificent sum of seven hundred dollars, the ladies decided to start looking for a contractor to take on construction of the hall. The lot was bought for fifty dollars from the Hudson Bay Company be-

cause it was a big hunk of rock that no one else would want. It was tough going those days of the depression years but being a determined group of ladies, the members finally accomplished their dreams and a hall was built. Cpt. Fred Gerow backed their note when money had to be borrowed to help finance the cost of the building. No grants in those days.

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The newly renovated Rosspport Community Hall.

Terrace Bay Fish Derby

The second annual Terrace Bay Fish Derby was a "great success. A large number of very big fish were caught over the rainy weekend. Winners were:
Bass- Armand Carriere - 2 lbs. .75 oz.

Pike - Hazel Garneau - 15 lbs. 10.5 oz.
Pickerel - Murray Kushnieryk - 3 lbs. 15.25 oz.

Rainbow Trout - Claude Tremblay - 6 lbs. 11.25 oz.
Speckled Trout - Glen

McGee 2 lbs. 12.75 oz.
Lake Trout - Gary Mauger 16 lbs. 1 oz.

The winner of the attendance draw for a two horsepower outboard motor was Herve Arsenault.

Governor General's Conference

Terrace Bay played host to the Governor General's Study Conference over the weekend. The Study Conference is modeled on the Commonwealth Conferences sponsored by Prince Philip and has been organized by the Governor General to expose "the decision makers of tomorrow" from government, industry and labour to communities and conditions across the country.

The privately funded Conference is made up of fourteen

groups of executives. Each group studies a different area, and the largest group of seventeen people was in Terrace Bay as part of a general study of communities in the Canadian Shield.

Tony Jennings, on leave from the Ontario Ministry of Energy, was Chairman of the group. He said that they had begun their tour in La Pas, Manitoba and then travelled to Minaki Lodge near Kenora. The study group was in Nakina last

week to look at some of that community's problems and then stopped in Terrace Bay before moving on to the Hemlo gold district.

The study group was hosted at a dinner with the Terrace Bay Council on Saturday night and afterwards had an opportunity to talk with people from the community during a social hour in the lounge in Birchwood Terrace. Sunday morning the study group had breakfast with executives from Kimberly-Clark.

Circus in Terrace Bay

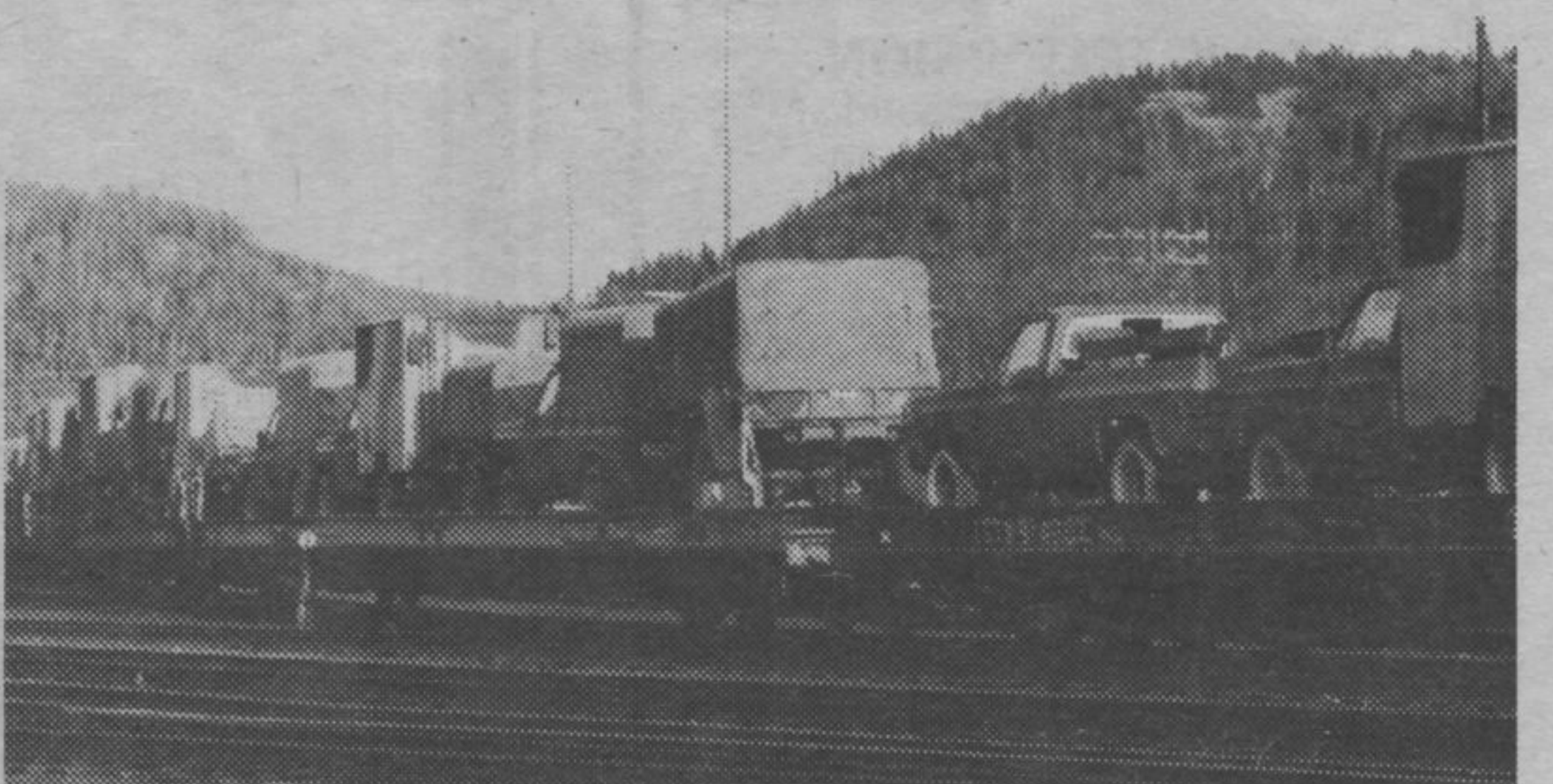
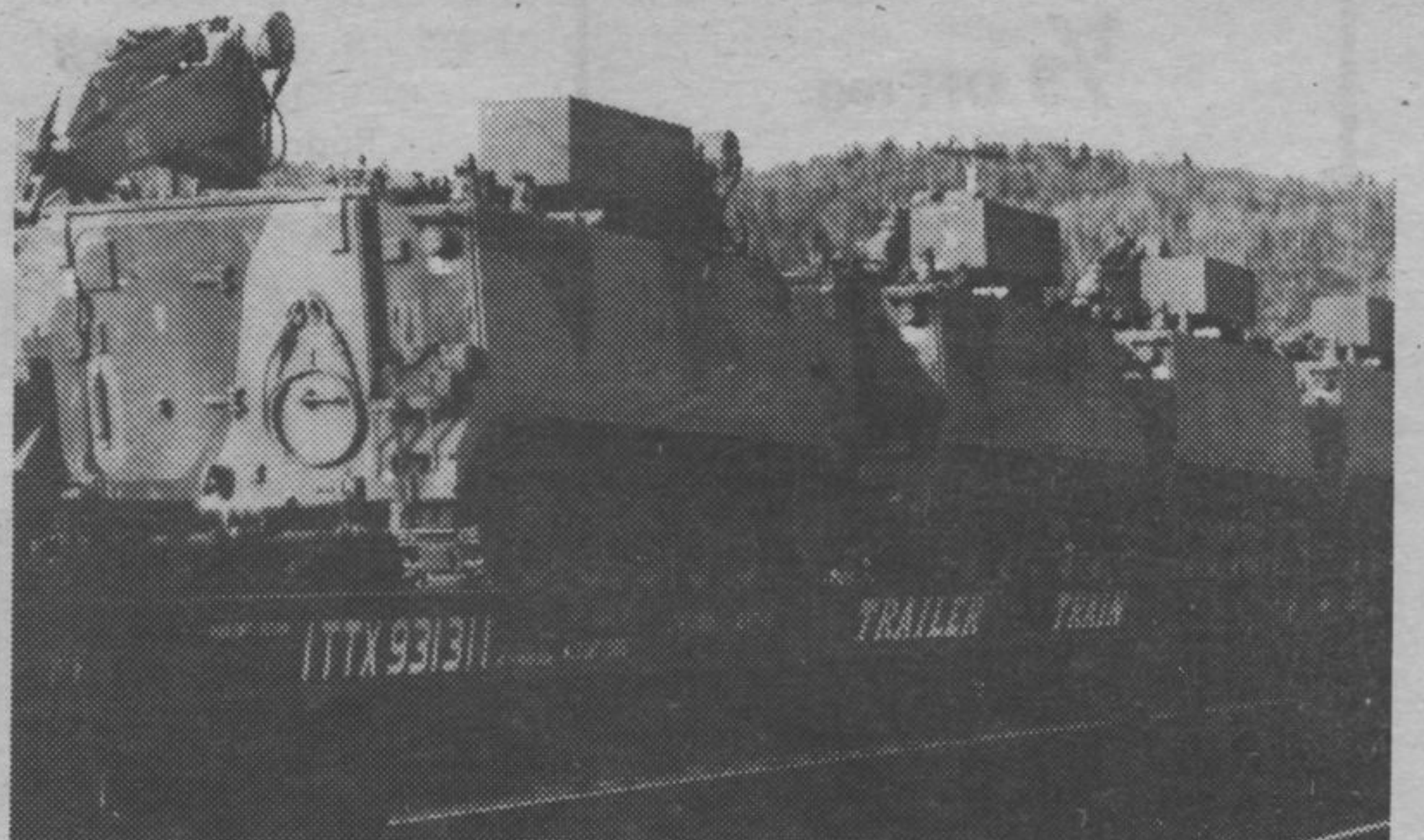
The Martin and Down's Circus will be coming to Terrace Bay on Tuesday, August 30. The Circus will be sponsored by the Terrace Bay Recreation Committee and will be playing two performances at the Texaco Ballfield.

Martin and Down's is one of the few tented circuses still tour-

ing nationally. An announcement earlier this week said, "The Circus tours annually in Canada and presents one of the finest family performances under the big top. The Recreation Committee will announce the start of their ticket sale campaign. They receive a percentage of all tickets sold and the money earned

from this project will go toward their many worthwhile community minded projects."

"Advance tickets will be priced lower than box office tickets and it is hoped that everyone in the area will support the Recreation Committee and buy their advance circus tickets early."



"No, George. We didn't go to war while you were out at camp." Local residents have been startled to see almost a dozen Armed Forces munitions and equipment trains travelling through Schreiber in the last month. The equipment was on its way out to Rendezvous '83, a large scale military exercise being held in Saskatchewan this spring. The vehicles and other equipment are now being transported back to their bases in eastern Canada.