



Photo driver licensing goes into effect Feb. 3

TORONTO — Ontario Minister of Transportation and Communications Ed Fulton recently confirmed that the province's photo driver licensing system will go into operation Feb. 3, 1986 with the mailing out of renewals.

"Photo licensing provides a more positive identification method," explained Fulton. "It prevents the misuse of driver licences, and offers a virtually tamper-proof licence."

"Drivers will continue to renew their licences every three years on their date of birth as before," said Fulton, "now, however, they will have to come into a ministry 'photo site' to have their picture taken."

In addition, all new drivers will automatically enter the photo licensing program. Those requiring a replacement licence fit in the same category.

Reinstated drivers (other than those suspended for medical-related reasons) will be advised they must get a photo upon reinstatement.

These sites ... almost 400 of them ... include all Driver and Vehicle licence offices, MTC Driver Examination Centres and selected travel points and OPP offices in the more remote areas of northern Ontario.

Photo licensing programs are in existence in Alberta, British Columbia and Prince Edward Island as well as all 50 American states and the District of Columbia.

The new two-part photo licence will consist of a laminated photo card and licence card.

"To offset the cost of the new program, renewal licence fees have been set at \$21 every three years," said the Minister.

Don't overdo it on your winter vacation

As winter's wrath starts to close in, more and more people think of escaping

south for a sun-drenched week or two. However, travel brochures promising

a quick, golden tan may not mention the trouble that may go with getting them.

No matter what time of year, tropical sun is more intense than ours because humid air magnifies its rays. Add to this the fragile condition of our skin, bundled up in warm clothes outdoors and dried indoors by central heating - and you have the right combination for a painful burn or worse.

The type of sun burn which might take a couple

of hours on a July day in Canada can happen within a much shorter span in tropical January. After a few hours, you could be severely burned even to the point of "sun poisoning."

Not only is the outer layer of skin burned, but the inner layers and even walls of blood vessels can be affected. This destruction of tissue leads to swelling and build-up of toxic material, which may in turn lead to shock or even coma.

"Sunstroke" results from deep burning of the back of the neck. This is where the spinal cord is closest to the surface and damage to it affects the central nervous system.

To avoid ruining what should be a relaxing break, vacationers should stay out of direct sun between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. at least. Especially avoid swimming during this period because water also magnifies the sun's rays. If you must lie or play in the sun, use a sun screen recommended for your skin type.

Your pharmacist can explain the types and features of various products designed to protect you from the sun's harm. When used as directed, they give effective protection, but let

common sense prevail. You'd be surprised how deep and durable a tan you can get from reflected sun by sitting in the shade during your winter vacation.

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newly formed "Squash and Racquetball" Leagues

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When: November 20th

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Where: Recreation Centre Conference Room

Why: To discuss the leagues and explain rules of game to all present.

If you are interested Attend this important meeting

See you on the 20th of November

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continued from page 1 they've absorbed their yolk sacs they will come out into the fly traps.

The predicted survival rates is 70-90%. They'll be approximately 2 cm long at this point.

When the fry emerge the Rod and Gun Club will look after some of the actual stocking to local lakes.

It's a very worthwhile and interesting project. This project will provide fishable quantities of this beautiful fish.

Linda Melnyk-Ferguson of the Ministry of Natural Resources was at the hatchery location to help supervise the eggs' placement.

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We wish to remind all those who might use roads in the area of these potential hazards, and emphasize the need for care and common sense in snowmobiling.

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