



Tina Young, Ann Querry, Maybelle Furlonger, and Blanch Speck help to bag 150 bags of popcorn. Birchwood Terrace residents and a few parents took the time to bag the popcorn for the Sparks, Brownies, Guides, and Pathfinders who attended a rally in Marathon
Photo by Angie Saunders

Northern Insights continued from page 5

1986. Among other things, the Rosehart task force called on Peterson to do exactly what he's doing - move departments out of Toronto as a way of truly diversifying the economy of all of Ontario. I am not now, nor have I have been, a member of any political party. I do not support everything Peterson's government is doing. But Peterson and his friends with the Red Ties have this one right.

diagnosis free of charge. The treatment will cost you some time - discovering what northern Ontario is really like. I urge you to make that investment soon, before you send out any more letters to your membership.

Your northern neighbor,
Larry Sanders

PS: In case you can't find your dictionary in all that Toronto smog, "myopia" means "short-sightedness".

Mr. Clancy, please seek treatment for your myopia. I offer the

All the World's a circus- continued from page 5

remember what Trigger was wearing in the last photo I saw of him but somehow I couldn't imagine Malcolm draped in a hand-tooled leather riding saddle and Dale Evans.

I chose a pair of black and white saddle shoes, a polo shirt with the collar up and a cardigan sweater. I started to put a pair of cords on him and then I thought - how ridiculous - we're doing this by phone for gawdsakes.

For the record I own a cat that stands 32 centimeters in saddle shoes, weighs 26 kilograms in an Irish-knit cardigan and looks a little like Perry Como if Perry Como had been born into a litter of six scruffy orphans by a moral-

ly-bankrupt mother and a father who split even before the panting subsided.

"He's not very big is he?" she asked.

"No, not in metric," I replied.

We moved on down the list, checking "no" beside all the things near and dear to an insurance salesman's heart: persistent hoarseness, asthma, blood-spitting, bronchitis, jaundice, gall bladder, chronic diarrhea, urinary swelling, convulsions - boy, a little shop talk over dinner with these guys must be an experience and a half. I'd just love to see an office interview with a recently-arrived immigrant in which the

insurance salesman actually had to act all these things out.

Just the other side of dizziness, fainting and recurrent headaches we hit an impass known as "history of mental illness." I looked at Malcolm. Malcolm grinned at me.

"What's the penalty for perjury?" I asked.

"Are you lying?" asked the secretary.

"No I am not lying. Did I say I was lying? Are you accusing me of lying?"

I heard three yes check marks go into the family history column beside "nervous anxiety", "chronic paranoia", and "borderline

schizophrenia".

I don't mind fudging the facts a little but if you think I'm going to certify the mental soundness of a cat who once spent the Victoria Day weekend staring down a drain pipe in my neighbors' flowerbed, then you must think I'm crazy.

This cat drags back rodents with tire tracks on them and then, when he knows I'm looking, he pretends to beat them to death on the patio. And I'm going to sign a document that says mentally he's all right?

"During the last five years has your son used any hallucinogenic or habit forming drugs?"

"Does catnip count?" I asked.

"I'll be hanging up now. Goodbye," she said.

It's all just as well. Next on the list was a paragraph dealing with "amputation and reproductive organs." All they had to do was call Dr. David Thorne who still has most of Malcolm's manhood in a jar on his office refrigerator.

So Malcolm will someday die and I'll be left broken-hearted and broke. Nobody said it would be easy. Did I say it would be easy? I never said it would be easy. I didn't say anything. Did you say something? You said it would be easy! I heard you say it would be easy!

Ministry of Natural Resources Attention

HUNTERS, FISHERMEN, LOGGERS, TRAPPERS AND RESOURCE USERS!
THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO BE INVOLVED IN THE MANAGEMENT OF YOUR FORESTS!
PUBLIC NOTICE FOR THE INFORMATION CENTER FOR THE STEEL RIVER CROWN MANAGEMENT UNIT TIMBER MANAGEMENT PLAN (1991 - 1996)

The Ministry of Natural Resources will be conducting 2 Public Information Centers for the Timber Management Planning process for the Steel River Crown Management Unit. These 2 sessions will be held Wednesday June 20, 1990, in Terrace Bay (Terrace Bay Recreation Center) and Thursday June 21, 1990, in Marathon (Zero to 100 Motor Inn) from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. both days.

These information centers are for the purpose of reviewing and commenting on alternatives and preliminary proposals which have been developed for the period April 1, 1991, to March 31, 1996. The information provided at this information center will include:

- a "values map" for the management unit which displays known resource features, land uses and values which must be considered in the planning process
- maps of areas eligible for harvesting during the twenty year period
- maps of specific areas proposed for harvest during the first five year period
- proposed roads for access during the twenty year period
- specific road locations proposed to be built during the first five year period
- areas of concern where forestry operations may be modified to protect other resource values

Following the Public Information Centers there will be a 30 day period provided for public review of the preliminary proposals as described above. This information may be reviewed at the Ministry of Natural Resources office in Terrace Bay. Written comments should be submitted by July 21, 1990.

For further information, please contact:

Greg Pawson
Ministry of Natural Resources
P.O. Box 280
Terrace Bay, Ontario P0T 2W0
Telephone: (807) 825-3205

Please note that opinions expressed become public record unless privacy is requested.

Renseignements offerts en français a l'adresse suivante:

Ministère des Richesses naturelles
C.P. 280
Terrace Bay, Ontario P0T 2W0

Written responses may be directed to:
District Manager
Ministry of Natural Resources
P.O. Box 280
Terrace Bay, Ontario P0T 2W0



Ministry of Natural Resources
Lyn McLeod
Minister

