

Community briefs

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Schreiber roads budget

Schreiber has submitted a budget of \$182,000 to the Ministry of Transportation for subsidy in 1992.

This includes \$6,000 for a new plow and \$7,000 for curbing. The Township also applied for \$26,000 of supplementary funding.

Non-subsidizable capital works, including \$10,000 for sidewalk repair, \$8,000 for paving Peary Street and \$10,000 for storm sewers, are being considered.

Also included in the roads budget is \$4,300 for the Handi-Transit bus service. The cost is being shared with

Terrace Bay, and is being subsidized by the Ministry of Transportation.

The budget was presented to Council March 17.

Lions Clubs chooses Timmy

Terrace Bay/Schreiber's 1992 Easter Seals Timmy—Christopher Ballantine—celebrated his sixth birthday on March 16 by doing more than wishing.

Christopher, along with other Easter Seal children and their parents, joined members of the local Lion's Club and their families in preparing for the 1992 Easter Seals campaign.

The group spent the evening preparing contribution envelopes to be mailed to the residents of Schreiber and Terrace Bay. Residents can either mail back the envelopes, or drop them off at the Tourist Information Centre April 4.

The Lions hope to raise \$2,500 this year for their Easter Seals children.

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Environmentalist to speak

Internationally recognized author, environmentalist and educator Thom Henely will be in Marathon March 26 at the Marathon High School.

He has travelled and lived with indigenous peoples in more than 60 countries. In Canada, he was an organizer for the largest conservation battle in Canadian history, the 13 year campaign to protect the wilderness of the Queen Charlotte Archipelago in South Moresby, B.C.

More than 400 students from Terrace Bay, Schreiber, Manitouwadge and Marathon will hear Henely speak.

He will speak about the endangered peoples of the world, having led research teams to Borneo, Sumatra, West Malaysia, Thailand and the Queen Charlotte Islands.

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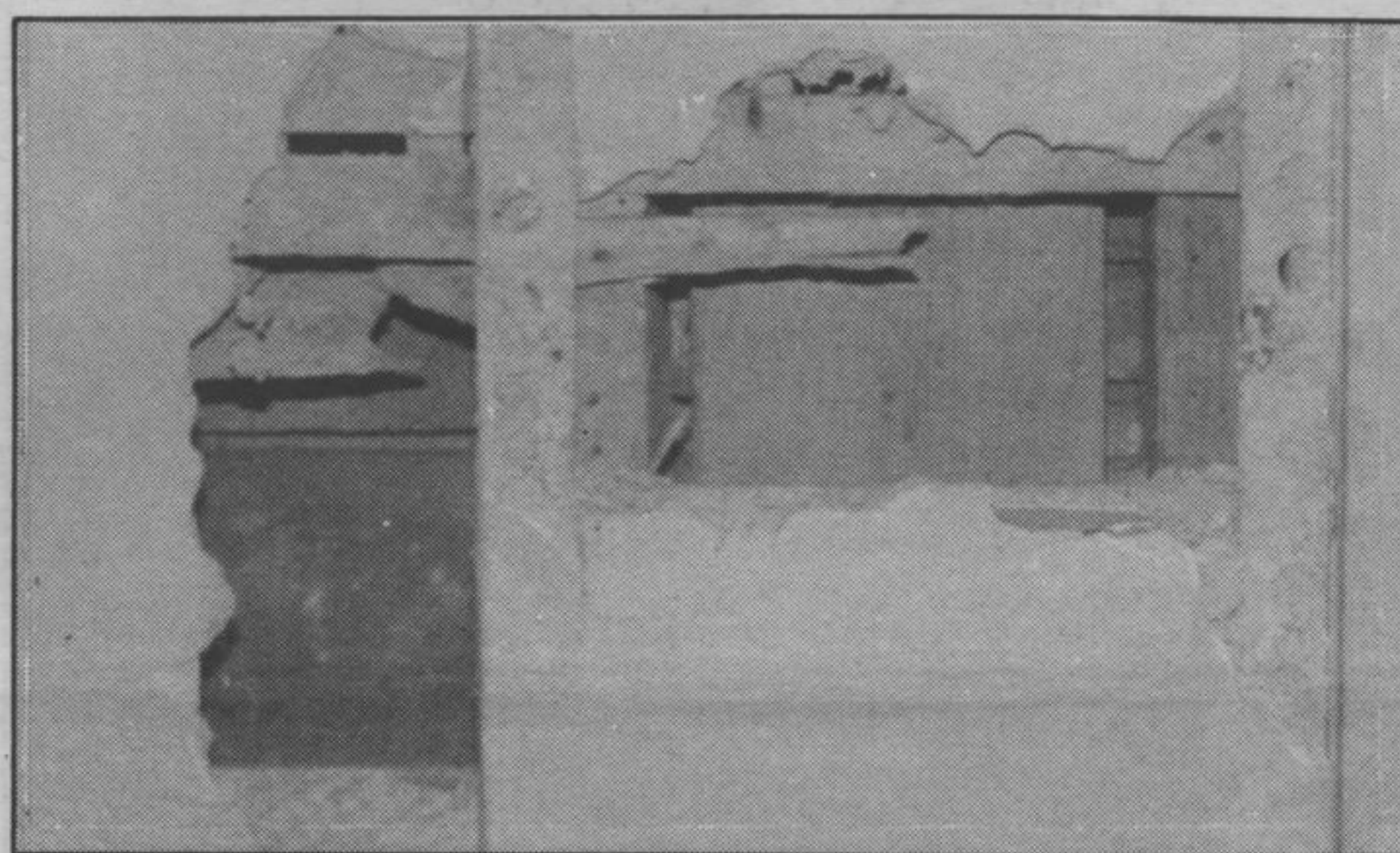
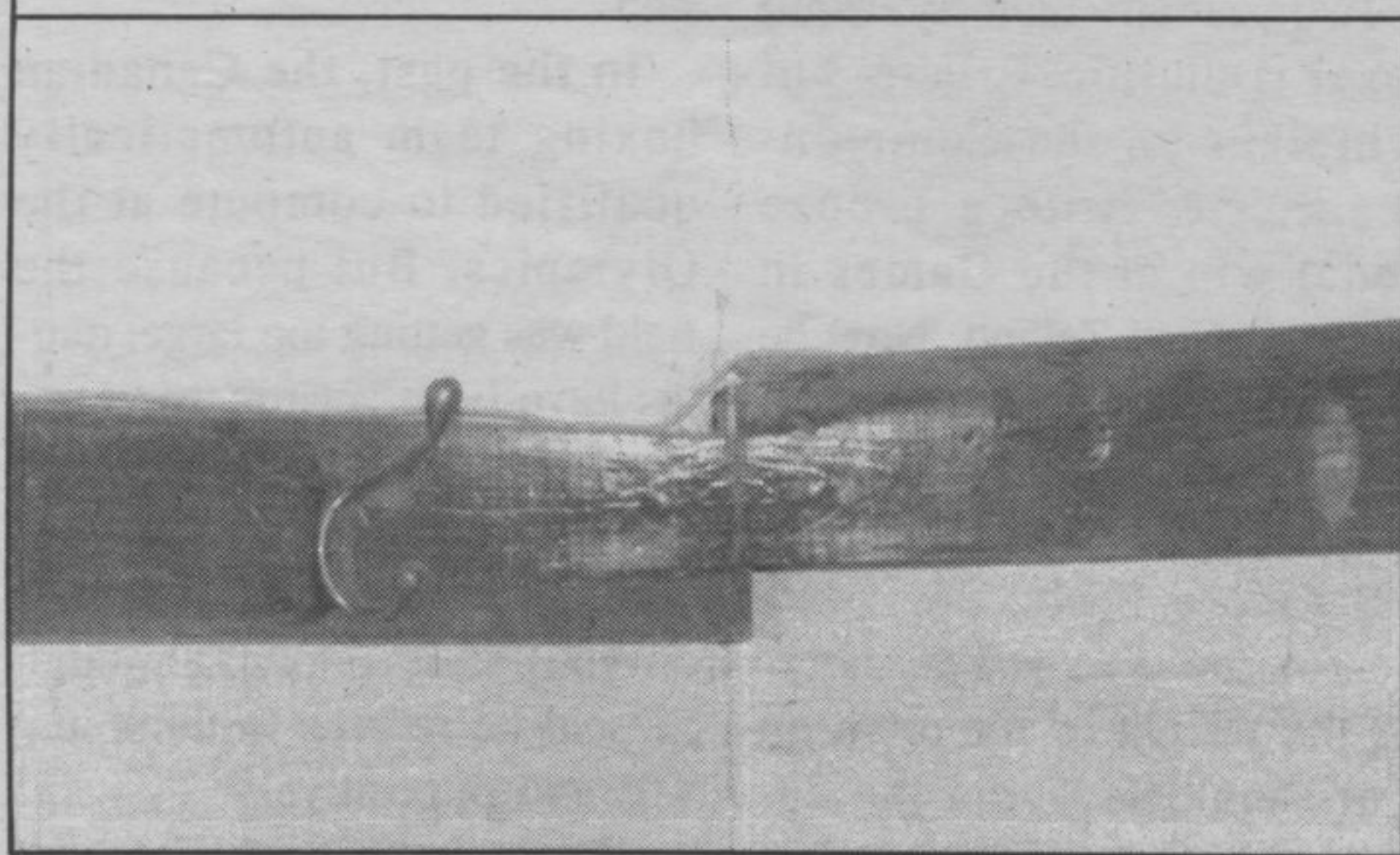
about the "Rediscovery Program", which was co-founded in Canada by Henely in 1978. It brings together native and non native youth in order to share understanding, culture and respect.

NW Ont. survey

The Ministry of Northern Development and Mines has announced a \$25,000 grant to fund a comprehensive study of Northwestern Ontario.

A computerized model will project where the region's economy is headed. It will examine the resource sector, manufacturing, services and transportation. Lakehead University will do the study.

Hall would need new roof, basement, ceilings, floors



The coat rack (above left) in the Town Hall used to line up; holes in the wall (above right) show the lack of insulation

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ment would have to be dug up; and the furnace eats up around 600 gallons of fuel a week during the winter.

"When you're talking about \$25,000 a year for heat lights and maintenance, and there's no maintenance, it just doesn't

make any sense to keep it open."

"What really annoys me is that they've known for years (that the building was in bad shape), so why didn't they do some work on it?" Eva Gordon says.

"They didn't have to do a lot

of work, but do what needs to be done.

"I'm still not in favour of (tearing it down)," she says. "But I guess you can't live in the past, and Council has to do what they think is best. My husband says I'm beating a dead horse."

"It's just not the way to spend tax dollars on something that's still old when you're done," Krause says.

"You've got to be realistic."

NOACC against labour reforms

The Northwestern Ontario Associated Chambers of Commerce have come out against the NDP's proposed changes to the Labour Relations Act.

In a document submitted to the Ministry of Labour, NOACC says it "disagrees with the underlying premise set out," in the discussion paper last November.

"For most workers, it is not the act of belonging to a union that matters, but the resulting improvements (if any) in working conditions."

Filane working for Olympic berth

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nightly at the Atlas Boxing Club in Etobicoke, Ont.

Adrian Teodorescu, Filane's personal coach, says the boxer is in "excellent" shape for the trials.

"He's more mature," said Teodorescu. "He knows how to handle the mental stress of the international competitions."

Right now, Teodorescu said Filane's technique is the main focus during training sessions.

"His technical skill is the number one ingredient that he has," said the coach.

Filane will also have an extra ingredient though. Teodorescu will be in his corner throughout the tournament, and Filane said that will help boost his confidence.

"This is a crucial tournament," said Filane. "You always dream of the Olympics as a kid."

The entire Canadian boxing team has been training at a marine base in North Carolina since March 16. With no outside distractions, Filane will concentrate on adding the finishing touches to his strategy.

"When we go (to the Dominican Republic), we'll know what we have to do," said Teodorescu. But Filane said he has always known what has to be done.

"I've got to win. That's all there is to do," he said.

"I've imagined myself on the final day with my hands in the air, the Canadian flag up and me standing on the podium."



The McCausland Hospital's Cash Calendar Winners Week: Twelve

- Mar 16: Susan Johnson, Terrace Bay, \$10
- Mar 17: Lea Halonen, Terrace Bay, \$10
- Mar 18: Carol-Lynn Borsa, Terrace Bay, \$10
- Mar 19: Melissa Cote, Schreiber, \$10
- Mar 20: Knights of Columbus, Schreiber, \$10
- Mar 21: Brigitte Speer, Rosspoint, \$50
- Mar 22: Terry Thomson, Schreiber, \$10

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MOOSE HUNTER INFORMATION SESSION

THE GROUP APPLICATION SYSTEM

Your chance to learn how to apply for the 1992 moose validation tag draw and

the pros and cons of applying as a group of 2 - 8 hunters or as an individual

Location: Terrace Bay Rec. Centre Conference Rm

Date: Thursday, April 2, 1992

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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