



Newboro News

NEWBORO COUNCIL NEWS

The regular meeting of the Village of Newboro Council was held on Nov. 7, 1977 at the Village Hall.

Present were D. Delaney, E. Bresee, T. Landon, R.A. Taylor with K. Rasmussin in the Chair.

The Village maintenance man, Doug Burtch, attended the meeting. He requested assistance for trimming some trees and moving the outdoor toilets at the ball park. He also asked permission to take old hydro wire and transformer to a salvage depot. Council gave him permission to go ahead with all projects.

Mrs. Pyne attended the meeting concerning her OHRP loan.

Mr. Jim Murphy, OHRP administrator, attended the meeting and submitted Mrs. Violet Murphy's name for an OHRP loan.

E. Bresee and T. Landon moved that the Council approve Mrs. Violet Murphy's application for the loan as the money is available. The motion was carried.

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E. Bresee and D. Delaney moved that the Village of Newboro apply for OHRP grant for the year 1978. The motion was carried.

A motion made by R.A. Taylor and D. Delaney that North Crosby be requested to plough the streets of the Village of Newboro for the 1977-78 winter was carried.

Canada Works Grant to Provide Homemakers Services for North Leeds

We're happy to announce that we have been successful in securing a Canada Works Grant to provide homemakers services in North Leeds. This service will be provided free of charge to individuals and families who require it. Under this project two full time homemakers will be hired to help families who are in need of service but who do not qualify for assistance under other government programs. As of today (November 22nd) only one of these positions have been filled and applications are still being received.

Many of our elderly citizens are living in isolated situations. In spite of these conditions which often make it more difficult for the older person to cope with the problems of aging, there are strong ties to the community and strong resistance to institutional living, such as old age homes. These homemakers will enable the older person to stay in his/her home and still receive the special care he/she needs.

While the service is primarily directed at elderly persons, it would also be available for convalescent persons

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who need assistance in regaining independent management of the household. Mothers ill at home or in the hospital would also benefit from short term assistance to disabled persons who cannot manage alone.

Some of the duties of the homemaker include caring for children, the sick and the elderly, planning and preparing nourishing meals, light housework, and simple nursing under the direction of a doctor or nurse. The two homemakers will be supervised by Mrs. Shirley Green our V.O.N. nurse. The homemaker service is based on the idea that home is the most acceptable setting and is less costly than institution care.

If you know of anyone who might benefit from this service, please contact either Sue Chamberlain (272-2158) or Shirley Green (359-5479).

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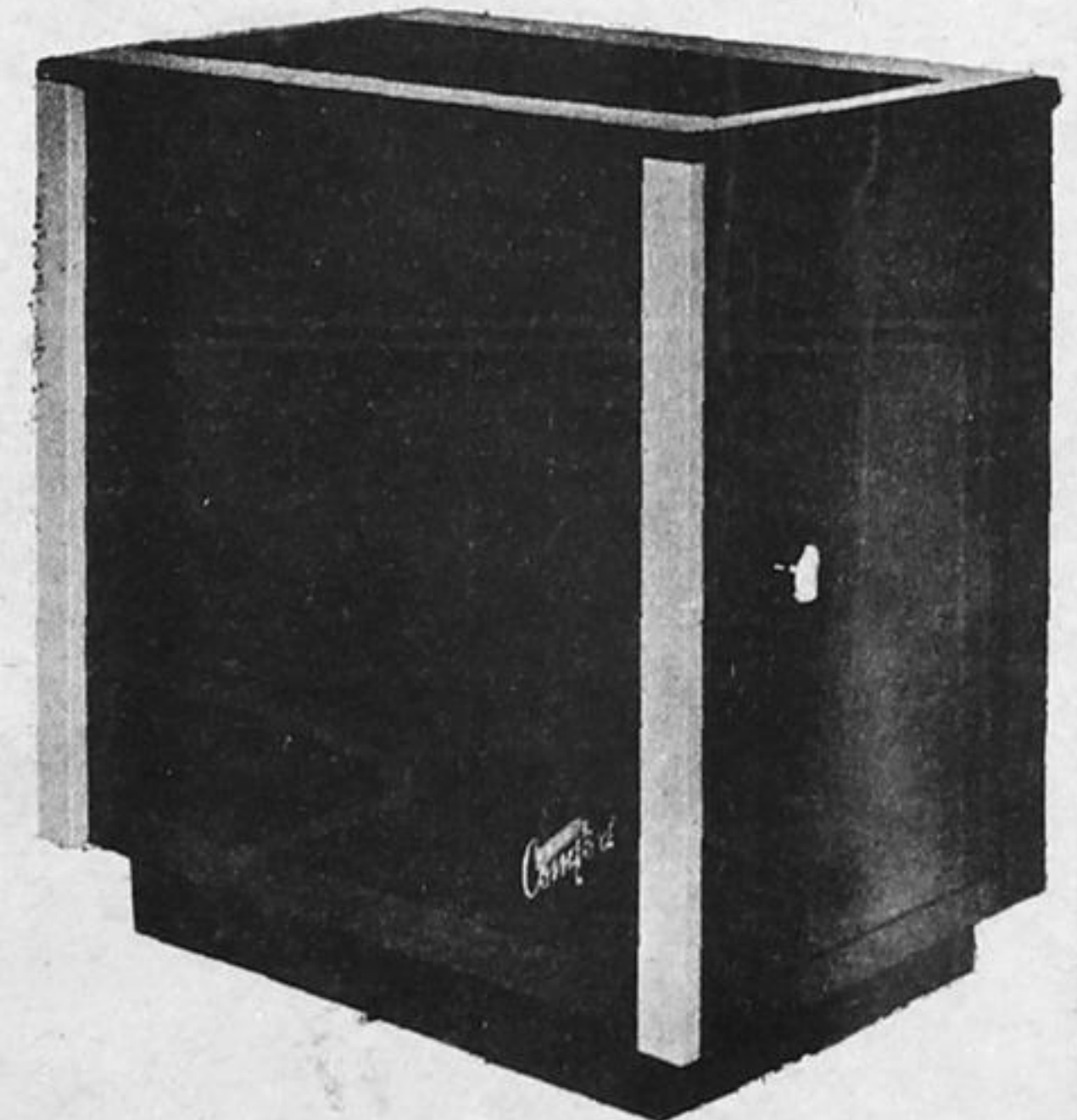
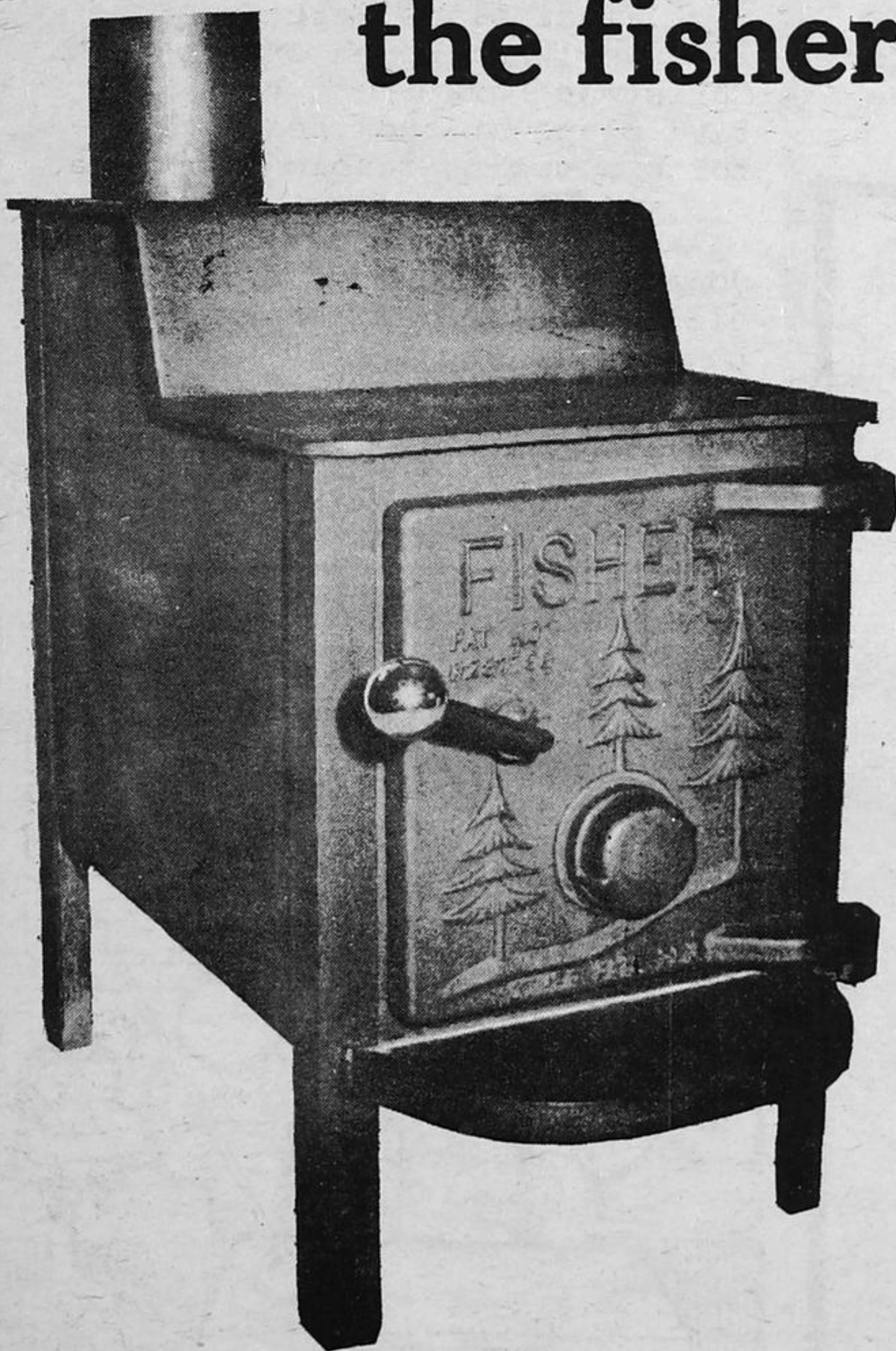
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