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5.        Area clerk Ontario Hydro

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7.        My father was born in St. Martin de Beauce Quebec and my mother in Ste. Genevieve Jacques Cagier Quebec.

8.        Single

9.        23 years old

I went to grade #8 at Fatima High School in Haileybury and my grade 11 & 12 in

Business and Commerce at New Liskeard Secondary School.

For the moment I have no travel plans but later on I would to visit Canada from coast to coast.

I've been with the Ontario Hydro for 1 1/2 years and I'm quite satisfied with the job t hat I

have at the moment, unless they would let me go otherwise I intend to stay with them

In the case that I would leave the Hydro I would very much to like direct myself in the recreation branch either as a recreation director or the head of a Cultural Centre.

If my future lies in Cobalt I will stay here, but I will go where my future brings me.

I think that Regional School is good because the kids will be able to adjust better to the change regarding people from different areas and to their ideas also they will

be able to have a broader outlook on their surroundings instead of being restricted

to only one area and one idea, they;ll have a group of different communities, different people and different ideas grouped together. This will also cut down on costs.

Why can't the schools that will eventually be empty be turned into cultural centres.

If they are making Regional Schools why can't they also have Regional High Schools and we also need a University in the north.

Why can't we have a Regional Community Board and all work together. Why can't we have a say in what our area is going to become because in a short time from now people will realize that the north has a lot to offer it's not to be taken for granted

anymore, in a short time from now we will become a big city the people from the South will no longer be able to extirpate our wealth because if we let them do so we will no

longer have any wealth to offer , It is time, it is high time that the

people from the North get together. It is time for the people from the North to let their quarrel die.

Why Should we spend money uselessly, why can't we once and for all have our

own place which will be formed with our own ideas not by somebody who moved up from

down south and told us how to operate our schools and how dispose of our resources.

Why should we have someone come and pollute our air and water. North is the greatest place to live in at the condition that we vast to keep it this way.

For numerous years now I have observed the young people and really I have never seen anything concrete that has been accomplished towards the young people

we once had a Y.M.C.A. with all the facilities bowling alleys we still have, we have no more swimming pool we no longer have a community basketball, volley ball tennis or

badminton court. Why have these facilities disappeared is it because people are

to selfish to think of the young people or is it even because they don't give a damm, about the future of our community. We have the local arena if we want it for any use we have to pay dearly for it.