

February 21, 1986

January 17, 1986

Hi! Fellow Cottagers!

Well, winter is on the way out and it's time for the annual newsletter.

Here are some of the happenings since last summer:

- We have a new light at the landing near the breakwall.
- The dam is scheduled for completion by the end of February. The lake should return to its normal level with the spring runoff.
- The M.N.R. is carrying out a creel census on the lake this winter.
- The government has banned chemical spraying for the spruce budworm. They will be using bacterial spraying only.

We had a fairly heavy early snowfall but it has moderated since the new year and the weather has been generally good (not too cold).

I have been informed that the Burling family will be celebrating fifty years at Matinenda this August. Would that make them the longest living summer residents on the lake?

I have enclosed a financial report from Rowena Davey. You will notice that last year our income from dues barely exceeded our expenses. Although we do have a fairly good bank balance, our docks are going to need major repairs in a few years and the money is not going to keep coming from the government forever. If we all contribute our share, we will have a healthy financially independent association.

That's all for now!... See you in the spring and don't forget the annual meeting on August 3rd, 11:00 A.M., at Dick & Doreen's.

Bye for now!

Your president,

Rolly
Rolly Villeneuve

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LAKE MATINENDA COTTAGE OWNERS ASSOCIATION

TREASURER'S REPORT

DECEMBER 31, 1985

BANK BALANCE as of December 31, 1984 \$3,086.24

Income

Dues	\$2,367.00	
Exchange on U.S. Funds	136.22	
Bank Interest	88.53	<u>\$2,591.75</u>

\$5,677.99

Disbursements

Ontario Hydro	\$ 426.29	
Pole Rental	4.00	
Postage and Phone	83.98	
Meeting Expenses	32.59	
Donation to Canadian Cancer Society	250.00	
Log Chateau Garbage Removal	<u>1,800.00</u>	<u>\$2,596.86</u>

BANK BALANCE as of December 31, 1985

\$3,081.13