

# TORONTO: The pressures of growth / The forces of change

**You are invited to attend The Toronto Daily Star's 75th Anniversary Conference on the future of our city. Sponsored by The Star in association with the University of Toronto. November 2nd & 3rd, Convocation Hall, University of Toronto.**

The Toronto Daily Star is pleased to be associated with the University of Toronto in this study of four basic issues affecting the future of Toronto.

This conference has been conceived to mark The Star's seventy-fifth anniversary of public service and its continuing concern for the quality of life in this city. This concern has been reflected over the years, beginning with The Star's campaigns for public ownership of

the city's hydro-electric and transportation systems sixty-six years ago.

It is The Star's hope that this Seventy-Fifth Anniversary Conference will provide a useful contribution toward the objective we all share: making Toronto a finer place in which to live.

Members of the public are cordially invited to attend any of the sessions.

Thursday, November 2	Friday, November 3
<p><b>Public Sessions—Convocation Hall</b>  <b>3:00 P.M.—"TORONTO—THE PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE"</b>  <i>Gaiety and beauty or sterility and efficiency? Must the heart of the city be impersonal and coldly institutional? What can be done to make downtown Toronto a more vital and gracious place?</i></p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> M. B. M. Lawson, <i>recently-retired Commissioner of Planning for the City of Toronto</i></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> John C. Parkin, <i>architect and planner</i>                      David S. Owen, <i>developer and consultant</i></p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> J. Douglas Crashley, <i>Chairman, Toronto Planning Board</i>                      Wojciech Wronski, <i>Metro Planning Commissioner</i></p> <p><b>8:00 P.M.—"HOUSING—THE YEARS OF CRISIS"</b>  <i>The massive trend to apartment development has profoundly altered the character of what used to be a city of home owners. Will there be room in the years ahead for the neighborhood of single family homes? Or, are most of us destined to live in high-rise apartments?</i></p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Dr. Albert Rose, <i>Professor in the School of Social Work, University of Toronto</i></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> A. E. Diamond, <i>President of Cadillac Development Corporation Ltd., a member of the Urban Development Institute (Ontario Division), and an apartment developer.</i>                      G. Warren Heenan, <i>Past-president of the Toronto Real Estate Board, senior member of the Society of Real Estate Appraisers, and a realtor.</i></p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> Alderman David Rotenberg, <i>City of Toronto</i>                      David B. Mansur, <i>Former president of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation</i></p>	<p><b>Public Sessions—Convocation Hall</b>  <b>10:00 A.M.—"THE TRANSPORTATION DILEMMA: ROAD OR RAIL?"</b>  <i>Toronto's streets become more congested with motor vehicles every year. What is the answer? Should the emphasis be placed on expressways or on public transit?</i></p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> F. Warren Hurst, <i>president of the Bureau of Municipal Research</i></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Hans Blumenfeld, <i>Planning consultant and former Metro Deputy Commissioner of Planning</i>                      William M. Spreitzer, <i>Head of Transportation Research Department, General Motors, Detroit, Michigan.</i></p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> Ford G. Brand, <i>T.T.C. Commissioner</i>                      Samuel Cass, <i>Metro Commissioner of Traffic</i></p> <p><b>4:00 P.M.—"ARE POLITICAL PARTIES NEEDED AT CITY HALL?"</b>  <i>Would a political party system provide Toronto with more effective government? Or are we well served by the existing structure which allows every member of Council to function independently?</i></p> <p><b>Chairman:</b> Philip G. Givens, <i>Mayor of City of Toronto, 1963-66</i></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b> Lucien Saulnier, <i>Chairman, Executive Committee, City of Montreal</i>                      Victor Copps, <i>Mayor of City of Hamilton</i></p> <p><b>Panelists:</b> Nathan Phillips, <i>Former Mayor of Toronto</i>                      Alderman Charles L. Caccia, <i>City of Toronto</i></p>

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