

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION HISTORY

CLAIM C 13152209 L026

DATE January 8, 1982

NAME OAKES, D.

JANUARY 5, 1982
INTERVIEW AT LONDON REGIONAL OFFICE

After the worker cancelled two previous appointments, we finally were able to meet on this day.

PERSONAL DATA

The worker is single and is boarding in London. He states that he pays \$25.00 a week rent. He possesses a valid driver's license but does not have a motor vehicle. O.H.I.P. benefits are in the process hopefully of being financed by Premium Assistance. The worker indicates that approximately one month ago he applied for same. He tells me that he has no hobbies.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

For one year he was involved in general labouring duties at London Concrete. Otherwise, he has been involved in various labouring positions.

In approximately July 27, 1980 he commenced work with the accident employer.

JOB DESCRIPTION

The accident employer was a construction firm, and the type of work Mr. Oakes was involved in was that of digging ditches etc. for the burying of telephone cables.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

These would include standing, bending, twisting and lifting.

REHABILITATION PROBLEM

The worker has not seen his specialist Dr. Bourne in some time and has no pending appointment. I asked him if he had any residual effects from his injury, and he indicates that he cannot bend his left knee all the way. He does have some home exercises to carry through with. He tells me that he does persue these home exercises.

I advised the worker that he was receiving benefits under Section 41 of the Act and that technically he is now being paid to be out looking for work. The worker indicates that he was told at our Hospital and Rehabilitation Centre that he will be going to school. I indicated to the worker that certain criteria will have to be met in order to go to school, and obviously one would be whether or not there is a Permanent