

CBC Man Flayed By Mrs. Fisher

Mrs. Douglas Fisher told a CBC television personality last night that he was "all wet".

Mrs. Fisher, mother of five boys and wife of Douglas Fisher, Port Arthur's NDP MP for the past eight years, said that Laurier Lapierre of "This Hour Has Seven Days" was badly mistaken if he believed that her husband had retired from politics for reasons other than personal.

She stood before a crowd of 1,200 at the Lakehead Exhibition Auditorium and, waving a letter to Mr. Lapierre, unleashed a scathing attack on the CBC moderator.

The remarks centred around a television interview which Mr. Lapierre had with T. C. Douglas, leader of the NDP.

Mrs. Fisher, as petite as her husband is large, stood on the same box which Mr. Douglas used to speak from and to reach microphones, one of which was CBC.

She said that the interview was conducted in a "highly improper way" and that Mr. Lapierre had made "wild accusations".



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She commented further today. "I happen to enjoy CBC very much," she said.

"I am against the principle of the matter. Mr. Lapierre is a member of the public affairs (Please turn to Page 2, No. 2)