



R. D. COLQUETTE

The market for Canadian grown tobacco is expanding rapidly and Britain is becoming a bigger customer every year, according to a report issued by Prof. R. D. Colquette, who recently left the staff of the Ontario Agricultural College to resume his journalistic work with the Grain Growers Guide, Winnipeg. Ontario produced more than 20 million pounds of tobacco last year, mostly in the counties of Essex, Kent and Elgin.

### Christian Science Meetings ODDFELLOWS' HALL Subject: "LIFE"

#### Services:—

Sunday 11 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Wednesday Meeting.....7.30 p.m.  
Testimonies of Healing through Christian Science.

### TIMMINS GOLD NUGGET REBEKAH LODGE No. 173

Meets every Thursday in the month in the Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce St., Visiting Brothers and Sisters always welcome.

Irene Closs, Ethel Keene,  
N.G. Rec. Sec.

### TIMMINS LODGE, I.O.O.F. No. 459

Meets every Tuesday evening in the Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce St., North. Visiting brethren requested to attend.  
J. G. Harris, W. G. Smith,  
N.G. R.S.

### Timmins L.O.L.

Meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of every month, in the Basement of Anglican Church.  
All visiting members welcome.  
Wm. Isnor, W.M. W. F. McLean, R.S.

### Schumacher L. O. L. NO. 2975.

Meets on the Second and Fourth Thursday of each month at the Schumacher Union Church. All visiting members welcome.

J. C. BONNELL, JOHN WEBBER  
W.M. R.S.  
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### TIMMINS LODGE No. 1815.

United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners will meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month in the Miner's Union Hall, 2nd Ave. at 7.30 p.m.

P. J. BEAUDIN,  
Financial-Secretary.  
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### K. of C.

Timmins Council, No. 2403  
Meetings every second and fourth Wednesday in the Parish Hall.  
Club Rooms over Pierce's Furniture Store, 42 Third Avenue.  
VISITING BROTHERS WELCOME

### The Caledonian Society of Timmins

Open to native-born Scots and Scotchwomen and those of Scottish descent.

Membership fee, \$2.00 per year for ordinary members and 50c. per year for associate members.

Meetings will resume on Friday, Sept. 24th, after the summer vacation.  
W. D. WATT, ALEX WILSON  
President Secretary

### Lancashire Club

The Lancashire Club of Timmins meets in the Hollinger Recreation Hall the first and second Saturdays in each month at 8 p.m. Lancashire people are welcome and may bring friends by invitation only, which may be obtained from the Secretary or President on application, or from any member of the Committee.

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Pres. Sec.-Treas.

## Earnest Work in Combatting The Spread of Silicosis

Dr. Hague Explains to Kiwanis Club the Causes of Silicosis and How it may be Checked. No Cause for Alarm Here. Government and Mines Co-operate to Fight Silicosis. Interesting and Helpful Address at Luncheon on Monday.

The Kiwanis Club at the luncheon in the Empire Hotel on Monday were favoured with an address that held the closest interest of all from start to finish and that was most valuable and informative because of the helpful facts it disclosed in the fight against the spread of silicosis. For many years silicosis has been all too familiar in mining communities, though usually known by the less impressive name of "miners' consumption." Under any name, however, occupational disease is a serious matter for the men who make their living underground in the mines. Until very recent years the disease was regarded much the same as tuberculosis was viewed some years ago. Until modern methods had been developed after much study and experiment, there was not much hope for the victim of silicosis, even in its early stages of the condition. Now, however, through the earnest work of men like Dr. Hague, silicosis in its early stages presents no very serious difficulties to the specialist. As Dr. Hague pointed out also, special attention is now being given to examination of the underground workers to see if they are affected or have a tendency to the disease.

One of the specially noteworthy features of the address by Dr. Hague was its entire freedom from technical terms. He achieved the feat of making his knowledge as a specialist clear and understandable with ease for the lay mind.

In opening his address, Dr. Hague explained that silicosis was the name given to the condition caused by the inhalation of silica dust. He showed how the men underground inhaled the dust particularly while drilling and after blasts. The silica was spread in clouds of minute particles. These minute particles of silica in some cases entered the lungs in such quantities that they could not be gotten rid of by the usual natural processes. The knife-like edges on these minute particles caused an irritation; the silica in some cases formed injurious chemical combination that caused trouble; and the coating of the breathing passages with the minute dust eventually resulted in a serious condition of the person concerned. The mines had adopted various measures to avoid the danger of silica dust inhalation. The chief methods used were air blown through the shafts after each blasting and the use of water drills. Dust inhalation, Dr. Hague commented, was a common cause of lung trouble.

Forty-four years ago, said Dr. Hague, the tuberculosis bacilli were discovered, allowing great progress to be made in the treatment of pulmonary troubles since that time. Dr. Hague touched on the difference in effect and treatment between tuber-

culosis and silicosis. Diagnosis of silicosis is difficult. Often there are few symptoms apparent. In some cases men will have silicosis in quite advanced form and be unaware that there is anything wrong. Some men are much more susceptible to silicosis than others. In the earlier stages, silicosis yields to treatment, but when the silica is incorporated in the lungs, as in advanced cases, there is no way known at present for ridding the lungs of the condition. Those having silicosis are usually easy prey for tuberculosis, and where tubercular trouble is added to silicosis the patient rapidly declines. It is estimated that every tuberculous patient endangers the health of ten others. By the use of the X-ray machine the diagnosis of silicosis is greatly assisted. Dr. Hague believed that all men working underground should be examined periodically. Those showing tendency to silicosis could be transferred to work where they would not be exposed to the danger. Those slightly affected could be treated and cured and removed from the menace. By such methods the spread of silicosis would be stopped. It was with such ideas in mind that the Workmen's Compensation Board had taken up the matter. Dr. Hague thought the Provincial Health Department deserved much credit for the keen interest it had shown in the North Land and its people in this matter as well as in other affairs. The mine owners and managers had also co-operated to the fullest extent. In fact, they had done much more than expected from them.

Referring to the reports around the camp as to the results of the examinations here, Dr. Hague said there was no cause for any alarm. Later, full statistical reports would be published showing the conditions here as to the health of the men. In the meantime it might be said that there was no foundation for some of the wild stories told as to the number of men affected by silicosis. Many examined here had been found entirely O.K.

At the close of his address Dr. Hague showed a number of slides that depicted the effect of silicosis in its various stages. By the use of the charts, Dr. Hague was also able to explain very clearly how silicosis developed and progressed. One specially interesting slide was that showing the lungs of a man who had had tuberculosis, the body curing itself, and the man never knowing that he had the condition, until it was revealed by the X-ray.

Among the visitors at the luncheon formally introduced to the Club was Dr. R. W. McBain, who is associated with Dr. Hague in the work in this camp.

### MR. R. T. STEWART APPOINTED TO IMPORTANT C.X.L. POST

His many friends in this town and district will be pleased to learn of the promotion won by Mr. R. T. Stewart (more usually known as "Bob") in the Canadian Explosives Company service. The Sudbury Star this week says:—

"With his appointment to the post of general manager of Northern Ontario and Quebec Mining Districts, in the organization of Canadian Explosives, Limited, and subsidiary companies, with head office in Toronto, Mr. R. T. Stewart is leaving Sudbury to take up his residence in the Queen City, and Sudbury loses a sterling citizen. While everybody will be sorry to lose Bob Stewart, as he is familiarly known, from Sudbury, still they are glad to see him get the well merited promotion to the high post to which his company has assigned him. Mr. Stewart has been a resident of Sudbury for the past six years and previously resided in Cobalt for thirteen years, so that he is an old-timer in the North. Mr. W. Reid, succeeds Mr. Stewart in Sudbury, as district representative of Canadian Explosives."

The Northern News, of Cobalt, last week says:—"While driving his car on a return trip to Elk Lake the other evening, Lloyd Brewer struck a moose on the road near Leveille. He saw an animal ahead of him, but in the darkness thought it was a horse. When struck, the moose fell across the front of the car, extinguishing the lights and damaging the radiator."

In reference to the Masquerade Street Dance last week, under the auspices of the Timmins Lodge of the Moose, The Advance inadvertently omitted the name of Mr. C. Pond in the list of those contributing to the success of the event by good work as one of the orchestra. Mr. J. T. Bridges also assisted the orchestra, and his name was also omitted, the list being secured at a time when players were not at the active work of the orchestra.

### SHEIK AND SHEBA DANCE AT RAMBLERS ON MONDAY

Enjoyable Event, with Many Attractive Costumes. July Dance the Next Feature.

There was only a fair attendance of members present for the Sheik and Sheba Dance held in the Hollinger Recreation Hall on Monday evening by the Ramblers Club. The big dance held in the McIntyre Recreation Hall to close the celebration of the "Glorious Twelfth" no doubt had a bearing on the attendance at the weekly feature of the Ramblers. Those present however spent a very enjoyable evening. The majority of the members were in costume for the event, Miss Lucy Morin winning the ladies' prize for the best costume, while Mr. P. Laporte was the winner for the gentlemen. There were several other costumes worthy of special note.

As usual the refreshments were an enjoyable part of the evening's programme, Mrs. K. Blow and Mr. W. Cook looking after this very important part of the entertainment. Music for the dancing was provided by the Ramblers' Orchestra.

During the course of the evening President McIlhargy announced that all members whose dues were in arrears were requested to get in touch with the secretary, Mr. K. Blow, so that the books of the Club could be kept in their proper shape. He also asked the members to turn in the names of any friends whom they would like invited to the special July Dance next Monday evening. It would assist the executive if these names were turned in at once.

The Hollinger Hall will be decorated for the special guest night on Monday, and an enjoyable evening is promised all attending. A particularly good attendance of the Club members is desired.

### TOWN AND HOLLY REES PLAY TO A DRAW TUESDAY

The Holly Rees, played to a drawn match with the Town Tuesday night, the score being 1-1. At half time the town were leading one up and this score was kept till about ten minutes from the conclusion when the Holly Rees, got a doubtful goal from a scrimmage. This was impossible to see except by the bunch of players who took part in the tussle; however the referee awarded a goal and that settled it. It was not the usual game these two teams play as the ground was heavy from the rain.

The teams, Holly Rees:—Elrick, goal; Liddell and Curran, backs; Collins, Rankin and Woods, half backs; McTaggart, McKenzie, Shaw, Jackson and McLatchie, forwards.

Town:—Haylett, goal; Studden and A. Cadman, backs; H. Rankin, G. Cooper and A. Cooper, half backs; Andrews, Landers, Colman, Craik and Adamson, forwards.  
J. Moore Referee.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

All creditors of James Valentine Chisholm late of Lochiel Township, Glengarry County, Miner, deceased, who died April 4th, 1926, are required to send their claims, duly verified, to me on or before July 18th, 1926. I will distribute the assets after that date having regard only to claims of which notice shall have been received at time of distribution.

This notice is given under The Trustee Act.

Cornwall, Ontario, June 17th, 1926.

JOHN A. CHISHOLM,  
Pitt Street, Cornwall Ontario, Administrator.

G. E. BRENNAN,  
Pitt Street, Cornwall Ontario, Administrator's Solicitor.

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### SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS

DISTRICT OF COCHRANE

TO WIT:

By virtue of an Order against lands issued out of the Supreme Court of Ontario for the District of Cochrane and Province of Ontario to me directed and delivered against the lands and tenements of Helena Ledue, defendant, at the suit of H. A. Morin, Plaintiff. I have seized and taken in execution and will offer for sale by public auction at my office in the Court House in the Town of Cochrane, on Tuesday, the 20th day of July, 1926, at one o'clock in the afternoon, all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said defendant in to and out of the following lands and tenements.

Lot number six hundred and thirty-five (635) as shown on the registered Plan M-30 Sudbury, now deposited in the Office of Lands Titles at Cochrane, being Parcel 38 in the Register for Whitney and Tisdale and known as Municipal number 21, Fourth Avenue, in the Town of Timmins, on which premises there is erected a substantial building, containing store premises and living apartments above. Said sale is subject to a reserve bid and to certain conditions, the particulars of which may be obtained from William O. Langdon, Barrister, etc., Timmins, Ont.

JOHN DONALD MACKAY,  
Sheriff of the District of Cochrane.  
Sheriff's Office, Cochrane, Ontario.  
April 15th, A.D. 1926.

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