

# News From South Porcupine, Dome and the District

## Send Thanks for Cigarettes from South Porcupine

### Other Items from South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, Nov. 11th. Special to The Advance.

The O.E. Star knitting bees have sent to headquarters for the month of October:— 4 sleeveless sweaters, 17 pairs of socks and 1 pr. of gloves. Hostesses have been Mrs. C. Jamieson, Mrs. Weir, Mrs. E. M. Wilson. The hard-time party at the Masonic Hall was also a knitting bee. Their cigarette fund — a copper collection at each meeting — has now mounted to \$19. Each dollar as it accumulates is used to purchase cigarettes which go to the forces. Mrs. Mansfield, in whose name (for the club) the cigarettes are sent has had grateful acknowledgment from most of the boys who received them. One was from an Australian Merchant Seaman who received cigarettes at Halifax and wrote from England expressing his thanks. Another — strangely enough — was from a Schumacher boy in the Air Force named Calverley and one from a Nova Scotian stationed at Gibraltar.

Mrs. Reg. Roche and baby son left last week for Biscotasing by plane for the Jerome Mine. Her husband flew to S. Porcupine from the mine and accompanied her home.

Mr. Reginald B. Clement left last Tuesday for Toronto to join the Royal Artillery for active service. Mr. Clement, who lives at Creighton Mines, received part of his education at S. Porcupine High, and Timmins Technical Schools, and was employed last year in the mill at the Dome Mine. Before he left his fellow employees in the mill — the "mill boys" — presented him with a pen and pencil set as a parting gift.

Mr. J. Wright, of Fairhurst's Bakery, leaves this week to accept a position in Aurora.

Bob Pearce has joined up with the ground crew of the Air Force and will be leaving shortly for Ottawa for training.

At the whist-drive on Monday held in the Legion Hall under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion prize winners were:— (1) Mrs. Wm. Kellow; (2) Mr. L. Chevrier; and (3) Mrs. Turner.

"Poppy Day" — Tuesday — was anything but a pleasant day for the Tag-day which the Legion conducted in S. Porcupine. But in spite of the weather — cold, snowy, and sloppy — devoted women and girls kept on the job, and made another wonderful success of it. Returns are not yet available but those in authority say that its success is certain, and the amount collected equal, if not surpass, any Poppy Day receipts.

The ladies tagging (and the Legion under E. Richardson Pres. and Mrs. Mitchell Pres. Auxiliary says "Thank you") were:— Mrs. Ewing, Mrs. W. Rayner, Mrs. J. H. Libby, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Wm. Thomas, Mrs. Ed. Richardson, Mrs. T. Farrell, Mrs. Poppleton, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Dickson, Mrs. G. Courtyman, Mrs. Co'ton, and Mrs. Anthony. Special thanks go from the Legion to two Finnish ladies, Mrs. William Laine, and Mrs. Wm. Luukkonen — and an extra special Thank you for the help of the High School girls — Vivian Ferguson, Ada Curtis, Ruth Steeves, Margaret McGregor, and Lucille Mitchell.

Born — To Mr. and Mrs. George Herod, of 23 William St. Timmins a daughter on November 9th in Porcupine General Hospital.



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## Treasurer's Sale of Land for Taxes

Township of Tisdale District of Cochrane

TO WIT: ....

By virtue of a warrant issued by the Reeve of the Township of Tisdale bearing date the 25th day of July, 1942, sale of lands in arrears of taxes in the Township of Tisdale will be held at the Council Chambers at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 10th day of December, 1942, unless the taxes and costs are sooner paid. Notice is hereby given that the list of lands for sale for arrears of taxes is being published in the Ontario Gazette on the 5th day of September, 1942 on the 3rd day of October, 1942, and on the 7th day of November, 1942, and that copies of the said list may be had at my office.

Treasurer's office this 25th day of July, 1942.

P. H. MURPHY,  
TREASURER.

## Schumacher More Than Reaches Its Victory Loan Quota

### Other Items of Interest from Schumacher and District.

Schumacher, Nov. 11th. Special to The Advance.

"Well done", Schumacher. Your objective was overreached in Canada's Third Victory Loan. Your boys will be proud of you.

Mrs. Ross Forsyth left Friday on the noon train for Cornwall where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Cameron.

Mr. Eddie Dunn, of Sudbury, spent the week-end visiting Mrs. Dunn at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Abner Hannah, 2nd Ave.

The picture showing at the local theatre this week "No Greater Sin" was well attended, and is highly recommended by the Health League of Canada.

Lieutenant J. Lester Besley, of the Royal Canadian Artillery, at Petawawa, and Mrs. Besley, are visiting Mrs. Besley's father, Mr. John Besley, Third Ave.

Mrs. F. H. Bowman and baby daughter left Friday for Kingston where she will join her husband, Lieutenant F. H. Bowman.

Eugene George Dole, of the Veteran's Home Guard, Montclair, spent the week-end visiting his sister, Mrs. Jack Speighelhalter, Railroad Street.

The "Percy" Red Cross knitting club held their meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Jean Urquhart, McIntyre Property. There was a good attendance of members. During the afternoon the hostess served the members a delicious lunch. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Miss Marion Leck, McIntyre Property.

The Schumacher "Happy Gang" card club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Buderick, 35A Second Ave. Five hundred was played and the prize winners were: 1st, Mrs. Shanks; 2nd, Mrs. Lenchuk; consolation Mrs. Roy Hazelwood. After the cards the hostess served a dainty lunch, after lunch a social period was enjoyed.

The Schumacher Victory Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Jack Matthews, First Ave. Five hundred was played and the prize winners were:— 1st, Mrs. Hartling; 2nd, Mrs. Fred Webber; 3rd, Mrs. Soucie. Door prize, Mrs. Ed. Hicks. After the cards a nice social period was enjoyed.

The Women's Association of Trinity United Church held their meeting Wednesday evening in the church hall. Owing to the president, Mrs. P. A. Boyce, being out of town Mrs. J. Malkin occupied the chair. Business items were discussed and final plans were made for the anniversary supper to be served Monday, November 9th. The meeting closed with the benediction.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adamson, South Porcupine, formerly of Schumacher, on the birth of their son in the Porcupine General Hospital, Sunday, November 8th.

The many friends of Mr. Jack Speighelhalter, Railroad Street, will be sorry to hear that he is ill in St. Mary's Hospital and all extend him their best wishes for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. George Webber, First Ave., entertained a number of her Timmins and Schumacher friends last Wednesday afternoon. A nice social time was enjoyed. The ladies were all busy knitting. During the afternoon Patsy Webber and Hendrika Green gave a piano duet which was enjoyed by the ladies. During the afternoon the hostess served a dainty lunch.

The Trinity United Church Canadian Girls-in-Training held a party Tuesday evening in the Church Hall. In charge of the programme were Marion Brown, Effie Monaghan, Eileen Fawkes, and Greta Shanks. Games and relay races were enjoyed each one had to do something different. There was an amateur programme. Kathleen Corrie played the piano; Mary Vidonic danced; Marion Brown sang a song; Lola Phillips sang; Lily McGowan played the piano; Betty Killens and Barbara Hayward recited poems. The serving of a dainty lunch brought the party to a close.

Globe and Mail: "Vigor, Valor and Vision Vital to Victory," says a news headline. The writer of this surely invoked "apt alliteration's artful aid."

## Remembrance Day at Schumacher Public School

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A Remembrance Day service was observed Wednesday morning at the Schumacher Public School. There was a general assembly. Steve Brklacich was chairman. The service opened with the singing of the hymn "O God our Help in Ages Past." There was a recitation by Douglas MacDonald, "In Flanders Field." The assembly sang "O Canada." Patsy Webber and Hendrika Green gave a piano duet. An Armistice Day play by the pupils of Room C came next with the following taking part in the play — Gwen Hill, Katie Gomerich, Arnie Zokvich, Betty Mansfield, Walter Cemich, Owen Knowles. After the play the assembly sang "Dear Canada, Dear Land of Mine." Mr. P. A. Boyce, principal of the School, introduced Lieutenant Lester Besley, of the Royal Canadian Artillery stationed at Petawawa. Lieutenant Besley is a former pupil of Schumacher Public School. He told the assembly some real stories which they enjoyed. The singing of "God Save the King" brought the service to a close.

## S. Porcupine Guests Brought Articles for Ditty Bags

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A party was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Maxwell Smith on Main St., and all the guests brought (by request) some article for a sailor's "ditty bag". A flag-draped basket was filled by these kindly ladies with a wonderful assortment of those things which will make a sailor's Christmas a happy one. Tins of meat, soup, fish, and fruit, stationery, jars, games, tooth brushes and powder, shaving cream and razor blades and candy were some of the things given in.

After this a bridge party was staged and prizes were won by: 1. Mrs. Wilson Rayner; 2. Miss Pearl Kennedy; and 3. Mrs. Norman Sullivan.

A wartime lunch was served with Mrs. Cahill acting as assistant hostess, and Miss Beatrice Maxwell Smith and Miss Jean Stringer as waitresses.

All the guests expressed themselves as having enjoyed a real oldtime party, and the "ditty bag basket" was handed over to Mrs. Cahill, who is representative of the Navy League and the C.W.L. is in charge of the filling of these bags for distribution to the Navy.

Guests present were Mrs. Rayner, Mrs. B. Longworth, Mrs. Bessette, Mrs. P. C. Evans, Mrs. D. A. McLellan, Mrs. J. Newman, Mrs. S. Sky, Mrs. B. Curtis, Mrs. S. Jay, Mrs. Wm. Thomas, Mrs. C. H. Libby, Mrs. B. Webb, Mrs. W. Rayner, Miss P. Kennedy, Mrs. C. Kavanagh, Mrs. W. Seton-Adamson, Mrs. N. Sullivan, Mrs. R. P. Smith, Mrs. F. Laforest, Mrs. E. K. Martin, Mrs. F. Reynolds, Mrs. S. Pearce, Mrs. T. Farrell, Mrs. E. Ewing, and the hostesses, Mrs. T. Cahill and Mrs. Maxwell Smith. A pleasing gesture at this affair was the bringing in of a splendid assortment of gifts, boxed by Mrs. Sky, who gave it in memory and in the name of Mrs. D. Warren an oldtimer of the Porcupine who died last week in St. Mary's Hospital.

## Officials of Girl Guides Welcomed at South Porcupine

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On Friday evening, the regular meeting of the local Guide Association Committee was held at the home of Mrs. F. C. Evans on Connaught Hill.

Special guests were present on this occasion from Timmins to meet and greet the new Assistant Deputy Provincial Commissioner, Mrs. Elliott, of North Bay, who is making her first visit North, and also to greet Mrs. Tomney, of Cobalt and Toronto, who last year on account of ill health resigned her position as commissioner. A. D. P. C. Elliott addressed the meeting and gave instructive and interesting details of Guide work. She also spoke of the recent ceremonies at Callander when the quintuplets were enrolled as Brownies. Mrs. Elliott was present at the enrollment.

Mrs. Tomney also spoke and was greeted warmly by all present. The work done in the North by Mrs. Tomney for the Girl Guides is well known and she is beloved by all Guides who have had any association with her. She exhibited most proudly as a treasure possession the "Beaver" — highest honour to be bestowed upon a Guide — and given to her in recognition of her wonderful work while commissioner sent by the Dominion Headquarters.

A very pleasant social evening followed the business.

The hostess served refreshments. Those present included The two honouree guests: Divisional Commissioner Mrs. B. H. Harper of the Dome; Miss Dorothy Wilkins Guide Captain (District); Mrs. Booker, Mrs. Shaheen (District); Mrs. Wheeler (L.O.D.E. Guide Committee of Timmins); Mrs. Riche, Mrs. Lavalliere, Mrs. Lloyd (Timmins); Mrs. Rapsey, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. V. James, (Preston East Dome), Mrs. Bessette, Mrs. Burton, Mrs. R. P. Smith, Mrs. Maxwell Smith, and the hostess, Mrs. F. C. Evans.

## South Porcupine Red Cross Sending Parcels

South Porcupine, Nov. 11th. Special to The Advance.

The ladies of the Red Cross have had a busy time this week packing boxes for Porcupine soldiers overseas. On Monday afternoon the job was completed and each box sewn up in its cotton wrapping. 233 boxes will go this week to the men overseas in all branches of the services, and each box contains one pair of hand-knitted socks, hard candy, shaving soap, razor blades, tooth brush and tooth paste or powder, gum, life savers, and a large portion of Christmas cake. Parcels for the boys in Canada will be sent later.

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## Impressive Event at Schumacher H. S. Yesterday

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A very impressive Remembrance Day programme was observed at the Schumacher High School Wednesday morning, November 11th. Mr. Douglas Argue, principal of the school, was chairman. Accompanying him on the platform were The Rev. Lora Carlson, of Trinity United Church, Captain Mitchell of the Schumacher Anglican Mission, and Dr. J. B. McClinton, of Timmins. Mr. Argue said Father Martindale regretted very much not being able to attend, as he had been called out of town. The students and guests assembled in the Auditorium where the flag raising ceremony was performed, the audience singing "God Save The King." The Rev. Lora Carlson read the scripture lesson, and Captain Mitchell led in prayer. The Last Post was sounded and two minutes' silence was observed. Reveille was sounded by L. Kilsanich. The audience rose and sang the hymn, "O God our Help in Ages Past."

The orchestra under the direction of Miss Lloyd gave several selections. The song, "Rule Britannia," was sung by the gathering. The principal of the school, Mr. Douglas Argue, introduced the speaker, Dr. J. B. McClinton. He told the students he was sure Dr. McClinton would have something very interesting to tell them as he had served in the Navy during the last war. He also thanked the Rev. Lora Carlson and Captain Mitchell for taking part in the programme.

Dr. McClinton said the first thing he had to do was to congratulate the students for their excellent discipline. The way they entered the auditorium and took their seats was worthy of note. He also congratulated L. Kilsanich, and the orchestra, under the direction of Miss Lloyd. He said he was glad music was getting its place in the schools and the students were taking an interest in it. Dr. McClinton told the students some of his experiences when he was in the Navy during the last war. He advised the students if fear gripped them, never let it master them, just keep right ahead and they would soon reach their goal. The Student Captain, Miss Eda Battigelli, on behalf of the students, thanked Dr. J. B. McClinton for his address.

The singing of "O Canada" brought the programme to a close.

## Anniversary Supper at Schumacher United Church

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Monday evening the Womens Association of Trinity United Church held their anniversary supper in the basement of the church. Owing to the meat shortage the annual turkey dinner was not served this year, but a delicious bean supper was served. Mrs. P. A. Boyce, president of the Womens Association, assisted by Mrs. Carlson, received the guests. Mr. Douglas Argue was treasurer for the evening. Mrs. George Shippam was convener for the supper. The tables were nicely arranged with a white cloth and a tall vase of bronze, white and yellow mums on each table. Mrs. Stan Kitchen was table convener. Serving at the tables were Miss Kathleen Christopher, Mrs. W. K. Wylie, Mrs. Douglas Argue, Mrs. Stan Kitchen, Mrs. Stuart Urquhart, Mrs. Tom Leck, Mrs. Fred Davidson, Mrs. Achie and Mrs. Fisher. Serving the tea and coffee were Mrs. Wallace Lang and Mrs. Smith. Serving the fruit jelly and whipped cream were Mrs. Killens and Mrs. A. Hill. The kitchen staff under the direction of Mrs. Shippam, were Mrs. Calverley, Mrs. Higginbotham, Mrs. Ted Jones, Mrs. W. Willis, Mrs. Fred Webber. The ladies won lots of compliments for the delicious supper they served. Mrs. P. A. Boyce, on behalf of the Womens Association, wishes to thank all who donated and helped make the event so successful.

## South Porcupine Sends Christmas Gifts to Sailors

South Porcupine, Nov. 11th. Special to The Advance.

The local branch of the Navy League — Mrs. Libby, convener for Dome, and Mrs. Cahill and Mrs. Scott for town — have filled and despatched to Navy League Headquarters, 56 "ditty bags" for sailors' Christmas gifts.

As each of these bags contains articles to the value of over \$6 — we consider this a wonderful effort, superbly maintained by our town with its

numerous patriotic calls and lessening population.

Of this number no less than 27 bags have been filled by teachers and pupils in our public school to whom the ladies offer their heart-felt thanks.

Fifteen bags have been filled at Dome, Dome Extension and Preston East Dome, and 7 by the ladies of the Catholic Women's League. The ladies acknowledge with thanks the help given by the following, who responded readily and generously when approached for contributions to the bags:—The Kiwanis Club, who gave a generous donation of money; Cameron's Drug Store; Grant and Byerley's Drug Store; Uly's Place; Beamish Co. Stores; Slotnick's Grocery; Purdon and Laflamme's Provision Store; Sky's Stores; the Empress Hotel; the C.W.L. ladies; Mrs. M. Smith.

And especially they appreciate the help given by Mr. and Mrs. Barilko (Russian Canadian Federation) for their generous assistance on Navy League tag-day.

## New Officers for South Porcupine Kiwanis Club

### Young Farmer's Banquet to be Held This (Thursday) Evening.

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The newly-elected officers of the local Kiwanis Club for 1943 are: President, Stan Gardner; Immediate Past President, Alf Pugsley; Vice President, Clarence Anderson; Treasurer, Rene Quesnel; Directors: Harry Anderson, Harold Hall, Rud Langdon, Ed. McKillick, Sol Sky, Earle Somerville.

The agricultural committee will present for Thursday the Young Farmers' Banquet.

"Extract from current weekly Kiwanis Bulletin": "The Potato—Our fourth major event of the fall season to our young progressive farmers and potato judging by experts of spuds. About twenty young farmers and their sponsor, H. L. Hanlon, Esq., are expected. A short address by the guest speaker will be given—a gentleman of long experience in agriculture. We will also entertain our young friends with moving pictures which will also be interesting to the club members. We are proud of these young gentlemen of the soil and assure them a hearty welcome. This is real Kiwanian building."

Monday, November 16th the club meets at 6.30 p.m. instead of 6 p.m. and in future meeting nights have been changed to Mondays at 6 p.m. sharp.

## Initiation Ceremony for the Schumacher C.G.I.T.

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The initiation ceremony for the new members of the Schumacher Canadian Girls in Training was held Monday evening November 2nd, in the school room of Trinity United Church. This ceremony is an important event in C.G.I.T. groups. It helps the girls to realize that the organization means something more than a club provided solely for entertainment and handicrafts. The opening of the programme was the re-dedication of last year's members. Then the new members dedicated themselves to the Christian way of life. The C. G. I. T. purpose was explained to the girls, and repeated by the former members, then by the new members. The ties of the new members were knotted by the officers. Tying the knots is a symbol of friendship and acceptance of new members. Following the tying of knots came the impressive Candle Lighting ceremony. The service was ended by the girls singing, "God who touchest earth with beauty Make me lovely, too."

Mr. Carlson, who is supplying for Mr.

## Remembrance Day at South Porcupine

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No special Remembrance Day service was held at the local cenotaph this year, but all of us observed the two minutes' silence at 11 a.m.

Wreaths placed upon the cenotaph at the township building represent:—The Province of Ontario; Township of Tisdale; Township of Whitney; South Porcupine Fire Department; Canadian Legion No. 287; Women's Auxiliary Canadian Legion No. 287; Northern Ontario Power Co., Marshall-Ecclestone South End Garage; School Section No. 1 Tisdale; Whitney Township School Section; South Porcupine Kiwanis Club; Porcupine Hardware Co.

Remembrance Day was observed in our Public School on Wednesday by a silence at 11 a.m. In the afternoon each teacher held a programme special for the day in her own classroom. This is Education Week and on Friday afternoon a special programme is being prepared for the parents, and friends who are cordially invited to come to the school; meet the teachers, and see what their children have done and are doing in the development of their intelligence.

The students of the High School assembled in the auditorium at 11 a.m. on Wednesday to join with the Empire in observing the two minutes' silence. During the afternoon a programme of patriotic songs, and recitations was presented by the Literary Society.

Mr. Boyce, of Schumacher public school, addressed the students and impressed upon them the meaning and importance.

### IT DID LOOK SUSPICIOUS!

"Are you positive that the defendant was drunk?" asked the judge.

"No doubt," growled the officer.

"Why are you so certain?"

"Well," replied the officer, "I saw him put a penny in the patrol box on Fourth Street, then look up at the clock on the church and shout: 'Gowd, I've lost 14 pounds.' — Powassan News."

Healey, spoke to the girls on the importance of the Canadian Girls in Training. The meeting closed with "Taps."

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