

News From South Porcupine, Dome and the District

Honour Pioneer Resident Leaving South Porcupine

Other Items of Interest from South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, June 16th. Special to The Advance.

Two functions to honour a lady who is leaving town after residence of twenty years were held last week. Mrs. Bertha Thomas, of Dome Ex., was guest of honour at the Rebekah Lodge on Friday evening after the regular business meeting and on Wednesday last at a meeting of the Old-Timers' Club at the home of Mrs. Daisy Freeman.

On Friday a lovely lunch was served after the meeting and bridge was played. A number of the members were present. Mrs. Thomas, who has been a member of Kitchener Rebekah Lodge for eighteen years, was presented with a pretty piece of costume jewellery from the lodge and responded with feeling to the kindly wishes and regrets expressed by the members.

At the home of Mrs. Freeman on Wednesday a lovely umbrella was presented to Mrs. Thomas from the members of the Old-Timers' Club.

A presentation of two nice cups and saucers was also made on this occasion to Mrs. Webb, as retiring president. This was done by Mrs. Wm. Thomas. Mrs. Thomas has been president of the Old-Timers' Club for the past year, and at these as well as other gatherings she will be much missed when she leaves for Embro at the end of this month.

Prizes for bridge on this occasion went to: 1. Mrs. Ewing; 2. Mrs. Webb; 3. Mrs. Anthony. Present were—The guest of honour, Mrs. Thomas; Mrs. S. Jay, Mrs. Gibbons, Miss Ivy Starling, Mrs. Stanlake, Mrs. Webb, Mrs. Libby, Mrs. Anthony, Mrs. Ewing, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Rayner, Mrs. Montrose, Mrs. Emma Wilson and Mrs. Anna Wilson.

A very delightful lunch was served following cards.

Attending the funeral procession of Fire Chief Borland, of Timmins, on Monday from South Porcupine (in uniform) were members of the South Porcupine Fire Dept., Chief Maxwell Smith; J. Wilder, W. G. Skinner, E. Bowes, M. C. Czubski, C. Bezpalko, T. Ryan and Phil Deacon. Also present were Chief Caswell of Cochrane and Chief Wilkes of Iroquois Falls. Chief Smith represented the Temiskaming Firemen's Association. Mr. Fred Thompson, of New Liskeard, represented the Dominion Fire Chiefs' Association.

P.O. W. Moore and Mrs. Moore arrived in town from Aylmer on Sunday. P.O. Moore was invested with his pilot's wing on Friday at Aylmer and receives congratulations in passing his examination with such credit as to gain him a commission in the R.C.A.F.

Basil Libby, of the R.C.N.V.R., is home on leave from Halifax. Able Seaman Libby, who is a torpedo operator, is recuperating from twenty-eight days in hospital in Halifax where he was quite ill from scarlet fever.

Owing to the death of Archbishop Anderson, St. Paul's Sewing Circle have postponed their luncheon-bridge which was to have taken place on Tuesday. Date of this affair will be announced next week.

Mrs. J. Alexander is spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. George Humphreys, at Jerome Lake Mine.

The Rebekahs are sponsoring a bridge and euchre this coming Friday at the Masonic hall. Nice prizes are offered for ladies and gentlemen. There will be a door prize and the bedspread upon which tickets have been sold will be drawn for.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nordlander of 47 Kerr street in Porcupine General Hospital on June 14th—a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Foster, of 80 Fourth avenue, Schumacher, a son, on June 10th, in Porcupine General hospital.

"CANADA HOUSE" IN INDIA



"Canada House" is the name of this straw-thatched cane and bamboo hut in India, home of a number of Canadians who fly with an R.A.F. transport squadron carrying supplies to the Burma front. Here the residents gather on the "lawn" for a spot of afternoon tea prepared by Elliott, the native bearer. The three in the foreground are Flying Officer R. H. Buckham, 317 14th St. Brandon, Man.; Flying Officer G. C. Adel of Melville, Sask. and Flying Officer R. H. Regimbal of 234 King St. Sudbury, Ont. (R.C.A.F. Photo)

Born—in Porcupine General hospital, to Second-Lieutenant Earl and Mrs. Reekin, of 100 Dome avenue—twins. On June 10th, a daughter. On June 12th a son. The birth of the babies coincides with the graduation of the father from Victoria as an officer in the Canadian Army. Second-Lieutenant Reekin arrived from Victoria on Saturday in time to greet his son and daughter.

Cpl. Arnold Hawkins, R.C.A.F. of Ottawa, spent week-end leave in town visiting his wife, the former Lillian Ross.

Miss Gladys Kellow, who has been visiting in Toronto, has returned to her home at the Dome.

Sapper and Mrs. Percy Gaylord (nee Audrey Williams) left on Monday for a holiday in Kingston before taking up residence in Petawawa, where Sapper Gaylord is stationed with the R.C.E.

The bridge party sponsored by the Senior C. W. L. in the Parish hall on Friday was well attended and proved to be a successful affair. Father LaSalle acted as master of ceremonies and Mrs. White played several selections on the piano during the evening. At bridge first prize of a pair of lovely bath-towels went to Mrs. F. Laforest; second prize of eight beverage glasses was won by Mrs. D. A. McLellan and third prize of bridge-cards went to Mrs. J. Rudkin. A unique occurrence unparalleled in South Porcupine annals occurred when the door prize and the Mossfield blankets were drawn for. Mrs. Rudkin's name was pulled for the door prize, a lovely cut-glass rose bowl, and Mrs. Laforest was the lucky winner of the blankets! Each of these ladies won two prizes for the evening.

Mr. Maxwell Smith, of South Porcupine, and Mrs. Frank Wills, of Schumacher, with Mr. Longmore, of Timmins and Mr. Tipper, of Kirkland Lake, left on Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Association of Assessors to be held in Toronto at the Royal York Hotel on Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mr. Art Beasley, of Cameron's Drug Store, is in Porcupine General hospital recuperating from appendix operation. Everyone in this district is commenting on the beauty of the lilacs and their profusion this spring. We have never noticed before such a display of blooms in South Porcupine.

The Eastern Star Chapter will go in a body to the evening service on Sunday at the United Church.

Among the South Porcupine members of the Eastern Star who attended the special Eastern Star service for the late Timmins Fire Chief Alex Borland, held on Sunday at the home of A. Borland, Jr., were Mrs. B. Mansfield, W.M., Mrs. James Armstrong, Mrs. D. Houston, Mrs. J. Barron, Mrs. F. H. Hall, Mrs. J. Cunningham from South Porcupine and Mrs. Jean Phillips and Mrs. J. Spitz from Timmins.

Mrs. George Bannerman returned on Saturday from Toronto after attending the United Church convention as delegate from Porcupine.

Mr. and Mrs. V. James and daughter left on Tuesday for Port Credit.

Miss Iris Jones, who has been attending school in Belleville, returned to her home at Preston East Dome this week to spend the summer.

At the meeting of the Eastern Star on Tuesday Mrs. Nelda Carter, of Preston East Dome, who is leaving shortly for Calumet Island, was presented with a farewell gift of a picture from the

Chapter. Miss May Carter will accompany Mrs. Carter when she leaves; they will join Mr. Carter who has been employed at Calumet Island for some months.

Police Court

Six drunks were fined \$10 and costs at the court held here on Tuesday. J. Young was fined \$10 and costs for having no operator's license.

Case against S. Thibault on the charge of theft of car was withdrawn with costs paid.

D. Bowler charged L. Carpenter with careless driving. This case will be fully heard next Tuesday when the driver as well as the owner of the car will be charged. Mr. Bowler who told the magistrate he was bringing this case as a good citizen, told the court that when people were fishing from the bridge at Connaught on June 5th, accused imperilled the lives of children on the bridge by driving at excessive speed. When halted by complainant accused used abusive language and attempted assault.

Successful Tea at Schumacher United Church

Other Items of Interest from Schumacher and District.

Schumacher, June 16—(Special to The Advance)—The Women's Association of Trinity United Church held a very successful afternoon tea in the Church hall, Friday afternoon. Large vases of lilac and Iceland poppies were nicely arranged throughout the hall.

Mrs. P. A. Boyce, president of the Women's Association, received the guests. Mrs. Stan Kitchen was convener of the tea. The large tea table with its lovely lace cloth, the centerpiece a large crystal bowl filled with purple lilac was very attractive. Mrs. Roy Asseline and Mrs. M. Urquhart poured tea. The tea assistants were Mrs. Wylie and Mrs. Stuart Urquhart. The bake table with Mrs. George Shipman as convener and Mrs. Bert Waite and Mrs. Dan Kle as assistants were kept very busy. There was a large selection of home baking which was soon sold out. The children's clothing table, under the direction of Mrs. D. Killens, had a nice selection of children's dresses, sun suits, aprons and novelties, to choose from. The plant table was under the direction of Mrs. Jack Gannon and had a variety of cut flowers, house plants, annual and perennial plants for the garden. There were many eager buyers at this table which was soon sold out. Mrs. J. G. Malkin was in charge of the advertising. Mrs. W. Wills was the kitchen convener. The ladies wish to thank all who attended and helped make the event so successful.

The Ladies' Guild of the Schumacher Anglican Mission held their meeting Tuesday evening in their new headquarters, on First Ave. There was a good attendance of members. The president, Mrs. Fred Cook, was in the chair. The secretary's and treasurer's report was read. The ladies decided to hold a rummage sale in their new premises, Wednesday, June 23rd, from ten till two o'clock. The proceeds of this sale will go to sending boxes to the members of the mission at home and overseas. The serving of a dainty lunch by Mrs. Percival and Mrs. Knowles brought the meeting to a close.

The many friends of Mr. John Mira, First Ave., will be sorry to hear that he is very ill, in St. Mary's Hospital.

Miss Florrie Keen, Fourth Ave., has returned from an extended holiday at Kingston.

The Canadian Legion Carnival is being held next week in the McIntyre Arena from Monday 21st till Saturday, 28th. Be sure to visit the carnival and help the Legion carry on their good work. A programme has been arranged for each night.

The "Percy" Red Cross Knitting Club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Doreen Wills, First Ave. There was a good attendance of members and a nice social time was enjoyed. During the afternoon the hostesses served a dainty lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webber and

family, First Ave., left last week to take up residence on Spruce St., Timmins. Residents of Schumacher for over eighteen years, they had made a wide circle of friends who regretted to see them leave Schumacher.

Mr. Jack Matthews, First Ave., is in Cochrane this week serving on the jury. Mrs. J. Armstrong and little son, of Montreal, are visiting Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cooke, McIntyre Property.

Mrs. George Gatehouse left this week for her home in Winnipeg, after visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moran, Cedar Street.

Mrs. C. Birt and family left last week for a holiday in Toronto.

Mr. John McGowan, First Ave., is in Cochrane this week to serve on the jury.

Mr. George McShane, Second Ave., was in Toronto last week, when he reported at the R.C.A.F. Headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Reardon and family, First Ave., left Tuesday for Toronto where Mr. Reardon will report at the R.C.A.F. Headquarters.

Mrs. Jack Matthews, First Ave., entertained Wednesday afternoon in honour of Mrs. George Webber. Afternoon tea was served and a nice social time was enjoyed. Before leaving the guests extended Mrs. Webber their best wishes in her new home in Timmins.

Mr. George Leck, First Ave., left Friday for the R. C. A. F. station at Brandon, Manitoba.

Sapper Bloome Webber, R.C.E., stationed at Sydney, Nova Scotia, is visiting his wife and little son at the home of Mrs. Webber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harris, Third Ave.

Sapper Arthur Robson, R.C.E., stationed at Simcoe, spent the weekend at his home on Third Ave.

Mrs. Walter Craig and son, Douglas, of Demers, Quebec, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dave Craig, Fourth Ave.

Pte. Joan Davis, of the C.W.A.C., stationed at North Bay, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davis, Gold Centre.

AC2 Douglas Kitchen, No. 1 F.F., Deseronto, has returned to his station, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kitchen, First Ave.

Corp. Arnold Hawkins, R.C.A.F. Headquarters, Ottawa, visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kitchen, First Ave., during the week-end.

Mrs. Stan Kitchen, First Ave., left for Cochrane when she received the sad news of the death of the Most Rev. John George Anderson, Archbishop of Mooseonee, and Metropolitan of Ontario in the Church of England. A personal friend of the family for many years, Mrs. Kitchen will visit with them for a few days.

Successful Tag Day for the Blind at South Porcupine

Receipts Nearly as Large as Last Year When Population was Greater.

South Porcupine, June 16th. Special to The Advance.

Tag-day for the Blind in South Porcupine was on Saturday, and proved to be a very great success despite the wet weather.

Last year when our population was greater than it is now, and the tag-day was fine, the total receipts were \$142.

On Saturday the total receipts were \$137.59.

Mrs. Frank Walker, who was in charge of the Committee in South Porcupine, wishes to thank all who contributed to the cause, and more particularly she would like to publicly thank all the girls who tagged during the day and did such excellent work.

Assisting Mrs. Walker on the Committee were Mrs. J. Drynan, Mrs. J. Thompson, and Mrs. Ivan Horner.

Ladies who tagged:—Mary Reshetarski; Olga Reshetarski; Lorene Knutson, Annie Sarkotich; Evelyn Jay; Lorna Henry; Ellen Mairs, Sybil Ostrom, Lucille Mitchell; Ruth Steeves; Nadyne Smith; Margaret McGregor; Mary Countryman, Annie Gecan, Ada Curtis,

Annual Convention Woman's Auxiliary Church of England

Held at Iroquois Falls Wednesday and Thursday Last Week.

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The 34th annual convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of England in Mooseonee took place last Wednesday and Thursday, 9th and 10th of June, at Iroquois Falls.

It was opened by the Rev. Hill, of St. Mark's Church, with Holy Communion on both days, and the meetings were conducted by the president, Mrs. W. H. Johns, of Dome Mines.

There were thirty-five delegates present, representing Monteth, Iroquois Falls, Cochrane, South Porcupine, Chapleau, Porcupus Junction and Ansonville and is reported as a most successful session.

Mrs. Elliott, of North Bay, addressed the gathering on Thursday and Rev. Mitten, of Monteth took the noonday intercession. Archdeacon Woodall and Rev. Hill concluded the convention with jointly conducting a very beautiful Vesper service.

Meals were served to the delegates by the Women's Auxiliary of Ansonville.

Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the following taking office:

President—Mrs. W. H. Johns (S. Porcupine)

1st Vice President—Mrs. Brewer (Iroquois Falls)

2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Wm. Pritchard (Timmins)

Recording Secretary—Mrs. McCauley (Cochrane)

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. K. Kilborn (Schumacher)

Treasurer—Mrs. Wm. Fairhurst (S. Porcupine)

Junior Girls' Secretary—Mrs. Blackburn (Cochrane)

"Living Message" Secretary—Mrs. Woodall (S. Porcupine)

Prayer-partner Secretary: Mrs. Plummer (Monteth)

Thank-offering Secretary—Mrs. W. Pritchard (Timmins)

Dorcas Secretary—Mrs. A. H. Cooke, (Schumacher)

William Miller Former Resident of Camp Passes on

Lived in Porcupine Camp in Its Early Days. Was 82 Years Old.

Schumacher, June 16—(Special to The Advance)—Mr. Herb Miller, Third Ave., received the sad news Sunday of the death of his father at Halliburton, Mr. Miller and his sister, Mrs. Roy McLeod, of Iroquois Falls, left to attend the funeral.

The late Mr. William Miller was 82 years of age at the time of his death. A real old-time resident of the Porcupine since 1910, he resided at South Porcupine. His wife died about twelve years ago and he left for Halliburton where he made his home with relatives. He is survived by his family to whom the deepest sympathy is extended in their sad bereavement. Surviving are:—Mrs. Roy McLeod, Iroquois Falls; Mrs. Clark, Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. Glandon, Aylmer, Quebec; Mrs. Booth, Toronto; Mrs. Dunn, Timmins; Mrs. Bower Bain, North Bay; Mr. Walter Miller, Swastika; Mr. Sherbin Miller, South Porcupine; Mr. Herb Miller, Schumacher.

Present at the last rites were his widow, Mrs. Eliza Finin, his daughters, Minerva (Mrs. Libby), Muriel (Mrs. Howard), and Wilma, of South Porcupine; his daughter, Winifred (Mrs. Dan Brown of Hamilton), his sons, Gunner Edwin Finin (of Cornwall), Mervyn (of Bryson), Gilbert and Wilburn, of South Porcupine.

The deceased man's sisters:—Mrs.

South Porcupine Kiwanis Observe Fifth Anniversary

Timmins Kiwanis Join in Greeting Lieut.-Governor.

South Porcupine, June 16—(Special to The Advance)—South Porcupine Kiwanis joined with the Timmins Club to greet their Lt.-Governor, John Linklater, of Noranda, on Monday night at the McIntyre Building and jointly celebrated the fifth anniversary of the South Porcupine Club.

Dinner was served at 6 p.m. and a wonderful address was given by Mr. Linklater on post-war planning. He stressed the duty of Kiwanians to plan and build now for the future. Reforms will come, said the speaker, but will require careful and thoughtful preparation. The world will not be altered as by a fairy wand when war activities cease. The motto of the Kiwanis "We Build"—should be now stressed more than ever.

Mr. Linklater accompanied the Lt.-Governor and Mr. Burnes, president of the Timmins Club, and Mrs. Burnes, as well as other members of the club were also present.

President Stan Gardiner, of South Porcupine, acted as chairman and introduced the distinguished guest. After the toast to the King, Dr. E. S. Somer-

Ella Oillia; Kate Krizmanich; Eileen Ralston; Minnie Zabiak; Vera Ursulak; Irene Libby, Mabel Draper; Flora Reed; Elizabeth Hiltunen, Sirkka Jarvi, Doris Collin, Mary Kemsley, Margaret Connolly, Clara Campagnola, Gertrude Virtanen, Mary Harper and Miss Keddie.

The Committee served hot dogs and drinks to the tappers during the session in the Masonic Hall which was kindly loaned to the Committee for this occasion by the Masonic Lodge.

ville proposed a toast to the ladies to which Mrs. Maxwell Smith responded.

Mr. V. H. Evans gave the toast to the Kiwanis International, to which Lt.-Gov. Linklater responded. Mr. Phil Kinkel also spoke as the 'Father of the South Porcupine Club'—and commented on the progress of the club to its fifth birthday.

After the banquet the members went to a theatre party in Timmins, returning later to the McIntyre Building for a social evening.

Among the South End Kiwanians and ladies were:—Mr. S. Gardiner; Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McLellan; Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Somerville; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyd; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Kinkel; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Sol Sky; Mr. and Mrs. E. Savage; Mr. V. James; Mr. and Mrs. Miss Poppleton; Mr. R. Langdon; Mr. and Mrs. R. Quesnel; Mr. and Mrs. W. Honer; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hall, Archdeacon Woodall, and Mr. V. James.

Ladies' Branch of St. John Ambulance at Schumacher

Schumacher, June 16—(Special to The Advance)—The Ladies' Branch of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Schumacher, are holding a series of afternoon teas in aid of the Schumacher Brigade. Mrs. Margaret Briden and Mrs. Sinclair MacMillan were joint hostesses at a nicely arranged tea held at the Coniaurum Lodge, where twenty-five ladies were their guests. Mrs. J. Doherty, of Timmins, poured tea. Assisting at the tea tables were Miss Elizabeth Peat, MacMillan, and Miss Mary Kirkland.

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Ernie Pooley and Mrs. Thomas Atchie were joint hostesses at a nicely arranged tea held at the home of Mrs. Lomas, McIntyre Property. Mrs. Angus Campbell and Mrs. Howard Waddell poured tea. Assisting at the tea tables were Mrs. Lomas and Mrs. Jack Marshall. During the afternoon Mrs. Ed Willan delighted the ladies by reading their tea cups.

Late G. Finin, of South End Buried at Leitchfield, Que.

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The funeral of the late George Finin, who passed away on June 4th at his home at 71 Cecil avenue, South Porcupine, took place on June 8th at Leitchfield, Que., from the United Church in that town with Rev. Shaver, conducting the funeral service.

Present at the last rites were his widow, Mrs. Eliza Finin, his daughters, Minerva (Mrs. Libby), Muriel (Mrs. Howard), and Wilma, of South Porcupine; his daughter, Winifred (Mrs. Dan Brown of Hamilton), his sons, Gunner Edwin Finin (of Cornwall), Mervyn (of Bryson), Gilbert and Wilburn, of South Porcupine.

The deceased man's sisters:—Mrs.

Thomas Tubman (Ottawa), Mrs. Workman (Pembroke), and Mrs. Jos. Little (Clarendon), were also present and one brother, John Finin, of Castleford.

Other members of his family—Mrs. J. Lumb, of Virginia, U.S.A. (sister), and brothers Edward (Port Arthur) and Ernest (Toronto) were unable to attend the funeral.

Pallbearers officiating were Messrs Fred Sticker, Andrew Ackerson, Elsha Beeman, Lyle Hodgins, William Burns and George Stewart.

Floral and other tokens were received from: The Family (pillow); wreaths, Mrs. Maria Workman; Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Anderson; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sgro and family; Mr. and Mrs. George Helmer, The Consumer's Co-operative Staff; basket, from Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Finin. Sprays from Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tubman, Mr. and Mrs. John Little and Manson; Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson and Mary Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lang, Mrs. Albert Williams, Mr. and Mrs. George Tubman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Finin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Finin, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tubman.

Township Makes Grant to Porcupine Air Cadet Squadron

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At a regular council meeting held on Monday the resignation of Mr. Fred Laforest as a member of the High School Board was accepted with regret.

Constable Lorne Hart's resignation from the Tisdale Police Force was also accepted.

A by-law was passed granting \$250 for establishment and maintenance of No. 268 Porcupine "K" Squadron Air Cadet League. This is subject to the approval of the Department of Municipal Affairs.

Several cases of application for reduction of taxes were heard.

U. S. Committee Report:—In the year following Pearl Harbor 48 federal agencies sent out 7025 different questionnaire forms to be returned by business managers. On the basis of testimony, the full-time services of 188,000 persons for one year were diverted to assembly and tabulation of the required data. Obviously this red tape increases costs, delays production, and lengthens the war.

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PAT H. MURPHY,
Clerk-Treasurer.