

Germans Retreat from Volturno River Valley

Victory Loan Campaign Opens Here With Rousing Rally at Palace Theatre

Stage Decorations Worthy of Note. Inspiring Addresses by Flight-Lieut. Nugent, Capt. Ross Stewart and Others. Miss Freda Fishman, Coloratura Soprano, Featured on Programme.

The Cochrane District War Finance Committee opened the Fifth Victory Loan campaign on Sunday eve. at the Palace Theatre, Timmins, with a monster Rally, and a concert of highly talented artists, headed by the Timmins High School choir and Miss Freda Fishman, of New York City. Speakers were headed by Flight-Lieutenant W. Oliver Nugent, padre of the Malton Airport, R.C.A.F.

The theatre was packed to capacity and included in the audience were detachments of the Algonquin Regt. "D" Co., "K" Squadron Air Cadets, Sea Cadets and Army Cadets. Before the rally officially opened the Timmins Citizens' Band, under direction of Leader F. Wolno played a number of marches and popular selections.

As the curtains were drawn aside a very striking tableau greeted the audience. In natty white sailor suits and smart khaki uniforms were arranged the High School choir. In the centre were four "Miss Canada" girls in their deep red uniforms, and a representative of each of Canada's armed services, and two Red Cross nursing sisters. The background was composed of the flags of all United Nations with large crayon drawings of all the United Nations leaders. The clever drawings were the work of Miss Helen Chisholm, of Timmins, and the stage decorations were by Tony Ayotte, Al Proctor, Sam David and "Scotty" Wilson.

Lieut. Wm. Roberts acted as Master of Ceremonies in very commendable manner.

The splendid voices of the young students of the High School under direction of Mr. Wallace Young, with Master Norman Amadio as accompanist made a great hit with the audience. "I Love You Truly" was beautifully rendered and "Stout Hearted Men," by male voices, was another splendid vocal effort. In different style "John Brown's Body" and "In My Arms" were loudly applauded selections.

The Victory Loan Quartette — Messrs. R. Baillie, E. Tansley and Misses Peggy Williams and Kathleen Jardine—also made a name for itself in that beautiful choral selection, "O Valiant Hearts." Two trumpeters of the Cadets sounded the "Last Post" during the singing of this solo.

Miss Freda Fishman, coloratura soprano, scored a great hit. Miss Fishman has a very pleasing voice and needed no exertion to reach high scale of her range. "Il Bacio," a waltz variation, was her first selection. Deafening applause greeted her superb performance. Miss Fishman kindly obliged with a lilting folk melody in Slavic tongue. Mrs. Larcher accompanied the artist at the piano with difficult accompaniments in talented style. Miss Freda Fishman was presented with a \$50 Bond by relatives during her fine performance.

Anne Kuinka, who needed no introductory speech, gave her usual stellar performance in her Russian Cossack Dance. Accompaniment was by Corp. Bill Kuinka, mandolin, and Mrs. C. Wilkins, piano. Corporal Kuinka also played some stirring mandolin selections. This was a happy feature of the highly talented work of both artists.

Miss Synos, accompanied by Miss Smuk, made another popular appearance at Victory Rallies, choosing "In From Missouri," followed by "Queenie." Miss Synos had the audience singing in the choruses, and also had to repeat the latter song before order could be restored to carry on the programme.

Much laughter was caused by Mr. R. J. Ennis, who could not seem to get his voice to register on the sound system. With his genial and happy manner the speaker overcame the difficulty with very apt words. Mr. Ennis introduced the guest speaker, Flt. Lt. W. O. Nugent, also urging all to support the Fifth Victory Loan to the limit.

Flt. Lt. W. O. Nugent, took as the theme of his address, the quotation, "I have walked, I have talked with the living sacrifice." The speaker interspersed his address with many witty stories, but all during his speech never lost the text. "If you have a living religion it is bound to cost you something" was one statement of the speaker, and another which made strong appeal to the audience was:—"If we love our country and our fighting men who are giving themselves as the living sacrifice, we must buy Victory Bonds to the hilt." The padre gave several examples of bravery and heroism of which he had witnessed and at the close told of a crew of a corvette and the hardships they had undergone — "I have walked, I have talked, with the living sacrifice. I am sure our answer is in providing the needs to 'Speed the Victory.'"

Capt. Ross Stewart, V. G. of C. opened his address with Kipling's famous words:

"For all we have and are
For all our children's fate
Stand up and meet the war
The Hun is at our gate."

"These words are as true today as they were in 1914 when written. The blonde beast has the greater part of Europe and the illegitimate sons of heaven the greater part of Asia. We have a big job ahead but with the buying of Victory Bonds the job of speeding the Victory will hasten the freeing of these occupied countries." "We are only lending our money to buy a share in Canada's future," Capt. Stewart declared.

The rally came to a close with Lieut. "Bill" Roberts thanking all and sundry for the great success of the event and, with the audience standing, the High School choir sang "God Save the King."

Collection Waste Fats Saturday

Boy Scouts to Cover the Town Again for Salvage of Fats.

The Boy Scouts of Timmins will again make a collection of waste fats for salvage on Saturday of this week, Oct. 23rd.

In this work of salvage the Boy Scouts have given specially valuable service and they deserve the heartiest encouragement. The sort of encouragement they will appreciate is for all housewives to leave out for them on Saturday a liberal amount of waste fats in proper containers all ready for them to pick up.

Annual Meeting of Timmins Boy Scouts Association, Oct. 29

Election of Officers, Reports of Committees, Etc.

The annual meeting of the Timmins Boy Scouts Association will be held in the council chambers in the town hall on Friday evening of next week, Oct. 29th.

Among the business before the meeting will be the reports of committees, election of officers, etc. The public are urged to attend and will find the meeting of very great interest.

Chairman Victory Loan Committee of Ontario to Speak Here Saturday

Thomas D'Arcy Leonard, Who Served with Distinction in Last War, to be Guest Speaker at Dinner Tendered to Bond Salesmen and General Committee by R. J. Ennis, District Unit Chairman.

On Saturday evening of this week, Oct. 23rd, Mr. R. J. Ennis, chairman of the National War Finance Committee for the District of Cochrane, will be host to the Victory Bond salesmen and the general committee at a dinner to be held in the McIntyre Community hall, Schumacher.

The guest speaker at the function will be Thomas D'Arcy Leonard, chairman of the Victory Loan Committee in Ontario, and known as an impressive speaker. He served throughout the last World War and won his commission on the field, reaching the rank of captain. After being wounded in France and invalided home to Canada, he decided once more to "go active" and joined the Royal Flying Corps at Trenton, Ontario. However, before he was able to get into action again, the war ended.



A Toronto business man, he is the general manager and director of the Canada Permanent Trust Company and a director of the Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation. Born in Toronto on April 29th, 1895, he is the son of Charles J. Leonard, Toronto barrister. He received his B.A. from the University of Toronto and studied law at Osgoode Hall, and was called to the bar of Ontario in 1918. Overseas he served with the Third Battalion and the Fifth Battalion C.E.F., and the Royal Flying Corps as a lieutenant.

SPEED THE VICTORY — BUY VICTORY BONDS



Courtesy of Emmett Watson

Kiwanis Club Entertains Officers, Instructors and N.C.O.'s of Air Cadets

Address by Vice-President Jack Beattie Reviews History and Growth of the No. 10 Timmins K Squadron Air Cadets of Canada. Value of Air Cadet Movement Emphasized.

At Monday's luncheon of the Timmins Kiwanis Club at the Empire hotel, the guests of honour were the officers, N.C.O.'s and instructors of the No. 10 Timmins K Squadron Air Cadets of Canada, sponsored by the Kiwanis. The honour to the Air Cadets was a tribute to their notable success and to observe the second anniversary of their establishment.

President W. H. Burnes was in the chair and welcomed the guests for the day. The menu provided by the Empire hotel was an excellent one and all other features of the occasion were equally noteworthy. Different members of the Club introduced the thirty-seven special guests for the day. Kiwanian

Wills Lang introduced the Commanding Officer, A. C. Flight Lieut. P. T. Moiseley, pointing out the lead he had taken in boys' work and the success that had followed the Air Cadets. Kiwanian Stan Andrews introduced A.C. F.O. Francis Woodbury, Adjutant.

A. C. Flying Officer P. T. Moiseley, Acting Squadron Leader, briefly reviewed the growth of the Timmins Squadron. He gave due praise to the boys and had special words of appreciation for the instructors whose work made success possible and also referred to the interest and efforts of the Kiwanis committee and the officers and others.

Vice-President Jack Beattie reviewed the inspiring story of the Timmins Air Cadets. There was a definite shortage of men for air crew in the R. C. A. F. and the Air Cadets were taking a vital part in providing the needed new men. Mr. Beattie praised the untiring interest and effort of Kiwanian Moiseley who in two years has built up Timmins Air Cadets to a force of 250, of which 160 were in the senior age group of 15 to 18 years. The Timmins Squadron was the tenth in Canada and the first in Ontario.

Mr. Beattie expressed the special appreciation felt for P. T. Moiseley and all the other officers, N. C. O.'s and instructors. Speaking to the Air Cadets he said: "Even if the war should be over before you are ready for overseas service, there is a large place for you to fill after the war." He made brief reference to the place flying would occupy after the war. In concluding he expressed hearty appreciation to the Commanding Officer, the other officers, the N. C. O.'s, the instructors and the committee.

In reply P. T. Moiseley gave special praise to the work of the instructors, and mentioned the pride felt in the work of the Precision Squad.

Capt. Sykes, of the Canadian Army, and in charge of the recruiting centre here, expressed appreciation of the good work of the Air Cadets and the value of the movement.

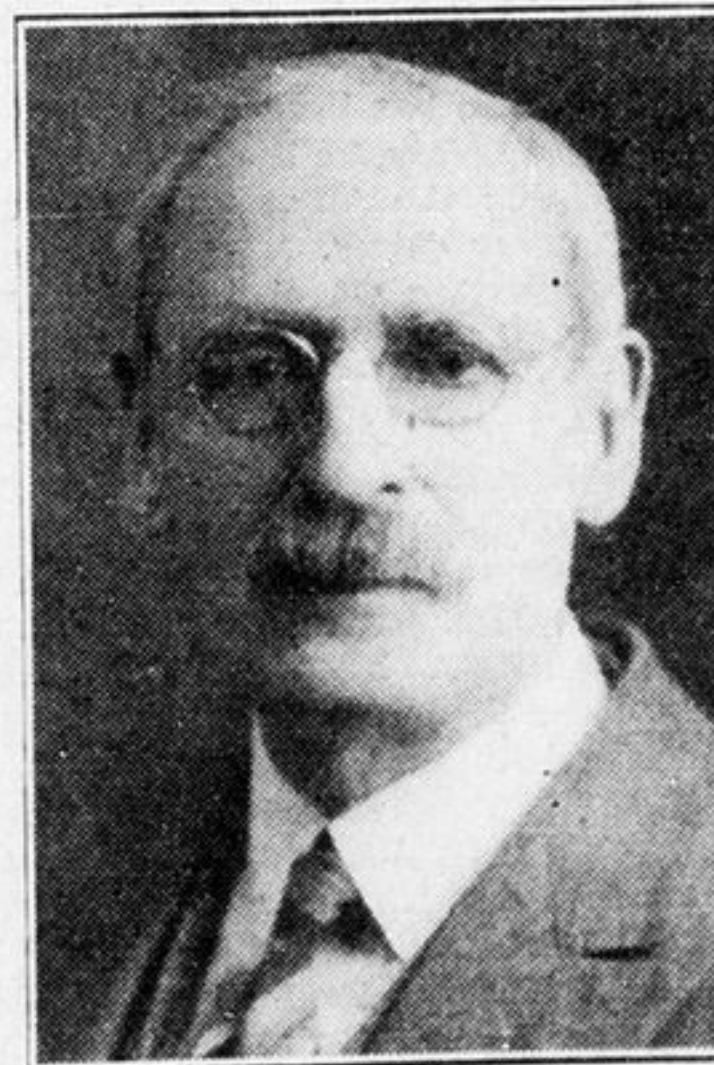
Austin Neame was the winner of the weekly war savings draw.

The singing was led by Capt. Douglas Church, S.A., with W. H. Wilson at the piano.

James S. McGuire Popular Pioneer Passed Last Night

Held the Regard and Affection of All. Was 82 Years Old.

James Stuart McGuire, a highly esteemed resident of Timmins since 1915, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. R. McCoy, 121 Tamarack street, at 7 o'clock last night. Although 82 years of age he enjoyed unusually good health until last summer. In July he had to take treatment in St. Mary's hospital



and it was found necessary to operate. He recovered sufficiently from the operation to be able to return to his home where, though confined to his bed, he seemed to make some progress to recovery. There was little hope for his recovery, however, and yesterday he passed peacefully away.

The late Mr. McGuire was born in Orangeville in 1861. In his younger days he was a famous lacrosse player and all his long life maintained a keen interest in all sports. For nearly thirty years no baseball match, no football game, no hockey, no lacrosse or other sporting event seemed complete without the genial presence of "Dad" McGuire, as he was affectionately known. During recent days he followed the World's series on the radio with as keen interest as ever. He was one of the pioneer business men of Timmins. In recent years he has been living retired, but continued his keen but genial interest in people and events. He held a unique place in the affection of a wide circle.

He is survived by one son, Frank, of Windsor, and one daughter, Mrs. S. R. McCoy, Timmins. Two sisters, Mrs. Ellis (Annie) and Mrs. Fred Hatcher (Ida), both of Orangeville.

A funeral service will be held Friday morning at Walker's Funeral Home, at 11: o'clock. Burial will take place in his old home town, Orangeville, Ont.

Germans Expect Allies to Land in Rome Area Soon Berlin Radio Suggests

Full-Scale Evacuation of the Russian Crimea Under Way by the Germans. Heavy Bombers Over Germany and Britain Visited by Nazi Planes.

134 Blood Donors Here

100 Men 34 Women Donate This Week to Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic.

The Red Cross Blood Donor Clinic visited Timmins again this week, being here at the Masonic Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday, under the supervision of Miss G. Akitt. The clinic again was a very decided success. There were 134 donors, 100 men and 34 women. In addition there were 6 or 7 other volunteers. To date Timmins has supplied 356 blood donors. A very interesting point is the fact that practically all volunteering have been accepted. The few not accepted were usually rejected because of nothing more serious than eating wrongly for breakfast. The clinic will be here again in four or five weeks.

Lionel Renaud Killed in Accident at Fingal, Ont.

Word was received here this week that Warrant Officer Norman Thomas Lavoie, 22 of St. Thomas, and Leading Aircraftman Lionel Renaud, 25, of Timmins, were killed in the crash of a training plane at No. 4 Bombing and Gunnery School, Fingal, Ont. W. O. Lavoie was the pilot of the plane. There are no details of the accident.

L.A.C. Lionel Renaud was a popular young man in Timmins and before enlistment with the R.C.A.F. was on the staff of the Mark Bowie store. The body is being brought to his home here for the funeral on Saturday at four o'clock. Services will be held at St. Anthony's Cathedral.

Mobile Unit Here This Week

Aircrew Urgently Needed, Says Flt. Lieut. J. C. Laffoley.

The R. C. A. F. mobile recruiting unit from North Bay is here again this week and will be here until to-morrow (Friday) night. The O.C. of the unit is Flight-Lieutenant J. C. Laffoley, who points out that recruits are urgently needed for Aircrew and the Women's Division. The others in the Unit are Flight-Lieut. A. Jones, Adjutant; Section Officer Glen, W.D.; Corporal G. Keeley, Clerk; Corporal E. Gareau, Clerk; Flight-Lieut. D'Arcy Macdonald, Medical.

The unit has a wagon with loud speaker equipment, and this has created considerable notice. This has also been used effectively in the Victory Loan campaign.

Township of Tisdale and Aunor Mine Already Have Victory Loan Quota

Campaign Starts Off Well in Timmins and Cochrane District. Amount Reported in Timmins \$186,000; Schumacher \$21,650; South Porcupine \$27,000.

The fifth Victory Loan campaign has started with a swing in the Cochrane District Unit.

The Township of Tisdale, apart from the Mines, is the first establishment to pass its objective, having now 106 per cent of its quota. Congratulations to Township Engineer Clarence Anderson for the wonderful job he has done and the promptness with which it was handled.

Aunor was the first mine to pass its payroll objective. Reference is made to this in another column.

Up to noon to-day, Hearst has \$21,500 which is over a quarter of its objective. The following are other figures for the district, reported to headquarters

Despatches from Algiers to-day say that the Germans have retreated from the Volturno River valley to new mountain lines along Massico Ridge. United States and British troops close on the heels of the Nazis report terrible devastation and killing of Italian citizens by the Nazis.

Full scale evacuation of the Russian Crimea is said to be under way. The Russians are planning to cut them off from the North.

A Berlin broadcast last night said that an Allied landing might be expected any moment in the area of Rome. Night and day shifts are working frantically to make the port of Naples serviceable.

The Japanese are on the offensive in the Finsenhafen area of New Guinea, with fierce fighting in progress and heavy losses for Japan.

German planes were over Britain last night for the fifth consecutive night. British planes last night did heavy bombing over Germany.

Monster Parade to Be Held Here on Sunday Afternoon

Event will be a Colourful Demonstration for Victory Loan.

In connection with the Fifth Victory Loan campaign a monster parade will be held in Timmins on Sunday afternoon. In the parade will be the Scouts, Guides, Air Cadets, Sea Cadets Army Cadets, "D" Co. Algonquin Regt. (R.), A. R. P. wardens, Canadian Legion and Ladies' Auxiliary members, and a large number of patriotic societies. The parade will be a very colourful affair as each organization will carry its standards in the march.

One very interesting part of the parade will be the massed pipe band and members of the Veteran Guards of Canada from the nearby camp.

Another group will be all ranks of service men and women on leave in Timmins.

Timmins Citizens' Band and the Boys' Bugle Band will provide the martial airs for the paraders.

At the Cenotaph a dedicatory service will be conducted and the Timmins Roll of Honour will be unveiled. This already contains a number of names and will be used as the basis for a permanent Honour Roll at the conclusion of the war.

The parade will assemble at the Old Ball grounds, Second and Cedar, at 2.30 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 24th. All those taking part please make a note and be on time.

Saturday, Nov. 6th, to be Legion Poppy Day Here

The Annual Poppy Day of the Timmins Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held this year on Saturday, Nov. 6th.

A church parade to observe Remembrance Day will be held on Sunday, Nov. 7th.

There will be a short ceremony at the cenotaph on Remembrance Day, Thursday, Nov. 11th.

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Timmins — \$186,100.
Schumacher — \$21,650.
South Porcupine — \$27,750.
Matheson, Monteth, etc. — \$5,000.
Val Gagne, etc. — \$3,000.
Iroquois Falls, etc. — \$15,000.
Cochrane, etc. — \$14,100.
Smooth Rock Falls — \$25,000.
Kapuskasing — \$9,850.
Hearst — \$19,000.

Total general canvass, \$326,450, which is 13 per cent of the quota in 16.6 of the time.

Special names (Miss E. M. Terry, chairman), \$25,000.

Grand total, \$331,450, which is 13.3 of total in 16.6 of time.