

Young Girl is Third to Fall From Wharf

The third rescue from drowning at the Haileybury wharf was made on Sunday afternoon last, when a young girl about 15 or 16 years of age, who is thought to be a resident of New Liskeard, was pulled out of the lake by "Rolly" Thompson, of the Temiskaming Navigation Company.

This girl had walked down one of the deep slips at the outside of the wharf and apparently slipped into the lake. Mr. Thompson was not far off and, hearing something unusual, he found her clinging to a piece of iron on the dock timbers with little chance of being able to pull herself up. With the aid of a companion, who braced himself and held "Rolly's" other arm, he managed to reach down, grab the victim, and haul her up onto the wharf. Nothing worse than a wetting was experienced by the girl.

It is explained that near the bottom of the slips the action of the water when the lake was higher has caused a green, slimy growth on the timbers, which is very slippery. It is undoubtedly by stepping on this that the young lady was precipitated into the lake and it was a fortunate circumstance that there was someone nearby to effect a rescue. She did not give her name to Mr. Thompson or any of the others who were on the wharf at the time.

On Saturday, July 16th, R. Duchesneau was rescued by H. W. Willis, of North Bay, when a similar accident, befell him, and on Wednesday last Kenneth Philbin, aged five years, fell in and was fished out by Bruce Jemmett. In both of these cases the rescuer plunged into the lake fully clothed and had to swim in order to bring the persons out.

Vacant Farm Buildings Lost In Fire of Mysterious Origin

A house and barn on an unoccupied farm near Ville Marie were destroyed on Thursday night last by a fire of mysterious origin. The buildings belonged to a Mr. Ranger, who lives on the adjoining farm and no cause for the fire has been ascertained.

ESCAPED PRISONER OF SUDBURY JAIL CAUGHT AFTER YEAR AT LARGE

After spending the past year in comparative freedom, Michael Laronde, who escaped from the Sudbury jail on July 26th, 1926, was caught on Saturday at Matheson by Provincial Constables Delves and Craik and has been returned to the Sudbury district institution to be dealt with there as the officers of the law may see fit. To Constable Delves, of South Porcupine, is said to go the credit for the capture. That officer got wind of the presence of Laronde in the woods near Matheson and when he came to town he was nabbed. He had been convicted and sentenced on a charge of having stolen goods in his possession.

The prisoner was brought to Haileybury on Sunday evening and lodged in the district jail, while the Sudbury authorities were notified. A turnkey and a provincial policeman arrived in town on Monday and left with the accused on Tuesday.

LARGEST HAILSTONES OBSERVED IN YEARS IN TUESDAY'S STORM

The largest hailstones that have been seen here in many years made a feature of the electrical storm which struck Haileybury on Tuesday shortly after noon. One resident declares that he measured a piece of the ice and that it was an inch and a half long by an inch in diameter. A window on the verandah of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sutherland, Russell Street, was broken in several pieces by the hail and in other sections there was some damage to gardens. The rain which followed the hail fell heavily for an hour and was of great benefit.

Will Salvage Silver From Wettlaufer Dump in Lorrain

Mr. H. F. Strong has leased the Wettlaufer dump in South Lorrain and the ore previously taken out of the mine will be salvaged. A party of men are engaged under John Hughes, and the best of the dump will be sorted out and milled. The ore is said to be well worth treating and paying quantities of silver will assuredly be obtained.

To Go 50-50 on Cost of Highway in Towns

The Ontario government will contribute one-half the cost of the building and maintaining of the northern highway through the organized municipalities, if the recommendation of Mr. C. H. Fullerton, chief of the Northern Development Department, is acted on. Mr. Fullerton visited the towns of Cobalt, Haileybury and New Liskeard on Saturday last, and to the heads of the municipalities he stated that his recommendation would be that the cost be split 50-50 between his department and the local organizations.

For some time efforts have been made to make the government see the situation from the municipalities' standpoint, and the matter has been taken up with both A. J. Kennedy, M.P.P., and the government engineers in charge of highways. It has been felt that the heavy through traffic over the trunk road was imposing a greater burden on the municipalities than they should be asked to bear, in the matter of upkeep especially, and the streets along which the trunk road runs have been neglected to some extent. This has been the cause for complaints, many motorists having been heard to remark that it was easy to tell when you were coming into town by the bumps in the road.

With the new arrangement definitely made, a great improvement may be looked for in the through streets. This will be accomplished at a considerable saving to the towns affected and the whole route will, as a result, be put into first class shape.

Party of Tourists Enjoy Trip on Lake Temiskaming

A party of tourists numbering thirteen enjoyed a trip down the lake on the M.S. Keego yesterday and were much impressed with the beauty of the route. They came from various parts of the United States and Southern Ontario and were all making their first trip through the North Country. More and more people are daily finding their way into this district over the new Ferguson highway and all are apparently enjoying themselves to the limit.

Boy and Bicycle Take Header Into Lake

While the record of those who have narrowly escaped drowning at the wharf may be getting monotonous, there must be added another case to those already reported. On Monday afternoon, a boy and a bicycle went into the lake off the end of the dock. In this case there was apparently little danger of any loss of life, as the boy was a swimmer and was easily able to get out. The bicycle went to the bottom and was later fished out by Captain Burns of the M.S. Keego, with the aid of a grappling iron on the end of a rope.

The boy, it is stated by those who were present on the wharf at the time, was one of the bell-boys at Hotel Haileybury. There are four of these on duty throughout the day and all denied that they had fallen in the lake or that they had been on the wharf at the time. However, the men at the wharf state positively that it was one of these boys.

The boy is thought to have struck against a rope that was used to tie up a motor boat at the outside of the wharf. This caused him to lose his balance on the edge of the dock with the result that he went in head first. He had no difficulty in getting out, simply swimming to the dock and climbing up. He told the men that he had not touched the bottom. The wheel was fished out without much difficulty and neither boy or bicycle suffered any injury.

BROKEN RIBS RESULT OF MOTOR ACCIDENT ON HIGHWAY NEAR COBALT

Mr. N. J. McAulay, mining recorder, is in bed with two cracked ribs and bad bruises to his chest as a result of a motor accident on Sunday evening. With Mrs. McAulay and their little boy, he was returning from a visit to North Bay when his car went into the ditch at a sharp turn on the highway, struck against the end of a bridge and threw him with such force against the steering wheel that injuries resulted. Mrs. McAulay and the baby each got a bump on the head but nothing serious.

Mr. McAulay explains that he turned out to allow two cars which were following him to pass his car skidded on the grass at the side of the road and slid into the ditch, striking the end of a culvert before he could stop. He was not driving fast, about ten miles an hour, he estimates, or the accident might have been more serious. The bumper of the car was stove in and one mud guard slightly bent, but otherwise it was not damaged and was driven home after it had been pulled out of the ditch by a wrecking crew from Lambs' garage. The accident occurred at the point in West Cobalt where the highway turns into the Latchford Road.

Mr. McAulay was given first aid at the Mines Hospital, Cobalt after which he was able to come home, his brother, Mr. Angus McAulay, of North Cobalt, driving the car. He makes light of the broken ribs as he says that happens to him about once a year but the bruises to his chest are very painful and he will probably be confined to the house for some time.

Decoration Services to be Held by Oddfellows' Lodges

Decoration services will be held by the Oddfellows' Lodges of New Liskeard, Cobalt and Haileybury during the next month, when the brethren will hold the annual ceremonies at the graveside of the deceased members of the Order. In New Liskeard the services will be held on Sunday, August 14th, while the combined service of Cobalt and Haileybury Lodges will be held on the following Sunday, August 21st. The details of the programs are now being worked out.

TENDERS CALLED FOR ON COMPLETION OF THE ARENA BUILDING HERE

Tenders for the completion of the arena building are being called for now and the plans and specifications are in the hands of local contractors who are bidding on the work. The plans show a building on the old basement walls of the armories, which will provide the extra accommodation needed when the arena is used as a rink and also provide the necessary rooms required by the headquarters of the 97th Algonquin Rifles, the regiment being kept active partly through the organization of a rifle association. Tenders were required to be sent in before the end of the week, and it is likely that the work will be commenced in the near future, in order that the building may be completed while the weather is good.

HIGHWAYS ENGINEER GOES OVER PROPOSED ROAD TO OLD MISSION

That the Haileybury Board of Trade and the Town Council have succeeded in interesting the Northern Development Department in the proposed road from the South Lorrain road to the Old Mission is made evident by the fact that Mr. Miller, of New Liskeard, resident engineer for the Department, made a trip over the route on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Miller went down to look over the route and make an estimate of the cost, but whether there will be any early steps taken in the matter remains to be seen.

The project is one that has been in hand locally for some time. If the road is opened a ferry service will be started to connect with the Quebec side of the lake, thus shortening the distance between Haileybury and Ville Marie for motor or horse traffic by a good many miles.

Leaves on Long Journey as Missionary to East Africa

Miss Annie Bradley left Monday evening for Toronto on the first stage of her long journey to Portuguese East Africa, where she is going as a missionary for the United Church. A great many of her friends were present at the station to bid her good bye and to wish her Godspeed. She will be away for six years before her first furlough begins.

The annual picnic of the T. & N. O. Railway will be held this Saturday at Liskeard Beach.

Youth Drowned Near Aguanico Last Night

A youth of seventeen, named Bigelow, was drowned in Lake Temiskaming opposite the Aguanico mine, some three miles below Haileybury last night. With a companion named Gagnon, he had gone in swimming late in the evening and apparently got beyond his depth. He sank and failed to come up, although, according to those who were in the neighborhood and went to his assistance, the water was only about six feet deep. Neither of the boys was a good swimmer, although they both could swim a little.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Douglas were down the lake in a canoe and were about 500 yards away. Some other people were also in the neighborhood and went to the scene as quickly as possible. The Gagnon boy, when he saw his companion sink, called for help, but, as he spoke in French, those who heard him did not understand for a few minutes that anything was amiss. When he called in English, they rushed to the spot and tried, by diving and trolling, to save the Bigelow boy but were unsuccessful as darkness came on almost immediately. Later in the night the body was recovered and was taken to the home of his parents in the neighborhood. Funeral arrangements were not completed this morning.

One Step Made Towards the Opening of Liquor Store Here

One step at least has been taken by the Liquor Control Board towards the opening of a store in Haileybury. A large safe arrived at the station last week addressed to the Board, and it is being held there pending the opening of the store. Nothing has been given out as to any other steps which may have been taken. Apparently the matter rests with the understanding arrived at when the Hon. Dr. Manion, a member of the Board, visited the district ten days ago and stated that he would recommend the establishment of a smaller store in each town.

After making the 3446 mile trip from Toronto to Haileybury by motor in one day and returning in the same space of time, Mr. Rupert Simpson, 11 St. Leonard's Avenue, reports that the road is in good condition, not more than 20 miles of difficult driving being encountered.—Toronto Star.

WEEK END SPECIALS

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10c LIFEBUOY SOAP 3 for 22c.	Kodaks and Films	75c ABSORBENT COTTON 1 lb 43c

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| 50c GIN PILLS 40c | 25c CUTICURA 3 for 55c |
| 50c Milburn's Nerve Pills 45c | 20c SNAP 2 for 25c |
| 60c Phillip's Milk of Magnesia 48c | 25c SEIDLITZ 17c |
| 25c A. B. S. & C. TABLETS 17c | 1.25 Burdock's Blood Bitters \$1.00 |
| 50c VICK'S VAPO-RUB 45c | 60c California Syrup of Figs 55c |
| 1.00 DEXTRI MALTOSE 85c | 25c Carter's Little Liver Pills 21c |
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