

Recover Bodies of Two Drowned Late Last Week

South Porcupine Man Missing for Weeks; Chicago Student Victim at Temagami

The tragic fins that was written to a duck hunting expedition and to a fishing trip in widely separated parts of the district was revealed in two separate reports made to provincial police district headquarters in Cobalt at the week-end, when Inspector W. T. Moore learned officially of the finding of the bodies of Christopher Purnis, South Porcupine shoemaker who had been missing since the first day of September, and of William Wilder, Chicago medical student, who was drowned near Bear Island late last week.

Purnis had not been seen alive since he left the camp he and his two adult sons had established near Connaught on the night of August 31, the eve of the opening of the duck shooting season. He left camp the following morning at daybreak, the police were told, informing his sons that he would return for supper, but no trace of him was found until his body was recovered from the Frederick-house river many miles from the camp by two men who chanced to pass that way. The body of Wilder was located in 54 feet of water late Saturday afternoon, dragging operations having been carried on all of that day and part of the previous one, after word of this tragedy had been brought out by the victim's companion, Charles Dunham, also of Chicago.

Wilder and Dunham were on a fishing trip to the Temagami district the police learned, and on Thursday morning last, while about three miles north of Bear Island, the canoe in which they were travelling was upset in rough water. The young men struck out for the shore, about a quarter of a mile away, at Rabbit Point, but Wilder, when part way there, called to the other man that he could not make the rest of the distance. Dunham attempted to aid his companion, but Wilder sank, and the other man was able to reach shore only with difficulty. Both were handicapped by the heavy clothing they were wearing at the time.

The accident happened between ten and eleven o'clock in the morning, and Dunham, after reaching the mainland, managed to struggle through bush and rocks for two miles until he was able to attract the attention of a man in a canoe, and was taken by the latter to Bear Island. The hour was then late in the afternoon. Word was sent to the police, and dragging operations commenced on Friday, continuing until the body was located late on Saturday on a shoal. In the interval, the victim's father, a Chicago doctor, arrived from home, he and two companions travelling by automobile in 26 hours, stopping only for gasoline and taking turns at the steering wheel. Coroner Dr. Ranney, at North Bay, was notified and released the body, according to the report of Constable Leland Walker. Wilder was 22 years of age.

Oscar Genereux and Ernest Hamil were the men who found the body of Christopher Purnis, according to the information

BAILIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE FOR TAXES
(Section 112, Chapter 238, R.S.O. 1927)

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Warrant from H. Clifford, Treasurer of the Municipal Corporation of the town of Haileybury and to me directed, I have seized and taken the following property:

1 Roll Top Desk, 1 Dining Table, 6 Chairs, China Stand, Flower Stand, Quantity of Books, Electric Washer, Kitchen Table, Kitchen Cupboard, to satisfy the sum of \$911.36 being the taxes payable by D. Belec to the said Municipality for the years 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, and 1931, in respect of lot 176, Plan M-46 on Blackwall Street, in the Town of Haileybury, together with costs, all of which said property will be sold by public auction at the said premises, at Haileybury, on the 5th day of October, 1931, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1931.

H. E. BLACKWALL, Bailiff

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

By Time Unstained

This is the greatest love, the love that lives Unchanged by changing time and circumstance,

That still a portion of its glamour gives To touch with peace each whim of madcap Chance.

It lends to life's adventure, strange and long, Always a blessing by naught else conferred;

It is the swiftness lingering after song,

The hidden meaning of the spoken word.

No part in it have years, for it may be The treasure of the heart from youth to age,

Or but an hour's sudden ecstasy, Obliterated by life's turning page.

The fair ideal, desired and unattained,

This is the only love by time unstained.

Something Better

Oh, beauty is sown at the heart of the world

And its flowers on every hand, As it flaunts itself like a flag unfurled

In the wonders of sea and land

And men's eyes are gladdened by mountain heights

And the glory of dusk and morn,

By the changeful cycle of earth's delights

That ever afresh are born.

But something is fairer than aught they see

As they pass through the maze of the days,

There is something touched with divinity,

Not akin to the world and its ways.

It is something apart from man's fleshy garb,

Something better than all the rest,

That finches never from goad or barb,

Nor falters at any test.

At the heart of the world there is beauty sown,

And it flowers throughout the whole;

But the rarest loveliness earth has known

Is the bloom of the valiant soul!

sent to district headquarters by Constable Alex. Craik, at South Porcupine, who had been engaged on the case previously. The body was discovered in the river in Little township, north of Frederickhouse Lake, and subsequently brought to Connaught, after Coroner W. J. Grummett, at Ansonville, had been notified. The coroner investigated, found no signs of violence on the body and registered death as due to accidental drowning. Constable Craik and the victim's sons identified the body as that of Purnis, who was familiar with the district, as he had engaged in duck hunting in that favorite resort of sportsmen in other years.

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Dated this 23rd day of September, 1931.

H. E. BLACKWALL, Bailiff

SOUTH TEMISKAMING TEACHERS' INSTITUTE MEETS IN HAILEYBURY

The annual meeting of the South Temiskaming Teachers' Institute will be held in Haileybury on October 15th and 16th this year, when the teachers of the district will assemble to discuss problems in connection with their work and to compare notes on the past year. The sessions

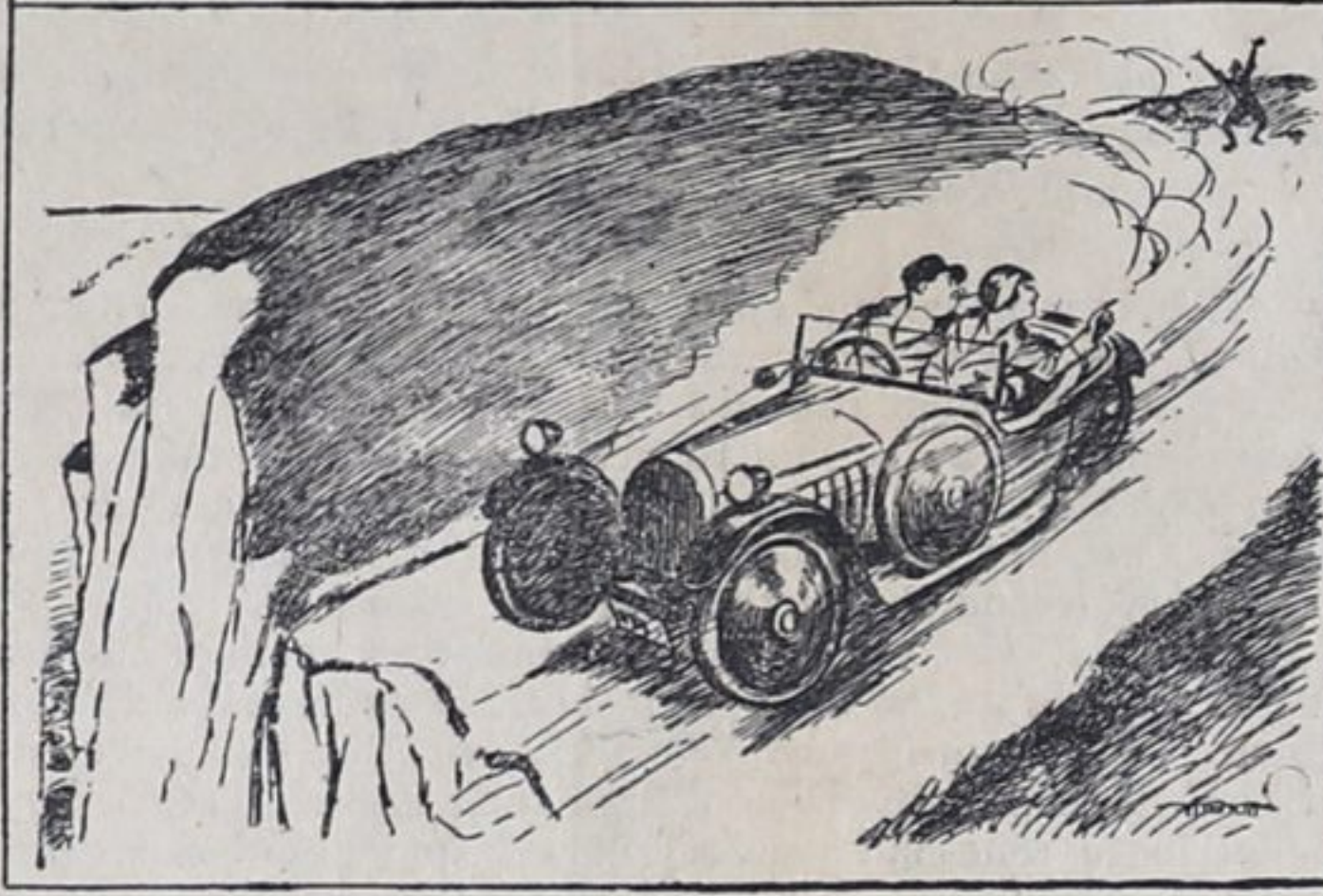
will be held in the Haileybury High School.

The opening session will be held on Thursday, the 15th, at 9.30 a.m., with devotional exercises by Rev. U.J. Roulier, parish priest of Haileybury, and addresses of welcome by Mayor Hamilton, Mr. A. W. Sanderson, chairman of the public school board, and Mr. A. G. Gagnon, chairman of the separate school board.

Next will come the address of the president, Mr. J. H. McFar-

lane, principal of the Haileybury Public School, after which the regular business will commence.

A long and varied program will continue throughout the two days. A bridge and dance in the Masonic Temple will be held on the Thursday night.



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