

News Notes of the North

Paragraphs Pertaining to Happenings of Interest During the Past Week

CAUGHT UNAWARES

Without any form of official opening, and the event known before hand to very few people, Kapuskasing's fine new post office was opened at 8 a.m. Monday morning, Feb. 26th.

Postmaster A. Husband was only apprised on Wednesday that the change over would be made on the Monday.

Caught unawares, box holders were lined up in front of a wicket all day Monday paying box rents and key deposits, which had to be attended to before they could get their week-end mail. This was no fault of the local staff. Lists had been prepared beforehand of the box numbers that would be assigned to holders of old boxes; in most cases a change of numbers was necessary. — Kapuskasing Tribune.

SHORT OF OBJECTIVE

Officials of the War Services campaign in Timins expect to have the final financial returns checked sometime this week and the report on the results of the campaign ready, according to Robert Buell, assistant campaign manager.

Although the objective of the Timmins campaign executive was set at \$7,500 the actual results will be far below that figure. It is estimated that they will probably be in the neighbourhood of \$3,000.—Porcupine Advance

SET FIRE TO HOUSE

Pleading guilty to a charge of arson, Patrice Morissette was sentenced to six months hard labour by Magistrate Atkinson in police court on Tuesday afternoon. Morissette admitted that on February 14, in Mountjoy Township, he set fire to his own home located on the north part of Lot 5 Concession 5.

Crown Attorney Caldbick said that Morissette bought the lot in Mountjoy upon which there was a residence and some other buildings, some time ago. He went out to the place on February 14 to do some work, and while he was there, sprinkled coal oil around the floors of the house and set it on fire.

The house was insured for \$2000 and its contents for \$500 said Mr. Caldbick.—Timmins Daily Press

CADETS ON PARADE

About 125 cadets of the High and Vocational School turned out for a parade in the gymnasium of the school Wednesday night to which parents were invited to attend. The gallery was filled by the parents who were impressed with the fine display put on by the cadets who have been training only since the fall term opened.

They were smart in their appearance, with their white trousers, blue tunics and air-force style caps. And they were smart in their drill although they had difficulty in their battalion drill due to the large number of cadets on the gymnasium floor. Altogether there are 165 cadets enrolled.—Kirkland Lake Northern News.

WALKS AFTER FATAL INJURY

Although he fractured his skull in fall, Adelard Mercure, Dufresnoy township settler walked around for four hours afterwards without feeling more than a slight headache. Then he became ill, was brought to the hospital and died a little more than two hours after admission. The accident occurred on Friday.

No one saw him fall but from what he told friends, he slipped from his sleigh to the icy road, striking his head. He did not lose consciousness. A coroner's jury at Dufresnoy on Monday night returned a verdict of accidental death. Dr. A. Bertrand, Macamic conducted the inquiry.—Rouyn-Noranda Press.

HE CAUGHT A PLACE

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stephenson returned home on Sunday last from a visit with their grandchildren at Barrie. While Mrs. Stephenson spent her time at Barrie, A. E. went on to Toronto to "see" the curling bonspiel.

Just about eleven minutes after he arrived he was urgently invited to skip a rink in the "spiel," a vacancy having occurred owing to a last minute withdrawal. No second invitation was required and the Liskeard curler found himself skipping a rink composed of Bob Mews, of Wauwatosa, Wis., U.S.A. (suburb of Milwaukee), James Dempster, of the Torontos, and Sam Armstrong of Stouffville. A defeat met the quartette on their first appearance but from then on they won five games and lost two, getting third prize in the Seagram Trophy.—Temiskaming Speaker.

WOLF HITS FIFTY

Up in Algoma somebody clocked a wolf at 45 miles per hour on open ground recently and thought they had something, but according to hunters and trappers of this district, Nipissing's rangy "bush dogs" can roll along at 45 miles per in a canter and hit better than 50 when they really got going.

John Turcotte, who has spent a life-time in the bush, knows for a fact that wolves can do bet-

ter than 50 miles per hour. "Not long ago," he told The Nugget, "I was driving north on the highway with my two sons Paul and Clifford, when we had a chance to see how fast a wolf really could go.

"We were near Tilden Lake, going about 45 miles per hour when we saw a wolf on the road a few feet ahead. We started right up after it, but that fellow picked up speed faster than the car could. He was going better than 50 m.p.h. in no time and he gained on us so fast that he soon had time to head off the road into the bush.—North Bay Nugget.

PRODUCTION INCREASES

New Golden Rose Mines at Emerald Lake, Sudbury mining division, yesterday reported January production at \$42,098 from milling 3,261 tons of ore for an average recovery of \$12.91 per ton, compared with December production of \$36,961 from 3,021 tons for an average of \$12.23 per ton.

BUILD HIGHWAY CAMPS

Work has already begun at some scenic points along the Trans-Canada west and Ferguson highways to prepare for establishment of roadside tourist parks that will provide motorists with camping and picnic grounds of outstanding natural beauty, according to C. Tackaberry, district engineer of the Ontario Department of Highways at North Bay. Crews of workmen are now en-

gaged at cutting out underbrush and "roughing out" the new campsites. As warm weather approaches the work will be intensified in order to have as many sites as possible available when tourist traffic commences.

DIG UP MORE EVIDENCE

An important link in the chain of evidence uncovering a counterfeit ring in Northern Ontario and Quebec mining towns was forged Tuesday when local Ontario Provincial Police working with Quebec Provincial Police dug up three engraved plates made for the printing of Bank of Canada bills.

The find was made near the highway on the road between here and King Kirkland. Acting on information gathered by Quebec police officers made a two-day search of an area near the highway where it was believed three plates had been cached. Late Tuesday afternoon their search was rewarded with success.

The plates were found in a hole six feet under a huge rock. They had been placed in a cardboard box and buried in the hole under this easily identifiable landmark. However the officers had some difficulty in locating the rock.—Kirkland Lake Northern News.

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DOMINO TEA lb. 55c

Allen's 20-oz. tin **APPLE JUICE 10c** **SPAGHETTI, 4 lbs. 25c**

Richmello **COFFEE, lb. 39c** Fresh **Salted Peanuts, 2 lbs. 25c**

4 pkgs. Quaker **CORN FLAKES 29c**

OXYDOL, large pkg. 25c **CHIPSO, large pkg. 21c**

P. & G. SOAP, 5 bars 23c **Camay SOAP, 3 bars 17c**

Domino, 25 oz. Jar **PEANUT BUTTER 23c**

CHIPSO, small pkg. 10c **OXYDOL, small pkg. 10c**

Amber Honey, 4-lb. tin. 39c Lushus **Jelly Powders, 2 pkg. 15c**

PURE LARD lb. 3 lb. 25c

Cut **WAX BEANS, 2 tins 23c** McLaren's 18-oz. jar **STUFFED OLIVES 29c**

Aylmer 26-oz. tins **TOMATOES, 2 tins 25c** Canadian Maid **MILK, 3 tins 25c**

Monarch Pastry **FLOUR 24 lb. bag 69c**

Domino TEA, 1/2-lb. pkg. 29c **Blue Rose RICE, 3 lbs. 25c**

Aylmer 15-oz. tin **Fruits for Salad 25c** **Sheriff's Orange Marmalade 29c**

French Style **PEA SOUP 28 oz. tin 10c**

SPINACH, 2 lbs. 19c **Texas BEETS, 2 bunch. 17c**

California Carrots, 2 bu. 17c **Sunkist LEMONS, doz. 29c**

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MEAT

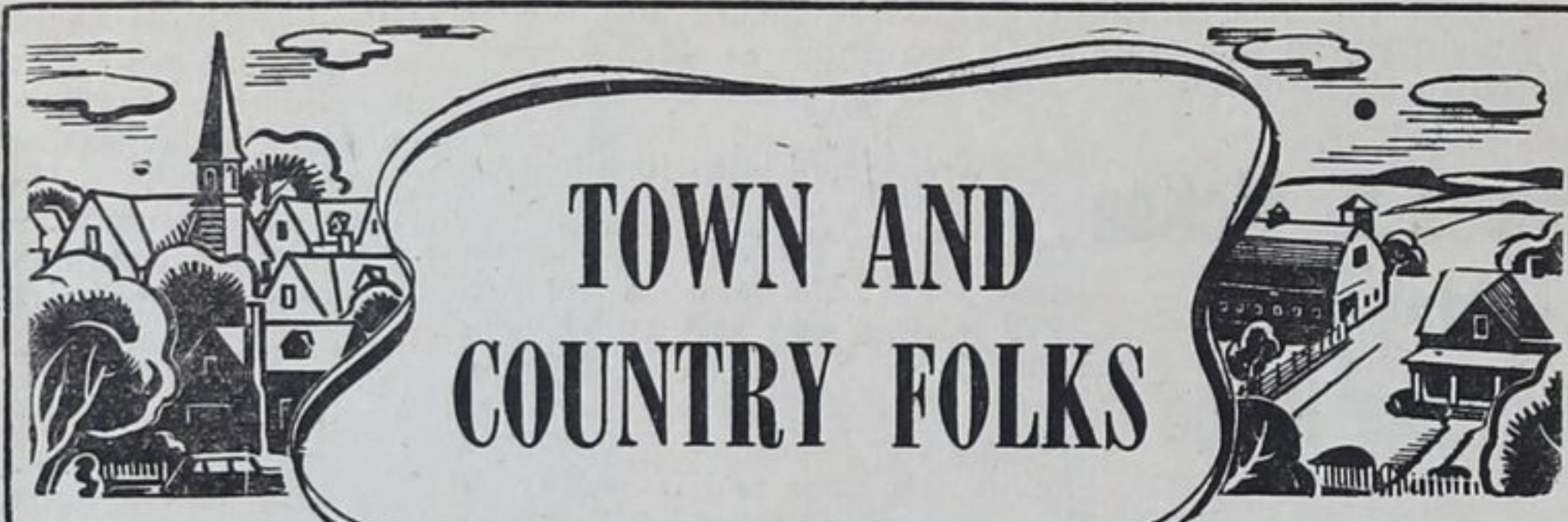
Fresh **PORK SHOULDERS lb. 18c**

Lean **BEEF BRISKET, lb. 12c** Choice 3-3 1/2 average **FOWL, each 69c**

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