

Want Ads

FOR SALE — Heavy duty combination range, \$85.; Sunbeam mixer-master, \$17.; Duo-Therm space heater, \$50. Phone 3187, North Cobalt. 21p

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE or RENT — One house for rent or sale in Haileybury. Good location. OS 2-3667. 21

FOR SALE — Two-bedroom house on Blackwell Street in Haileybury. Phone OS 2-3445. 21

FOR SALE — Lot near the Beach Garden, with sandy beach. Phone 4515, Cobalt. 12tf

FOR SALE — Four bedroom brick home in good condition. Phone OS 2-3058, Haileybury. 47tf

FOR SALE — Beautiful modern four bedroom house on 445 Marsella, Haileybury. Full basement. OS 2-5248. 21

USED CARS

FOR SALE — 1952 Pontiac 4 door sedan, good running condition, privately owned. Not driven for over a year. OS 2-3652, Haileybury. 20

TO RENT

TO RENT — In Haileybury, four room heated apartment. 4515 Cobalt. 19tf

TO RENT — Heated apartment, two bedrooms. Available August 1. Phone OS 2-5288. 11

TO RENT — In Haileybury, three room apartment with bath, centrally located. Not suitable for children. Phone G. Herbert, OS 2-3194. 19tf

TO RENT — Bachelor apartment, 3 piece bath other accommodations. Available now. Phone OS 2-3128. 11

TO RENT — One upstairs apartment, private entrance, partly furnished. Available July 1st, 1961. Phone OS 2-3128 after 6 p.m. or see Mrs. Y. Proulx. 11

TO RENT — Heated apartment in downtown Haileybury, equipped with electric stove and refrigerator. Phone OS 2-3080, or OS 2-3631. 12tf

FOR RENT — Lovely new large modern home on Lake Shore Road, Haileybury. \$150.00 a month. Apply Nixon, Begg and Hutchinson, Real Estate Agents, MI 7-4341, New Liskeard. 20

HELP WANTED - FEMALE

WANTED — Cleaning lady for hotel work on an hourly wage rate, required for about a month. Apply Hotel Haileybury, Telephone OS 2-3401, Haileybury. 21

Lieut-Governor Mackay Unveils Historic Plaque

On Wednesday, July 26, 1961, a plaque marking the point where the 49th parallel of latitude crosses Highway 11 about four miles south of Cochrane was unveiled by the Honourable John Keiller Mackay, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario. This plaque is one of a series being erected throughout the province by the Department of Travel and Publicity, acting on the advice of the Archaeological and Historic Sites Board of Ontario.

Wednesday's ceremony, which commenced at 4:00 p.m., was sponsored by the Porcupine Chamber of Commerce and the Cochrane Board of Trade. The programme chairman was Dr. James B. McClinton, President of the Northern Ontario Associated Chambers of Commerce. Prof. T. F. McIlwraith of the University of Toronto represented the Archaeological and Historic Sites Board. Among those who took part in the programme were: His Worship Mayor M. A. Palangio of Cochrane; Mr. Rene Brunelle, MPP (Cochrane North); Mr. W. E. Brewer, President of the Porcupine Chamber of Commerce; and Mr. James Shirley, President of the Cochrane Board of Trade.

The history of the settlement of Canada's boundary with the United States is an interesting one. With the signing of the Treaty of Paris in 1763, British rule was formally established over what had been New France. Eight months later, the province of Quebec was created by royal proclamation.

The new province comprised only a small part of the original

French colony, but it was greatly enlarged by the Quebec Act of 1774. Under the terms of that act, Quebec included Labrador, present-day Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and part of Minnesota — an arrangement soon to be disrupted by the War of Independence.

That war ended in 1783 with the Treaty of Paris, among whose terms were provisions establishing the northern boundary of the United States. This boundary was fairly close to that of today, at least as far west as Lake of the Woods. It was to run "from the northwesternmost point of that lake due west to the Mississippi". However, the map used during negotiations had been drawn 27 years earlier, and it was discovered later that a line drawn "due west" would not touch the Mississippi. It was, therefore, agreed in 1818 that the boundary should be drawn from the Lake of the Woods along the 49th parallel of latitude to the Rocky Mountains.

The War of 1812 had meanwhile intervened, but the Treaty of Ghent (1814) which ended it, left the boundary generally as established in 1783 and provided for a series of commissions to define it more accurately. In 1818, as stated, the 49th parallel became the boundary from the Lake of the Woods to the Rockies, and a further agreement that year decreed the territory west of that point open to settlement by citizens of both countries. It had been proposed at the time that the 49th parallel should mark the boundary all the way to protests were lodged by the Hudson's Bay Company, then in possession.

A convention was concluded in 1827, whereby both countries should remain indefinitely in joint ownership of the disputed territory, subject to termination of the agreement by either on one year's notice. The influx of large numbers of American settlers led in 1844 to the passing of a resolution by the Democratic convention, claiming the whole Pacific slope as far north as 54 degrees, 40 minutes — hence their slogan, "Fifty-four Forty or Fight!"

Fortunately the latter alternative was not resorted to, and the Oregon Treaty of 1846 established the boundary at the 49th parallel as far as the Strait of Juan de Fuca. There it swung south and west leaving Vancouver Island in British territory. A minor dispute regarding ownership of certain islands in the Strait was settled in 1872, in favour of the United States — the arbitrator being Kaiser Wilhelm I of Germany.

WANTED

WANTED — \$1,000.00 down and the rest in monthly payments on a three bedroom house in south end of Haileybury, one bedroom and bath room on main floor required. Telephone OS 2-3401. 21,22

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

AVON CALLING

Ladies, have you had an Avon representative call on you recently? If not, perhaps your neighbourhood is without one. Why don't you become an Avon Representative and earn a good income close to home? Write immediately to Mrs. Hurley, 326 Timmins St., North Bay, or phone GR 4-5494. 20,21,22,23

CARD OF THANKS

HUFF—In the midst of our sorrow we wish to express heartfelt thanks and appreciation to our many relatives, friends and neighbours for their beautiful floral tributes and sympathy shown to us in the loss of a loving husband and father, Stanford Ashton Huff. We especially wish to thank the Rev. Nixon for his consoling words, Dr. Arnold, the pall-bearers and the Buffam Funeral Home for their kind, efficient management of the service. —Mrs. Gladys Huff and family. 21p

Cobalt Fire

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and Mrs. Mary Cook lived in the second.

All were absent from their homes. Mrs. Cook lost everything she owned. Mr. Primeau's apartment escaped the fire, but was completely soaked by water.

Mrs. Desjardins said that she has some insurance, but doubted if it would cover the loss. Total loss has been estimated at around \$10,000.

Need Increased

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will resume in Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart in September. Also slated for resumption in September is the T.B. testing at schools.

The secretary, Mrs. Jean O'Reilly reported that there will be a T.B. check at Northdale Manor in September and that Jail inmates have been checked regularly and that a training school for rehabilitation offices has been established in Toronto.

July is the Time To Transplant Iris

Are your iris plants crowded? July is the time to take stock of the situation.

When clumps of iris become large there is too much competition for food and water. The best answer is to divide them and reduce the size of the clumps every few years. Professor J. C. Taylor, horticulturist at the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph, suggests these methods.

Dig out a whole clump of rhizomes. (Rhizomes are the thick underground stems that store food for the leaves.)

Cut the rhizomes apart with a sharp knife. Each division must have at least one fan of leaves to serve as a growing point, a portion of healthy rhizome, and a number of well-developed roots. When separated from the original iris clump, each division is ready to be re-planted.

Transplant the iris in a different part of the garden. The new environment will help it to thrive. Plant the rhizomes about two feet apart. Point each fan of leaves away from other plants in the group. Iris grown from rhizome transplants may bloom next spring.

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