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**WEDNESDAY HALF HOLIDAY FOR STORES AND BARBERS**

All Barber Shops and All But One Merchant Sign Petition.

Last week a petition was taken round to secure the closing of the stores and barber shops in Timmins during May, June, July, August and September. Before the Town Council will pass the necessary by-law such a petition is required. Every merchant in town with one exception—Mr. Nick Blahay, signed the petition. All the barber shops also signed. The petition was taken around by Mr. Morris Daher, who handed in the signed list to the Town Clerk on Monday morning. Following this petition the Town Council passes the necessary by-law whereby all the stores and barber shops in Timmins will close every Wednesday afternoon at 1 p.m., during the months of May, June, July, August and September. Some weeks ago the Hollinger Stores announced just such a Wednesday afternoon early closing, "on its own," as it were. It is pleasing to see the other stores joining in this movement. As soon as the public know of the early closing it will prove of no inconvenience to the people in general who can easily adopt buying hours to meet those of the stores. As for the business men and their employees, the half-holiday will undoubtedly be of the greatest advantage. It allows all to partake in the Wednesday afternoon sports here and in addition it gives opportunity to the business people for needed rest and recreation during the summer months.

The following are the merchants signing the petition for the Wednesday half-holiday during May, June, July, August and September:—  
Chas. Pierce & Sons Ltd., Daher & Son, The Geo. Taylor Hardware Ltd., Ostrosser & Co., Stock Bros., Simms & Hooker, Sullivan & Newton, A. Shaheen, Evelyn Gagne, R. F. Argles, H. Horwitz, A. Brazeau, L. E. Dorway, E. Copps, J. Ellis, M. M. Daigneault, S. Bucovetsky & Co., H. Grood, R. Thomas, R. D. Robertson, A. T. Pommier, E. M. Allworth, L. Halperin, L. N. Campeau, H. Ledue, H. Kideckle, Hollinger Stores Ltd., Bowie & Berini, J. B. Rozon, T. & N. O. Ry., A. Gagne, Bernstein & Lewis, F. Byck, W. Ellis, Martin & Shaffer, D. Laprairie, J. A. Howse, Marshall-Ecclestone Ltd, Gamble Robinson Ltd, W. R. Lowery, John Watt, Canadian Express Co., C. Martino & Co., L. V. Alken.

The following were the Barber Shops signing:—  
Carson & Fraser, T. P. Bennet & Jolieour, Bruno Carnovale, J. B. Thiboutat, T. Liradora, T. F. King, Jos. Rochon, H. Legault R. Rabeaur.

**PULPWOOD MILL FOR TP. OF BUCKE, NEAR HAILEYBURY**

The ratepayers of the Township of Bucke are to vote on May 16th on a by-law to give a fixed assessment over a term of years to a new pulpwood mill to be erected between Haileybury and Liskeard. If the by-law carries, and there is every indication that it will, there will be a 40-ton mill erected for ground wood pulp making, the plant to be ready for operation by April of 1923 at the latest.

**MEAL TICKETS COMING DOWN IN PRICE IN SUDBURY**

Sudbury restaurants announce their intention to reduce the price of meal tickets from \$8.50 to \$8.00 for 21 meals, while ordinary single meals will also be reduced from 50c. to 40c. The price of short orders is further looked for reductions generally. There is reason for believing that this reduction in prices is due more to present general conditions in Sudbury rather than to any noticeable reductions in the costs of food stuffs, etc., used by the Sudbury restaurants. Sudbury has by no means as much money and prosperity as it had some months ago. Recently there have been very serious shut-downs or partial shut-downs of Sudbury industries with many leaving Sudbury for outside points. Sudbury is still a bright, lively, go-ahead town, but, perhaps, not quite so prosperous for the moment as it has been. No doubt it will "come back" stronger than ever, but in the meantime the restaurants feel it good business to help out a little.

Timmins restaurants have considered the question of reduction of prices, but are waiting until their costs go down enough to warrant this. During the past three years or so restaurants here have found it difficult to make a profit in view of the high costs. They hesitated a long time before putting up prices and so naturally have to be careful about being in any hurry to reduce them.

Haileybury wharf was badly damaged last week by the shifting of an ice jam.

**SETTLERS AND LAWS RE GUNS AND OTHER THINGS**

It is a funny world, and the further south you go the simpler the people seem to be in their funniness. Consequently the following from The Toronto Star is doubly worth publishing. In the first place The Star is quite right in making protest again the idiosyncy of the law regarding guns and bears, as evidenced by the incident quoted. And in the second place, the item from The Star suggests just where The Star's style of logic lands people. "No doubt we need to license hunters, and no doubt we need to disarm crazy men and criminals, but cannot these things be done without interfering with the pioneer settler?" asks The Star. The Toronto Star has been a foremost advocate among the fanatics who say "No!" Because some men abuse or ill use guns, The Star would not have decent law-abiding people who have a proper use for guns interfered with. But The Star has educated its readers to a different logic. According to The Star, on the "temperance" question for instance, if guns ever cause any trouble then all guns should be done away with. The ordinary, average everyday decent man is not to be considered. The Star's logic considers everything only from the convenience of the "weak brother." Likely some reader of The Star who has imbibed its holy-willy logic will solemnly dispose of the grievance of the Powassan man by smugly quoting scripture as saying, "If bear make my brother to offend I will eat no bear while the world stand."

However, The Star for once is on a sound basis of logic,—sound for bear, if not for booze. This is the item from The Star:—

"John Nesbitt, a settler near Powassan, seeing an old bear and three yearling cubs enter the field where his sheep were, took his gun and shot the animals. He sold the bear meat in Powassan, it was shipped to North Bay, where a game warden saw it, with the result that Nesbitt was fined \$25.00 for shooting the bear without a license. He couldn't pay the fine, but was saved from jail by a local merchant who put up the money."

"Perhaps this settler is not through yet. If he had not taken out a permit to have a rifle on his premises, another official may come along and cause him to be fined anywhere up to \$100.00."

"The deliberate opinion of one of Dickens' characters was that 'The law is a h'ass.' It is an opinion that settlers in many of the new parts of Ontario are coming to. They talk about it a good deal. The settler who has seen bear in his sheepfold hasn't time to go to Powassan for a hunting license and to North Bay or Toronto for a permit to possess a rifle. He slays those bear, he sells the pelts, and he either eats the meat or sells it. And in the name of common sense, why shouldn't he?"

"No doubt we need to license hunters, and no doubt we need to disarm crazy men and criminals, but cannot these things be done without interfering with the pioneer settler who protects his home, his sheep-fold and his hog-pen against wild animals with the only weapon that will serve the purpose."

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The Bankruptcy Act.  
In the Estate of Mrs. Annie Assad, General Merchant, Schumacher, Ontario Authorized Assignor.

Notice is hereby given that Annie Assad of Schumacher, Ontario, did on the Twenty ninth day of March, 1921, make an authorized assignment to the undersigned.

Notice is further given that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at the Offices of the Authorized Trustee, 109 Clyde Block, Hamilton, Ontario, on the Eighteenth day of April, 1921, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

To entitle you to vote thereat proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held.

Proxies to be used at the meeting must be lodged with me prior thereto. And further take notice that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me within thirty days from the date of this notice for from and after the expiration of the time fixed by subsection 8 of section 37 of the said Act I shall distribute the proceeds of the debtor's estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I have then notice.

Dated at Hamilton, Ontario, this Twelfth day of April 1921.  
**MARK McLEOD TEW,**  
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