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COURT OF REVISION TO BE HELD, TUESDAY, JULY 6

Water for Moneta, Watering Streets, Motor Traffic, and Many Other Questions before Town Council.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Monday afternoon, with the Mayor in the chair and Councillors Sullivan, Longmore, Newton, King and Morin present.

On motion of Councillors E. L. Longmore and J. E. Sullivan, the Public School and Separate School Boards were asked to put in their requisitions for the year at as early a date as possible.

Councillor J. E. Sullivan brought up the matter of watering the streets. "The dust nuisance is desperate at times all right," said the Mayor. Councillor King thought it cost too much to oil the streets, and that if the watering were done in the mornings and lots of water applied, the dust nuisance would be reduced to a minimum. After some discussion as to the cost of oil the question was dropped, it being understood that the Town Engineer would see to the watering of the main streets each morning.

The Mayor referred to the necessity for securing more ground near the incinerator for the dumping of the material from the incinerator. The present ground was already well piled up. Councillor Kimberley, of Tisdale, agreed with the Mayor's idea and said he had been in communication with representatives of the owners of the property and thought more land could be purchased at a reasonable price now. The land in question was not valuable, being of a "frog pond" type. The Council left the question until Mr. Kimberley hears from the owners as to price, etc.

The use of the dump and incinerator was also discussed, and the Council thought the municipal property should be fenced, regular hours set for the use of the incinerator and the place kept locked other times.

Councillor Kimberley referred to the proposed terms for the summer water service for Moneta. He thought the suggested rates—\$1.50 per month for each house on the main street of Moneta, and \$1.00 per month for each on the back streets,—rather burdensome and difficult. Most of the houses were supplied with water for domestic purposes, and the proposed rate would figure out \$9 or \$10 per barrel for the water that would be used. The water was needed chiefly for fire protection purposes, and he suggested as a fairer and more practical plan that the township instal a meter and the town set a rate by meter for the water supplied. The Town Engineer pointed out that the Town had to keep up steam whether there was a fire or not and so the overhead expense of the service always had to be considered. Mr. Gordon H. Gauthier, for the Township, said that the water was needed primarily for fire protection. In this, the protection was of service to Timmins as well as to Moneta. The Town was under no extra cost in giving the service and so could deal more leniently in the matter. He suggested the use of a meter, Moneta to pay at a fair rate for the water used. After several of the Town Councillors had referred to the fact that the overhead cost to Timmins must always be considered and that Moneta should pay at least as much as charged in Timmins for the same sort of service it was thought that a fair adjustment could be made by a conference of the Waterworks Committee, the Town Engineer and the Tisdale representatives. Such a conference took place on Tuesday when it was agreed, apparently to the satisfaction of all concerned that Tisdale should pay \$200.00 per month for the water for fire protection and \$10.00 per month for the water for the school.

A request for a grant to the Muskoka Hospital for Consumptives was left over until the Finance Committee could figure as to what could be given for this purpose. The Council generally were agreed that the cause was a good one and the need specially pressing on account of the recent destruction of the hospital at Muskoka. The Mayor referred to the suggestion of the Timmins L.O.D.E. that the Town and the Daughters of the Empire together might endow a cot at a cost of about \$1000. Councillor Longmore thought it better to make a straight donation and deal with the question year by year. The question of endowing a cot involved too much expenditure for the Town at the present time.

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CONTRACT FOR CUTTING ROAD TO CONNAUGHT

Ralph Dipaolo Gets Work. About 100 Other Tenders.

It is understood that the contract for cutting the right-of-way between Porcupine and Connaught on the proposed highway between Timmins and Porcupine Junction has been awarded to Mr. Ralph Dipaolo. There were over 100 tenders for the work, which was advertised to be done in sections. Mr. Dipaolo was the successful tenderer for the whole right-of-way cutting from Porcupine (Golden City) to Connaught.

It is understood that the work will be proceeded with at once and rushed to completion. It is indeed expected that the right-of-way between Porcupine and Connaught will be done this year. The road between Porcupine and Connaught will mean a great deal to the district. Added to the roads already in existence it means that about 23 out of the 33 miles between Timmins and Porcupine Junction will be linked up. The roads between Connaught and Porcupine Junction will also be linked up, and a roadway direct from Timmins to the Junction is thus in sight. The distance from Golden City to Connaught is about 14 or 15 miles.

It is not known yet regarding the strip of road in the Night Hawk Lake district. The highway generally is to follow the route to the survey made by Mr. C. V. Gallagher. But it has been proposed recently that this survey be slightly changed in regard to the Night Hawk Lake district. The idea is simply to have this strip of the road on the other side of the T. & N. O. track so as to accommodate a promising mining section and also give access to what will undoubtedly prove a very popular summer resort section. The change would leave as many settlers as well accommodated while at the same time the additional advantages mentioned would be no increase in the cost of construction. The Government has had the matter placed before it, but so far there is no indication of the Government adopting the suggestion.

For Timmins and indeed the whole district the road between here and the Junction is of the greatest importance.

MINE MANAGER'S ASSOC. VISITS PORCUPINE CAMP

Last week a party of the members of the Temiskaming Mine Manager's Association, of Cobalt and district, visited Timmins and the Porcupine Camp, spending the week-end visiting the mines and other points of interest. Most of the leading mines of Cobalt and district were represented in the party. On Sunday the party went up the river on the Steamer Minga, enjoying a very pleasant sail and outing.

CALEDONIANS HOLDING ANOTHER SAIL ON MINGA

At the last regular meeting of the Caledonian Society of Timmins held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Friday evening last it was decided to hold another evening cruise on the Steamer Minga, the date chosen for this second cruise being Friday of this week, June 17th. All members of the Society desiring to enjoy this cruise may secure tickets at Mr. J. K. Moore's store. Provision is being made this time for the conveyance of all from the town to the dock and return by motor car. The previous cruise by the members of the Society on Thursday of last week was so popular and so much enjoyed that this second cruise was very enthusiastically endorsed and further cruises may also be carried through.

At the meeting on Friday evening Mr. J. K. Moore was voted to the chair, both the President and Vice-President being absent. There was much business of importance before the meeting, including preparations for a further syllabus of meetings for the coming six months. The paper, "Scottish Wit and Humor," on the syllabus to be given by Mrs. Haugland was not ready, but Mrs. Haugland will give it at a later meeting. An impromptu programme and an impromptu dance concluded the pleasant evening. The next regular meeting of the Society will be held on Friday evening of next week, June 24th, the programme being in the nature of a musical evening in charge of Mrs. J. K. Moore who is preparing a programme of special interest and merit for the occasion.

FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT GREATEST YET THIS YEAR

Unusually Fine Programme Being Prepared. Noteworthy Prizes, For Temiskaming Firemen's Day, July 1st.

The arrangements for the annual tournament of the Temiskaming Volunteer Firemen are now well under way and a very attractive programme is promised for this event this year at Timmins on Dominion Day, July 1st. The posters describe the day as a "Big Day of Real Sports," and the details of the programme emphasize this fact. There will be the usual events for firemen, including hose wagon races, reel races, running races, etc. In these several brigades of the North Land will compete. In cases where there are the required number of entries Timmins brigade, being the home team, will not compete for the prizes. The prizes are specially attractive this year, and will be on display in town before the big day.

In addition to the events for the Firemen there will be all sorts of general sports and athletics, including Baseball, Football, Races, etc., etc. A pony race will also be a feature of the day's events, a number of boys here having ponies to compete.

The day will start at 9.50, when there will be a grand parade, headed by the Timmins Citizens' Band. The Band will furnish music all day. Prizes are to be given for the best decorated autos and floats. Programmes showing all the items on the big programme for the day will be issued later.

GAME BETWEEN IROQUOIS FALLS AND TIMMINS A DRAW

The football game here on Friday last between Iroquois Falls and Timmins in the N.O.F.A. schedule for the King Cup resulted in a draw, according to the official score. The game was an interesting one and keenly contested. The high wind interfered with the play to a great extent, placing the ball being a more than difficult matter. There was a large crowd out to see the game, the gate being one of the largest taken in here for a local game. Timmins should have beaten the Falls in the first half, having the edge on the play, but the second half was largely the Falls. In the first half Fearn in goal had lots of work to do and made some pretty saves, though the Timmins forwards had some hard luck in their shooting. W. F. B. Cadman made the first score to be counted for Timmins from a centre off Gerow, the play being a particularly clever piece of football. W. A. Field gained the other goal for Timmins just seven minutes before time. "Duke" McCurry earlier in the game had made a goal in clever style, but this was disallowed by the referee on the claim of offside. The crowd hardly applauded the referee's decision, but the game went on. For Timmins, Street in goal won popular favour by his very clever work. He made innumerable good saves, and all through showed he has the right eye, the right head and the right experience of the goal-tender's art. The old-timers, "Fergie" and Field played their usual hard, steady, effective game, and Capt. Roberts, though still suffering from an injury to his leg at a recent game was right on the job and did good work. Alex. Cadman was a tower of strength in defence, and Robertson, McCurry, Cooper, Hawkey, Vendore and Rewer all played their positions effectively and well.

For Iroquois Falls the stars seemed to be Henderson, Bell, Miner and Dunne, each of whom played a whale of a game. One of the two goals scored by the Falls was from a penalty kick, Miner scoring. The Iroquois Falls team played a fine brand of football. Timmins, however, had the edge on the play in the first half, and also in the last ten minutes of the second half. The following were the teams:—

Iroquois Falls—Fearn, goal; Brunell and Henderson, backs; Bergeron, Hansen and Bewhey, half-backs; Dunne, McCluskey, Bishop, Miner and Bell, forwards.
Timmins—Street, goal; Alex. Cadman and R. Roberts, backs; Vendore, Hawkey and Robertson, half-backs; Field, McCurry, W. F. B. Cadman, Cooper and Gerow, forwards.
Referee—R. Sherrett, of the Dome.
Linesmen—T. Hogg and J. Cowan.

Mrs. Max Smith and Mrs. W. H. Wilson are the representatives from South End to the Grand Lodge meeting of the Rebekahs at Brantford this week.

MINES LEAGUE BASEBALL SCHEDULE STARTS ON 19

All Away Now For a Busy Season of Good Local Sport.

The schedule of games for the Porcupine Mines Baseball League has been drawn up and approved. It is as follows:—

June 19th—Dome at Hollinger.
June 26th—Timmins at McIntyre.
July 3—Hollinger at Timmins.
July 10—McIntyre at Dome.
July 17—Hollinger at McIntyre.
July 24—Dome at Timmins.
July 31—Hollinger at Dome.
Aug. 7—McIntyre at Timmins.
Aug. 14—Timmins at Hollinger.
Aug. 21—Dome at McIntyre.
Aug. 28—McIntyre at Hollinger.
Sept. 4—Timmins at Dome.
Play Ball!

Baseball boys should get busy. Nothing can be done without practice. Players can not be even known, let alone chosen for a team, until they get out to practice. The schedules are now arranged. It is now up to the baseball players to get busy and get things going in the game if they want a good season's sport. Batter up! Play ball!

DEPARTMENTAL EXAMS IN PROGRESS HERE THIS WEEK

The Lower School examinations for Entrance to Normal School are in progress this week. There are nine pupils writing on these examinations at the Timmins Public School centre. P. S. Inspector Walkom is presiding at these examinations here.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL GAME FRIDAY EVENING AT 6.30

Timmins and Dome Juniors play a football match here on Friday evening of this week in the N.O.F.A. Junior League schedule. The kick-off will be at 6.30 p.m. A first-class game is expected, the boys on both teams promising to put up a lively contest. The Dome is said to have a classy Junior team, while the Timmins boys, under the experienced training of Mr. W. A. Field (often known as the Football Field) may be safely counted upon to play a first-class game. The admission fee is the nominal one of ten cents, so there should be a specially large crowd to cheer the boys along.

ONE SHOW A NIGHT AT THE NEW EMPIRE THEATRE NOW

Starting on Monday of this week the New Empire has gone back to its former plan of having one show each evening. On account of the large patronage, so large indeed that it was impossible fully to accommodate the crowds, the New Empire some weeks ago inaugurated two shows each night for the benefit of the theatre-going public. The opening of the Old Empire Theatre, however, has assisted so much in accommodating the public that it is found now quite practical to return for the present at least to the old plan of one show a night.

TOWN NOSES OUT VICTORY OVER HOLLINGER IN GOLF

In a very closely contested game, on Saturday afternoon, in the Golf schedule, a team representing the Town defeated a team from The Hollinger 5 to 4. The feature of the match was the victory of John Fogg over Dick Lillie, who up to this time had been invincible. John, who was making somewhere around his 500th round of the course this season turned in a very fine performance, and will be very hard to beat from now on. The remainder of the games were very close and good scores were made in spite of a strong wind and blinding dust.

Next Saturday the first Monthly Medal Handicap will be played. The match will start at 2 o'clock sharp. Any player, who for business reasons cannot get out on Saturday, will be allowed to turn in his Wednesday afternoon score.

Town	Hollinger	
Fogg, J. W.	1 Lillie, R.	0
Garner, H.	1 Mackie, D.	0
Callum, J.	1 Adams, Geo.	0
Wray, J. W.	1 Wylie, W. H.	0
Sullivan, J. E.	1 Robbins, R.	0
Bell, J. W. N.	0 Bacon, J.	1
Heppleston, J.	0 Loughrin, D.	1
Ostrosser, D.	0 Bowery, J. M.	1
Kenning, F.	0 Emery, V. H.	1
Drew, Geo.	Tie Williams C. G.	Tie
Eccleston, W.	Tie McRae, F. M.	Tie

RICH SAMPLES ASBESTOS FROM DELORO TOWNSHIP

Ore from Claims 4 miles from South End. Show Long-fibre Asbestos, Running About 50%.

Samples of asbestos taken out recently from the claims owned by Messrs. Geo. Drew and Digby Grimston in Deloro Township run about 50 per cent. asbestos and are considered about as rich as have been uncovered in the Porcupine. A number of samples were brought to town some days ago and some of these have been on display in the window of the office of Messrs. Drew and Hooker where they have attracted much attention. Some of these samples are from veins uncovered in previous work and some from new veins just discovered. The extent and the quality of the asbestos showings on the Drew and Grimston claims have attracted much notice from mining men, and this week the representatives of Montreal interests went in to Deloro to examine the property and report, with a view to taking an option. The two claims owned by Messrs. Drew and Grimston are about four miles from South Porcupine in Deloro Township. They are adjacent to the old Slade property, now owned by Messrs. Campbell and Ray. Development work on the Slade property showed it to be a very promising asbestos property, and the Drew-Grimston property is even more encouraging in its showings. It has the right formation, with veins that hold, and with good quality fibre. The rock alongside the veins is also richly graded with asbestos and this could be used for commercial purposes as well as the well-defined veins themselves. Prospectors and mining men who have seen the asbestos properties in Deloro are inclined to be enthusiastic regarding their possibilities. All they seem to need is a start to commence them on the way to development into very valuable properties.

BIG ATTENDANCE AT FRIDAY'S FOOTBALL GAME

The gate taken at Friday's football match here between the Falls and Timmins set a new high record for such events. In all, \$84.25 was taken in, this representing 337 paid admissions. Women and children were admitted free, so it is not far out to suggest that the total attendance would run about 600, as the ladies are just about as enthusiastic about football as the men.

The good gate no doubt was to a great extent due to the good man on the gate. This was Mr. B. E. Martin who stayed at his post from some time before the game started until a few minutes before its close. While he was on the gate for the Grounds Committee, the Football Club left their interest also in his hands, knowing that Ben can always be safely trusted to do the right without fear or favour.

The \$84.25 taken in at the gate is not of course all "velvet" for the Football Club. Thirty-three and a third percent. of this amount goes to the Athletic Association, as the share for the grounds and then another 10 per cent. goes to the N.O.F.A. treasury to keep the League going.

PORCUPINE CROWN MINE CLOSES DOWN FOR PRESENT

The practical closing down of the Northern mine last week created much interest and enquiry. All development work has been stopped, but the mine is being kept dewatered, so the general opinion is that the close-down is only temporary. Mr. Stewart, the manager, is at present in Montreal, in connection with the close-down, it is understood. The general opinion is that the close-down results from difficulty in adjusting the Thompson-Krist end of the financing of the property. When the amalgamation of the Porcupine Crown and the Thompson-Krist took place and the new affiliated concern started out as the Northern Mines, the agreement required certain financial arrangements by the Thompson-Krist, and the idea "on street" is that the Thompson-Krist has fallen down on its part of the arrangements and that development work on the property has been stopped until the matter is adjusted. According to the general opinion the matter will likely be adjusted at an early date and work resumed on the Northern at full speed ahead.

Mrs. A. H. Cooke left this week to attend the Grand Lodge meeting of the Rebekahs at Brantford as representative of Gold Nugget Lodge, Timmins.

PLEASING REPORTS AT ANNUAL MEETING OF DOME

"I am Better Pleased so far as Outlook is Concerned Than Ever Before," says Mine Manager.

According to the reports received over the Hamilton B. Wills & Co. private wire last night, the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Dome Mines at Toronto yesterday was largely attended and the proceedings very satisfactory and pleasing to all concerned. The reports for the year were satisfactory, while the prospects for the present year were unusually bright and promising. To the meeting Mine Manager H. P. DePencier stated that the high values being opened up in development work along the 10th level had been proven to exist for a further depth of at least 300 feet by diamond drilling. "A year ago to day," he said, "we had no ore at the bottom of the Dome Mines, but to-day we have our richest at the lowest level. Underground conditions are improving every week and results obtained have far exceeded my expectation, and I am better pleased, so far as outlook is concerned, than ever before."

The President, Mr. Bache, who was in the chair, made humorous reference to Mr. DePencier's conservative methods in estimating, emphasizing the fact that the mine manager never exaggerated the outlook or over-estimated the prospects. "I call him a pessimist," said the President, who went on to say that he had never heard Mr. DePencier speak as enthusiastically before, so it might be taken for granted that the outlook was exceedingly bright. "When he is optimistic, it speaks volumes," said the President.

President Bache indicated that during the current fiscal year the return of capital to shareholders would be started as well as the regular dividend of \$1.00 per share per year.

The old Board of Directors was re-elected by acclamation, with the exception of Messrs. A. H. Curtis and C. D. Kaeding who were succeeded by Messrs. Morton F. Stern and F. C. Corning, of New York. The directors for this year are accordingly:—Jules S. Bache, W. S. Edwards, G. C. Miller, Morton F. Stern, C. Hoyt, T. R. Figueane, F. C. Corning; Howard Poillon, and Alex. Fashen.

PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR DISTRICT BASEBALL

Meeting of District to be Held This Week to Finally Approve Schedule.

The following is the proposed schedule of games in the District Baseball League this summer. There will be a meeting this week of the District Baseball League to finally approve this schedule. It will be noticed that all the games are scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, with one exception,—that of the McIntyre at Timmins which is to be held on a Tuesday, July 19th. This was necessary on account of the Football Club having already secured the grounds for the Wednesday of that week.

In view of the fact that Timmins will play Iroquois Falls here on July 1st, at the big firemen's tournament and day of sports here, it is necessary that the town baseball players get busy right away. Get out and practice, ye baseball players! Batter up! Don't wait to be coaxed out. It's up to you! If you want good baseball here this year, and you can play, it is up to you to get busy. Until you get out and play, no one can tell whether you can play or not. Batter up, boys! If you can play baseball get out and practice, and you will be surprised how easy it will be to secure a first-class team here if this advice is followed.

The following is the proposed district schedule of games:—

June 29—Iroquois Falls at Cochrane.
June 29—Timmins at McIntyre.
July 6—Cochrane at Timmins.
July 13—McIntyre at Iroquois Falls.
July 19—McIntyre at Timmins.
July 20—Cochrane at Iroquois Falls.
July 27—Timmins at Cochrane.
Aug. 3—Iroquois Falls at McIntyre.
Aug. 10—Timmins at Iroquois Falls.
Aug. 10—Cochrane at McIntyre.
Aug. 17—McIntyre at Cochrane.
Aug. 24—Iroquois Falls at Timmins.