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STILL STILL-HUNTING GOES ON AFTER THE STILL

On Tuesday morning early Chief Chas. Melnis of Tisdale and Officer R. Allen made a raid on the place of George Arbique, Barber's Bay. They think that George saw them coming. At any rate he left in a hurry and all they saw of him was his back as he travelled swiftly over the hills and far away. The officers did not think they could overtake him so they let him go unmolested while they turned their attention to other matters. About one hundred gallons of homebrew was seized and destroyed. There was a quantity of "mash" on the premises, and charges will be preferred in connection with these matters.

STILL IN ACTIVE USE RIGHT ON THE STREET

If the dear Attorney-General had been in Timmins on Monday of this week he would no doubt have had a paritarian fit. Actually, (Oh, horrors!) there was a still in active operation right on the public street. It was on a sleigh and as the sleigh made its way along street the still worked along very happily. The steam came in white gushes from the happy still and the jug in front of the drip pipe filled rapidly. The still had been taken off the hot stove and being brought into the cold air, the process of distillation went along merrily. Worse still, this operating still on a sleigh on the public highway was on charge of two policemen. Chief Greer and Constable Rayeroff were on the sleigh and watched the merry still with much interest. They took the still into the police station, where

they now have four of these lively animals. This particular still was seized at a house on Balsam street occupied by Mr. Ledue, the painter. The latter has been working in South Porcupine recently and was not at home. An elderly man named Louis Guindon appeared to be in charge of the still at the house and was accordingly taken in charge by the police. He will appear before Magistrate Atkinson tomorrow (Thursday) in connection with the matter.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission. TENDERS FOR RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed tenders for the works (other than steel bridges) necessary to the complete construction of the roadbed, ready for the ties and rails and also the track laying, ballasting and fencing, upon approximately seventy miles of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, extending from Cochrane to near New Post, will be received at the office of the secretary treasurer of the Commission, North Bay, until twelve o'clock (noon) of the 9th. day of January, 1922.

On receipt of a request in writing, a copy of each of the following documents: Instruction to Bidders; Form of Tenders, Specifications, Form of Contract, will be furnished to intending bidders at the office of the chief engineer of the Commission, North Bay, where plan and profiles pertaining to the work may be seen. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

S. B. CLEMENT, Chief Engineer.
W. H. MAUND, Secretary-Treasurer.
North Bay, Ontario, Dec. 8th., 1921.

NEW LISKEARD SPEAKER SPOKE A LITTLE TOO SOON

In its last issue The New Liskeard Speaker has a front-page editorial on the election results in Temiskaming. The article is headed, "Mr. McEachren Will Represent Temiskaming." It may be that The Speaker is simply a prophet, but on the face of it the appearances are that The New Liskeard newspaper spoke too soon. In the article, The Speaker says:—"It was not until Wednesday night that news was received that put the election of Mr. McEachren beyond doubt. It is said that his majority will be about 700. Mr. McEachren is energetic and enterprising and will, we are assured, look well after the interests of this large constituency. He is now receiving the congratulations of his friends and supporters." The returns do not uphold this view of the election, and for the present it is certain enough that Mr. McDonald, the former member, is again elected for Temiskaming. It is Mr. McDonald that is receiving the congratulations, tempered, of course with hopes and prayers against protests and more elections.

In another matter The Speaker also speaks out of time and tune. In referring to the independent Liberal Farmer candidate, the New Liskeard paper says:—"Bertrand did not poll more than about 100 votes, and will contribute his \$200 deposit to the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Canada. He now knows that Northern Ontario does not want a new Province. Before launching out with the idea of carrying such a scheme he should have visited various parts of the North country and consulted the people. It is not likely that we shall hear any more about this New Province fad."

The Speaker is "away off." The matter of secession was not an issue in the campaign. Nor for that matter was Mr. Bertrand. It was a three cornered battle in which neither secession nor Mr. Bertrand were seriously considered. It is more than likely,—it is certain,—that the people shall hear much more of "this secession talk," unless the North Land is given a square deal. The territory and the plans for secession as outlined by Mr. Bertrand are simply the individual ideas of Mr. Bertrand. On the other hand there is a serious feeling in favour of the secession of the territory west and north of North Bay,—a territory with interests in common and ideas and ideals in common. There will be an increase in secession talk unless this territory can get a square deal,—and so far the present Government, partly through ignorance and partly through negligence or worse, has refused to give the square deal and fair play. So far as may be learned or deduced, no party and no material group of people desired Mr. Bertrand to run in this election, unless it would be the Farmers' Government Party who would like to be able to say, "See, there is nothing to all this secession talk." The motto for the North Land still remains:—"A Square Deal, or Secession."

INFORMATION ABOUT TECK-HUGHES GOLD MINES

According to information given in outside newspapers the shareholders of the Teck-Hughes Mines have ratified their re-organization plan whereby the capital stock is increased from \$2,500,000 to \$4,000,000, and a five-year bond issue of \$600,000.00 is arranged, subject to reductions. At the meeting the company's legal adviser said that out of the sale of new stock and mine profits, he bonded indebtedness, at present \$600,000.00, should

soon be reduced to \$342,000.00.

There was a more or less general opinion that in view of the favourable developments at the mine the bonds should be wiped out before the five years have passed.

Mr. D. L. H. Forbes, answering shareholders, said the mill was treating 3,000 to 3,100 tons a month and that in six or eight weeks the tonnage would be increased to 4,500 monthly. Gross income since August has been \$33,000 a month.

Ore reserves, he said, are 98,000 tons, value \$907,000, or \$9.28 a ton. Of this 24,000 tons are broken.

During the past year operations were extended at the 300 and 500 foot levels, getting good results, and 500 feet has been done at the new level of 600 feet. Of this work 400 feet was in ore. Results at the mine, altogether, were declared very satisfactory by the manager.

New mill construction will cost \$27,000, of which \$9,000 has been expended. Shareholders expressed satisfaction and confidence in the management.

Head office was changed from To-

ronto to Kirkland Lake, following the usual practise of mining companies.

Shareholders asked for up to date figures but got only up to August 31st. These showed liquid assets of \$202,000 composed in part of cash, \$140,000, bullion in transit, \$27,000. Current liabilities were \$22,000.

Revenues in the year ending August 31st. were, bullion, \$304,792, exchange \$38,320, interest \$1,693. Total \$344,806.

Expenditures aggregated \$291,966, leaving operating profit of \$52,850.

Shareholders were told the mine was in the best physical position in its history.

PROSPECTS VERY GOOD FOR PENINSULAR GOLD MINES

Work has continued with very satisfactory results at the Peninsular Gold Mines in the Night Hawk Lake district. Indeed, it is hardly too much to say that the property is now out of the "prospect" class and now may be placed among the mines of the Porcupine district. While work on surface and at the 100 foot level suggest-

ed good promise, the workings at the 200-foot level have proved up these promises. At the 200-foot level a ten-foot vein of high-grade has been encountered and the work generally seems to prove that this is a mine and that the property has the goods. The management is more than pleased with results to date and work is being continued with confidence that grows as the days go by. About 25 men are busy on the property and the indications are that development will be carried on an increasing scale of activity.

NOT TIME TO QUIT

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