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MAYOR RE-ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION FOR 1922

Eleven Nominated for Councillors, All But One Qualified. Election Next Monday.

The result of the nominations for the 1922 Mayor and Council may be summarized by stating that the Mayor is elected by acclamation but there will be a contest for the six seats in the Council. Eleven were nominated for the Council and all had qualified before eight o'clock last night, with the exception of Mr. Hall, who has not the necessary qualifications. With one exception none of the new men nominated would add any strength to the Council as constituted during the past year, so there is not likely to be much change in the personnel of the Council. The 1921 Council is acknowledged as a capable and public-spirited one, giving the best of attention and service.

Only a few citizens attended the nominations for Mayor and Councillors at the Town Hall on Monday of this week. The nominations falling on Christmas Day, or rather the day generally observed this year as Christmas Day, made it inconvenient for most citizens to attend. The Council of the past year has also apparently given the best of satisfaction generally, so there was no special issue to arouse any particular interest.

The nominations made were as follows:

For Mayor—Dr. J. A. McInnis.

No other nominations being made for Mayor, Dr. J. A. McInnis was declared duly elected by acclamation. This is the fourth time that Dr. McInnis has been elected Mayor of Timmins. In 1919 Dr. McInnis was elected for the first time as Mayor after giving good service on the Council for several years. In 1920 he was elected by acclamation. This year he had a contest but again was elected by a large majority vote. For the coming year he will be Mayor again by acclamation. Dr. McInnis has given very generous and unselfish service to the town and his acclamation this year is evidence of the general appreciation.

J. H. Bacon, nominated by G. S. Lowe, seconded by Geo. Lake.

Nelson E. Wadsworth, by L. I. Hall and C. L. Martin.

J. E. Sullivan, by J. Dalton and Chas. Pletsch.

E. L. Longmore, by J. Dalton and C. Pletsch.

E. S. Noble, by J. Dalton and Chas. Pletsch.

L. S. Newton, by J. Dalton and C. Pletsch.

T. F. King, by J. Dalton and Chas. Pletsch.

J. E. Morin, by J. Dalton and Chas. Pletsch.

L. I. Hall, by N. E. Wadsworth and Jas. Rochon.

Hilaire Charette, by C. L. Martin and Alfred Caron.

Arthur Champagne, by Ernest Schnubb and A. Caron.

GOLDEN BEAVER LODGE OFFICERS INSTALLED

The Festival of St. John the Evangelist was observed at Golden Beaver Lodge, A. F. & A. M., on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27th, with the usual ceremonies and social good time following. R. W. Bro. N. J. McAulay, of Haileybury, was the Installing Master. He was assisted by R. W. Bro. C. G. Williams and W. Bros. G. R. Vary, H. Webb, E. L. Longmore and W. W. White. The following officers were duly installed for the ensuing term:

W.M.—B. E. Martin.
I.P.M.—W. W. White.
S.W.—G. S. Lowe.
J.W.—W. R. Rinn.
Chap.—V. Woodbury.
Treas.—A. G. Irving.
Secy.—G. F. Bailey.
S.D.—J. Thomas.
J.D.—G. Murphy.
S.S.—R. O. Udall.
J.S.—J. M. Bowrey.
D. of C.—W. Bro. G. R. Vary.
Organist—H. M. Martin.
I.G.—R. Calverley.
Tyler—A. Skelly.

After the installation a banquet and programme of a high order were enjoyed by the members. A special feature of this part of the evening was the eloquent and inspiring address given by R. W. Bro. McAulay.

Last week a "spotter" was stabbed in the back shortly after he had engineered a raid on a house kept by some Russians in Toronto. Evidently the Russians felt that they have been "stabbed in the back" so often by spotters that it was all right at this time of year to "return the compliment."

COSTLY FIRE AT SOUTH PORCUPINE END ON SUNDAY MORNING

Reeve Gallagher a Particularly Heavy Loser, Notes, Plans, Instruments, Etc., Being Destroyed.

A comparatively small fire at South Porcupine on Sunday morning caused a very serious loss. The loss in buildings, fittings, furnishings, etc., is estimated at about \$10,000.00, and in addition to this Mr. Chas. V. Gallagher, surveyor and engineer, will have a loss of almost as large an amount through the destruction of his instruments, notes, papers, maps, etc., in connection with his profession. No less than five automobiles were destroyed by the fire. The loss, apart from that of Mr. Gallagher's, is practically covered by insurance.

The fire apparently started in W. Rayner's garage some time after 3 a.m., but there is nothing to indicate the origin of the blaze. The garage was gutted by the fire and the cars in the garage burned up. The home of the Richards family next to the garage was also burned with the loss of the contents. The fire hall was also badly damaged, while two offices occupied by Mr. C. V. Gallagher were burned through, special loss being entailed in the destruction of the drafting room and its equipment. The cars destroyed were owned by Messrs. Dagenais, Rayner, J. E. Boyle and C. V. Gallagher. The South End fire brigade made a good turnout to the fire and did effective work, but the blaze had too much headway when discovered.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF TIMMINS CITIZENS' BAND

At the request of the members of the Timmins Citizens' Band the financial statement for the period ending Dec. 31st, 1921, as audited and found correct by the municipal auditor, Mr. R. Elston, is published herewith for the information of the general public who have given such generous support to the Band.

Receipts:—Town of Timmins, donations, \$750.00; Hollinger Gold Mines, donations, \$750.00; Timmins Football Club, 24th, of May engagement, \$154.00; net proceeds of May 31st concert, \$17.81; Timmins Fire Brigade, First of July engagement, \$175.00; Iroquois Falls Labour Day engagement, \$100.00; net proceeds of concert, Nov. 20th, \$76.12; net proceeds of regatta, \$154.66; total \$2177.59; credit balance in bank, April 7th, \$233.33, less cheque outstanding \$17.68, \$215.65; total, \$2393.24.

Disbursements:—P. Gauthier, caretaker, \$95.00; V. Walla, salary, April and October, \$90.00; V. Rudolph, salary April to Sept, \$550; F. Wolno, salary November \$75.00; Bandsmen, for practices, 1st. quarter \$314.00; second quarter, \$405.00; Bandsmen, 24th, May engagement, \$154.00; bandsmen, 1st. July engagement, \$175.00; bandsmen, Labour Day engagement, Iroquois Falls, \$100.00; bandsmen, lost shifts for Regatta, \$19.78; Al. Wilson services at Regatta \$2.50; J. C. Smith, grant, \$35.00; T. Pappone, grant \$25; A. H. Clarke, stationery and supplies, \$4.70; E. Greer, selling tickets, \$5.00; C. E. McDonald, repairing drum and music, \$18.89; McLean's Studio, music, \$15; Stock Bros., supplies, \$9.50; A. Borland, bandsmen's fares to Falls, \$39.75; P. Cherry, fare to Falls, \$3.95; J. C. Smith, cornet, \$20.00; Porcupine Advance printing constitution and rules, \$18.25; A. H. Clarke, music stands and express, \$44.35; A. H. Clarke, music, \$4.65; total, \$2224.32; credit balance in bank, Dec. 31st, 1921, \$168.92; total, \$2393.24. Certified correct.—R. Elston, Auditor.

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SALVATION ARMY HOLD GOOD CHRISTMAS TREE

The Salvation Army here had a Christmas Tree last night in their hall in the Ansara block basement. There was a big crowd present and all the children got pleasant gifts. Also there was a very enjoyable programme of recitations, music, etc., given by the youngsters. All, young and old, had a happy time at this Christmas entertainment.

A GOLDEN PORCUPINE NEW YEAR TO YOU.



The gold in Porcupine is rich near the surface,
And the deeper you go
The Better it gets.
A Golden Porcupine
New Year to You.

COUNCILLORS GAVE VERY GOOD SERVICE IN 1921

At Last Meeting of Council, Mayor Expresses Thanks and Appreciation.

The last meeting of the 1921 Council was held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday afternoon with the Mayor in the chair and Councillors J. E. Sullivan, E. L. Longmore, E. S. Noble, T. F. King and J. E. Morin present. There was only a small amount of routine business to be transacted, and this was promptly dealt with.

The Mayor took occasion to express his appreciation of the good work of the Councillors during the past year. Dr. McInnis pointed out that there had been the most pleasant harmony all through the year and a great deal of good work had been done. The Councillors one and all had shown an attention and interest that was very gratifying. The regular attendance at the meetings was worthy of note, all the Councillors throughout the year making a point of being present at the meetings even at the cost of their personal convenience. They had given their time and talent in public-spirited way to the service of the town and the result had been of much advantage to the community. The Mayor expressed the opinion that the 1921 Council had given such thoughtful and unselfish service that he hoped that each and every member would be back at the Council Board for the coming year to carry along the municipal work so well attended to during the past year.

After the business of the Council, there was a session as a Court of Revision, chiefly to deal with Income Tax cases.

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After the installation a banquet and social evening was enjoyed by the members present. The evening was a very pleasant one throughout and there was much of interest and inspiration in the addresses. After the toast to the King and the Craft, the toast to the Grand Lodge were proposed by W. Bro. W. M. Widdifield and responded to by R. W. Bro. LeHeup. "To Our Visitors" was proposed by W. Bro. Mason and responded to by W. Bro. Cadman and Bros. Vary, Wilson, Cross and others.

MRS. THOMAS CONTESTING TISDALE REEVESHIP

Present Reeve Also in Field. Ten in The Field for Councillors.

Some time ago Mrs. Thomas announced herself as a candidate for the Reeveship of Tisdale, and following her nomination on Monday she duly qualified and will contest the field with the present Reeve, Mr. C. V. Gallagher. Mrs. Thomas and Mr. Gallagher are the only two to remain for the contest out of the five named Monday for the Reeveship of the Township. The others nominated Monday were Messrs. J. E. Boyle, C. B. Morgan and E. Kimberley, all of whom have retired from the field.

There were thirteen nominated on Monday for seats on the Tisdale Council. They were:—J. E. Boyle, P. E. Cooper, R. Calverly, Alex. Kincaid, Fred. Laforest, C. B. Morgan, Ray O'Neil, Jules St. Paul, T. Strain and W. W. Wilson, all of whom have duly qualified and are in the field; and E. Kimberley, Harry Leng and David Kerr who have withdrawn.

MR. McCORD OF TORONTO REFEREE THURSDAY EV'G

Line-Up of Team Likely Much the Same as for Last Week's Match.

Mr. McCord, of Toronto, a well-known hockey expert, will referee the game here to-morrow night between Iroquois Falls and Timmins. The game will start at 8.15 p.m. sharp, and Iroquois Falls is coming here with a bumper crowd of rooters for the event. Timmins, of course, will have a big turnout of its own for this game to cheer the boys on to victory. Reserved seats are now on sale at the rink for the game.

The line-up for the game to-morrow (Thursday) will be about the same as for the game at the Falls last week, though it is understood that Patsy Parker may be included this week in the line-up.

The game to-morrow (Thursday) night will no doubt be a lively one and much better hockey than last week's game at the Falls. The Falls will have to travel lively here. They are likely to find the whole game like the last ten minutes of last Thursday's game when they were on the anxious seat every minute.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS AT COBALT THIS WEEK

The following were the nominations on Monday at Cobalt:

For Mayor—T. Reilly, W. R. Lowery, M. McKinnon, P. McLennan, D. A. McDonald, E. F. Armstrong and Taylor Pipe.
For Council—Oliver Pauze, H. Harris, P. McEwen, A. Fortin, W. Smith, H. Hamelin, J. Cholette, L. Daoust, C. A. Danis, A. C. Chenier, T. F. Drew, J. Price, P. Lafrange, C. Reek-in, John Ough, John Smith, W. Newton, Ambrose Murphy, Joseph Bowman, Harold Rowden, Ed. Wilson, W. R. Lowery and J. Traddell.

Mr. Frank Francis spent Christmas at New Liskeard.

IROQUOIS FALLS WINS OPENING HOCKEY GAME

On the Play the Best Team Won, but Timmins Made the Falls Very Anxious in Lively Last Ten Minutes.

Iroquois Falls won the opening game in the Senior N.O.H.A. series with Timmins at the Falls on Thursday evening last, with the score standing 5 to 4 when the bell rang. This is the first time in two years that the Falls has won from Timmins in hockey, and had the game continued for five or six minutes longer the score would have been different. Timmins made a great come-back in the last part of the last period, scoring two goals in the last few minutes and making the Falls team step lively indeed.

About three hundred went down for the game on the special train from here. About 150 tickets were sold for the special at Timmins and numbers joined the crowd at other stations along the Branch. In addition a large number who were going south for the holidays were able to break their journey and run in to the Falls to see the match, the National being several hours late that evening. Accordingly, the crowds from the Porcupine made a very good showing with the attendance from the Falls itself.

The game had to be delayed on account of the non-arrival of the official referee. On account of the train from the south being late, the officials had to come to the Falls by hand car, arriving in time for the second period. By the suggestion of the Falls team Geo. Lake handled the game in the first period, the work being taken over by the officials, Speck Bailey, of Haileybury, referee, and Leo Masterston, Haileybury, judge of play, on their arrival.

The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Iroquois Falls—Corbould, goal; Brydge and Wilson, defence; Fahey, right; Quesnel, centre; Chirkoski, left; spares, Plucker and Briekenden.
Timmins—Scully, goal; Cox and Cameron, defence; Campbell, right; McGuire, centre; McCarry, left; spares, Brennan and Kelly.

In the first period neither team seemed to be able to get going at first, and the puck was much of its time around centre ice. McGuire eventually showed them how to do it, going down and having a shot at the Falls net, but without luck. Later the Falls had the luck of getting the first goal of the season, Chirkoski being credited with the score. Quesnel passed to Chirkoski who shot, but Scully saved. The puck rolled and hit Cameron's stick rebounding in the nets before Scully had a chance to see it or save it again. Oscar Cox showed he did not like this, by making a whirlwind trip down the ice, a clever pass to McCarry, who scored, and the score was tied. The rest of the period was featured by heavy attacks by Brydge, Quesnel and Plucker, with another score resulting, Brydge getting the puck in the nets. Scully made a number of excellent saves.

In the second period the Falls was on the offensive, Brydge doing considerable heavy work, his size and weight giving him an advantage in this. However, in a collision with a couple of Timmins players he got a bad fall on the ice, cutting his head. He was replaced for a time by Plucker. Before he went off, however, he had a number of shots on the nets after breaking past the defence, but Scully looked after them all. The scorer for this period was Quesnel, the Falls' clever little centre who played a good game all evening. Quesnel scored two in this period. Brydge on his return to the ice gave Scully more work, but Scully was equal to it, though Brydge did get the credit of adding another to the score. It is claimed that Brydge knocked this one in with his hand, but the referee allowing it as a score, nothing can be said further. Campbell made one of the finest scores of the evening in this period, sending a beauty past Corbould for the count. The second period ended, Falls 5, Timmins 2.

In the third period the Falls boys seemed to wish to rest on their oars as it were, and play nothing more strenuous than a defensive. But the Timmins boys staged a number of aggressives that made the Falls supporters stand in the way of the anxious. Cox made a number of fine old rushes, one of which resulted in a direct score. In addition Oscar's good work and his clever passing gave several other good opportunities that were lost because support was not there or Corbould was there, or sometimes a little of both. Some clever combination work between McGuire, McCarry and Kelly

MAN KILLED ON SUNDAY EVENING AT SCHUMACHER

Eight Men Held in Connection With the Death. Inquest to be Held Tomorrow Morning.

John Linski, a foreigner, met death in a boarding house at Schumacher on Sunday evening. When the police were called in by one of the other boarders they found Linski lying on floor, apparently seriously injured, but still alive. His head and face had been battered, apparently by kicks from rough boots, and his neck was broken. The police were summoned about 7 o'clock, and Officer Daly at once had the injured man carried to one of the rooms and a doctor hastily summoned. The doctor's examination showed a number of injuries sufficient to cause death, in addition to the broken neck. Linski passed away in a couple of hours, it being impossible to save his life. As a consequence of the occurrence eight men who were in the house at the time the deceased was injured are being held by the police. An inquest will be held at Schumacher to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 9 o'clock.

At the present time it is not known how the fatality occurred. It is generally taken for granted that Linski was set upon by some of the men in the house and battered up. One story has it that the broken neck resulted from Linski being knocked downstairs after being hit by one or more of the men. It is also reported that the men at the house had been doing much drinking on the day in question and that trouble arose from the war-time bitterness between the Austrians and the Russians. All of this, however, is merely conjecture, though a number of facts may be learned at the inquest tomorrow. Among the eight men held by the police in connection with the death are A. Bogdniek, Mike Rubbie and S. Markovitch and five others with unpronounceable and unspellable names. Bogdniek is the man said to be in charge of the boarding house, having rented it from M. Krankovitch who formerly conducted the place. The police are working on the case and no steps are being missed to bring to punishment those responsible for the man's death. Difficulty is being encountered in the twisted stories told of what did or did not occur, but these stories are all being sifted and progress being made to arriving at the facts of the case. Officers R. Allen is working with the Schumacher and Tisdale police in securing the truth about the death of Linski.

Linski was only about 24 years of age and unmarried. He is understood to have been planning to go back very shortly to Austria.

MR. R. LEHEUP CANDIDATE FOR HAILEYBURY MAYORALTY

Mr. R. LeHeup, for several years a capable and esteemed town councillor for the Town of Haileybury, is a candidate this year for the Mayor's Chair in the County Town. His friends in this Camp, and they are many, will wish him success in the race.

resulted in the fourth score for Timmins, McGuire batting it in. By this time Timmins fans thought of a win or at least a tie, but the time proved too short, and the score closed 5 to 4.

A mix-up between a couple of the opposing players, Cameron and Fahey, was a regrettable incident though Cameron was apparently not to blame. Both were put off. There was also perhaps a little too much roughness at times in the game, though this may have been due to awkwardness at the opening of the season, rather than to any desire to do injury to anyone. Cameron, Brydge and McCarry were in turn laid out on the ice and retired for recuperation. The game would hardly be termed a rough one, but it was certainly more interesting in the smooth, swift parts where there was no sign of roughness. As the season progresses the clean, swift hockey will no doubt be the rule.

In the play of the evening Iroquois Falls won on merit. The Falls has a promising team, the centre man, Quesnel, showing up especially well, and Corbould being very dependable in the nets. The Falls is also strong on the defence. On the other hand the Porcupine team has still more promising material, and pulling together and with team work, can win back the laurels from the Falls. Oscar Cox was a strong man on the team Thursday evening; Scully did well in goal; and the team generally showed that with combination work and team play they will get there all right.