

SOUTH PORCUPINE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mrs. P. J. Foley, of Cochrane, arrived in town this week on a visit to Mrs. Jno. T. Easton.

The fixed dates for the Tisdale Council on the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Mr. George J. Miller, of the Porcupine Miracle Company, paid his usual visit to town last week and stayed at the King George.

Provincial Constable Allen took up his duties as partner with Officer Carmichael last Tuesday and, with his wife, will reside at the Provincial quarters.

South Porcupine Locals
E. P. Ashmore, E.M., of Toronto, arrived at the Hotel Connaught last Saturday having business in the DeLora mining section. He returned south again on Tuesday.

"Business is not bad at all," said a prominent tradesman in town to The Advance representative and he proceeded with optimistic remarks which inspired one instead of riling away because everything was so dull.

M. D. Williams, of Halleybury, who it was stated was interested in the Philadelphia Mine was at the Connaught last week end. When litigation at present pending in connection with this property is over there is every likelihood of active operations being carried out.

Following is a conversation which actually took place between a well-known South End tradesman and The Advance office at Timmins after the first issue had been distributed in South End. "Say, haven't you sent me an Advance?" "Certainly, it was addressed by the speaker. Didn't you get it?" "No, but a fellow has dropped in here with one and won't even let me have a look at it." "What's the reason?" "Oh, he's afraid I'll keep it. Drop a copy along next mail. From what I've heard I want to see one without further verification can be given."

TENNIS CLUB DANCE SUCCESSFUL FUNCTION

Over 150 Guests Spent Most Enjoyable Time at Connaught Last Friday Evening

That the dance held by the South Porcupine Tennis Club at the Connaught Hotel on Friday evening last was a decided success in every way was the unanimous opinion of all those participating.

Some 150 guests responded to the invitations sent out among them being many from outlying places and with Manager Geo. H. Perry, of the Connaught arranging every comfort for the assembly a most enjoyable programme was carried out till next morning. Messrs. W. H. Wilson at the piano and Mr. B. Donaldson with the violin provided first class music while the refreshments were given by various ladies of the South End.

It is especially interesting and encouraging to those connected officially with the Tennis Club to note the large response to their invitations because it augurs well for a successful season in so far as games are concerned and full advantage ought to be taken of the well equipped lawn near the hotel comprising two tennis courts.

As to finances, the dance resulted in a benefit to the club of \$50 when all expenses had been cleared. Reeve E. J. Dickson is President of the organization and Mr. Williams Secretary-Treasurer. The patronesses of the dance were named in The Advance last week.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kaeding, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. H. Barton, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss Starling, Mrs. Darling, Mr. and Mrs. House, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ennis, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Frood, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gibson, Mrs. O'Phelan, Miss Olive Pearce, Miss Morgan, Miss Devine, Miss Ducker, Mr. and Mrs. B. Crosskey, Miss N. McNamara, Mrs. Christie, Miss Lang, Miss Stevens, Miss Campbell, Miss Frances Tripp, and Messrs. H. Seguin, P. Gallagher, F. W. D. Wilkins, J. C. Watson, W. M. Sheppard, F. W. Ritz, W. Hatch, W. Ross, E. Rogers, K. Drummond, D. Bryden, W. Whitton, W. Bushfield, Davis, W. A. Olmstead, E. McCoy, T. Todd, Craft, G. Leavoy, H. Asselstine and E. C. Galbraith. Chief Robertson proved quite a valuable assistant to the refreshment end by handling the serving of ice cream provided by the Club.

She: "You must never let father see you put your arms around my waist."
He: "Why would he be so sorry?"
She: "No, dear, but he would try to borrow some money from you."

Mac Lang, M.P.P. and Mrs. Lang returned to their home at Sturgeon Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry L. Taylor, of the Imperial Mine, has been the guest of Mrs. A. S. Fuller and Mrs. C. D. Kaeding during the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Docker returned from Toronto last Friday after an extended visit to the Queen City of a few months.

Vincent Steinway, formerly of the Canadian Express Company left on Wednesday for various Eastern parts.

Reports of frequent important finds in Delora, McArthur, Redstone, and Langmuir keep coming in from various reliable sources but the majority of these are never referred to by the newspapers. There are those, however, who deem them of much importance in their bearing on South Porcupine and the consequence is very sanguine expressions of opinion that there is a good time coming.

Don't be pessimistic so far as your town is concerned. Can't you see that if you go about with a long face bewailing fate of your town, it only pulls it down? Don't say that the town is dead, that its citizens are back numbers, that the population is steadily decreasing and a hundred other evils that probably exist only in your own mind. If you can't say anything good, then keep still. If you are a property owner don't tell the whole world that your property is worth just half as much as it was a year ago. It is very possible they may believe you and some day you may want to sell that property and you will be able to get just half its worth. So you see when you talk against your town it only hurts yourself. Your town has as good a chance as many other towns, of becoming an enterprising town. All it needs is a few good boosters. So put your shoulder to the wheel and boost and the result will richly repay you for your trouble.

NOMINATIONS FOR TISDALE COUNCIL.

Notices have been issued by W. H. Wilson, Clerk of the Tisdale Township, that nominations will be held on Monday next to fill the vacancy on the Council caused through Sylvester Kennedy not making the prescribed declarations within the prescribed time. Twelve o'clock is the hour for the nominations with W. H. Wilson as Returning Officer.

So far there seems to be no resident or business man in particular spoken of as anxious to enter the field although there are rumors regarding a couple of gentlemen either of whom would carry out the duties very satisfactorily to the Town if they could be prevailed upon to stand for the position. The poll should an election be necessary, will take place on the Monday following the nominations—this being the necessary seven days between the two.

NEEDED INVENTIONS.

- A public building that will expand sufficiently to accommodate a crowd of any size.
- A mislead sheehorn that will ring a little bell to show its whereabouts when wanted.
- A collar furnace that will open its door and feed coal into itself when the fire gets low.
- A telephone that will automatically shock a bare who has talked over five minutes.
- A baseball bat that will magnetically attract the ball to it so that it can be hit.
- A lawmower that will toss nails and rocks over the neighbor's fence before attempting to cut into them.
- A fountain pen that will say, "I'm empty," before you start to sign your name and not silently cease flowing after you have made the first initial.
- A rocking chair that will crawl out of your path when you are about to tumble over it in the dark.
- A sheehorn that will stiffen out like wire when a knot suggests itself, but will become beautifully pliant when the knot crisis is past.
- A doorbell that will flash a picture of the caller on the inside of the door and state his business in readable letters below.
- A watch holder that will outline itself with light when it feels a hand fumbling for it in the dark.
- An alarm clock that will reach out its hands and gently open your eyes and smile down into them instead of scaring you half to death.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT OF CANADIAN GOLD

An additional \$5,000,000 gold was received at the United States sub-Treasury from Ottawa. Of this amount \$2,500,000 was engaged last Friday, the other half coming unannounced. This inflow is supposed to be a continuance of the arrangement recently entered into between New York bankers and banking houses with London bankers for the maintenance of exchange rates from this centre on London. Since January 1 a total of about \$55,000,000 gold has been received at New York from Canada as an offset to the eighty odd millions of dollars of gold shipped from New York to the Dominion in the early months of the year.

BREEZY NOTES GATHERED IN SCHUMACHER

Incidents and Suggestions Heard Round Town and Camps During The Past Week

Mrs. Malcolm Black left this week for Cobalt on a visit to her parents in the Silver City.

The old Murphy House which was removed to Porcupine and has been put into excellent condition for an early opening and has a good position near the new moving picture theatre is rapidly nearing completion and is just about the right size for a community like this to fill it comfortably on the other other night presentations which the Timmins Empire Theatre management will put forward. The innovation is certainly looked forward to by many residents and should draw large crowds.

One or two items of sport of interest to those so inclined in town will be found on the sporting page of this issue.

Mr. H. R. Lobdell of the Vipond Mine arrived back to camp Tuesday after spending a month with friends points across the border.

More than one visitor to town on business—yes and on the train—have been heard to remark on the building being carried on so extensively and also on their neat appearance at the east end of the town.

The plan of the Schumacher town-site lots to date shows that something like 150 of these have been sold or allotted. There are a large number of course which are not for sale but are being reserved by the company for their purposes such as building and in case of further development work.

There is a very enthusiastic crowd of footballers in and around town including of course the miners. Reference to the sports page will give information on the last match played.

CONSTABLE ED. JORDAN WEDS AND DEPARTS

To Take Up Police Duties at Soo --- is Handed Presentation By Many Local Friends

The departure of Edward D. Jordan, Provincial Police Constable at South Porcupine, was the occasion last week end for innumerable expressions of regret on the part of residents of the north country but at the same time one of sincere and hearty congratulations to Mr. Jordan coupled with a tangible proof, to celebrate both his marriage and appointment, in the same capacity he had occupied here, at the Soo, Ontario.

On Saturday evening in the Provincial Police quarters a very representative gathering of the district assembled under the chairmanship of Capt. Gordon E. H. Rodgers, who, at an interval between speech-making and conviviality, presented to Constable Jordan a purse containing \$100 in gold.

This was accompanied by an address bearing the signatures of over a hundred residents of the town and read as follows:—
To E. D. Jordan,

Sir:—On behalf of the undermentioned residents of South Porcupine, Timmins and Schumacher, I have much pleasure in asking you to accept this small token of our respect for you; not only as an officer of the department which you represent, but as a man.

We understand you are joining the ranks, this time we believe as a C.O. Wishing you and the future Mrs. Jordan every success wherever you may go we are as a community, selfish enough to regret our loss.

(Sgd.) G. GORDON ROGERS. The Chairman in eulogistic terms presented both the purse and address and Officer Jordan, who was absolutely surprised at this mark of appreciation shown regarding him replied very feelingly.

A great many other friends added their expressions of appreciation and praise concerning the manner in which Mr. Jordan had always carried out his duties during the two years and a half he had been located in the north.

During the evening the Italian orchestra of South End dispensed an excellent and enjoyable programme of music and in other ways arrangements had been successfully carried out to celebrate the occasion.

Very Quietly Married. In his customary, quiet and modest manner Constable Jordan joined the lists of benedicts, his bride being Miss Dora May Emerson, of South Porcupine.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of H. Warren on Sunday night by Rev. U. E. Brown and so careful had the time been withheld that the happy couple were man and wife for some time before the majority of his friends knew that Ed. had succeeded in carrying out his project of not having a large gathering to witness the nuptial knot tied.

With the morning train for the south departed the bride and groom and even at that early hour a number of friends assembled at the depot and allotted them a hearty send-off.

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