

SOUTH PORCUPINE ITEMS OF INTEREST

Mrs. W. P. Black left last Saturday morning for Renfrew on a vacation.

Mr. F. B. Wells, of San Francisco, arrived at the King George last Saturday.

W. Asseltine returned to the camp after his little sojourn for a time at Callendar and Verona. Some trip, eh Bill?

Mr. J. J. Ready, of San Francisco, arrived at the Connaught Hotel last week end and it is understood will take a position at the Dome Mine.

Messrs. Frank Horne, M. Rolfe, and F. Carnegie are taking in a fishing trip on the Redsnecker River having left last Tuesday.

The Home Guard drills are fixed for every Wednesday and Friday evening and it is especially desired that members make a point of not omitting these.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Warren were busy Tuesday moving from their residence opposite the Bank of Commerce to their new bungalow which was built for them by Mr. W. C. Seeli.

It is announced that a tennis tournament will be carried out by the South Porcupine Tennis Club in September and with the combination of an excellent court and first class players a really fine programme is expected to be carried out.

The Dome Mines, Limited, are adding considerably to the appearance and utility of the houses at their property by placing verandahs in front of each and glass will be used to enclose the same for the winter months.

A party consisting of Donald Frood, Jack Witton, Tom Fortune and G. McCallough left on Wednesday for a two months' prospecting trip in the new recently reported silver district. Taking two canoes they went to Nipigon and on to Albany River.

Mr. Fred Whyte, teller at the Bank of Commerce leaves in the early part of next week for a three months' vacation in the Old Country and his duties will be carried out in his absence by Mr. Higgs, of Barrie, who arrived this week.

Anent a paragraph in these columns last week to the effect that a horse had been purchased by the Tisdale Council for the Town Seaweeding department from Seth Wheeler it is learned from Town officials that no animal has yet been procured.

The attendances at the Anglican Church are at a stage now which is claimed to be the largest on record since the inauguration there, being both morning and evening sermons preached by Rev. J. J. Callan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sullivan left last Saturday for the home of Mrs. Sullivan at Toronto owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Sullivan during the past three weeks and it is hoped that the change there will result in Mrs. Sullivan gaining an early recovery.

Mr. E. J. Varette, station agent at South Porcupine, accompanied by Mrs. Varette are away on a vacation at Kingston, Ont., and the duties at the station are being carried out in the meantime by Mr. M. Clark, relieving agent on the T. and N. O. railway.

On Sunday last special services were held at the Anglican Church on the occasion of a visit from Bishop Anderson of the Moosenee Diocese from Cochrane. Stirring sermons were delivered by the Bishop at both morning and evening services and in the afternoon he officiated in a number of baptisms.

The dance held at the Connaught hotel last Friday evening under the auspices of the South Porcupine Tennis Club was a decided success in every way there being over eighty guests present. Music was supplied in their customary excellent way by Messrs. W. H. Wilson at the piano and B. Danson with the violin.

According to a certain source following is an incident alleged to have taken place at Schumacher within the past few days. A well known local lady happened to be in the house of a friend, neither being Germans or supposedly pro-German. The visitor, however, was using some very deprecatory remarks regarding the British and eventually so exasperated the householder that the latter requested her room instead of her company. Realizing she had placed herself in a very awkward position by her attitude the visitor wished to rectify matters and asked what she might do to prove this. "Sit down at that piano then and play God Save the King" was the condition. She complied.

W. H. Smith, accountant at the Dome Mine is leaving this week for his home at London, Ont.

Mrs. D. C. Donaldson returned from New Liskeard last Tuesday with her baby daughter.

Miss Whyte, who went to Webb, Sask., last Saturday to her sister may visit the San Francisco Exhibition before returning home to the gold camp.

Miss Bissell, champion lady tennis player of the City of Buffalo is staying at South Porcupine as the guest of Reeve and Mrs. E. G. Dickson.

Messrs. T. Haughin, who has been at the Vipon Mine for some considerable time, and Dwyer, left on Wednesday for the new gold camp at Le Pas, Manitoba.

Messrs. J. Boyle and P. Thompson are at present in Stratford, Ont., attending the gathering at the Grand Lodge of the I.O.O.F. which commenced Thursday and will last for a week.

C. V. Gallagher is at present in the Frederickhouse Lake district surveying farming properties for Messrs. Reamsbottom and Edwards and Dalton Brothers.

Mr. W. Morris, who up till January last was accountant at the Dome Lake Mine, has returned to the gold camp with his bride whom he married in Scotland and they have taken up residence at the Foley O'Brien Mine.

Two newly married residents of the gold camp recently returned with their brides and both parties are making the Connaught their home for the present. They are Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Kelly who came in last Friday, and Mr. and Mrs. Whaley from Buffalo.

ENTHUSIASM IN SCHUMACHER HOME GUARD EXTENDING

Those officially connected with the recently formed Home Guard at Schumacher are very sanguine as to its early development both in numbers and enthusiasm in the various drills being arranged and carried out.

On Monday night last in the new hall used for drill purposes the first gathering was held under Lieut. J. S. Kyle, instructor and some thirty members turned up.

It is felt, however, that with the large number of young men in the vicinity of Schumacher who are capable and really have the time for the drills the corps should be extended to a much larger degree and those who have not already joined are urged to take steps without delay.

Drills are fixed for every Monday and Friday evening and there can be no gainsaying the fact that if the Home Guard is extended, enthusiasm increased and interest shown generally the officials concerned will do everything in their power to make the drills and assemblies as interesting and beneficial as possible.

It is interesting to note by the way that Commanding Officer W. B. Nicholson will, round about August 27th, take a trip to Niagara-on-the-Lake for the purpose of undergoing a three weeks' course of training and on his return the benefit will naturally accrue to those connected with the Schumacher corps.

A public speaker never reaches the pinnacle of fame until some country newspaper dubs him the "prince of orators."

'Tis not often you can trace cause and effect so closely. The Russians according to the despatch, seized sixty-nine Turkish vessels laden with flour, as a result of which the next paragraph states there is a fierce fight at Mush.

The police have arrested one Damyan Zambrn. No doubt he will be charged with violating the Act forbidding profane language in public, by carrying around a name which looks suspiciously like an Austrian curse word.

While the human race ordinarily loves an optimist, it is inclined to draw the line at the mature citizen who attempts to learn the slide trombone in a crowded neighborhood.

British merchant ships with a gun at the stern will, it is announced be allowed to trade with the United States. This is a concession, but it will be annoying to the average captain, who will hate like Sam Hill to have to travel backward through the submarine belt.

Local Oddfellows To Hold Picnic

Wednesday next August 18th has been fixed upon as a suitable day for the Porcupine Lodge of the I.O.O.F. to hold a picnic at Barber's Bay and, given fine weather, those who are making the arrangements feel confident that a record attendance will be seen if those who are members of the Lodge will attend in full force with their friends.

For those who wish to make a full day of it they can leave by the morning train while any who find business too pressing to be avoided will have opportunity for plenty of enjoyment by taking the noon train.

All kinds of sports will be indulged in and if there are sufficient members present to carry out the proposal a ball game will be played.

Further details of the picnic can be obtained from the posters which have been distributed round the gold camp during the past two or three days.

Regarding the Oddfellows organization in the Porcupine District it is pleasing to learn that they are growing rapidly in numbers. Already a membership of 191 is on the books with the numbers increasing every day almost.

The Passing of "Scotty" Shewan

"Mr. and Mrs. William Colvin, 86 Wineva Avenue, Kew Beach, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stella Grace, to Mr. James Shewan, Schumacher, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Shewan, Fraserburgh, Scotland, the marriage to take place the middle of September."

Poor Scotty; well, well; well; who would have thought it? and he so young and tender at that.

In such a manner of feeling did the boys of the gold camp learn from the above announcement in one of the Toronto papers that "Scotty" Shewan, of the McIntyre office staff, was actually about to desert the ranks of the bachelors and "take unto himself a wife."

For three years he has been among them, one of them, behaving (and misbehaving perhaps) himself at various functions and convivial gatherings including the now renowned birthday celebrations of Cap. McAlister. And now he is about to resign himself to quietude of domestic life.

It is at the express desire of Paddy Gallagher, one of the prime movers in the upfitting (?) of "Scotty" that we are requested to express their deep sympathy with him. He will not be lost, however, they say, only "gone before."

Those Saturday night assemblies, in which he was such a prominent partaker will sadly miss his enchanting manner and they will undoubtedly be "dry" functions hereon owing to his compulsory absence and wit.

The announcement was so surprising and unexpected that several of his most genial friends and acquaintances were hardly yet convinced of its being a reality. Rumor has it that a "wake" is being arranged but the irony of extending a Scotchman a "wake" is too obvious and instead it is suggested that the matter be treated decorously and religiously on a Scotch basis—in every way possible.

The fact that Barton and Easton already has suggested that a subscription towards a wreath be started immediately but "Scotty" declares it is only regarding the furniture they have approached him.

However, it's his own "funeral," say the boys and any after effect which his step may have on other members of the community in which he associates to commit the same deed, will be on his own head.

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AND FURTHER take notice that after such last mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by it at the time of such distribution.
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