

KIRKLAND LAKE CAMP SECOND TO PORCUPINE

Advent of Cheap Power to Remove
Only Restraining Factor in
Camp.

Kirkland Lake is the camp to watch. It is the second gold district in Northern Ontario, and though it has a producer of almost a million dollars a year, has been severely handicapped by lack of cheap hydro-electric power. As Manager O'Connell of the Tough-Oakes mine says: "The real development of Kirkland Lake will start this November, when the power line being built by the Northern Ontario Light & Power Company, reaches the camp. At present the Tough-Oakes is only getting enough power from the hydro plant at Charlton, on the Blanche River, to run the mill, and all underground work at the mine is being carried on by steam power. The road from Swastika to the Tough-Oakes, a distance of about four miles, is model pavement and by the time high cartage rates are paid steam power costs about a hundred dollars a horsepower. With plenty of electric power from Cobalt, at considerably less than half the cost of steam power, one of the biggest charges in mine development will be reduced. For the same cost more drills can be operated underground and the Tough-Oakes is now getting in shape to start a big development campaign. The shaft will be sunk from 400 to 525 feet, and possibly a central shaft sunk. More cross-cutting, drifting, and other exploratory work will be done.

But the Tough-Oakes will not be the only property in Kirkland Lake to prosper through the power line. The Teek-Hughes has a mill completed ready to start; the Lake Shore is putting in a big plant to be electrically driven; the McCane, controlled by the Beaver Consolidated, will be proven much cheaper, and the two other main properties, the Wright-Hargraves and the Sylvanite, lying between the Tough-Oakes and the Teek-Hughes, will be given their first real test.

For a long time, some geologists and mining engineers were very doubtful about Kirkland Lake. "The veins are too narrow," they said. But they looked only at the small veins of quartz-called stringers in Porcupine—and did not pay much attention to the high values in the wall rocks,

either porphyry, conglomerate or greywacke. In some places in drifts at the Tough-Oakes, the quartz vein is only the thickness of a sheet of paper, but after stopping sometimes to a width of seven or eight feet, the mill heads show up the highest in Northern Ontario, generally running over \$23 per ton.



"WELL LATHERED IS HALF SHAVEN"

A business well advertised has gone fully half way to success. The rest of the way may be travelled by having clean and sanitary premises, prompt service, fresh goods and fair values. But without advertising all the others will not accomplish the result. To appreciate these things, people must know about them and the way to tell them is to advertise in their home paper.

Owing to lack of space, the letter to the editor on "What the Town Council are doing for the ratepayers" had to be omitted, but will appear in our next issue.

Chas. Kemsley, who has been employed at the City of Cobalt, and latterly at the West Dome Consolidated as master mechanic, was married to Miss Holmes, of Cobalt, on Wednesday, Sept. 20th.

A Berlin despatch says Germany has decided to declare a blockade against Britain, effective on Jan. 1 next, and is building a fleet of powerful submarines to co-operate with improved Zeppelins.

So. Porcupine News Items of Interest

Mr. William Assoline will leave this week for Hamilton, where he will be united in marriage to Miss Ida I. Carr, of 96 Holton avenue, of that city.

Mrs. Chas. Carr left last Friday for a short visit to Toronto and Detroit.

A meeting of the Porcupine Fire Relief Committee was held in the Council Chambers on Thursday afternoon, Sept. 14th, a full report of which is published in another column of this paper.

It is reported that there are a couple of typhoid fever cases in town, and that one of the Devine boys has been in a very critical condition.

The Board of Trade propose erecting an open-air skating rink for the coming winter, which will be situated in the centre of the town.

Lieut. Meyers arrived in town from Camp Borden on Tuesday, this is his last leave before going overseas.

Thos. Torrence is in town renewing acquaintances and will stay in camp for some little time, as he has now received his commission as lieutenant, but is waiting to be attached to a battalion which will proceed overseas at once.

The firemen on Thursday afternoon last tested out the hose received by the Council from Lathford, and it proved to be satisfactory, thereby saving the Township considerable expense.

John T. Easton & Co., undertakers, are establishing a branch office in Timmins.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Township Council was held on Tuesday evening last.

The bowling team from Timmins journeyed over here on Tuesday night and trounced the home team by 99 pins.

Everything is in readiness for the dance, which is to be given by the Porcupine Lodge of Oddfellows, in their hall this evening on Bruce avenue.

ONTARIO LIQUOR ACT

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DRINKING IN PUBLIC PLACES.

The interpretation given in The Ontario Temperance Act regarding the consumption of liquor in public places or on the street is cited in subsection (3) of section 55, of the Act, which follows:—

55.—(3) Where a person is found on the street, highway or in any public place in this Province in an intoxicated condition he shall be guilty of offence against this Act, and upon any prosecution for such offence he shall be compellible to state the name of the person from whom and the place in which he obtained the liquor which caused the intoxication, and in case of his refusal to do so he shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding three months or until he discloses such information.

(a) In this section "public place" shall include any place, building or public conveyance to which the public habitually resort or to which the public generally are admitted either free or upon payment of any charge or fee or by the purchase of tickets or otherwise.

Any violation of the above section 55, on a summary conviction, found by the magistrate, justice or justices of the peace, provides a penalty for the first offence of not less than \$200 nor more than \$1,000, and in default of payment, not less than three nor more than six months, and for a second offence to imprisonment of not less than six nor more than twelve months.

Section 47 of the Act, reads as follows:—

47. Except as provided by this Act no person shall use or consume liquor in Ontario purchased and received from any person in Ontario, unless it be purchased and received from a licensee, but this section shall not apply to any person who within a private dwelling house innocently uses or consumes liquor not thus purchased and received.

Any violation of this section the offender shall incur a penalty of not less than \$50 nor more than \$300, for the first offence, and in default of immediate payment to imprisonment for less than two nor more than four months, and for the second offence, a penalty of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500, and in default of immediate payment, to a term of imprisonment of not less than four nor more than eight months.

A man with a single idea is a crank. Yet a man with no ideas at all may be a social success.



Tenders for Pulpwood and Pine Limit

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to and including the 1st day of December next, for the right to cut pulpwood and pine timber on a certain area situated on the Pie River and other territory adjacent thereto, in the District of Thunder Bay.

Tenderers shall state the amount per cord on pulpwood, and per thousand feet, board measure, or pine, that they are prepared to pay as a bonus in addition to dues of 40 cents per cord for spruce, and 20 cents per cord for other pulpwoods, and \$2.00 per thousand feet, board measure for pine, or such other rates as may from time to time be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, for the right to operate a pulp mill and a paper mill on or near the area referred to.

Such tenderers shall be required to erect a mill or mills on or near the territory and to manufacture the wood into pulp and paper in the Province of Ontario—the paper mill to be erected when directed by the Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines.

Parties making tender will be required to deposit with their tender a marked cheque, payable to the Honourable the Treasurer of the Province of Ontario, for twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), which amount will be forfeited in the event of their not entering into agreement to carry out conditions, etc. The said \$25,000 will be applied on account of bonus dues, as mentioned above, will require to be paid in the usual manner as returns of cutting of wood and timber are received.

The highest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

For particulars as to description of territory, capital to be invested, etc., apply to the undersigned.

G. H. FERGUSON,

Min. of Lands, Forests and Mines. Toronto, August 28th, 1916.

N.B.—No unauthorized publication of this notice will be paid for.

Red Cross Reports

WEEKLY REPORT

S. PORCUPINE PATRIOTIC SOC.

The last regular meeting of the S. P. S. was held on Sept. 14th, with the vice-president in the chair, and six members present. The meeting was opened with the singing of the National Anthem.

A letter was received from Lieut. M. Lang, regarding Christmas boxes for each one of the boys who left South Porcupine for the front. The discussion of the contents of this letter was postponed until next meeting, to be held on Sept. 21st, 1916.

Shipping Report.

89 pillowslips, 55 sponges, 278 pairs of bought socks, 18 pairs of home-made socks, 16 shirts, 744 bandages.

Supply Secretary's Report.

Work taken in:—3 pairs of socks, 4 shirts.

Work given out:—2 skeins of yarn, 4 shirts.

Treasurer's Report.

Receipts.
Balance on hand ... \$159.82
Proceeds of tea 7.15
Subscriptions 10.00

\$176.97

Disbursements

To W. D. Pearce ... \$ 0.30
" Steam Laundry ... 1.80
" C. M. Carr (ptg.) ... 1.00
" Sky Bros. 9.00
Balance on hand ... 164.87

\$176.97
E. M. WILSON.

D.Y.B. Club Regular Meeting

A very successful meeting of the D. Y. B. Club was held at the Goldfields Hotel, last evening, when four new members were enrolled. The members of the club extend their sincere thanks to the employees of the Hollinger Mine for their generous donation of \$450, received last week. The Club having received a letter from Capt. Mary Plummer, of Shorncliffe, England, asking for our help in a Christmas Gift Fund, it was decided that a cheque of \$50 be sent to help the good work of cheering our Canadian boys with a Christmas gift.

The Club's next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Jemmitt next Tuesday evening.

Work taken in—15 pairs of socks, 4 shirts.
Work given out—Wool for 13 pairs of socks, 5 shirts.

LETTER OF THANKS.

To the Employees of the Hollinger Mine—
On behalf of the members of the D. Y. B. Club, I wish to extend our grateful appreciation of your kind and generous donation of \$450, recently received by the Club. We are indeed very thankful to you and hope to use the money to such advantage that it will bring many comforts to our boys in the trenches.
Yours very truly,
THE D. Y. B. CLUB,
per E. Lafferty,
Corresponding Secretary.

THE JADED YOUTH.

A pitcher's life
Is full of strife,
He lives but little time,
His palsied frame
Grows old and lame
When he is in his prime.

A pace so fast
He cannot last,
His race is swiftly run,
Poor Eddie Plank,
Long, lean and lank,
Is only forty-one.

Two Husbands in Same Block.

Confronted with charges of deception and intrigue in a hearing before Alderman Martin, of Pottsville, Pa., Mary Vollen, of Coaldale, confessed she has been leading a double life since last May, during which time she lived with two husbands and kept each in ignorance of the other's existence. Her double life was revealed when one of her husbands, Matthew Karaltis, discovered she had been married to Vincent Vollen. The husbands lived only a block from each other.

In Germany, of 9,732,472 engaged in agriculture, 4,565,749 are women. A magazine has been patented for carrying an extra load of tobacco along the stem of a pipe.

GENEROUS GIFT OF HOLLINGER EMPLOYEES

To the Local Red Cross, Patriotic and D. Y. B. Club Shows What They are Doing to Aid This Work.

The appeals of the various local patriotic societies have been most generously answered by the Hollinger Mines employees, who have contributed the following sums:—

Timmins Branch Red Cross Society \$1,762.50
Porcupine Branch Can. Patriotic Fund 1,762.55
Timmins D. Y. B. Club ... 450.00

\$3,975.05

It is understood that every employee contributed one day's pay to this donation, and that this will be done every third month on the distinct understanding that there will be no soliciting, selling of tickets or tags for the balance of 1916.

It is to be hoped that the fine example set by the Hollinger employees will be followed by those of the other mines in the neighborhood and by the townspeople, merchants and their employees in the Town of Timmins.

The giving of dances, entertainments and such, consume a large part of the money subscribed to them and the selling of tags and tickets is a constant source of annoyance, so that the scheme of monthly or tri-monthly payments or subscriptions would do away with the necessity of all this.

Many of the merchants have "done their bit" all the time, but sad to relate, a very few, whose business has been good until now, absolutely refuse to contribute.

COUNCIL MEETING

(Continued from page 1)

Children's Aid Soc.	44.25
Porcupine Advance	20.55
Geo. Taylor Hdw.	400.00
Gutta Percha-Rubber Co.	555.94
Porcupine Mines Co.	25.00
Union Coal Co.	6.40
Chas. E. Hammond Co.	100.65
W. H. Wilson	1,172.95
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	152.92
A. Brazeau	47.88
T. & N. O. Ry.	226.19
W. G. Bard	156.00
Nat. Iron Works	11.86
The Jas. Robertson Co. Ltd.	582.24
Weaver Coal Co.	335.05
E. H. Hill	2.80
Bucovetsky Bros.	22.40
Jas. Graham	78.50

Total \$3,954.53

The motion for the following bills to be paid by the treasurer was made at the last meeting of the Council, but was overlooked, consequently they were passed at this meeting, the motion being made by Councillor MeLaughlin, they were as follows:—

Postmaster (stamps)	\$ 30.00
Children's Aid Society	15.70
Porcupine Advance	4.50
Routley & Summers	793.81
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A. J. Courtemanche	138.52
Marshall-Ecclestone Ltd.	29.53
Despatch & Tribune	4.80
J. & J. Taylor	60.00
M. Boivin84
J. T. Easton Co.	16.00
H. C. Dunbar	3.00
Chas. Pierce & Sons	27.95
Cobalt Nugget	10.36
Leo Mascioli	217.07
T. & N. O. Ry.	2.23
do. do.	254.35
H. Mueller Mfg. Co.	71.16
T. & N. O. Ry.	27.93
A. Brazeau	24.60
A. L. Casselman	21.00
Jas. Graham	45.50

Total \$3,119.61

The matter of the debentures being issued for the new school on the offer of the Stimson & Co., was left in the hands of the Finance Committee.

On motion by Councillor Moore, seconded by Councillor Globe, it was decided to have Mr. W. G. Smith interview the property owners of the proposed walk on Third avenue and have them sign the notes, that the work may be proceeded with as soon as they are discounted by the bank.

It was moved by Councillor McInnis, seconded by Councillor Brazeau, "That the excavation of the cellar of the fire hall be proceeded with, and that the cost of this work to be exclusive of the tendered price. Carried.

The meeting then adjourned, pursuant to a meeting on Monday next.

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