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**DRESSER**—Large boarding house dresser, golden oak finish, bevel plate mirror. **\$13.50**

**CABINET**—Ideal Kitchen Cabinet, light oak finish— **\$31.50**

## COUNCIL WILL INSIST

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solicitor, felt there was nothing reasonable to do but follow the Judge's order and return the fines and costs.

A letter was received from Mr. J. L. Englehart, of the T. & N.O. Railway Commission, thanking the Council for their recent letter of appreciation regarding the new Timmins station and for the offer of town property for grounds for station lawns and gardens. The latter matter, Mr. Englehart said, was referred to the chief engineer of the railway, but owing to circumstances and conditions it was not likely much could be done this year along the lines of making "grounds beautiful" for the "People's Railway Station."

A telegram from Jack Munro thanked the Council very warmly for their offer of the position of tax collector, but as he was not discharged yet and still had to undergo treatment that could not be secured in Timmins, such as electric treatment and massage, he could not take the generous offer now.

A letter from the Town Solicitor indicated the steps necessary to secure free express delivery in town.

A letter from Mr. John Birnie, solicitor, Collingwood, replied to the demand for the return of the \$115 salary of Mr. Dey, fire chief here for a short time. The writer said Mr. Dey was honest and upright and would not stoop to meanness. He had intended to return after the Christmas holidays, but Mrs. Dey objected. Mr. Dey had lost a good position, money and time through the Timmins episode, and, according to Mr. Birnie, was legally entitled to all he received. A refund of the amount for the days on which Mr. Dey had been absent might perhaps be made, but certainly no more. The letter was referred by the Council to the Town Solicitor for advice on the next step.

Applications for the position of tax collector were received from Messrs. W. G. Smith, Harry W. Asselstine and Martin Walsh. Messrs. Hammond, A. M. Tobin and F. C. H. Simms applied for the auditing of the town books and accounts, the two last named being local men and both with wide experience in the work.

Messrs. McCausland & Anderson, who are thinking of opening an office in Timmins, offered expert engineering service to the Council. In case their business in Timmins continued to increase one of the firm would locate here permanently and open an office in town.

Councillor Globe gave a verbal report for the Waterworks Committee. He explained the freezing up of service pipes by the conditions caused by the little protecting snow this year and the severe frosts. Everything possible was being done to keep things open. He outlined the prospects for the year, and showed by the estimates made that the Dept. would likely have a nice net profit to the good at the end of the year. The financial houses were taking up the matter of the \$28,000 bonds for extension of mains and he thought that this year there would be no difficulty in getting the finances necessary for the extensions planned last year. The matter of the cost of thawing out services was also touched on, and he suggested that half the expense in such cases be borne by the consumer and the other half by the town.

Councillor Pierce reported on the sanitary conditions, cesspools, etc. He suggested that the Town give owners of cesspools the use of a suitable sleigh box, pump and sleigh, and that the owners then clean their own cesspools and the town scavenger attend to the rest of the matter. After a discussion it was decided that Councillor Pierce get his committee together and submit a formal report to Council.

Dr. McInnis made a report on Fire and Light matters. Councillor Globe wanted to know if the town had any guarantee that the underwriters will give any better insurance rates or terms now that everything has been done to suit them. "Is Borland coming for sure?" was Councillor Pierce's innocent question at this point.

Dr. McInnis asked support from the Council for the proposal of Mr. Geils regarding the establishing of a band in town. There was lots of the musical talent necessary, and Dr. McInnis thought a town band would be a good addition to the town's assets in many ways.

"We will give the band our heartiest MORAL support," said Councillor Williams, "but we have nothing else to give."

"That's no good," said Dr. McInnis.

The Mayor suggested that it would be a good question for the Board of Trade to busy itself about.

Moneta and Rochester having asked for rates on fire protection assistance in case of need, the Chairman of the Fire and Light will draw up a schedule.

## ENDED LIFE WITH CARBOLIC ACID

Austrian at Schumacher, Crossed in Affairs of Friendship, Poisoned Himself Last Week.

After taking a formal farewell of his immediate acquaintances and friends on Wednesday of last week, an Austrian who lived at a boarding house kept by a fellow-countryman at Schumacher, retired to his bed. Little attention was paid to his farewell talk, until it was discovered that the man was in great agony and that an empty bottle that had apparently contained carbolic acid was found lying on the floor beside the bed. The Austrian had worked for nearly a year past at the McIntyre Mine, and the doctor from that mine was hastily summoned. The use of the stomach pump and every other method possible were employed to save the life of the suffering man, but all efforts were unavailing, and after undergoing great agony he passed away. In a note he left behind, it is said that he explained his rash act as due to worry over a disagreement with one of his own countrywomen whom he greatly admired, and without whose favor he felt life not worth living. The facts of the case did not, in the opinion of the Coroner, call for any investigation, so no inquest was held. A brother and a sister of the deceased are said to reside in the Porcupine district.

## POLICE MAKE BIG HAUL IN MONETA

High Wines, Whiskey, Essences and High-Grade Pound in Raid Monday Evening.

Provincial Officer Aekroyd, accompanied by Constables Sally and Harbottle, made a raid on the house in Moneta owned by Frank Scullino on Monday night and made a noteworthy haul. Among the stuff seized was a quantity of high wines, a quantity of whiskey, essences for flavoring liquors, etc. A wicked looking gun was also taken in charge. Some men who were in the house were not arrested as there was no sign of any liquor when the police entered, and the chief suspicion was against the proprietor of the house. After a search, however, the police found the unlawful goods cached underneath the flooring, the effect being rendered more innocent appearing by the oil-cloth on the floor, but Provincial Officer Aekroyd had been in too many raids before to be turned aside by this trick.

Six or seven men are said to stay at the house, but when the police visited the place the one chiefly desired was away at work at the mines. The officers went after Scullino, but apparently someone "tapped him off" and he has not yet been located.

## LIEUT. TRIVETT AT ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH

Another Opportunity to Hear This Gifted Returned Soldier on Sunday.

Lieut. the Rev. A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., will again preach at St. Matthew's church on Sunday evening, Feb. 25th, at 7.30 p.m. Lieut. Trivett spent two years as a combatant at the front and suffered wounds that prevented his further service as an active soldier. He is, however, soon to go overseas again, this time as a chaplain. A large congregation heard him here two weeks ago, and those who missed that opportunity will no doubt be glad that there is a second chance. His own natural ability coupled with his first-hand knowledge of things as they really are at the front give his words a particular message for us today. The Church of England may well feel proud of such a man who has recently received Holy Orders. His father was a pioneer missionary among the Indians in the far west, and his brother, who is also well known in the Porcupine, is now a missionary in China.

This will be the last visit of Lieut. Trivett to Porcupine before he returns to the front as a chaplain. Lieut. Trivett also speaks at St. Paul's church, South Porcupine, at 11 a.m. on the same day—Sunday, Feb. 25th.

The regular 5 per cent. quarterly dividend of the Dome Mines will be paid March 1st to shareholders of record Feb. 17th.

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## IS IT GOOD-BYE, NOW, TO MORROW?

Toronto Wine Agent Arrested Till Fine Was Paid. Another Case Against Him Seems to be Dropped. Why?

Mr. Morrow, the agent for a Toronto wine company, who was fined \$200 and costs some weeks ago for a breach of the Temperance Act, was arrested last week at Schumacher on orders from Chief Craft. Mr. Morrow was not present here when decision was given in his case some weeks ago, and the fine was thus not collected at the time. As there was another case pending in which it was expected that he would appear in person again, the first fine was allowed to stand until Mr. Morrow should once more visit the town. "Hope deferred maketh the heart sick," however, and the second case against Mr. Morrow was adjourned and enlarged and remanded so often that it seemed to die of pusillanimity. Accordingly last week when Chief Craft learned that Mr. Morrow was in Schumacher, the Chief thought he would collect that first fine without waiting for the final trump of doom when the second case may be tried. Mr. Morrow accordingly was taken in charge by the officers of the law and escorted to Timmins. Arriving here he paid the fine all right, and was allowed his freedom once again—perhaps for ever. The second case against him seems to be withdrawn, though it is said that Provincial Officer Allen, who laid this second information, had an analysis of some of the wine that registered something like 17 per cent. Again, the question arises, "Why is this thyness?" If everything was all right why was Mr. Morrow annoyed with a second charge? If there were no grounds for a second prosecution, why was there so much room for remands and adjournments? If there were reasons for the second case why was it chloroformed to death in its fair young youth? P.S.—No answer is expected.

## HIGHLANDERS ARE RECRUITING HERE

Pte. Valley and Pte. Strickland of the Queen's University 253rd Highland Battalion have opened recruiting offices in the municipal building, and are giving the men of Timmins and district the first direct opportunity to join up with a Highlanders Battalion. It may, perhaps, be the last voluntary chance as well as the enforcing of the Militia Act would make the matter one of something else than "chance." Although the district has been very thoroughly canvassed by various units, the Highland regiments have a particular attraction for many men that may secure them many recruits here.

The 253rd Highlanders have been recruiting only since Jan. 10th, but they are now about 650 strong, so an early trip overseas is probable for men joining this Battalion. In Cobalt about sixty men were secured and the recruiting work is still being carried on there by Capt. Graham and Lieut. Garrett with satisfactory results.

Pte. Lonsdale is recruiting for the 253rd in South Porcupine and Schumacher, and the hope is that the Porcupine district will be well represented in this Highlanders' Battalion.

A slight accident occurred at the North Thompson on Saturday night when the iron fastening connecting the cable with the cage broke and the cage went down to the bottom level. One of the workmen at the bottom had a more or less narrow escape, losing a finger through the accident, but, fortunately, suffering no worse injury. In some of the rumors about the accident he met a much worse fate, however, the reports saying that his whole arm had been cut off and his head so badly battered that his life was despaired of—in the stories. Even though it may spoil a sensational yarn, all will be glad to know that "rumors" and "reports," as usual, were badly astray and twisted in this case.

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But the old lady was never known neighbors played tennis on Sunday, to speak ill of anyone, even when her She only said: