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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th,
THE DEBT OF HONOR

If a man died fighting to save your home from destruction by fire, would you see his wife want life's necessities or comforts if you could avoid it? If a man were torn by a mad beast in a gallant defence of your little boy would you let him go uncaared for and unattended, if your money could buy him assistance? If a man risked his all to keep your girl safe from a menace worse than death would your gratitude not rise at least to the extent of contributing to a collection for the hero? The devastating fire is raging, the mad beast has broken loose, the menace has threatened all the women of the world to-day. And brave men have fought the fire, have warded off the beast, have kept the menace from

us all. That is the inescapable position. The brave soldiers overseas and the sailors on the oceans of the world have saved this land from the fate of Belgium, Serbia and the other ravished nations. We have enjoyed safety, comfort, prosperity. They have paid the price for it all,—a price we can never repay. We can, however, make some payments on account. If we fail, then—

For the comfort we enjoy, for our boasted liberty unbroken, the greatest price we can pay would be pitifully small. But the obligation to do our best remains. Honor demands the sincerest and most self-sacrificing efforts to redeem our pledges, open and implied, to the soldiers. For Red Cross Work and the Patriotic Fund the Porcupine has been asked for \$50,000 this year. That is a large amount, but pitifully small when viewed beside the debt to the soldiers or the wealth of the community. If every citizen will face the situation fairly and deal honestly with the question that \$50,000 will be pledged. It is a debt of honor. It is up to the Porcupine.

ARRESTED AT SUDBURY ON CHARGES OF THEFT.

Victoria Lapointe and Duff Larocque were arrested as they reached Sudbury one day last week, the charges against them being of theft of certain valuables from the Frontenac Hotel, Timmins. Among the other things said to be stolen is a wedding ring, and it is said that the couple were on their way to Sudbury to be married and that thus the ring would have a double use or value. Another article claimed to be stolen by the couple or by one of them is a watch owned by a lady at the Frontenac. As both a ring and a watch answering the description were found in the possession of the couple when arrested explanations will be necessary. The two trunks used by the couple were also taken into custody and will be examined as a number of articles are being sought. Constable Greer has brought the couple back from Sudbury and they will come up for trial before Magistrate Atkinson on Thursday.

CADET K. F. DeLONG HERE BEFORE GOING TO TEXAS.

R.F.C. Cadet K. F. DeLong paid a flying visit to the Camp last week and was warmly welcomed by his many friends here. He had only a day to spend, but on Wednesday afternoon his friends were able to meet him and spend a few hours at his home here and in addition he was able to call on a number of others during the day, among others meeting the fire brigade boys at the hall and recalling former days when he was a member of the brigade. On Wednesday evening a number of his friends and friends of Dr. Otton gave a dance in their honor in the Council Chamber. Cadet DeLong left on Thursday morning for Toronto, expecting to leave there last week for Texas where he will take a course in aerial gunnery.

Cadet DeLong is well pleased with the Air Service, and looks as if the work agreed with him and he agreed with it. The result is that he is "getting along" in the service. He says that men are wanted for the Royal Flying Corps. The need is pressing enough for airmen to warrant the mustering of those in the mechanical department of the service and accepting those there fit and willing to train for the active air work.

The New Empire Theatre benefit nights, Monday and Tuesday, in aid of the Christmas Parcels Fund under the auspices of the Timmins Red Cross Society, were well attended and a comfortable little sum realized for the good work. Young ladies in Red Cross uniforms acted as ushers for the occasions.

TIMMINS I.O.L. No. 2552
Meets every first and fourth Monday evenings of each month, Oddfellows Hall, Third avenue. Visiting brethren always welcome.
J. W. Faithful, J. W. Noseworthy, W.M. R.S.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of George Preston, of the Town of Timmins in the District of Temiskaming, Merchant, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the above named Insolvent of the Town of Timmins in the District of Temiskaming, carrying on business as a wholesale merchant at Timmins aforesaid has made an assignment of his estate to me for the general benefit of his creditors under the Revised Statutes of Ontario, c. 134.

The creditors are notified to meet at my office at the place of business of the Insolvent on Third Avenue in the Town of Timmins aforesaid on the Twenty-first day of February, 1918, at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving statement of the insolvent's affairs, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

All persons claiming to be entitled to rank on the estate must file their claims with me on or before the twenty-first day of February, 1918, after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets thereof, having regard to those claims only of which I shall then have received notice.

Dated at Timmins this Eleventh day of February, 1918.

ALEXANDER STIRLING,
Trustee,
Timmins, Ont.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of Oscar & Assad, of the Village of Schumacher in the District of Temiskaming, General Merchants, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that Sam Oscar and Freda Assad, carrying on business under the style and firm name of Oscar & Assad at the Village of Schumacher, in the District of Temiskaming, General Merchants, have this day made an assignment under The Assignments and Preference Act of all their estate, credits, and effects to Irven E. Dunn, of the Village of Schumacher, gentleman, for the general benefit of their creditors.

A meeting of the creditors will be held in the building lately occupied by the insolvents at Schumacher on Monday, the 25th day of February, A.D., 1918, at the hour of 4.30 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.

And Notice is further given that after the 1st day of March, 1918, the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Schumacher this 7th day of February, 1918.

IRVEN E. DUNN,
Assignee.

J. W. Mahon
BARRISTER,
SOLICITOR,
NOTARY PUBLIC
9-10 Royal Exchange Bldg., Cobalt.
Phone 58. Moore Bldg., Timmins.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

During the extreme cold weather, consumers of town water are advised to allow their taps to keep running slightly to prevent freezing in the pipes.

By order
H. E. MONTGOMERY
clerk

Cook & Mitchell
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS,
NOTARIES.
Timmins, South Porcupine
Toronto

HERE IS THE SENSATION OF 1918 AT TIMMINS

Bankrupt! Bankrupt!

Bankrupt Stock must be Sold in Twelve Days

Mr. Neil Ryan, who has conducted a Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Business in this Town and who was known to carry a Very Extensive Stock of high-class Clothing and Gents' Furnishings, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. We were very lucky to procure this stock at a very low rate on the dollar from the inspectors who were appointed by their creditors. This means that through our purchase the people of Timmins are going to have the full benefit of this assignment at the expense of his creditors.

Sale starts Friday, February 15th, at 9 a.m.
and will continue for 12 days only

This is no Fake Sale but a Genuine One **Follow the Crowds to the Neil Ryan Store**

This Bankrupt Stock was purchased by the firm of Bucovetsky of this town, and we intend to give the public the same satisfaction as we have endeavored to do so in the past. This Sale will be conducted under our own supervision, and this alone needs no recommend. We will endeavor to completely sell the Entire Stock in Twelve Days, and it must be remembered that the Stock must be sold within the four walls of store previously occupied by Mr. Neil Ryan.

Watch for the Red Sign at Neil Ryan's store, next King's Amusement Parlors. See the Big Bills for Prices, Etc.

BUCOVETSKY BROS. - - PINE ST., TIMMINS