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**T. & N. O. SHOULD BUILD
SPUR LINE TO KIRKLAND**

There is general activity at Kirkland Lake these days and the district gives excellent prospect of developing into a good mining camp. The Lake Shore Mine is an active producer with a fine record and there are a number of other mines at the stage where noteworthy production may be looked for. Last week in discussing the prospects of the Kirkland Lake Camp one mining man said the chief drawback now was the inadequate transportation facilities. "What is needed," he said, "is a spur line from Swastika. The traffic warrants it, and it would eventually, and at no very distant day, be a money-maker for the railway." He also emphasized the fact that should never be forgotten, that the T. & N.O. Railway was designed as a "colonization road," a factor for the development and convenience of the country, rather than to make big dividends. From this viewpoint, he believed that the T. & N.O. should be ready to build a spur line in to such an important camp as Kirkland Lake. "That would be the way to develop the country," he said. Asked as to whether efforts had been made to induce the Railway to give the Kirkland Camp this accommodation, he answered, "Oh, we have interviewed Mr. Englehart, but apparently can not get the authorities interested in the necessary work of present." Railway accommodation for Kirkland Lake would seem to be one of the necessary ways to "open up the country" and give chance for development.

**TIMMINS RED CROSS TO
MEET NEXT TUESDAY.**

For the past couple of months the Timmins Red Cross Society has not been holding their regular meetings on account of the prevalent epidemic. With the lifting of the ban against gatherings the Red Cross will resume its meetings as there is much more

to be done. The Red Cross is now taking an active part in the Red work and for the Refugees and the demand is very pressing. The first meeting of the Timmins Red Cross will be held on Tuesday afternoon, January 7th. It will be a business meeting, and all members are urged to be present. Special request is also made that all those having work done should bring in all they have as it is desired that as large a shipment as possible should be made at the earliest possible date.

**IMPROVED MUNICIPAL
BUILDING NOW IN USE.**

The work on the improvements, alterations and extensions to the old police station building to make it into a municipal building for practically all the town offices is making good progress. The Town Clerk and Treasurer and the Assessor and Tax Collector have moved into the new offices at the front of the improved building. N. Racicot has the contract for the interior finishing and decorating and has a staff of painters now on the work. It is the intention to finish the outside with a plaster finish, but this can not be done until the spring. In the meantime the interior of the building is being put into first-class condition. At the front there are suitable offices for the Clerk and the Tax Collector. The Chief of Police has an office immediately past that of the Collector. Behind this is the good sized Council Chamber which will also be used as a Court Room. The cells, lavatories, furnace, etc., are in the well-finished basement. The building is equipped with the necessary vaults for the use of the town officials. There is a special cell for women prisoners apart from the other cells.

**A. W. ROEBUCK MARRIED
IN TORONTO RECENTLY**

Last week the Toronto newspapers announced the marriage at the home of Mrs. Fred Perry, Maitland Place, Toronto, on Saturday, December 21st, of her second daughter, Inez, to Mr. Arthur W. Roebuck, barrister-at-law. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Brock, rector of Christ Church in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. The bride, who was unattended, wore a becoming sand color dress and hat, with bouquet of roses. Dr. John Roebuck, of Wisconsin State University, brother of the groom, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Roebuck left to spend

their honeymoon at New York and Lakewood, N. J.

Mr. Roebuck is well-known in the North Land, and his many friends will extend congratulations and best wishes. At the last Dominion election he was the candidate in this riding against Hon. Frank Cochrane, and though defeated at the polls the battle he made won him many friends and admirers among those not in favor of Union Government. Mr. Roebuck formerly conducted a newspaper at New Liskeard, but some years ago discontinued this to take up the study and practice of law. Recently he has been practicing law in Toronto, but a short time ago the firm in which he is a partner opened an office in Cobalt.

**INFLUENZA CASES IN SOUTH
PORCUPINE NOT SERIOUS.**

Reports in town to the effect that the influenza epidemic had again broken out in South Porcupine seem to be much exaggerated. There was even a report here that it would be necessary to re-open the school as an emergency hospital, but no such step has been considered up to date. This week the municipal authorities at So. Porcupine told The Advance that the situation was not serious at all. There have been a few cases in the past ten days of severe colds or light attacks of the "Flu" but none of them are considered in any way dangerous. This week no new cases have been reported, and all the old cases are well on the way to recovery. The authorities were ready to take any precautions necessary, but no measures have been called for so far. "South Porcupine is all right," was the way one of the Councillors put it.

Walter Atkins, a lad of nineteen years of age, was sentenced by Magistrate Atkinson last Thursday to six months in the Reformatory for a bold, bad robbery. The young fellow had broken into and robbed one of the buildings at O'Mara's Camp on the Mattagami. Among other things stolen were a number of furs and an automatic revolver. There was difficulty in securing clues as to the identity of the robber as he was a stranger in the district and few had seen him. Provincial Officer Moore, however, got on his trail and arrested him just as he was boarding the train at Hoyle. The young fellow, who was only nineteen years of age told a remarkable story of an adventurous life, including visits to Mexico and South American ports. He says he was born in Scotland.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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Take Notice that all persons having claims against the estate of the above deceased are to file the same duly verified by affidavit with the undersigned on or before the 21st day of January, A.D. 1919. And Take Notice that after said date the estate of the said deceased will be distributed having regard only to such accounts as shall then have been filed.

Dated at South Porcupine this Twentieth day of December, A.D. 1918
COOK & MITCHELL,
Solicitors for Elsie D. Salmi,
Administratrix of said estate.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as pulpwood contractors, carrying on business as such in the District of Temiskaming, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Leonard S. Newton, at Timmins, aforesaid, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Leonard S. Newton, by whom the same will be settled.

DATED at Timmins this 19th day of December, A.D., 1918.
(LEONARD S. NEWTON
(HENRY J. FITZPATRICK,
A. E. PHILLIPS, Witness.

DR. W. P. O'BRIEN, V.S.
Graduate of the University of Toronto.
Formerly Veterinary Inspector for the Dominion Government
Office: Phone 10. Residence: 28
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During the past few days there have been several deaths in the southern towns of the North Land from the influenza epidemic. Among those dying in Haileybury last week were Mr. and Mrs. M. Whelan, the young couple dying within a day of each other. They leave three small children.

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