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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th.

TIME MADE BY WINNERS
IN PREVIOUS DOG RACES.

So many have enquired regarding the time made by winners in previous dog races and there have been so many arguments regarding the matter that The Advance herewith gives the times made by all the winners in the Dog Team Races up-to-date.

The winner of the first race here, in 1916, was Miss Brisson, whose dogs made the course in 1 hour, 32 minutes, 37 seconds.

For 1917 the winner was George Cousineau, and the time, the record so far, 1 hour, 18 minutes, 35 seconds.

In 1918, W. Martin's dog team won with a time of 1 hour, 31 minutes and 45 seconds.

This year W. Martin's team took 1 hour, 35 minutes and 23 seconds, for the course.

The course each year is practically the same, between 13 and 14 miles. This year it was thought by many that previous records would be broken as the trail was considered to be in better shape. The entries, however, say that the trail was not any too good in many ways. For instance, one entry says that there was a sort of crust on the snow and if this were broken through there were holes to

lead with. The idea, however, this year's time would break records was a very general one. One man at least had bets up on this year's record would be 15 minutes better than last year, while the actual record was nearly a minute better than the worst previous year.

VETERAN'S DANCE WILL
BE PLEASANT EVENT.

The public in general have shown great interest in the 'Welcome Home' Dance to be given in the Masonic Hall, Timmins, on Monday evening, March 4th, by the Great War Veterans, Goldfields Branch, and the event will undoubtedly prove pleasant and successful enough to warrant the general interest. Dancing will commence at 9 p.m. Refreshments served and the best of music. A musical program of songs and instrumentals is also being prepared for the evening as a variation to the program of dancing. All are invited, and all assured of a pleasant evening at this event. The proceeds are for the funds of the local G.W.V.A.

SAPPER A. BORLAND BACK
FROM OVERSEAS SERVICE.

There was a big crowd and much enthusiasm at the station on Thursday afternoon last, the occasion being the welcoming home of Sapper Alex. Borland, son of Fire Chief and Mrs. A. Borland. Mayor Melnis, representing the Town, and President Geo. A. Smith of the Great War Veterans, formally welcomed the returning soldier, and the crowd gave three rousing cheers and a tiger to show that it was unanimous. Sapper Borland enlisted before he was eighteen and served over 29 months overseas, most of the time in France, where he was through many of the most stirring events of the war. He had the

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good fortune to come through without injury from the enemy, his one or two brief experiences in the hospital being due to illness or, as on one occasion, to a sprained ankle while at work in the trenches.

On Friday evening a number of friends of the returned soldier and the family, including members of the local fire brigade, enjoyed a very pleasant supper and social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Borland, renewing acquaintance with the returned soldier.

ABITIBI LODGE A.F. & A.M.
ENTERTAINS D.D.G.M. JOENS

Messrs. C. G. Williams, H. Webb, D. A. Hoggarth, P. Dougall, H. W. Hooker and Geo. Lake were among those from Timmins attending the Abitibi Lodge A.F. & A.M., at Iroquois Falls last Friday evening, the special occasion being the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master, Wor. Bro. D. Johns, to the Abitibi Lodge. The work of the Lodge was exemplified in the first degree and the brethren of Abitibi Lodge won high commendation from the D.D.G.M. After the work of the lodge there was a banquet with the District Deputy Grand Master as the guest of honor, and eloquent and impressive addresses, together with song and instrument

al music, and the best of good things for the inner man, provided a most attractive program. The principal speakers were:—R. W. Bro. D. Johns, D.D.G.M.; Wor. Bro. McLaughlin, Forest Lodge; W. Bro. Patterson of Englehart; Wor. Bro. LeHeup, Haileybury; Wor. Bro. C. G. Williams, Wor. Bro. D. A. Hoggarth and Wor. Bro. H. Webb, Timmins; Bro. R. A. McInnis, Bro. Rev. R. E. Morton, and Bro. W. A. Morrison, Iroquois Falls; Bro. Rev. R. C. Pitts, Cochrane.

An interesting feature of the work of the lodge was the presentation of a gold mounted cane to R. W. Bro. Johns from the members of Abitibi Lodge.

FIREMEN SCORE ONE
MORE BIG SUCCESS.

The Firemen's Dance in the Masonic Hall last Thursday evening proved one of the most successful events of its kind held in the Camp. If any fault could be found with the evening, it will be no more than that there was such a large attendance that the hall was not big enough to accommodate all for the dancing. The programme of the evening was much enjoyed; there was the usual pleasant social time passed by all at the Firemen's dances; the music by Appel's three-piece orchestra was excellent; the 'eats' were up to the usual high standard; and in short everybody had a good time and voted the dance a complete success. The Firemen netted a comfortable sum also from the event.

At the D.Y.E. Dance to-morrow night there will be a musical program, including piano duet by Mrs. R. Sims and Miss Edla Sims, and songs by Mrs. J. K. Moore, Miss C. Hoggarth and Mrs. R. W. Robbins. The music for the dancing will be furnished by the Appel Orchestra.

Rev. Geo. A. Steel, pastor of the United Church at Cochrane, who has many friends in Timmins and the Porcupine, has resigned, the resignation to take effect on July 1st. Rev. Mr. Steel intends to visit England and will be absent about a year. He has applied for a twelve-months' leave of absence from the Conference.

MODERN CLUB BUILDING

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secured; that co-operation, wherever possible, was the best policy; and that the structure proposed would be a most fitting war memorial to commemorate the part taken by the men of the Porcupine in the Great War. The idea of the meeting was that a large modern building should be erected in a prominent place in town as a War Memorial. This building would provide quarters for the Great War Veterans; it would serve as a men's club, with baths, gymnasium, billiards, library, etc.; there would be hall accommodation for all the various organizations of the town; it would be non-denominational,—open to all. One of the suggestions of the evening that the Town Council might be interested in providing for the further growth of the Town and take material part in the building by using the plans to secure suitable and commodious municipal offices, all under the one roof. It was thought that the financing could be done by popular subscription if the building were to take the form of a War Memorial funds would not be difficult to secure, especially as the Porcupine Consolidated Patriotic Club is not continuing much longer this year. Eventually it was decided to test the matter out further by another meeting at which the ideas of all could be secured. The Secretary was instructed to write the following bodies asking them to send representatives to a meeting to be held in the Timmins Council Chamber on Friday evening, March 7th, at eight o'clock to further consider the matter:—Great War Veterans Association, the Italian Society, the Board of Trade, the Town Council, the R. C. Chapel, the Anglican Church, Baptist Church, Presbyterian Church, Miners' Union, the Fire Department, Ratspayers' Association, the Saturdaynight Club, the Schumacher Church, and the Holling-yr. Meltyre, Schumacher, Porcupine Crown, V.N.T. and other mines. At the meeting Friday evening of next week, March 7th, it is hoped that there will be a large and representative gathering of all interested and that definite steps may be taken to start organization in the matter.

BOARD and ROOM WANTED, by young lady, in comfortable and respectable home in town. Apply, giving terms, etc., to Box 359, Timmins or Advance Office.

WANTED GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Best Wages. Mrs. C. G. Williams, 9 Hemlock St. 11-

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SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE, nearly new. Apply to No. 10 6th Ave., between 2 and 4 p.m. 13-14

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SEED GRAIN

NOTICE TO SETTLERS TEMISKAMING DISTRICT.

REGISTERED PATENTEES OR LOCATEES may obtain Seed Wheat and Seed Oats to the value of \$40.00 for each settler, if approved.

Forms of Application stating prices and terms may be obtained from the Crown Land Agent of the District, or the District Representative of the Department of Agriculture, or from the Northern Development Branch, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

No settler will be supplied who is not a Registered Patented owner or Locatee.

The applications must be properly filled out and returned to the Local Crown Land Agent not later than March 8th, 1919.

(gd.) G. HOWARD FERGUSON,
Minister of Lands, Forests & Mines

Bridge Contract to Let

Tenders will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, of February 24th, next, addressed to Hon. G. H. Ferguson, Minister of Lands, Forests & Mines, Ontario, for the building of the sub-structure of a bridge over the Mattagami River, near Timmins, Ontario. Plans, specifications, and general conditions of the contract may be seen at the office of C. H. Fullerton, Superintendent of Colonization Roads, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. A marked cheque for \$1000 must accompany the tender. The lowest, or any tender not necessarily accepted.

A. GRIGG,
Deputy Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines.
Parliament Buildings, Toronto.
February 10th, 1919.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sam Markovitch, late of the Township of Tisdale in the District of Temiskaming, Miner, deceased.

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 25th day of March, 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 24th day of February, A.D. 1919.
COOK & MITCHELL,
Solicitors for Mark Markovitch
14-16 "., Executor of said Estate.

Sudbury District Branch of the Great War Veterans Association have opened well-appointed and commodious club quarters in the Federal Building at Sudbury, and a few days ago held their first "At Home" with a visit 400 guests present.

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Phone 131.
Residence, No. 1 Hemlock Street.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Napoleon Lefevre late of the Town of Timmins, in the District of Temiskaming, Carpenter, deceased.

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 28th day of February, 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 Thirty-First day of January, A.D. 1919.
COOK & MITCHELL,
Solicitors for Barthelmy Noel,
Executor of said Estate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Estate of Timothy Bosak late of the township of Calvert in the District of Temiskaming, Labourer, deceased.

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 10th day of March, 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 Tenth day of February, A.D. 1919.
COOK & MITCHELL,
Solicitors for Yakov Kravehuk
Administrator of said estate.

TIMMINS LODGE, I.O.O.F. No. 459

Meets every Tuesday evening in their lodge room on Third Avenue. Visiting brothers requested to attend.
A. G. Carson, J. Heppelstone,
N. G. R. B.

TIMMINS I.O.O.F. No. 2552

Meets every first and fourth Monday evenings of each month, Oddfellows Hall, Third Avenue. Visiting brethren always welcome.
L. W. Duscharm, Otto Kabel,
W.M. E.B.



War to Peace

Make The Returning Soldier Welcome

THIS is an important hour for Canada. The nation is entering on a new era. It is passing from war to peace. Let us start this new era right. There are thousands of soldiers returning from overseas. The Government is doing all in its power to get these men back to civil life.

It is giving a *War Service Gratuity*—more than any other nation—to keep the soldier going till he gets a job.

It gives him a *pension*—where his usefulness is impaired by his service.

It teaches a man a *new trade* when his service unfits him for his former trade.

It gives him *free medical treatment* when illness recurs, and supplies free artificial limbs and surgical appliances.

It is bringing back to Canada at the public expense the *soldiers' dependents* now overseas.

But the Government, however willing, cannot provide the personal touch needed in this work of repatriation. That must be given by the people themselves.

The men who went from these parts to fight in Flanders deserve a real welcome home—the best we can give.

In most towns committees of citizens have already been organized to meet the soldiers and their dependents at the station, to provide hot meals, supply automobiles, afford temporary accommodation when necessary.

In addition, many other towns are organizing social gatherings to give public welcome to returned men after they have been home a few days.

After he has rested, the soldier must be provided with an opportunity for employment. In towns of 10,000 population, Public Employment Offices have been established to help soldiers, as well as war-workers, secure good jobs quickly. Where these exist, citizens should co-operate. Where they do not exist, the citizens themselves should help put the soldier in touch with employment.

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The fighting job is done. It has cost many a heart-burning. But it has been well done. The least we can do is to show our appreciation in no uncertain manner.

Don't let the welcome die away with the cheers.



The Repatriation Committee

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