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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4th, 1920.

**ANOTHER PHASE OF THE NORTH LAND SEPARATION.**

From time to time there appear decided indications of the desire of certain parts of Ontario's North Land for separation from the older part of the Province. Usually these indications of a deep current of feeling are scoffed at by the wisegags of Old Ontario. "Just advertising stunts!" say the supposedly clever folk of the older part of the Province. The newspapers of Old Ontario always are able to sweep aside the suggestions of the separation of the North Land from the rest of the Province. The suggestions, however, recur from time to time, and each time there seems to be an added strength to the demands. It is much to be regretted that the newspapers and the people of the older parts of the Province do not look below the surface and seek an understanding of the conditions that give rise to these recurring demands for a new province or a readjustment of the present provinces. The truth is that the calls for a separation of the North Land from the rest of Ontario arise from well-defined causes that are not beyond remedy. In a word, the trouble is that the North Land constantly feels that it is treated generally with a lack of intelligent knowledge and understanding that provoke well-justified anger and annoyance. The needs of the North and the problems of the North receive too little consideration. A country can be used as a milch cow to such an extent that it feels, (to use a sadly mixed metaphor), that it is being made the goat. That is the feeling of the North Land. Last year there was a very noticeable agitation started in this part of the North Land looking for either more intelligent consideration from Old Ontario, or for the opportunity to form a new and separate province. This month the agitation has broken out in a new place and in a new way. Mr. Peter Heeman, M. P. P. for Keorn, Ontario, is forward with the suggestion that northwestern Ontario should be taken from the present province and added to Manitoba. Mr. Heeman points out that such a move would be for the convenience and advantage of those at present living in northwestern Ontario. He wants to believe that as a part of Manitoba the northwestern district would receive a larger measure of the

attention and consideration that it merits. Will the Ontario Government simply say, "Oh, just an advertising stunt?" Or will the authorities have understanding and thought enough to realize that there is something more than just "advertising" or "common cussedness" beneath the repeated demands for a fair, square deal for the North Land of Ontario? To "pooh, pooh!" the question is not to answer it. Unless the Government wishes the separation spirit to grow and expand something will have to be done to show that the authorities have a knowledge of the North Land and its needs and an honest desire and intention to right any wrongs and give the pioneers of the far north a fair, square deal.

**ANOTHER INCIDENT IN NORTHLAND ROAD PROBLEM**

Another sidelight on the road situation in the north Land is the volunteering of fifteen miners and prospectors interested in the Skead Township gold area to help in the widening of the road from Boston Creek to the centre of activity in Skead. Of course such an offer is very pleasing, indicating as it undoubtedly does the public spirit of the miners and prospectors, and their genuine faith in the district. Also the Government should take advantage of the generous offer to get so much more work done on the roads of the north. But the incident should bear a deeper significance and lesson for the Government. The Government should catch some of the faith and enthusiasm of the pioneers of the north. The Government is actually disgraced by leaving so heavy a share of the burden of development upon the men who are already doing so much and taking such unusual risks. The whole road problem of the North Land has been badly handled from the very beginning. It may be true that the Government has spent large sums of money on colonization roads, but much of the money so expended has not been well used. For instance, in many parts of the North Land there are roadways that were cleared at considerable cost, yet to-day are all grown over again, because there was no genuine call for their construction in the first place. On the other hand innumerable sections are in serious need of roads that should be built, but have been delayed on account of the cost. The Government should see to the construction of roads where they are actually needed and warranted. This work should not be left as an added burden on those who are valiantly struggling to open up and develop this new country. The North Land has immense resources of forest and mine and at least a part of the revenue from these resources should be spent by the Government in making easier the burden on those who pioneer the new places.

**HEAVY OVERBURDEN ADDS DIFFICULTY TO DRILL WORK.**

The American Porcupine Gold Mining Company have been doing diamond drill work under some difficulties, according to all reports. Their property is in Mountjoy Township and there is a considerable "overburden" on the property. This makes the work of diamond drilling a less easy matter than it would be in ordinary mining land. The owners of the property, however, believe they have the goods beneath the overburden and in view of the experience of practically all of the mines of the Porcupine,—that the deeper you go the better it gets,—probably they are right. At any event the American Porcupine Gold Mining Co., is proceeding to explore their property and are not sparing time or trouble to test out its possibilities.

**BASEBALL DANCE HERE ON THURSDAY OF THIS WEEK.**

No baseball fan should miss securing a ticket for the Baseball Dance in the basement of the New Empire Theatre tomorrow (Thursday) evening, Aug 5th. This dance will be one of the pleasant evenings of the year, the music and everything else about the event being of the very best. In addition the event is for the benefit of the Timmins Baseball Club and this fact alone should assure a large attendance. Tickets are selling at \$1.50 each and many of the baseball boys and others interested have tickets for sale. Remember the time, place and event—tomorrow (Thursday) evening in the basement of the New Empire Theatre. Batter up!

**A PRESCRIPTION**

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If you are rich—continue to work  
If you are burdened with seemingly unfair responsibilities—work.  
If you are happy—keep right on working. Idleness gives room for doubts and fears.  
If disappointments come—work.  
If sorrow overwhelms you and loved ones seem not true—work.  
If health is threatened—work.  
When faith falters and reason fails—just work.  
When dreams are shattered and hope seems dead—work. Work as if your life were in peril. It really is.  
No matter what ails you—work. Work faithfully—work with faith.  
Work is the greatest material remedy available.  
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**CHICKENS and HENS FOR SALE:**  
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**BLACKSMITH WANTED**  
Wanted—General Blacksmith. Apply to A. F. Carriere, 7½ Cedar St., Timmins. 31

**TAKE NOTICE THAT**

1. The Council of the Corporation of the Town of Timmins, intends to construct as a local Improvement, 5-foot concrete walks, and a 6-foot concrete crossing, as set forth in the following schedule:—

STREET	FROM	To	Estimated Cost	Corporation Share	Est. Sp'cl rate per ft. frontage.
Cedar, West Side	South Street line of Third Avenue	North Street line of Broadway Ave.	\$ 733.40	\$389.05	1.65
Birch, East Side	A point 18 feet North of the South Street line of Second Avenue	South Boundary of the Town	1240.10	536.22	1.65
Second, North Side	East Street line of Balsam Street	West Street line of Cedar Street	660.00	264.00	1.65
Second, North Side	West Street line of Pine Street	A point 101' 11" West	697.80	432.79	1.65
Broadway, North Side	A point 101' 11" West of the West Street line of Pine Street	The East Street line of Cedar Street			
Second, South Side	East Street line of Birch Street	West Street line of Balsam Street	660.00	436.26	1.65
Elm, West Side	South Street line of Third Avenue	North Street line of Second Avenue	990.00	396.00	1.65
Maple, West Side	South Street line of Third Avenue	South Boundary of the Town	2295.14	998.14	1.65
Crossing at East St.	A point 8 feet South of the North Street line of Third Avenue	A point 8 feet North of the South Street line of Third Avenue	165.00	165.00	3.30

- And intends to specially assess a part of the cost upon the land abutting directly on the work.
- 2. The Estimated cost of the work, and the Corporation's share is set forth in the above schedule. The Estimated special rate per foot frontage is \$1.65 for 5' concrete walks and \$3.30 for 6 foot concrete crossing.
- 3. The special assessment is to be paid in 10 equal annual instalments.
- 4. A petition against the work will not avail to prevent its construction.

H. E. MONTGOMERY,

Clerk.

Timmins, July 26th 1920.

**FOR SALE**—Household furniture, consisting of piano, parlor, dining room and bedroom suites, etc. May be seen at any time at 33 Tamarack Street. 31-32 p.

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**CHALLENGE**

I hereby make public challenge to take on anyone for the championship of the district for long distance race for one mile up to five, under usual rules. The races, to take place at South Porcupine on Wednesday, Aug. 4th.

ISADORE CHENIER,  
—30 p. Timmins, B. O., Ont.

**WANTED**—a maid for general household work. Apply to Mrs. H. J. Marshall 12 Hemlock street. Phone 57. —28—

Town of Timmins.

**TENDER FOR CEMENT SIDE-WALKS.**

Sealed tenders, marked as to contents, will be received by H. E. Montgomery, Esq., Town Clerk, until 5 p.m. Saturday, August 14th for the construction of concrete sidewalks. Plans and specifications may be seen and all information obtained at the office of the Engineer, Town Hall, Timmins.

The lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

J. F. HENDERSON,  
—31-32 Town Engineer.

Town of Timmins.

**APPLICATION FOR WATER.**

Persons wanting water services laid this year should make application immediately at the Town Hall.

A number of street service taps in the Town will be discontinued after Oct. 1st 1920.

J. F. HENDERSON,  
31-32 Town Engineer.

Township of Tisdale

**NOTICE.**

As I have been requested by the merchants, citizens and others of this Township to proclaim a Civic holiday for the purpose of indulging in a day of sport and amusement, I hereby proclaim Wednesday August 4th 1920, a Civic Holiday in the Township of Tisdale, anniversary of the entry of Britain and her Allies into the World War.

Dated at South Porcupine this 25th day of July, 1920.

CHAS. V. GALLAGHER,  
—31-32 Reeve.

**TENDERS**

Tenders will be received through registered post or in person up to noon, August 30th, for the construction of a four-room brick schoolhouse in Moneta Township.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the home of Harry Leng, Schumacher, or E. Kimberley, Moneta.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. HARRY LENG,  
Secretary of S.S. No. 2A., Tisdale

August 2, 1920.

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