

COCHRANE LADIES' TEAM PLAYS HERE ON SATURDAY

First Game in Timmins in Ladies' Hockey Series. Cochrane and Falls Even Now.

The first game on Timmins ice in the Ladies' Hockey series will be on Saturday of this week when Cochrane Ladies and Timmins Ladies' teams will try conclusions. The match should be a specially interesting one. Cochrane ladies started their season by trimming Iroquois Falls on Cochrane ice, with the score of 2 to 1. Iroquois Falls ladies, however, upset any hope that might be built up by the opening game, by defeating Cochrane at the Falls on Friday last with the white-wash score of 6 to 0. Accordingly, it is difficult to figure out how good the Cochrane Ladies' team may be, or whether the first game was simply an off night for the Falls or the second game an off-night for Cochrane. The Timmins girls, in any case, hope to tuck away a little win Saturday night in their opening game of the league. The other games of the Ladies Hockey League are as follows:—

Feb. 3—Timmins at Cochrane.
Feb. 10—Falls at Timmins.
Feb. 17—Timmins at Falls.

"No boy ever became a man who did not in his youth learn to save

CONDUCTOR NEWTON DIES AT NORTH BAY LAST WEEK

Mr. Ashton Newton, for many years past conductor on the T. & N. O. trains Nos. 17 and 18, died last week at his home in North Bay, the funeral taking place on Wednesday afternoon under Masonic auspices. A widow, one son and six daughters survive, and to these the sincere sympathy of all goes out in their loss. The late Mr. Newton was a typical T. & N. O. official, always courteous, genial and attentive to duty with the right attitude of friendliness and helpfulness to the public. He was born in Ashton in 1860, and came to North Bay thirty two years ago, first starting in with the C.P.R. For sixteen years he has been with the T. & N. O., his regular run being very wide in the North Land as a consequence. All who knew him will sincerely regret his death.

According to information from North Bay, the late Mr. Newton had only been ill about seven weeks. The illness began with a form of boil or carbuncle on his neck. From this the poison spread through his system and death eventually resulted.

The branch of the Imperial Bank at Smooth Rock Falls has been closed and the business transferred to the Cochrane branch. The manager at Smooth Rock, Mr. R. C. Vaughan, formerly of the staff at Timmins, has been transferred to Toronto.

McINTYRE'S RECOVERY \$1,193,613 IN SIX MONTHS

For the six months ending Dec. 31st 1922, the showing of the McIntyre-Porcupine Mines is a very satisfactory one. Gross recovery for the six months' period totalled \$1,193,613.47. This would be at the rate of about \$2,387,226.00 per year. The billion recovery for the year ending June, 1921, was \$1,904,326.00, and \$1,937,105.00 for the twelve months ending June 1922. The McIntyre's year ends in June and for the second half of the current fiscal year, Jan. 1st to June 30th, 1923, the showing should exceed even that of the first half of the current twelve months' period. Results from the increased mill capacity will be in evidence during the present six months, and the year ending June, 1923, should be a specially pleasing one for the McIntyre. Details of earnings for the six months ended on Dec. 31st, last are as follows:—

Gross recovery—\$1,193,613.47.
Costs, including development,—\$653,773.57.
Operating earnings—\$539,839.30.
Non-operating revenues—\$561,613.61.
Less, Accrual for taxes for period—\$33,864.79.
Net earnings before plant depreciation—\$527,748.82.

There is only one right time to prevent an accident, and that is before it happens.

MAY BE RE-ARRANGEMENT REGARDING R.C. BISHOPRIC

Monsignor Halle, Bishop of Hearst, and Rev. Fr. Courbon, formerly of Cobalt, left this week on a visit to Rome, and it is understood that their visit is in connection with the appointment of a Bishop to succeed the late Monsignor Latulippe. It is also understood that some re-arrangement will be made whereby there will be two Bishops, one residing at Cochrane and looking after this part of Northern Ontario, and the other residing at Amos and having charge of part of Northern Quebec now in this bishopric.

SURVEYING FOR RAILWAY LINE THROUGH KIRKLAND

The T. & N. O. Railway Commission has surveyors at work at present on a survey of a projected branch line from Swastika through the Kirkland Lake field. Their instructions are to survey between Swastika and the Argonaut Mine in Gauthier Township. The country further east may also be looked over. The proposed new branch line would serve the whole present production mine area of Kirkland Lake. Of course, the fact that a survey is being made this winter does not mean that a line will be built next Spring. It may be a year or more before the Kirkland Camp has railway accommodation. On the other hand the work may be pushed through this year. It all depends on circumstances and conditions. The report of the surveyors will no doubt have a material bearing on the matter of time. If the line is not too costly or difficult of construction the work may be proceeded with at a comparatively early date. But, naturally it would be best to wait until construction contracts are awarded before building too much on the building of this proposed branch line. However, in the meantime, the survey is being made and that is one step forward for Kirkland.

CASE TO UNSEAT COBALT'S MAYOR TO COME UP JAN. 29

Formal action was taken last week in the District Court of Temiskaming to attempt to prove that Mr. Taylor Pipe of Cobalt has no right to occupy the Mayor's chair in that town. The case is to be tried in New Liskeard before Judge Hayward on January 29th. Mr. A. Z. Trudel is the relator in the case and the official text of the motion reads:—"For an order or declaration that the above named defendant, Taylor Pipe, who was declared elected at the last municipal elections held on Jan. 1st, 1923 as mayor of the municipal council of the town of Cobalt has no right to sit as mayor of Cobalt and is disqualified from sitting and acting as such because:—

(A) "He, the said Taylor Pipe, is not qualified to fill the office to which he was declared elected and is and was disqualified from holding the said office because he does not reside in the town of Cobalt, or within two miles therefrom and—

(B) "On the further ground that the electors entitled to vote at the said election were refused a ballot and not permitted to vote. The said relator will rely upon the above mentioned grounds."

"And also take notice that in the support of the said motion will be read the affidavit of A. Z. Trudel, the said relator, and the following witnesses will be called to give oral evidence on oath—

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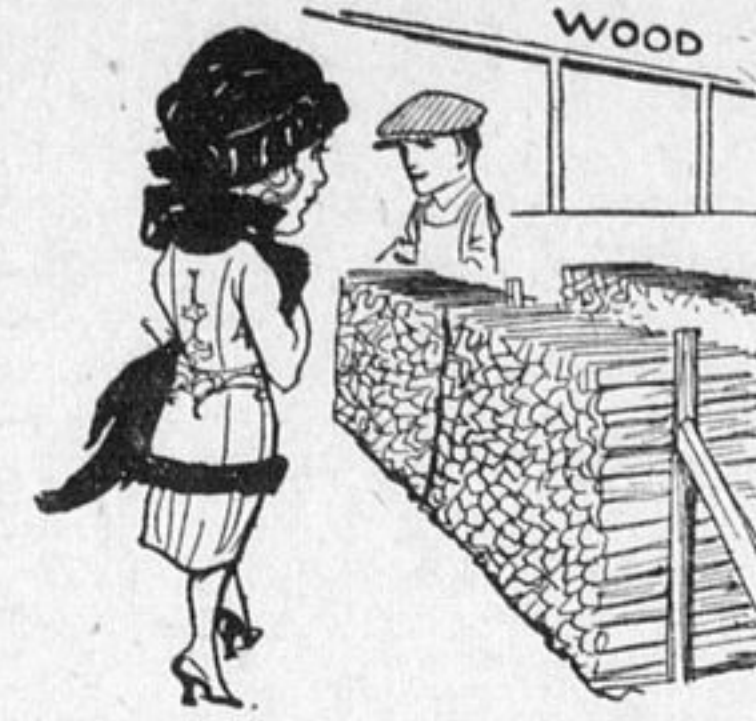
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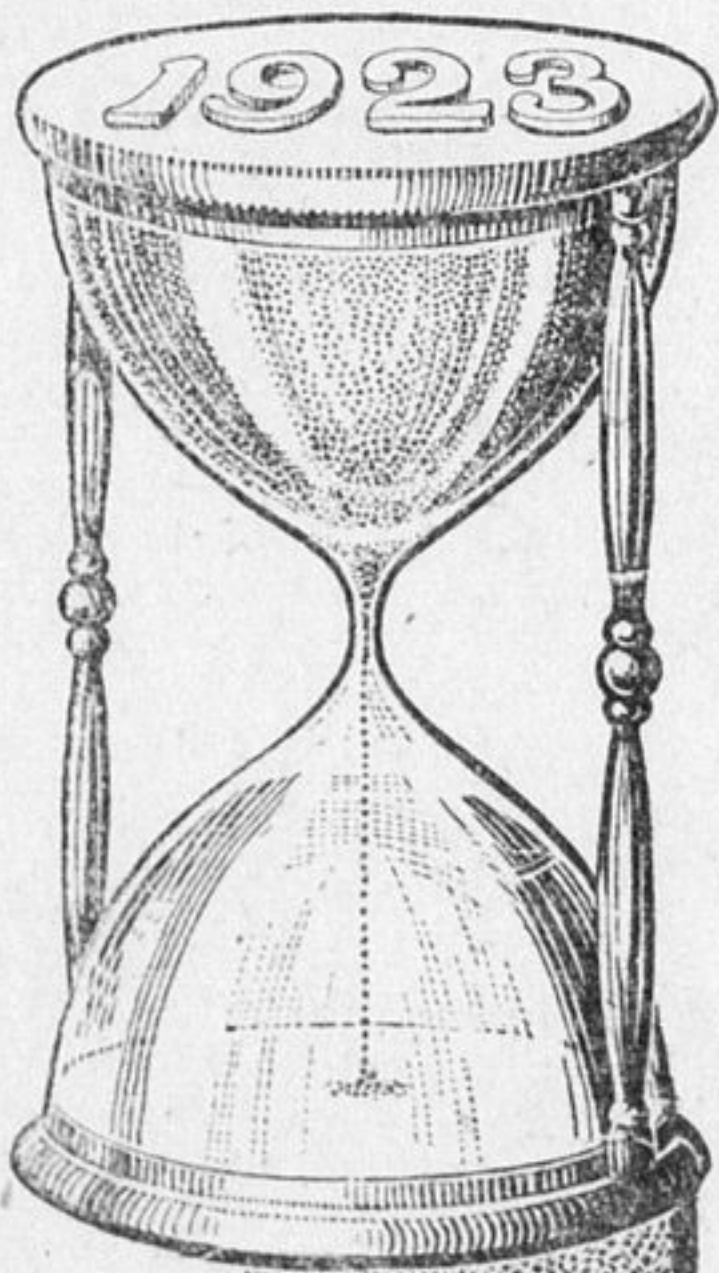
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