

Important Work Done by Temiskaming Children's Aid

REPORT OF SECRETARY R. LEHEUP SHOWS TERRITORY IS TOO LARGE FOR MOST EFFECTIVE WORK. ANOTHER BRANCH DISTRICT SUGGESTED, WITH ANOTHER INSPECTOR FOR COCHRANE DISTRICT.

The annual meeting of the Temiskaming Children's Aid Society was held in the Masonic Temple, Haileybury, recently, with a large number of those interested present from Cobalt, New Liskeard, Haileybury and other centres. The following were the officers elected for the ensuing year:—

Hon. Presidents—Angus McDonald, M.P., A. J. Kennedy, M.P.P., the Mayors of Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart, and the Reeves of Coleman and Bucke Townships.

President—N. J. McAulay, Haileybury.
First Vice-President—Mrs. G. J. McMillan, New Liskeard.
Second Vice-President—Mrs. W. R. Lowrey, Cobalt.
Third Vice-President—Mr. J. D. Macdonald, Haileybury.
Treasurer—Geo. T. Smith, Haileybury.
Secretary and Local Supt.—R. LeHeup, Haileybury.
Auditor—H. A. Day, Haileybury.

In the report of the event as given by The Haileyburian Mr. N. J. McAulay, the President, is quoted as referring to the year just closed as the busiest in the history of the district. "The Secretary's report," he said "will show the importance of the work we are engaged in. I feel that it is the most important work being done in the District of Temiskaming. Today we realize that it is impossible for one man to handle the children's

work in this great district; consequently steps are being taken to have the district divided and another inspector appointed, whose territory will be the district of Cochrane. We feel greatly encouraged by the assurance we have received from the Provincial Government that the Shelter will be rebuilt in the spring and already several offers to donate cots have been received."

The thirteenth annual report of the C.A.S. was read by the Secretary, Mr. R. LeHeup. In 1923 there were 159 complaints received of ill treatment or neglect of children. A total of 315 children were involved and 155 investigations had been made. In the course of the year 23 children had been made wards of the Society, 32 had been placed on parole, 7 were sent to industrial schools and 3 were brought to the Shelter. In 41 cases, warnings had been given and in 8 cases parents had been prosecuted. There had been 31 children placed out as wards, 3 had been returned to the Shelter, and 12 had been returned to their parents. During his work for the Society, Mr. LeHeup had attended court 89 times, had made 85 visits out of town and had travelled a total distance of 8,900 miles. He addressed 27 meetings in the interests of the Society during the year.

One of the paragraphs in Mr. LeHeup's report was as follows:— "The population of the district is increasing so rapidly that we find it

impossible to cover the field thoroughly. If all our 60,000 people were in one community, the work of handling them would be comparatively easy, but being scattered over 40,000 square miles, it is out of all reason to expect that we can keep close control of the situation with only one man in the field. This condition has been given a great deal of consideration by the Porcupine branch of our Society, and they have requested this Society to use its influence to have the district divided, with the suggestion that the northern portion comprise the judicial district of Cochrane, and that they have their own local superintendent. I would recommend that this Society take some action towards that end."

On motion of Mrs. J. C. Houston, seconded by Mrs. N. J. McAulay, the Society passed a resolution recommending to the Provincial Government that the present territory of the Children's Aid Society of Temiskaming be divided into two districts, one comprising the judicial district of Cochrane, the other the district of Temiskaming, and that a local superintendent be appointed for the district of Cochrane.

The report also explained that plans for the new Shelter have been prepared and submitted to the Government. It is hoped the work will be gone on with in the Spring.

The splendid support given by New Liskeard has been a particularly gratifying feature of the year, almost half of the money raised coming from the Creamery Town.

Special thanks was also extended to the Nipissing Society at North Bay for the use of the Shelter and other assistance and kindnesses, and to Magistrate Atkinson for his counsel and advice, and to the police, both local and Provincial.

PRESIDENT'S NIGHT AT CALEDONIAN SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Caledonian Society of Timmins in the I. O. O. F. Hall proved a very pleasing and enjoyable event. It was on the syllabus of meetings as "President's Night," and President D. Mackie enlarged the plan of the programme to include the Past Presidents of the Society and their wives. Accordingly the programme was provided by the President, Past Presidents and their ladies, or deputies. President D. Mackie made a decided hit with well-rendered songs. Mrs. G. A. Macdonald's reading amused all and was enthusiastically encored. The reading by Past President M. B. Scott, "The Revenge" was one of the features of the evening. Mrs. M. B. Scott's solos, as usual, were greatly appreciated and insistently encored. A duet by Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Scott was another pleasing number, while Mr. Scott's humorous solo was another of the hits of the evening. "Imagination" was the title of a medley by Past President G. A. Macdonald. Vice-President W. D. Watt gave a well-rendered Scottish song and will no doubt be called upon now for frequent contributions to the programmes as he proved his ability as a vocalist of talent. There were also well-rendered and attractive songs by Mr. J. K. Moore and Mrs. H. McCulloch, and Mr. Jas. Cowan brought down the house with a humorous song. (Mrs. A. Roberts again made a hit in a popular humorous song and the programme throughout was a very enjoyable and much-enjoyed one. Of course there was dancing, with the old land dances predominating, and a first-class lunch was served during the evening. There was a large attendance and the meeting was generally voted as one of the best yet.

COBALT HEAVYWEIGHTS OUTCLASS LOCAL JUNIORS

Timmins Lose Out in Hard Fought Battle Here on Thursday Evening.

In a hard fought battle on Thursday evening, the Cobalt Juniors emerged victors over the locals by a score of 6-3. The game did not produce the best of hockey, the boys from the Silver City setting out at the beginning of the game to use their superior weight to lay out the Timmins Juniors, who after the severe bodying of the first period never got going properly again. The game was the roughest played on Timmins ice this winter, the Cobalt Juniors putting up a brand of rough-house hockey which none of the teams in the Northern Section would play. Hughes lived up to the reputation of his red hair, coming on the ice for stanza number one with a chip on his shoulder, and each time it was knocked off he replaced it again. Southall, the star of the Cobalt team, did not make a reputation for himself for good sportsmanship while here, for the first time at the Timmins Rink a spectator was assaulted by a player on the ice, the big Cobalt defence man being the aggressor. Bennett drew quite a number of penalties, though he was not as bad as Southall, and protested lustily each time he had to take a trip to the penalty box. Lemon, it is believed learned hockey, by playing shinny. Hylands, was the cleanest player and cleverest stick handler on the Cobalt line-up. He turned in a game from which his team mates could take a lesson. Valentine played a nice game, though not used very often. Munro, the other spare, handled himself in a very creditable manner. Burry in goal played a good game, though he never had as much to do as Levine. On the local line-up, Levine was kept very busy, and if it had not been for his good work the score would have been much larger in favour of Cobalt. Fell and Morash on defence were fair, though they opened up several times letting the Cobalt forwards through for a goal. Desormeaux at centre was easily the star on the Timmins line-up. From the outset he had to stand some stiff bodying, and this stopped Desormeaux from being as effective as he was in playing the Falls. Hardy did not show up as well, the little fellow being no match for the big boys from Cobalt. Briden played a nice game, but had to stand some rough checks. The two spares, Hackett and Charlebois, were good, the latter particularly playing a great game, and the visitors from the Silver City early in the game realizing his dangerous shot watched him closely. Doug. Briden, the referee, has been a better referee than he was during the early part of the game last Thursday, but he handled the latter part of the game all right.

The teams were—Timmins—Levine, goal; Fell and Morash, defence; Desormeaux, centre; Hardy and Briden, forwards; Hackett and Charlebois, spares.
Cobalt—Burry, goal; Southall and Bennett, defence; Lemon, centre; Hylands and Hughes, forwards; Munro and Valentine, spares.
Referee—Doug. Briden, Schumacher.
Goal Umpires—O'Shaughnessy and Field.
Time Keepers—Solomon and Nadeau.
Penalties—McIntyre and Modler.
The game started out with Cobalt on the offensive, but they were un-



able to break the Timmins defence. Hughes finally broke through for the first shot on goal, Levine making a nice save. Southall missed the net by inches. Fell and Hardy transferred attention to the Cobalt end, when Hardy in front of Burry's cinder shot wild. Bennett was working hard at this time, being a heavy checker. Charlebois netted the first counter for Timmins when he went through the Cobalt defence and beat Burry. Right after Lemon evened the score, Hughes and Hylands combined nicely, but Levine saved. Burry was called on to do some good work, the game being stopped while Southall made the first of his numerous visits to the penalty box. Hughes gave Charlebois a nasty check, and the Timmins man to even matters beat Burry, for Timmins' second goal. Hughes and Hackett mixed it and went off. Briden and Morash combined nicely, but Burry saved. Hylands sent a hard one at Levine, who saved. Some excitement was caused at this time, when Hardy and Lemon mixed it, and soon the corner near the penalty box resembled a miniature Donnybrook. Southall started to climb over the fence at the spectators, but was shoved back on the ice, going to the dressing room to cool his temper. The period ended with Timmins one goal up.

Right after the face-off Southall Hughes came down, Southall sending Cobalt's second counter in. Right after Bennett made it three. Fell went to the box for tripping. Lemon made it four for Cobalt on Hylands pass. Morash and Charlebois scored the third Timmins goal. Southall penalized for cross-checking. Briden got through the Cobalt defence, Burry made a lucky save. Munro was sent off for butt-ending Charlebois. Southall signified his return to the ice, by being sent to the penalty box for tripping. Lemon joining him when he duplicated the offence. With the Cobalt team two men shy, Hylands went through the whole Timmins team, in the nicest play evidenced during the evening, and made it five for Cobalt. Bennett went to the box for cross-checking, returning to the ice, boarding Desormeaux, and returning to his place of rest for the remainder of the period.

Hylands called on Levine to make two saves, before Desormeaux got away, Burry saving. Bennett went to the box for slashing, returning to the ice after his rest he took Valentine's pass and sent in the last counter for Cobalt. Charlebois penalized for tripping, and Desormeaux joining him for slashing. Lemon went off for interference. Hylands was demonstrating his ability to use the poke check very effectively. Hughes was sent to the box for giving Briden the

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PORCUPINE CROWN MINES

Annual Meeting Today at Montreal. Credit Balance Reduced. Shares May be Offered.

Despatches from Montreal this week refer to the annual report of the Porcupine Crown Mines and to the annual meeting of shareholders of the company. The profit and loss account for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1923, shows that during the year the profit and loss balance was reduced from \$175,662 to \$121,220, a decrease of \$54,482. The annual meeting of shareholders of Porcupine Crown is being held today (Wednesday), Feb. 27th, at 10:30 a.m. in St. Lawrence Hall, 145 James street, Montreal.

President Wm. I. Gear in his address to shareholders says in part:

"As instructed by you an exhaustive study of the workings and geological conditions of the property has been made by W. M. Summerhayes, mining engineer, who is familiar with the development of the district surrounding its property.

"In his findings he was of the opinion that in the old workings of the mine, the available and profitable ore bodies had been practically worked out and that in the meantime they should be allowed to fill with water. After removing all surplus underground equipment, your directors, acting on this advice, allowed the workings to fill, first, however, providing for the dewatering of the mine at any time by leaving the necessary pumps and piping in place for that whenever further investigation of the property warranted a re-opening of the main levels this could be done.

"Up to the present time your directors have not considered it advisable to issue further stock, but they may make an offering of shares to carry on exploration work should a favorable opportunity occur, either from new discoveries on your property or by obtaining other properties, the development of which your company is so well equipped to undertake."

butt-nd. Desormeaux joining him for slashing. Valentine took Hylands pass, and with Levine out of the net, and nobody in front of him shot wild.

After the game the Cobalt Hockey Club were the guests of the Timmins boys to a luncheon at the Goldale.

The penalties handed out were Cobalt, 12; Timmins, 6. Southall, Lemon and Bennett getting three each, Hughes two and Munro one. Hackett, Hardy, Fell, Charlebois on the Timmins team drew one each. Desormeaux went to the box twice.

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