

WHY?

A citizen who maintained a pawnshop took out a fire insurance policy. The same day a blaze broke out that destroyed the building and its contents.

The insurance company tried in vain to find sufficient grounds to refuse payment, and was obliged to content itself with the following letter appended to the check:

"Dear Sir: We note that your policy was issued at ten o'clock on Thursday morning and that the fire did not occur until three-thirty. Why this delay?"

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Schumacher Public School Report for Month of March

Standing of the Pupils in the Various Classes for the Month Just Past. New Pupils Who are Six Years of Age Will be Admitted on May 1st.

The following is the Honour Roll for March, 1925, of Schumacher Public School.

Room 1—John A. Bush, Principal. Senior Fourth Class—Gladys Elley, Maisie Muskett, Elsie Henderson, Kitty Duxfield, Margaret Elley, Richard Dainton, Mary Smith, Margaret Giffin, Edward Duxfield.

Junior Fourth Class—Joan Huxley, Kenneth Hope, Francis Gilbert, Margaret Robertson, George Tennyson, Mamie Greutz, Dorothy Armstrong, Kathleen McLean, Arnold Hawkins, Jim Keeley.

Number on Roll—294. Aggregate Attendance for March—6164.

Average Daily Attendance—280. New pupils who are six years of age will be admitted on May 1st.

Room 2—Florence Hubble, Teacher. Senior Third—Marguerite McKay, Beatrice Leek, Chrissie Murphy, Mary Jacksie, Roy Hamilton, Mary Taipole, Grant Barron, Marion Leng, Dorothy Heath, Ronald Denny, Evelyn Leek, Percy Aide.

Room 3—Junior III.—Clarice Sullivan—Quinta Baldwin, Edith Willi-

ams, Doris Bowden, Doris McLean, Norma Taylor, Helvi Helle, Belle Collins, Fannie Finkelman, Billy McKay, Gilbert Miller, Gordon Uttley, Rose Robinson, Willa Robar, Conrad Fournier, Cecelia Craig, Thos. Uttley, Ruth Lark, Winnie McLean, Marriee Miller.

Room 4.—Victoria Malkin, Teacher. Sr. II.—Patrick Robertson, Douglas Sullivan, Jimmie Heath, Dorothy Dawson, Aloise Smith, Dennis Duxfield, Bertha Bonnell, Dorothy Carey, Barvey Laine, Fred Gilbert, Lilian Latour, Laursa Ansara.

Jr. II.—Robert Moore, Mary Holgovich, Julish Dermansky, Elia Xuliani, Mary Mira, Neilson Maedonald, Mary Donyehuk, Jennie Hill.

Room 5.—Ida V. Cole, Teacher. Jr. II.—Jack McCrae, Elsie Robar, Violet Innes, Fred Sheeulski, Wanda Smith, Quanta Baldwin, Madelaine Holgovich, Ernest Brown, Mary Hickey.

Sr. I.—Jean St. Clair-Pike, Signe Taipole, John Collins, Annie Rubek, Walter Barron, Bill Kuly, Reggie Maedonald, Sam Finkelman, Russell Sullivan, Frank Rubek, Eugene Mon-

tigny, Wilfred Prest, Roy Hazelwood, Mike Holgovich.

Room 6—First Class—Irene Murphy, Teacher—Agnis Robertson, Eva Prest, Elsie Martin, Caroline Baldwin, Sybil Laughren, Rosy Holgovich, Florence Dillon, Gertrude Smith, Minnie Bobinski, Gladys Gannon, Hazel Gilbert, Elmer Nikula, Allan Tario and Walter Craig, Gerald McDonald, Rosa Wong, Madeleine Rubek.

Sr. Primary—Pat Miller, Pauline Fournier, Toivo Frantsi, John Keeley. Room 7—Catherine A. McDonald, Sr. Pr. Jean Montigny, Stanley Laing, Woodrow Brady, Howard Cowan, George McGarry, Bobbie Robar, Helen Luehan.

Jr. Pr. "A"—Viola Maki, Lea Boissonault, Johnny Mira, Ada Miller, Bewick Dawson, John Lark.

Jr. Pr. "B"—Ernest Webber, Mary Villeneuve, Elwyn Laughren.

Room 8—H. Gertrude Sabine, Teacher.

Senior Primer—Lester Besley, Robert Sullivan, Isabelle Tomkinson, Albert Tomkinson, Geraldine Beaudin, Thomas Moore, Mary MacDonald, Edward Greutz, Louise MacAllister, Mildred Furlong.

Junior Primer—George Percival, Catherine MacDonald, Peggy Donyehuk, Ethel Hogan.

HUNTER BLOCK, COBALT MAY HAVE TO BE TORN DOWN

Reference was made in The Advance recently to the fact that tenants in the Hunter Block, Cobalt, had had their insurance cancelled because the building was considered unsafe as a fire risk. Protest against the cancellation of policies was made to the Ontario Fire Warden, and in reply he gives the suggestion that the only effective way to deal with the building would be to tear it down. The Fire Warden also states that no action of his Department had anything to do with the cancellation of policies.

A young man from Klock Township, near North Bay, was sentenced to twenty days in jail for cruelty to a horse. He and his brother were found beating a horse with a whip. With the whip they had cut off the hair on one side of the animal, and they were beating the animal on this lacerated spot, because, as they explained to the police, "it hurt the horse worst." The younger brother was allowed to go on account of his age, but the jail term was given the young man for the cruelty shown.

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**MORE EVIDENCE**  
In a recent fire at the home of Mr. Brown, 27 Woodville Avenue, Todmorden Ontario, practically everything was destroyed. The flames spread over the entire dwelling when the metal ceilings peeled off and it was two hours before the fire had burned itself out.  
An examination after the fire astonished the fire chief and residents of Todmorden. The Gyproc Wall Board partitions came through the fire intact. These partitions were not plastered and the bare Gyproc withstood the most intense heat, which even metal could not resist.

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