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ROUYN MAY PULVERIZE
THE NORTH BAY NUGGET

In its last issue The North Bay Nugget professes to be in doubt as to whether or not The Advance intended to censure it in regard to a despatch that appeared in The Nugget in reference to alleged lawless and rough conditions at the Rouyn Gold Camp. If The Nugget is in any doubt about the matter it is proof positive that The Advance had no intention of censuring the North Bay paper.

What The Advance intended to do, it did. That was, simply to publish the rather wild and woolly account of alleged wickedness at Rouyn and to suggest that conditions were scarcely as desperate as they were pictured; but yet were no doubt worse than there was need for them to be.

The Advance confesses that it finds it ever difficult to miss an opportunity for saying a good word about the Porcupine Gold Camp. Accordingly The Advance very naturally commented that, while Rouyn might not be as bad as pictured, it was certainly not so good as that model mining camp, Porcupine in the early days. Porcupine Camp in the early days set a very desirable standard for all mining camps. Porcupine was free, friendly and democratic, but law-abiding and respectable. It proved that under rough conditions men may live manly lives without roughness or rowdiness or selfish defiance of the law and the rights of others. Sunday schools was not usually conducted here on days other than the Sabbath, yet men and women and children were safe here at all times. Men were decent and law-abiding because they were healthy, sane and good sports. If Rouyn wishes to be a real good mining camp it should copy the Porcupine of the early days. The Nugget should have made this moral apparent, and it would then have been in no doubt about the praise of The Advance.

Despite the fact that the article about Rouyn conditions was no doubt a little stronger than the actual situation warranted. The Advance would repeat the idea that the calling of attention to the modes of life too common in Rouyn is likely to have a beneficial effect on that new camp. The forces of evil and the hosts of piking grafters on the weaknesses of men fear publicity more than anything else. With the spotlight on them the cheap trucksters rush for cover, and the community is improved. The Nugget, along with other newspapers accordingly conferred benefit on Rouyn by the publication of the despatch from Cobalt, irrespective of the wildness of some parts of that despatch. If this suits The Nugget, then Christmas peace and joy reign complete. Otherwise,—in the words of the ancient bard:—

Rouyn, seize thee, ruthless thing,
Confusion on thy Nuggets wait.
Not e'en thy virtues, brothes' shall
avail.
To save thy simple soul from nightly
fears,
From Rouyn's curse, from Rouyn's
tears.

Sudbury police force has been under the control of a board of police commissioners for some two years past, but after Jan. 1st, the jurisdiction over the police will revert to the hands of the Town Council.

There will be no sittings of the Supreme Court at Haileybury this week, the sittings being unnecessary on account of the fact that there are no cases. The district is fortunate in thus being without cases for this court.

PRACTICAL ECONOMY

Victim: 'You've pulled three teeth! I only wanted one pulled!
Dentist: 'Yes I know. We gave you a bit too much gas and I didn't want to waste it.'

Nearly 300 Present at High
School Commencement Event

Interesting Programme Presented by Pupils. "Pageant of Nations" a Striking Novelty Very Cleverly Handled by Young People from the Nations Represented.

The annual Commencement Exercises of the Timmins High School held on Friday evening last in the H. S. gymnasium proved unusually noteworthy and the programme was greatly appreciated by the big crowd present. The gymnasium was filled to capacity, about three hundred being present, including students, teachers, parents and friends. The programme showed great merit and reflected high credit indeed on pupils and staff alike. An outstanding number of interest on the programme was the "Pageant of Nations." Canada, England, Scotland, Ireland, France, United States, Italy, Norway, Finland, Russia, Sweden, Syria, Palestine and Porcupine were among the places represented, the representative in each case being dressed in national garb, singing a song in the national language, and also by descent truly representing the country depicted. This feature of the programme indicated the cosmopolitan character of the pupils of the high school as well as being very attractive and pleasing.

Mr. D. Ostrosser, chairman of the High School Board, presided very acceptably for the evening. Inspiring addresses were also given by Mr. E. L. Longmore and Mr. C. R. Murdock. The latter presented the special prize

given by Mr. P. Dougall for the boy who held the highest esteem of fellow pupils and the staff and who showed at the same time the greatest progress in his studies. The prize was awarded to Jack Leng, of Schumacher.

During the evening the certificates and diplomas won during the term were awarded, as well as the medals to the winners of the events in the sports this fall. For the boys, Lawrence Cooper was Senior Champion, and Jack Roberts, Junior Champion. For the girls, the Senior Champion was Miss E. Styles and the Junior Champion, Miss Elsie Henderson. The shield donated by Mr. A. Laprairie is yet to be presented.

A duet, "Bareareole," by Misses R. Mair and D. Tilley was a much appreciated number. The violin solo by Miss Veino Pirrttalo delighted all and won high praise for that gifted young lady. Misses P. Patent and S. Hakala won very generous applause by their good dancing of the Sailors' Hornpipe. The solos, "Ave Marie," and "I Passed by Your Window," by Miss Sonia Charron were greatly enjoyed by all. The High School Orchestra furnished the best of instrumental music and were very popular with all. Miss Ruth Johnson, at the piano, also was a talented assistant to the success of the programme.

TWO FACE TRIAL FOR
MURDER OF MANAGER

Manager Tyhurst of St. Maurice Lumber Co., at Joliette, Killed in Office Last Week.

Despatches yesterday from Joliette, Quebec, say that Edward and Patrick McGuire, of St. Gabriel de Brandon, were committed for trial on the charge of murdering Robert Tyhurst, branch manager of the St. Maurice Paper Company, Limited, who was shot and instantly killed on the night of Dec. 4th, in the company's bungalow. The commitment was made by Judge Dubeau, who presided over the preliminary hearing.

Late Tuesday afternoon the accused appeared for voluntary statement, heard the charge of murder read against them and declared that they had no statement to make, and the judge committed them to appear at the next session of the King's Bench, due to be held in Joliette next September.

Before the commitment, Alban Germain, K.C., for the defence, urged that nothing had been proved in the evidence put before the court at the inquiry.

"Never have I seen such weak evidence put before a court in support of a criminal charge," he said.

"It is true we have a phantom automobile, just as we had a mysterious woman, but what has been proved."

"There has not been a single witness to show that the two accused men had ever been in St. Michael des Saints on the night of the murder. The nearest they had been seen to there was about midnight, when they were found a dozen miles away with a car in a ditch.

"There was not enough evidence before the court to justify their being ordered to face trial on the murder charge and he demanded their liberation." Mr. Germain was supported by J. J. Denis, of the defence counsel.

Phillippe Brais, M.C., replied to the defence, urging that there was ample evidence to justify commitment.

Judge Dubeau rendered his decision at once, that the evidence justified a commitment.

BETTER DEAL PROMISED
TO BRITISH IMMIGRANT

Despatches this week from London, England, say that the overseas settlement agreement between Canada and Great Britain has been signed and will be published later in the week, according to information obtained by the Canadian Press. While the details of the new immigration agreement are being withheld for the time being the Canadian Press is creditably informed that the main feature thereof will disclose the fact that a substantial reduction has been made in the amount of money which an approved migrant from Great Britain to Canada will have to put up under the assisted passage scheme.

The agreement involves large payments by the two governments. The immigrants themselves will furnish approximately £3 10s each for passage to Halifax, £5 to Winnipeg, £7 to Edmonton, and £9 to Vancouver.

Of the extra amount required the British Government is to provide the greater portion.

Last year 724 families, comprising 3,600 individuals, emigrated to the Dominion under the overseas settlement scheme, and also 1,000 single farm workers and 1,000 household workers.

HINTS ON THE USE OF
BITUMINOUS COAL.

The following instructions for the use of soft coal furnaces is issued by the Bertha Consumers Co. Pittsburgh, Pa.—No change in grates is needed to burn bituminous coal in furnaces hereafter using anthracite except in the cases of grates adapted to fine sizes of anthracite where the air passages are small and not easily cleaned.

- 1. Keep heating surfaces clean
- 2. Carry a medium fire (8 to 10 inches)
- 3. Do not let the fire burn too low
- 4. For quick heat fire only a small amount of coal
- 5. Study carefully the proper use of the three dampers. Usually it will be found that (a) the pipes or flue damper should be open when firing fresh coal and should be partly closed when the fire is well started; (b) the ash pit damper should be open to start up fire, open a little during the day, but shut at night; (c) the check draft damper should be shut to start up fire, open partly during day and night as experience shows to be necessary
- 6. When fresh coal is fired, admit air over the fire through the slide in the fire door until smoking ceases, and then close the slide
- 7. Do not open the fire door to check the fire; learn to use the dampers to control the rate of burning. All air admitted above the fire in excess of that needed for combustion simply cools the heating surfaces which furnish the heat for the house.
- 8. When firing coal for a long run, or banking for the night, use any fine coals for this purpose that may have accumulated. When banking, live fire should be evenly distributed over the entire grate surface; then apply the fresh coal, banking heaviest along the sides, resulting in a bowl shape formation.
- 9. Shake out the ashes when necessary, but do not waste coals into the ash pit. Close the ash pit door while shaking
- 10. Do not let ashes pile up under the grates. In this way grates "burn out." Grates should last many years
- 11. To save the heat made by burning coal, the following suggestions may appeal to some:
(a) Do not heat unused rooms; (b) let in sunshine; (c) pull down shades at night; (d) do not ventilate unnecessarily all night; (e) do not overheat the house—65 to 70 is sufficient for most people; (f) get a thermometer and watch the weather
- 12. To avoid the soft coal dust the fuel should be well wet down before being put into the cellar and the front of the pile kept moist with an occasional bucket or two of water.
- 13. Throw bucket of water in ash pit every A. M. after cleaning out ashes.

For next season about 500 families have been selected already for emigration to the Dominion, and probably the next three or four months will produce another 500 families, or perhaps 700 families.

HI-LEE HI-LOW!

"Does your new Chinese cook speak good English?"

"No, he speaks broken china."

This (Thursday) after at 2.15 an alarm came in from Box 65, corner of Pine Street and Kirby Avenue. The motor truck made a great old run, reaching the scene in record time. The fire was only a chimney blaze at 270 Pine Street, South. No damage was done.

WHAT YOU WANT
WHEN YOU WANT IT.

Read These Columns Every Week. It Will Pay You.

HELP WANTED

GIRL WANTED—Apply Windsor Hotel, Timmins. -50

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. M. Bowie, 18 Sixth Avenue. -50

EXPERIENCED GIRL WANTED for General Housework. Apply Mrs. A. Laprairie, Mattagami River Front. -50

BARBER WANTED—at once. Apply 30 1/2 Third Avenue, Timmins. -50

GIRL WANTED for light housework. Must sleep at home. Apply 167 Spruce street North. -50

GIRL WANTED. Dependable with children. Light work. Apply to 53 Kirby Avenue. -50

CANVASSER WANTED—Good salary. Apply Birrell Bell, Violin Academy, St. Onge Block. -50

WANTED LIVE WIRE CANVASERS to sell new invention for removing spots from clothing of any description. Liberal commission to responsible parties. Apply at Stadelman's Book and Music Store, Goldfields Theatre Block, 3rd Ave. Timmins. -40 t. f.

FOR RENT

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE TO RENT. Apply 176 Birch st. north. 48-51p

TWO ROOM SHACK TO RENT—Electric lights, comfortable. Apply to 206 Elm St., South. 49-50p

FOR RENT—Warm, Furnished Shack. Reasonable terms. Apply 11 Johns Avenue. -50p.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT. Apply to B. Lennan, 37 Hollinger Lane. -38.

SHACK TO RENT in Schumacher. Apply Beauty Parlour, 13 Pine St., Timmins. -47

4 ROOMED HOUSE TO RENT; also 2-roomed Shack. Apply 109 Spruce Street, South. -49p.

TO RENT—12 Roomed House. Suitable for Store. May be rented in part. Apply to J. P. Roy, 68 Tamarack St., -50-52p

STORE TO RENT—Plate glass front. Good location. Good for Cash Grocery or any other line. Apply Helerin Bottling Works, 74 Fifth Avenue. 49-50

FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT in private house. All conveniences. Use of telephone. Apply to 53 Kirby Avenue. -50.

TO LET—3 roomed apartment. Warm and comfortable with water and sink; water paid. Rent \$16.00 per month. Apply to rear of 155 Pine St. South. 50-51p.

HOUSE TO RENT—5 roomed house to rent. Newly built; well finished; with furnace heating, and very warm. Good location; close to town and mine. Rent for \$40.00 per month. Will be finished for the first of January, 1926. Apply to 162 Pine St. north, Timmins. 49-50p

FOR RENT—Basement at Windsor Hotel. Can be rented all in one, size 89' x 30 ft.; or be partitioned and rent half. It is 12 ft. deep. Well lighted. Could be used as wholesale house or club room. Apply to Windsor Hotel, Cedar Street South, or 11 Spruce Street South. -40-43 p. t. f.

Robert's
Syrup
of the Extract of Cod Liver & Tar
for COUGHS, COLDS
and BRONCHITIS

ON THE YOUNG MEN

Edith—How is it that you get so many joy rides?
Madge—Oh, I practice auto suggestion.

SLOW GOLF.

A famous soldier had acquired a reputation for very slow golf. His fellow-members on the course urged a retired bank manager to take action. He did, "Hi, general!" he shouted after being kept waiting 10 minutes on the first green. "Hurry up; you aren't on a battlefield now, you know."

ARTICLES FOR SALE

COOK STOVE FOR SALE—Apply 26 Cambrai. -50-52p.

FOR SALE—1 good sound working Horse, 7 years old. Weighing about 1400 pounds. Apply 3 Elm street, South. -49-50 p

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE—Underwood No. 5. In best condition. Cheap for cash. Apply 10 Hollinger Lane. -50p

FOR SALE—No. 16 Cabinet Victrola, 4 ft. high and 24 by 25 inches. Cabinet of 24 albums with 115 records. Mostly all Red Seal and in fine condition. Apply to 23 Hemlock St., Timmins. -50 t. f.

FOR SALE—Electric Washing Machine. Bargain. Apply 23 Hemlock St. -50p.

FOR SALE—Complete Contracting or prospect development outfit, including 2 D.C.R. 23 Rand Sinks with drill steel, air and water hose. Also cookery outfit and 12 beds. Reply to P.O. Box 522, South Porcupine, Ont. 50-51

FOR SALE—Mahogany Parlour Suite (3 pieces), two large Leatherette Chairs, one small Table, Bedroom Dresser, one Library Table. Apply 31 Bannerman Avenue, Timmins. 49-51p

FOR SALE—Team of Horses. Will sell team or separate. Weighing 1400 to 1550. Six and nine years old. Will sell cheap for cash. Apply 68 Fifth Avenue, after 4 o'clock 49-50p.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Shop, small house or partly-finished house. On good lot. Must be cheap for cash. Send full particulars first letter. Address P. O. Box, 669, Timmins.

WANTED—Paperhanging. Rooms papered from \$3.00 up. Apply O. Fiset, 53 1/2 Pine street north. Phone 632, Timmins. 49

WANTED—A few English-speaking Boarders. \$8.00 per week, bed and board. Apply 208 Pine st., So. 48p

CANADA HOTEL NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS, under New Management. First-class board and room. Kennedy and Lyons, proprietors, Main street, Schumacher, opposite Todd's Drug Store. 48-50p

LINING OF FUR COATS and CLOTH COATS, and also Making Over Furs, done at 114 Elm street south. -48-51p.

LAUNDRY WORK WANTED by local persons. Apply Corner 7th Avenue and Birch street. 48-51p.

FURRIER—Furs made to order; hats, coats, caps, chokers, etc., etc. Work guaranteed. Mrs. Wadsworth, 12 Balsam St., North, between Third and Fourth Aves. 48-52p

PROPERTIES FOR SALE

PROPERTY FOR SALE OR TO RENT. Suitable for boarding house or for store. Nine big rooms. Could be used for two families. 267 and 267 1/2 Pine street south. Apply to J. Martin, Grocery, Moneta, or write J. Martin, P. O. Box 202, Timmins. Phone 210. 50-52p

PROPERTY FOR SALE, comprising 2 houses and garage, corner Birch and First. Apply 47 First Avenue, Timmins. -50-52p.

FOR SALE OR RENT—18 Cedar St., suitable for machine shop, garage, blacksmith shop. Size 28 x 42. Apply B. F. Lennan, 60 Corner Elm and Broadway. -12

FOR SALE—St. Onge Building, foot of Third Avenue; two good modern stores; plate fronts; steam heated; 14 rooms upstairs in two seven-room flats. Two lots, 100 x 65. Dance Hall above, 45 by 35. Price \$8,500 Cash. Apply Dan St. Onge, or Mrs. Bouchard, Box 22, Kirkland Lake, Ont. -36-44 p.

PRIVATE HOSPITAL

PRIVATE HOSPITAL, 120 Maple Street, South, Timmins. Phone 585-w. P. O. Box 669. Accommodation and reduced rates to out-of-town waiting cases. Graduate nurse in attendance. Mrs. O. A. Farley, Supt. -47-50p.

CARD OF THANKS

To all the electors who gave me their support in the recent municipal election, and especially to those who worked for my re-election, I wish to express my sincere thanks for the continued confidence thus shown. In the coming year, as in the past, I will give my best efforts to advance the interests of the Town of Timmins. J. MORRISON.

FOUND

INGERSOLL WATCH FOUND, outside post office. Watch has been left at The Advance Office for owner of same. -50

FOUND—Fur Neckpiece. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply to Mrs. W. D. Sutherland, Elm street south. -50

ROOMS

ROOMS TO RENT—Two Furnished Rooms to rent, heated. Reasonable Rental. In Central Location. Apply 66 Third Ave., (next to Byek's Store). 49

TO RENT—Four-roomed apartment in the Gordon Block, all modern conveniences. Occupation Oct. 1st. Apply to A. F. Kenning, opposite Post Office. -36 t. f.

FOR RENT—Comfortable steam-heated Room with Board. Also warm furnished Shack to Rent. Phone 231 L. X. -50p.

TO RENT—Furnished Room, warm; Bath room; use of phone; board if desired. Apply to 57 Elm St., S., Phone 596-W. -50 t. f.

STEAM HEATED ROOM TO LET. Tamarack Street. Hollinger employees only. Apply to P. O. Box 1278, Timmins. -50 t. f.

COMFORTABLE ROOM TO RENT IN PRIVATE HOUSE; all conveniences. Apply 111 Mountjoy St. or Phone 433-j. 50 t. f.

PUBLIC NOTICE

MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1925, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon at 104 Spruce Street South, in the Town of Timmins by H. W. Warren, Auctioneer, the following property, namely, the South half from front to rear of Lot No. 81 as shown on Plan M-33, (Sudbury). The said property is known as No. 104 Spruce Street South in the Town of Timmins. There is a building on this property.

For terms and conditions of sale apply to Herbert W. Warren, Auctioneer, and A. C. Brown, Solicitor, Timmins, Ont.

Dated at Timmins this 11th day of December, 1925.

A. C. BROWN,
Solicitor for David Vasiloff,
50-51. the Mortgagee herein

THURSDAY
Bulletin

The following is the report of the November Theory Examinations held at the Timmins Business College last week:

Junior Stenographic—Walter Junell 54.

Intermediate Stenographic—(honours) Dorothy Porter 87. Pass: Adeline Jackson 71, Doris Hill 70, Ruby Kennedy 62.

Senior Stenographic—(Honours) A. Magnan 87. Pass, Jean Duff 69, other marks, A. Smith 59.

Junior Bookkeeping—Pass, L. Bouley 68, other marks, Armand Venne 52, Walter Junell 50, Delia Martin 43, Intermediate Bookkeeping—(Honours)—A. Orr 75, other marks, Thos. Malon 57.

Senior Bookkeeping—Pass, A. Magnan 66, other marks, Doris Hill 27.

Junior Law—Doris Hill 49, A. Orr 39, Thos. Malon 34, Lionel Bouley 19, A. Venne 17.

Enroll now or make reservations for the Winter Term beginning, January 4th, 1926

Timmins Business College
Over Economy Grocery 58 3rd Ave.
(pauquuoa aq oq)
E. M. TERRY, Supervising Principal.
Phone 501 - Write Box 223

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One business corner lot, with 6-roomed house, lathed and plastered, hardwood floors, all modern conveniences; lot 30 ft., by 128 ft. Corner of Third Avenue and Elm Street. Also 7-roomed house, with furnace and all modern conveniences, hardwood floors upstairs and downstairs, new house. Will sell on reasonable terms. Apply No. 3 Elm St. South. -33 t. f.

NURSING

MATERNITY NURSE. By the day. Speaks both English and French. Apply 16 Wilson Avenue. -50-51p

POSITIONS WANTED

WOMAN WANTS HOUSEWORK by the hour. Apply to P.O. Box 43, Mattagami Heights. 48-50p.

POSITION WANTED—Domestic work wanted by experienced girl. Apply to rear of 155 Pine St., S., Timmins. -49p.