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Attractive Band Concert At South Porcupine, Sunday

Varied and Pleasing Programme Delights Big Crowd. Results of the Whitney Township Election. Concert to be held at Golden City To-morrow (Friday) Evening. Other South Porcupine News.

South Porcupine, Dec. 16th. Special to The Advance.

Mr. Geo. Bartle came from Toronto during the past week and is renewing acquaintances in town.

Mrs. C. D. Boyce, of Ottawa, left for home this week after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. G. Britton. The many friends of Mrs. C. B. Morgan wish her a speedy recovery from her present illness.

We hear that the result of the Whitney elections was viz:—Reeve, Capt. Wm. McGregor; Councillors:—Jos. Young, J. Lowden, R. Smith, and P. Rotondo.

Mr. Wm. Davis has brought his family, consisting of his wife and three children, from Regina, Sask., and is comfortably domiciled on Bloor Avenue.

Mrs. K. Firth and two children have recently returned from a three months' sojourn with friends in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

The many friends of Miss Ivy Starling are welcoming her back these days as she is home from the Mayo Institute Rochester, Minn., where she has been undergoing treatment that has been of great benefit to her. The doctors now advise a complete rest of six months when she is to undergo a further series of operations. Despite the various operations undergone and the three days trip home, Miss Starling reached South Porcupine in much better health physically than she has known for years, and her many friends are rejoicing in the fact that a more perfect recovery may be made than was at first anticipated.

Miss Lilian Cugr of Paris, France, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Sol Sky, has gone to Orillia and Toronto to visit other friends. Another cousin, Mr. Geo. Cugr, of Chicago has also been on a visit to Mrs. Sky. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewart and little sons, Lloyd and Nellis, of Shawville, Quebec, have arrived for a prolonged visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Geo. Pirie, Golden Avenue.

Miss Sarah Slotnick is on a visit to friends in Toronto.

Mr. H. Anderson, Mayor of Metier, Ontario, has been visiting his boyhood friend, Mr. W. W. Wilson. He left for home on Tuesday.

Mr. Morrison, of Thessalon, left on Tuesday after a visit with friends in town.

The Band Concert on Sunday evening after the church services was well attended. It was held in the Majestic Theatre which was filled to the doors. The exceptionally fine programme was opened by the Band, with "McKinley's Own March" (by King), and this was followed by an overture; then Benny Mitchell's solo, "I Wish I had Someone to Love Me," was remarkably well given for one so young. After the waltz, "Glory of Egypt," by the Band, Bobby Miner, another of our youthful wonders in the music line, gave a violin solo. The Porcupine Juvenile Orchestra, which is fast becoming one of the most popular musical organizations in town, gave several selections and after a very pretty "Serenade" played by the Band, Mr. H. Anderson, a visitor in town, was called upon for a reading, which was given in such a realistic manner that one could clearly picture the horse and rider and surging through that he told about. His response to the hearty encore was an equally well rendered comic number. The Pappone Bros. (Tony and Mike) pleased everybody with their clever clarinet playing in the duets

which they gave. Although Mr. Grenville has not been heard much before in solo-work in town he will certainly be looked for again at future entertainments after his fine rendition of "Summer Will Come Again." Mr. Geo. Cole, who very ably presided throughout the evening, announced that the Bandmaster, Mr. Boisenault was busy on a composition entitled, "Whoever He Is," dedicated to the new Reeve, and to be presented at the next concert, a month from the present time. The playing of the "Paragon March" by the Band, followed by "God Save the King," brought a very enjoyable concert to a close. There was one jarring element which it is hoped may be remedied by the next time for it was alike annoying to both performers and listeners. This was the hum of small chatters while the music was going on. Nor was it confined to the small boy alone, for within hearing distance of ourselves sat a young lady, possibly in her teens, whose chatter and movements during the greater part of the concert proved particularly annoying to those for a range of several seats around, who wished to hear the music. Young people should be made to understand that a concert of that kind is not a place for tete-a-tetes with all who are within reach of his (or her) voice but a place to enjoy good music and to let others enjoy it also.

The Sunday School at the United Church are holding their Christmas Tree on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23rd. The kiddies are busy now practising their various parts. The Anglican Sunday School are also preparing a Christmas entertainment, the date of which has not been settled yet. On Christmas morning there will be an early Communion in the Anglican Church at 8 a.m. and a service at 11 a.m.

The pupils in Golden City are preparing a first-class concert to be given there on the evening of Friday, Dec. 18th. Quite a number from South End are talking of going across to enjoy it, if the weather is favorable. On Saturday Mr. MacMillan, principal of the school leaves for his home in Stratford and Miss Edington, his assistant leaves to spend her holidays at Wellesley, Ont.

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The marriage took place on Sunday, Dec. 13th, of Fanny Musmatch, second daughter of Mrs. Geo. Cosentino, and James Congenio. The bride and groom were supported by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cosco, and Rose and Angelina Cosco acted as flower girls. The marriage was solemnized at the home of the bride's mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cosentino, on Strachan Ave. After a sumptuous wedding supper dancing took place until the early hours. The happy couple will reside in their new home on Strachan Avenue.

On Friday, Dec. 11th, a small daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Rotondo, Golden City.

John Clattenburg, the month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clattenburg, died at Porquis Jet., on Sunday, Dec. 13th. The remains were brought to South Porcupine, where the funeral took place from the home of Mrs. Clattenburg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. P. McGuire, on Tuesday, Dec. 15th.

DAVIDSON SHAREHOLDERS NOT ALL IN AGREEMENT

There seems to be a chance of some further disagreement among the shareholders of the Porcupine Davidson Mines, according to despatches that affirm that at a recent meeting of the shareholders a by-law was submitted by the directors for ratification, to enable them to use the \$125,000 in the treasury for the purchase of stock in any mining company as they see fit. Mr. Robert Fennell, a director, stated following the meeting that the required two-thirds of the stock of the company was represented at the meeting and that the by-law was passed. Two opposing forces were represented, one identified with the Davidson Consolidated Mines, who had a large minority interest, in person and by proxy. This party claimed that many proxies formerly sent to Mr. Fennell, had been cancelled and a demand was made for an audit of shares represented at the meeting. This party also claimed that there were not sufficient shares represented to make the meeting legal and withdrew. Mr. Fennell explained that the plan of the management was to so invest the funds at the disposal of the company that it would grow to sufficient proportions to enable the company to acquire and develop a property independently at some future time. He stated that the directors at present had no such investment definitely in view, but that they wanted power to act when the occasion rose.

CHAIRMAN OF THE T. & N. O. NOTED FOR HIS KINDLINESS

A story came from the South last week that will find ready belief because it is so typical of the sympathetic heart of Chairman Geo. W. Lee, of the T. & N. O. Railway. It is a story of how the resources of the T. & N. O. were turned for a time from strict business to give ready help and kindness to one in trouble through illness in the family back home. On Wednesday evening about six o'clock Mr. Lee at North Bay received a long distance telephone call from Renfrew, Ont., telling him that the daughter of Mayor Hunegarde, of Rouyn, was dangerously ill, and asking him if there was any way that the news could be carried quickly to the father, so that he might reach the daughter's bedside before she died. Chairman Lee gave all his shrewdness and earnestness to the task suggested. He got in touch with the station agent at Cheminis, the present terminus of the branch from Larder Lake to Rouyn. At Cheminis a horse and rider were secured and hurried on the 27-mile ride into Rouyn. The train at Cheminis was held long enough for Mr. Hunegarde to arrive, and when he reached North Bay on Thursday he found that arrangements had been made for him to travel by a freight train to Renfrew. It would be an anxious journey home for Mr. Hunegarde, but it would be a solace for him on the anxious journey to know the sincere good wishes going out to

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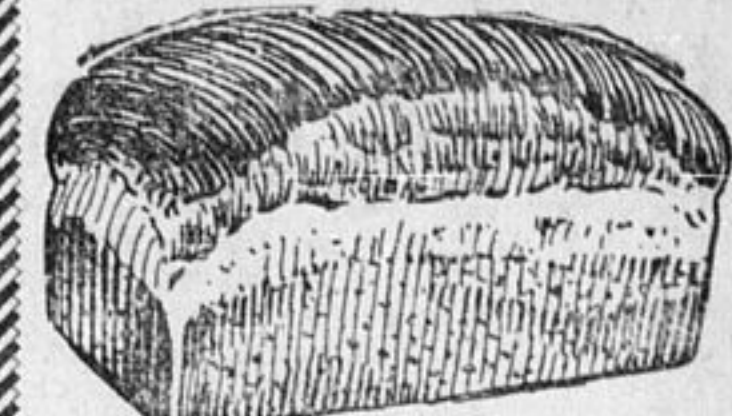
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