

# South Porcupine Baseball Season Practically Over

Review of the Season Shows Good Sport at South End. Other Items of Interest Sent by The Advance Correspondent at South Porcupine.

At the police court on Thursday last week there were several cases, especially speeders, settled out of court. The high-grade charge against Holovich brothers was adjourned for a week. William Guive, of Schumacher, was fined \$50 and costs or thirty days for reckless driving. An assault case was dismissed for lack of sufficient evidence.

South Porcupine Baseball team have not been so fortunate in their last games as they were at first. On Wednesday last week they were defeated by Timmins. Again on Monday, at a game that had been added after the original schedule was made up Timmins were the victors. The umpire for both games was Jas. Granary and base umpire, Sherman Simpson. A summary of Monday's game is viz:—first on balls, off Thomas 2, off Spence 2, off Hackett 1; left on bases—South Porcupine 8, Timmins 6; home runs, Scully, Tate, Sloan; struck out, by Hackett 5, by Thomas 3 in 7 innings, by Spence 2 in 2 innings; double plays, Monaghan to McGrath to Tate; hit by pitcher, Scully.

	A.B.	R.	H.
McGrath	5	3	2
Scully	5	4	3
Angrignon	5	3	3
Tate	6	2	2
Sloan	4	2	3
Pearce	4	0	2
Monaghan	5	0	1
McIntyre	5	0	1
Hackett	5	1	0
South Porcupine	A.B.	R.	H.
Fell	3	2	2
Mansfield in 9th	1	0	0
Spence	5	1	2
Longworth	5	0	1
Reid	3	1	1
Farr	4	0	2
Deacon	4	0	3
Gagnon in 8th	1	0	1
Hughes	3	1	0
Thomas, Joe	4	0	2
Howie, in 9th	1	0	0
Thomas Jr.	3	0	1

As this practically ends the baseball season, the following summary of 8 games played by our own team would be interesting, we thought.

Name	A.B.	R.	H.	P.C.
Farr	23	8	10	435
Mansfield	19	4	8	421
Bourke	5	0	2	400

Fell... 30 6 11 367  
Gagnon... 14 1 5 350  
Longworth... 33 3 10 303  
Spence... 36 4 10 278  
Hughes... 11 3 3 272  
Reid... 26 9 7 269  
Joe Thomas... 23 1 6 260  
Deacon... 26 3 6 232  
Howie... 14 1 1 71  
Thomas, Jr... 14 0 1 71

Mr. Fred Farrant and bride have returned from their honeymoon and taken up residence in the pretty home recently purchased from Dr. Barry. Mrs. Farrant was formerly Miss Ruth Raymond and the happy couple were married at Cornwall, Ont. on August 4th. Mr. Farrant is a druggist in the McKinley Drug Store. We join their many friends here in wishing them happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Smith are leaving Saturday for a holiday in Toronto and Detroit.  
Mrs. F. J. Hamilton, accompanied by Earle, Preston and Jessie, leaves Friday for a visit to her parents in Toronto.

### DEATH OF MISS FLORENCE MCKINLEY ON AUGUST 18TH

Friends here will deeply regret the death of Miss Florence McKinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McKinley, Spruce street south, on Wednesday night of last week. The young lady had been seriously ill for only a few weeks. Death was due to stomach trouble, all possible care and skill being unavailing to save the life of this popular young lady. The late Miss McKinley was about 24 years of age, and had resided in Timmins for about two years, coming here with the family from Nova Scotia. In addition to the bereaved parents, two sisters survive, and to these and the other near relatives and friends the sincere sympathy of all is extended. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon to the Timmins Baptist church and to the Timmins cemetery. Rev. M. R. Hall conducting the services. The beautiful floral tokens and the many expressions of sorrow and sympathy showed the high esteem in which the late Miss McKinley was held by all who knew her.

## DOMINION STORES OPEN BRANCH IN TIMMINS

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The Dominion Stores announce the opening of a branch in Timmins, the formal opening to be on Saturday of this week, August 28th, at 8 o'clock in the morning. This makes 417 branches of the Dominion Stores in Ontario and Quebec, and from this it will be noted that they are well warranted in claiming as a title, "Canada's largest retail grocers." One of the features of the Dominion Stores is the price ticket on every article in the store, showing the selling price. Cash business, quantity buying and immense turnover, are the reasons put forward by the Dominion Stores for superior service and cheaper prices.

The Timmins store is to be at 16 Pine street north, opposite the post office. The store has been under repairs, alterations and improvements during the past few weeks, and is now distinguished by the red front adopted by the Dominion Stores.

### BIG STORM PUTS OUT THE FIRES IN RED LAKE AREA

For some weeks past there have been continued reports to the effect that there were bad forest fires in the Red Lake area. These reports, in some cases, suggested that prospectors and others in the country were menaced. Men coming down from Red Lake, however, discounted all these rumours. While admitting there were fires in the area, they pointed out that none of them were of serious sweeping proportions and that there was enough burned-over territory around the places where the bulk of the inhabitants at present are that more or less protection was given from sweeping fires such as devastated northern Temiskaming on occasion. Now, however, prospectors returning from the Red Lake area bring still better news. They say that the rain storms during the past week or so have eventually dampened the fires to such an extent that it will be considerable time before they will be a menace again, if they ever become so this season. Forestry planes are said to have given excellent service in the Red Lake area, the planes being used to locate small fires starting and to transport men and fire-fighting equipment.

Miss Annie McQuarrie was a weekend visitor to Iroquois Falls.

## BIG CROWD CONSERVATIVE

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the fight against silicosis and for other measures for the worker's welfare. After reviewing the work of the session, the candidate said he was ready to be judged on his efforts of the past year, and he asked the electors to carefully consider the matter and if they felt he had done well he asked their votes again, and he would devote his most sincere effort for the benefit of the North Land.

Major A. Lewis, M.P.P., Toronto, in opening spoke of the increased interest that Old Ontario felt in the great North Land. Just as Old Ontario was interested in the North, so were North and South interested in all Canada, and the Federal election was accordingly of special interest. Major Lewis congratulated North Temiskaming on having a man as able and interested as Mr. O'Neill for candidate, and trusted that he would be rewarded by re-election. Touching on the alleged constitutional issue Major Lewis said that Mr. King apparently feared that the constitution was cracked because he had not had his way, but if the constitution could stand five years of King Government without cracking, the Major thought it would survive. Touching on Hon. Mr. King's reference to the Customs Scandal as a smoke screen by the Conservatives, Major Lewis said that Mr. King was well acquainted with smoke screens—not overseas—but in a political way. Major Lewis said the real issue was clean, safe, sane, solid, stable government. He did not criticize the Liberal party, for whom he said he had the highest regard, but he brought home the "Customs Scandal" to the King cabinet. In 1923, 1924 and 1925, Hon. Mr. King had his attention called personally to the great wrongs going on—smuggling, theft, etc.—and he had done nothing until Hon. Mr. Stevens forced the issue in the House. Major Lewis instanced cases from the parliamentary report showing fraud on the Customs Dept., theft and the sale of stolen goods with the connivance of Customs officials, run running, etc.

Mr. M. M. MacBride, M.P.P., of Brantford, made one of his typical fighting addresses, handling some interrupters with courtesy, tact—and finally. He also had the odd humorous story that he told unusually well. As he started one story, a voice from the gallery said, "Why don't you run a show?" "I might," he answered "if the comedian would come down on the stage here." On another occasion another questioner interrupted a discussion of unemployment with the question, "What did Meighen do?" Mr. MacBride used the question to emphasize the fact that Hon. Mr. Meighen's Government had passed an act for the relief of unemployment where the Dominion paid dollar for dollar with the municipality and the Province to help the situation, while Hon. Mr. King had taken the act off the books and had left municipalities and provinces to carry all the heavy burden. Referring to the rumour that Hon. Mr. Massey had been asked to be the Liberal candidate in this riding, Mr. MacBride roundly condemned any such dickering or log-rolling. He thought Mr. Bradette should have considered the nomination as a sacred trust and obligation not to be bargained with. Mr. D. Laprairie denied that there had been any dickering or bargaining. Mr. MacBride dared the gentleman interrupting to state exactly what had occurred. From the columns of The Toronto Star of June 29th,—"Mr. King's Bible," Mr. MacBride termed it—the speaker quoted to prove from Hon. Mr. King's own words that there was no constitutional issue. "At the present time there is no government," Mr. King had said, "and some one must assume the responsibility of advising the Governor-General." Hansard further showed the fact that there was no constitutional issue, except in Mr. King's wounded vanity. Touching on the Old Age Pensions question Mr. MacBride showed that Hon. Mr. King had voted against such a bill in 1925. There was not a cent provided in the budget for Old Age Pensions proving conclusively that the Government had not intended to enforce the bill, so it was nonsense to talk about the Senate killing it. The Liberal party had done practically nothing for the workers, with the possible exception of the Lemieux Act. They were entitled to the doubtful credit for that act. Hon. Arthur Meighen is pledged to undertake the passage of an Old Age Pensions bill, the speaker said.

Mr. Geo. T. Smith, of Haileybury, despite the lateness of the hour at which he was called, held the keenest interest and attention of his audience. It was fifty years, he said, since he cast his first vote, and fifty years since he first came to the North Land. He recalled the days of Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, with the soup kitchens of those times and the unemployed. He himself had worked for \$15.00 a month as a log driver. He had seen the line-up of hundreds of unemployed men in Toronto, depending on charity for a meal, and this second time was under the administration of Hon. Mr. King. Touching on the "savings" that Hon. Mr. King claimed to have made for the working man, Mr. Smith said that like most working men he could not afford an automobile, so the reduced duties did not help. The postage reduction Mr. Smith showed, would be lucky if it saved the workingman \$1.04 per year. The workingman did not profit from

the other supposed tax reductions of the King Government. Only a few of the workers are lucky enough to be making more than \$2,000.00 a year, he said, so what advantage was the income tax reduction. He thought the taking off of the tax on cheques might have helped the worker a little. Other charges might help the merchants, but were of little interest to the worker. Homely but pointed wisdom and philosophy featured Mr. Smith's address. "Talk about reducing the cost of living," said Mr. Smith, "now I know this, that I have to buy a suit of clothes once in a while, and the suit cost me more in 1925 under Mr. King than in 1921. You all know that." Mr. Smith gave interesting review of the real pioneer days of the North. As early as 1867 it was known that there was wealth of gold and silver as well as of forest and land in this country. He touched on the wonderful development and the greater days to come and urged all to study public questions and do their part in the responsibility that was theirs. He touched briefly on the political issues of the day, urging support of the Conservative candidate, Mr. Ray O'Neill, and concluding:—"This election is not a question of men or of parties, but of measures and administration, and all should cast their ballots on Sept. 14th, in the true interests of the country."

The meeting concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

### RICHES IN MILLIONS ON ALL SIDES AT SIOUX LOOKOUT.

The people of Sioux Lookout must feel rich with so much riches around them. They believe, of course, that there are millions upon millions of gold near them in the Red Lake area, and then listen to this from the last issue of The Red Lake Lookout, published at Sioux Lookout:—"Last week a silk train passed through here, of the value of many millions of dollars, and heavily guarded. These trains pass from coast to coast in the shortest time possible, and in the shortest time possible, two and a quarter minutes to change engines."

### GOLF IN CANADA.

Ottawa, Ontario—In proportion to population Canada, with its 464 golf courses, has more than the United States, so that summer visitors from other countries need not worry about having to miss their game. The province of Ontario leads with 160; Quebec, 70; Alberta, 60; Saskatchewan, 53; Manitoba, 51; British Columbia, 39; Nova Scotia, 17; New Brunswick, 11; Prince Edward Island, 3. Several new courses will be completed this year.

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