

Ten Pears Ago in Timmins

FROM DATA IN THE PORCUPINE ADVANCE FYLES

"Recently there have been many of Toronto, a niece of Sir Sam complaints about animals such as Hughes, Minister of Militia at that horses, cows, calves, dogs, and what- time, gave an address to the Porcunot, running at large on the streets pine Miners' Union at Timmins. of three minutes, with a rate of two at night, and destroying gardens, Miss Hughes emphasized the fact that cents per minute over the first lawns, etc" This was the opening sentence in an article in The Advance ten years ago, though some owners of lawns and gardens may think it would be all right for to-day. The Advance urged all good citizens to see that none of their animals did damage to the valued property of others. The Advance concluded with the paragraph:-"Good citizens will see to the preventing of any further loss along this line, and those who lack in the qualities of decent citizenship must be taught in some manner or another to consider the rights o

Ten years ago women from all over Ontario gathered at Toronto to assist in conference with the Dominion Food Controller, Hon. W. J. Hanna, in the planning for preventing of food waste and the encouragement of thrift and economy. The head of each municipality in Ontario was asked to appoint delegates to represent the different localities, and Mayor McLaughlin ap pointed Mrs. J. A. McInnis and Mrs. J. A. Howse as the representatives of Timmins at the conference.

While cleaning up brush and debris at Twin Falls ten years ago for the Abitibi Power & Paper Co. two Swedes were reported to have uncovered an unusually promising gold find in Rickard township, about three miles east of Twin Falls, on the Abiibi river. One prospector said to The Advance "Why the gold is sticking out of the quartz in pieces as big as the end of your thumb, and the ore is well sprinkled with that kind of gold." There was a great old rush of prospectors into the district There were stories of veins 20 to 30 feet wide, and everybody had a good

The inconvenience of the war days of 1917 is indicated by a pargraph in The Advance stating that in accordance with an order from the Dominion Food Controller no beef will be served at restaurants, on Tuesdays or Fridays. The meat regulation, however, was never really in force here, though for a time there were no potatoes at the local restaurants, and there were the usual restrictions on the use of

Ten years ago Miss Laura Hughes,

the people themselves are to blame for three minutes. Councillor D. Mackie the evils there may be in their govern- was appointed acting Reeve during ments. If liberty and democracy the absence of Reeve S. Kennedy. were worth fighting for, she said, they were worth having. They were even trict notes in The Advance ten years worth thinking about and working for. The people—the workers—had the Bounsall is on a visit to Smooth Rock majority, the political power, the ma- Falls." "Mr. Bill Oakes, of the Mcjority of the votes and they would have anything and everything they wanted in a political way if they would join together in an intelligent way and work together in their own interests. Any evils that might be were in existence only because the people did not use their political power. Miss Hughes criticized the Government very strongly, especially in regard to war contracts. She suggested that the manufacturers controlled the politicians and the others in authority. She thought price control was more needed than food control. Mr. Wm. DeFeu presided at he meeting. In closing the meeting he said that 75 per cent, of the miners of the Porcupine now belonged to the Porcupine Miners' Union, and he asked the others to join up and give 100 per cent. efficiency to the organization. Mr. DeFeu referred to some of the difficulties of the previous few months. To quote The Advance report of the meeting:-"One of the difficulties was the unfair attitude of the press. They were asking no favours and expecting none, but they thought there should be a square deal for all. The Porcupine Advance, he said, was the only newspaper in the district that had given the men a fair

the Cobalt paper." years ago referred to a business

occupied by F. M. Burke. ures of liquor coming into the camp, "Mr. B. E. Martin has returned to the chief cause for the seizures then camp after having a successful operabeing the plan of three or more men tion on his throat by Toronto surwho might or might not live together geons." "Mr. Dave McDougall has giving in together to purchase liquor, left the Dome Mines where he has thus attempting to "put one over" been for a period of six years in on the police and the law as it stood charge of the compressor plant." Ten years ago Provincial Officer Ack- "This week a merry-go-round is doroyd was very active here in making ing a merry business under canvas

The Advance ten years ago, as to- "Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kitchen, of day, was always anxious to record any Schumacher, are spending their vacabeauty or oddity of this North. One tion at Mr. Kitchen's old home near of the items in The Advance ten years Barrie." "The thermometer regisago was as follows:--". An unusually tered 95 in the shade Tuesday of this beautiful appearance of the Northern week." "Acting Chief M. Sally Lights was visible in Timmins on Sat- picked up several Austrians lately urday evening, the Lights stretching for travelling without the necessary from horizon to horizon and being permits." "Constable M. Greer reparticularly clearly defined and rich turned on Wednesday last from his in shades and highlights. The Nor- trip to the East where he spent some thern Lights are always wonderful extra time on account of an attack of here, but Saturday's showing was a rheumatism. Mrs. Greer and children

Commerce' was the heading on an who were so provokingly sure that no article in The Advance ten years ago. one would take advantage of the free The Advance quoted the president of lots offered under the auspicies of the a large bank in Chicago as saying that Board of Trade for the cause of greatwithout the mining industry the coun- er production, should see the lots now try would be bankrupt. "Mining," under cultivation. Those who accepted he said, "made Great Britain the the free lots are more than pleased world's commercial dictator. Mining with the prospects, and many who did made the United States the richest not grasp the opportunity thus offercountry in the world. Show me a ed now wish that they had." "The country without mines, and I will tea given on Thursday evening by show your a people sunk in degrada- Mrs. A. R. Globe and Mrs. R. J. Jemtion, and poverty makes cowards of mett, under the auspices of the Wo-

ship council on July 21st, 1917, the ner of Elm street and Second avenue, following resolution was moved by proved a delightful success. Cards, councillors McDougall and Easton and dancing, refreshments and music were carried unanimously:-"That this among the features of the evening, council purchase from the Geo. Taylor and Mrs. J. A. Therriault and Mrs. J. Hardware, Limited, one only Double R. Todd pleased all with their solos. 13 Tank Chemical Engine, as per speci- The decorations and arrangements of Accessions and Arrangements and Arrangements of Accessions and Arrangements are accessed as Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements are accessed as Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements are accessed as Arrangements and Arrangements are accessed as Arrangements and Arrangements and Arrangements are accessed as Arrangements are a fications submitted, manufactured by the American LaFrance Fire Engine Co. of Canada Limited, said engine and apparatus to be mounted on a Ford chassis, the price to be \$1450.00 f.o.b. cars Toronto.' At a special f.o.b. cars Toronto." At a special meeting of the Tisdale council the same week the council accepted a new agreement with the Porcupine Telephone Lines to reduce the rental charge for a business place phone to \$40.00 per year and \$22.50 for a private residence phone. The rate for calls between Timmins and South Porcupine was set at ten cents per call

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ty had been thrown at the men, The Intyre, has returned from a visit to the house for the occasion were note-Cobalt Nugget had refused to publish the east." "Mr. D. Kerrigan, who worthy, the "smoking room" being Grace Castonguay was sentenced to the fact that 400 members of the has charge of the T. & N. O. green-Union were serving in France, and houses at Englehart, has been in Coch- daisies, buttercups and flags had apletters replying to criticisms in other rane recently with a number of work- propriate place, pleasing all. The ways had been refused publication by men, fixing up the station grounds and event was well attended and all pres- ed with bootlegging to be sent to jail planting annuals and perennials. The ent passed a very pleasant evening." A paragraph in The Advance ten perennials planted last year wintered

change in one of the pioneer firms well and are looking tine this year. DISCOVERY OF HIGH-GRADE of the camp. The item said: -- "Mr. There are many beauty spots now a-S. I. Bucovetsky has retired from the long the T. & N. O. While this sort firm of Bucovetsky Bros., and the of good work is in favour The Adbusiness will hereafter be carried on vance would urge attention along this by Mr. Sam Bucovetsky. Chas. line at Timmins." "Mr. C. E. Me Pierce & Sons have taken over the Dowell has been appointed manager whole big grocery stock carried by of the Ontario Experimental Farm at Bucovetsky Bros., and added it to Monteith." "Matheson Women's their own big stock. Mr. Sam Buco- Institute has amalgamated with the vetsky will centre the attention of his Matheson Patriotic Society so as to store on dry goods, boots and shoes, simpify war work in that good town. furnishings, etc., the grocery depart- "Mr. J. H. Black, general manager ing doubled immediately. The manment being discontinued to permit of of the Northern Canada Power Co. large room and better service to the is in camp on a business trip." "Mr. nereasing patronage of the Bucovetsky and Mrs. P. Lynette, of Toronto, are store." Mr. Sam Bucovetsky's store spending their vacation at the home ten years ago was in the premises now of their daughter, Mrs. J. E. Newton." "Mr. Chas. Dalton is back in

During 1917 there were many seiz- town after a visit to Toronto." just across the town line in Moneta.

also returned later in the week from "Fewer failures in Mining than their holiday near Ottawa." "Those nations as well as individuals." men's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's At a meeting of the Tisdale town- church, at Mrs. Jemmett's home, cor-

an attraction for the gentlemen, and the artistic decorations, in which

BY DUPRAT IN MONTBRAY

A discovery of high-grade, made early Thursday morning on Duprat property in Montbray Township, has revealed ore carrying massive chalcopyrite over substantial width, according to official information received last week by Arthur E. Moysey and Company. The force of miners is beexceptionally high; also that further development will reveal an extensive ore body. The discovery was made on the property recently purchased by Duprat and is the largest block of ground held by any company in Rouyn.

At Sudbury some days ago Miss two months in jail for selling liquor Act. She is the second woman chargfrom Sudbury under the new act. A man was found in the place at the time of the raid was fined fined \$10.00 and costs.

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