

## CHINCHILLA RABBIT FUR

Should be Good Market for Mea Suggestions About This Possible New Industry for North.

Some weeks ago The Advance referred to the possibility of the rais- mean still better prizes. ing of chinchilla rabbits proving a possible good side-line in this North The chinchillas would thrive here and their fur would be especially these rabbits might not be sufficiently properly killed and treated, the chinprofitable for a business of itself, but chilla rabbit meat is about the same as an added feature for the settlers colour as the breast of fowl. It has and others it seemed to have many ex- a very fine flavour and generally apcellent advantages. Following the peals to most people. article in The Advance, Mr. W. Trol- In regard to the care of the chinlope, of Schumacher, informed this chillas, Mr. Trollope says that they paper that its suggestions along the require no more attention than ordinchinchilla line were quite practical as ary rabbits. During the winter time he had already taken up the breeding they need a fairly big run, so as to of these rabbits as a side-line. This allow for proper exercise. With reaweek Mr. Trollope was good enough sonable care in feeding and attention, to give further particulars in the matter. He says that the fur of the chin- chinchilla. chilla rabbit is used very extensively for trimmings for ladies' coats, espe- | pedigreed stock. Indeed, the breed-

fashions in the matter have given the young chinchillas from their own chinchilla fur a very great popularity. pedigreed stock. Mr. Trollope em-The fur is rich and adaptable and pro- phasizes the desirability of purchasing mises to be in permanent demand to a only pedigreed stock, because of this very large extent. The skins bring and other advantages. from \$1.25 to \$3.00 each at the fur As a side-line for a small farmer, markets. The Canadian Small Breed- Mr. Trollope believes that the raising ders Association is now working on a of chinchilla rabbits would prove very plan whereby they will trade direct on profitable and most interesting. the English market, and this will

There should be a good market for the meat, Mr. Trollope thinks. He believes that it will achieve consider-The breeding and raising of able popularity as a delicacy. When

cially for collars and cuffs. Parisian ers will sign contracts to take all the

#### COBALT RATEPAYERS MAY INSIST ON TAX COLLECTION

An interesting, situation has developed in Cobalt in regard to the collection of arrears of taxes there. At a recent meeting the council considered the matter of some ten thousand dollars in taxes owed to the municipality. Some wished drastic measures taken, but the decision of the council was that those in arrears who could not pay at present should be given opportunity to explain matters to the council. The people in general apparently have little faith in this procedure and some are beginning to inquire what will be done in case those concerned continue to ignore the arrears due. One citizen is quoted as saying that he can not understand There is a ready market for all what right the council has to allow some ratepayers to continue to ignore the duty of paying their taxes, while he pays his promptly, and so do others. In addition to paying their own taxes, he points out, the good fellows have an additional burden to meet in the way of interest on money borrowed from the bank to carry or while arrears of taxes are outstanding. The question shows that it is certainly to the interests of all good citizens to have the taxes paid and paid promptly. There is a suggestion coming from Cobalt that the council can be forced to collect the tax arrears by the simple expedient of other big taxpayers, who have been prompt pay in the past, absolutely refusing to pay their taxes this year until the arrears are duly collected. Against this plan it is urged that such a method would place the town in a still worse position financially. Drastic methods are necessary, is the burden of the reply being made to this latter idea. However, no matter what happens, the situation in Cobalt can certainly be described as an interesting one.

### HAWK LAKE LUMBER CO. BUY DOUBLE DIAMOND CO.

Will Start Up This Season and Clean Up the Present Limits of the Double Diamond Co.

Double Diamond Co. should remain stage. The Hawk Lake Lumber Co., has been progressive and successful notable increase in the number of big during its operations in the past few game hunting parties going to the years. The head office of the Hawk Rocky Mountain areas in search of Lake Lumber Co. is at Cochrane, Ont., Rocky Mountain sheep and goat, as and the company has mills at Mon- well as grizzlies and other bear. In Railway, as well as at Island Falls as well as adjacent to Jasper National Junction on the T. & N. O. extension Park and Mount Robson Park, excelnorth of Cochrane, and at Brander on lent hunting for these big game troph-Hawk Lake Lumber Co. has been effi- there report that the overflow from an excellent business and extending sanctuaries, is a guarantee of game its operations right along. With the being plentiful in the hunting areas purchase of the Double Diamond Co's. for years to come. plant the Hawk Lake Lumber Co. may confidently be expected to still further progress and prosper to the general COMPANY TRAVELS IN ITS advantage of the whole district.

#### LUMBER SCATTERED ALL OVER THE ROADWAY.

and piled back upon the wagon.

#### BIG TRUCK MAKES TRIP TO COCHRANE IN THREE HOURS.

The good condition of the road between Timmins and Cochrane is indicated by the following paragraph from the last issue of The Cochrane Northland Post:-

"A five-ton truck of the Canadian Oil Co. in Timmins, making the trip from Timmins to Cochrane in 3 hours and 15 minutes on Tuesday afternoon, testifies to the good condition of the road. The truck was loaded with over 500 gallons of White Rose gasolene for the Geo. Taylor Hardware Limited, and started on the return trip the same afternoon.

The New Liskeard Speaker last week says:-"'Dr and Mrs. E. L. Brereton of Barrie were motor tourists at the Beach this week. They went by train on to Timmins for a few days. They are enamored with the delightful drive from Barrie and our lovely Beach."

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## OF HUNTERS IN THE NORTH

Nimrods from Many Different Countries Planning to Invade Canada's. Northern Forests for Trophies.

Montreal, August 10th.—The opening of the 1927 hunting season will witness an unprecedented index of hunters to the Northern Canadians forests from all parts of the American continent as well as from France, South America, British Isles and other countries, according to C. K. Howard, general tourist agent of the Canadian National Railways, whose office has been beseiged for months with requests for information and for advance reservations. Hunters make their reservations early, and consequently requests for information have been received ever since the opening of the present calendar year. Information now to hand indicates that the majority of outfitters at points along the Canadian National lines, from the Atlantic Coast to the Pacific, will have their camps filled to capacity during the entire season.

The opening of the moose and deer hunting season in Quebec on September tenth, will find many hundreds of hunters in the woods while they will be joined ten day laters by This week is was learned that the others who seek caribou, which of Hawk Lake Lumber Co. had taken late years have been migrating furover the plant and business of the ther southward, and of which many Double Diamond Lumber Co., of good specimens were secured in the Timmins, and that the Hawk Lake Lake St. John region last year. The Lumber Co. would start up the plant opening of the moose hunting season here this season and run it along until in New Brunswick and the other Marithe limits held by the Double Diamond time areas will also find many nim-Lumber Co., are cleaned up. This rods camped in the bush, waiting. will be generally considered as ex- Ontario outfitters, who handle deer cellent news as there has been general and moose hunters report that their regret that the fine plant of the bookings are almost at the capacity

The present season will witness a teith and Wasach, on the T. & N. O. the Mountain Park area of Alberta, the C. N. R. west of Cochrane. The lies is enjoyed each year, and outfitters ciently managed and has been doing the National Parks, which are game

### PULLMAN ON TOUR OF NORTH.

The coloured musical comedy company presenting "Shufflin' Sam From Alabam',' coming to Timmins this At about 4.30 p.m. on Friday last week-end, was in Cochrane the bethere was a motor accident in the ginning of the week, and from reports lower part of the town that created from there it would be taken that the considerable excitement, but fortun- troupe is a superior one. The comately was not at all serious. A motor pany has a band of its own, a special car driven by Mr. G. Depatie acci- orchestra of its own, and a wardrobe dentally bumped into a load of lum- and equipment of particular extent ber the auto striking the wagon from and attraction. This is the 114th conbehind. The lumber was knocked all secutive week that the company has over the street and the horse had its played, and it has enjoyed a succesknee hurt, but not seriously. No sion of good houses. There are thirty other damage was done, and the people in the company and they scattered lumber was soon retrieved travel in their own private pullman.

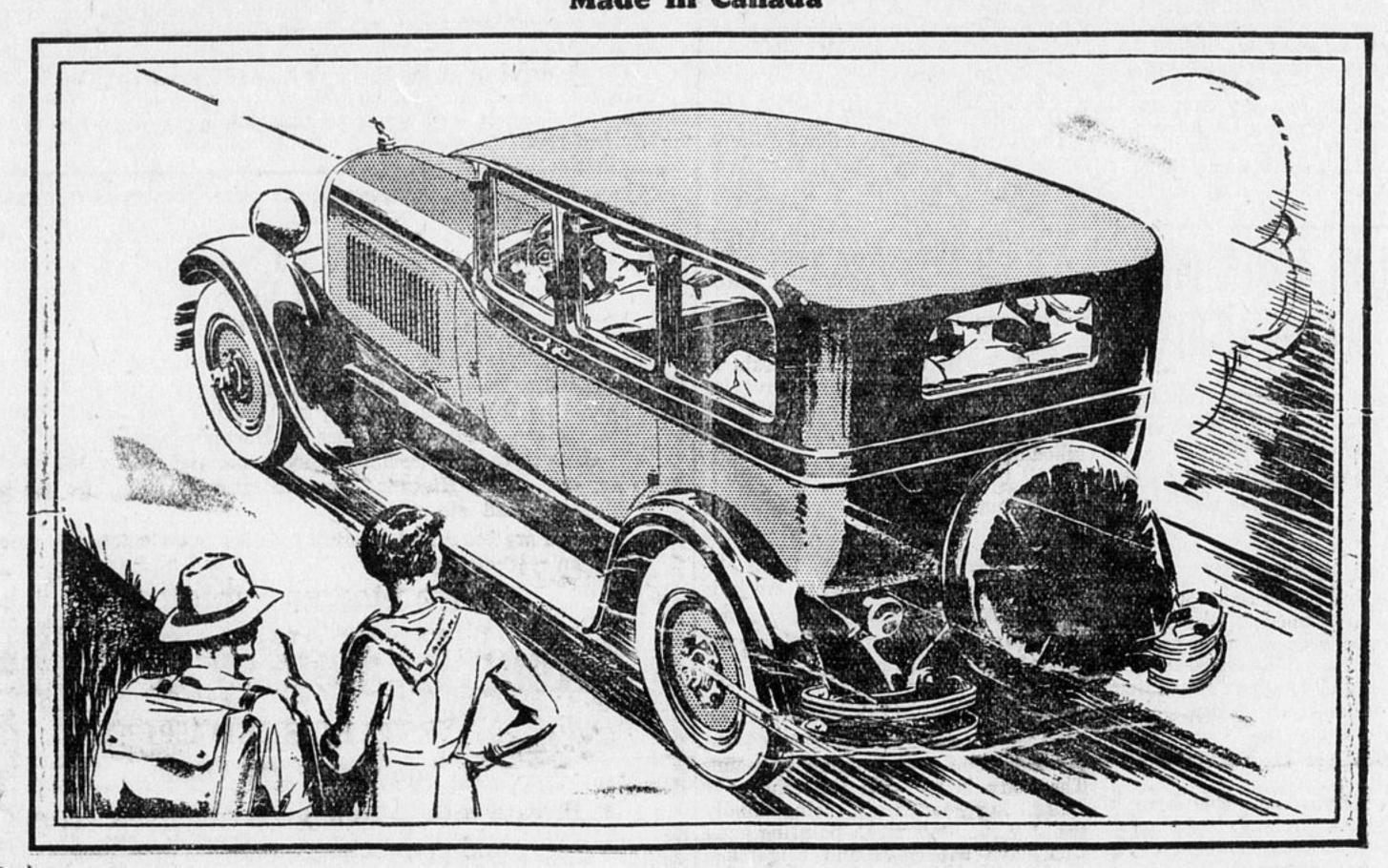
> Mrs. Fred Cothrell is away on an extended visit to her parents near North Bay and to other relatives and friends in the South. She will return home to Timmins about Sept. 1st.



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