

## Fifteen Hundred From North Welcomed in Toronto Tuesday

### Government and City Give Reception to Crusaders. Many Odd Cars and Novelties Attract Attention. Six Hundred from North Sit Down to Banquet by City of Toronto in King Edward Hotel.

Tuesday of this week the Government of Ontario and the City of Toronto officially welcomed the Northern Ontario Crusaders, who paraded in motor cars after coming down from the North by the Ferguson highway. For weeks past motor cars have been going down from the North for the event, and on Sunday and Monday the last cars left here. Half a dozen cars left here on Sunday and nine on Monday morning early. Scores of others from this area went down by train to Toronto to join up with friends who have cars and who had already gone to Toronto. The prospectors' old-time car from Timmins failed to materialize, owing to misunderstanding at the last minute. Similar difficulty, it is understood, prevented the projected prospectors' car from Haileybury from going by road to the city in the way planned. However, South Porcupine had an old-time car in the parade that carried out the idea of the old-timers, as well as creating special interest in the south. In addition, it may be noted that there were literally scores of real old-time prospectors from the North going down to Toronto for this Crusade event. In many cases they journeyed by train for valid reasons, but in the city they joined up with friends in cars and entered the parade.

On Tuesday morning the motor cars from the North Land formed in parade at Armour Heights (North Toronto) after a morning trip from Orillia and Barrie, where the previous day they had been right royally entertained. They paraded down Yonge street to Queen street, the main road being reserved for the use of the Crusaders. The parade passed by the city hall, where on a raised platform His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor; Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario; the Mayor of the city of Toronto; and other notables reviewed the parade, while thousands of citizens gathered in the city hall square. There were scenes of unusual enthusiasm and interest.

At 2:15 there was a luncheon served in the Georgian Room of the T. Eaton Co. At 7:30 p.m. His Worship the Mayor, Thomas Foster, the Council and the Corporation of the City of Toronto, tendered a banquet to the visitors in the King Edward Hotel crystal ballroom. An orchestra and a group of entertainers delighted the gathering. There were over 600 from the North Land at this function. The addresses of the evening were as follows: Mr. R. Dye, manager of the Vipond Mine, spoke on Mining; Mr. C. W. Wright, of Englehart, gave a very inspiring address on Agriculture in the North Land. Mr. Alex. Dewar, president of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade and editor of The Broke Hustler, Iroquois Falls, dealt with Forests and Water Powers of the North. These addresses were of high excellence and made an unusually strong impression. Many people of the south confessed that the addresses gave them an altogether new and accurate conception of the great North. Elsewhere in this issue each of these addresses will be found presented in full as delivered. Each one of them is well worth careful perusal and preservation. As expected, Mr. Dye very ably and attractively presented the facts in the mining industry and suggested the possibilities of this great country. The addresses of the evening were broadcasted by CKCL.

Wednesday, the day was devoted to the Toronto Exhibition, the entrance to the grounds being free for the Crusaders. Thirty-five representative members of the Crusade were given a luncheon by the president and directors of the Fair. Sections of the grand stand were reserved for the Crusaders in the evening. A banquet was tendered to the ladies of the party by the Robert Simpson Co. at 6:15 p.m. at the big store. There was a fine programme of entertainment with this event.

To-day (Thursday) the Toronto Board of Trade is taking the Crusaders on an excursion to Niagara Falls. Premier Ferguson and Cabinet are tendering a dinner to the delegates at the Refectory at Niagara Falls at 7 p.m., with Hon. G. Howard Ferguson presiding. The falls are to be illuminated with white lights from 7:45 to 8 p.m. and then with coloured lights. To-morrow (Friday) the day is to be devoted to side trips, arrangements having been made for visits to Guelph, the Government nurseries in Norfolk county, the University of Toronto, the Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto Art Gallery, Hydro-Electric plants, etc. Any golfers will also be accommodated at their favourite game.

All through the stay in Toronto, parking and camping privileges have

been arranged and other conveniences given. Reports from Toronto are very fragmentary, but it is evident that everyone is having a wonderful time and greatly enjoying the trip. Also, it may be noted that those who journeyed down from the North reached Toronto in all cases without serious mishap. The Ferguson highway proved to be in good shape and everything went well and continues to do so.

As noted on several previous occasions, the Northern Ontario Crusade was designed with the double purpose of observing the completion and opening of the Ferguson highway connecting Timmins, Cochrane and Iroquois Falls and intervening points with the city of Toronto and the south, and the placing before the people of the south of a more comprehensive and accurate conception of the North and what it has in the way of resources. The people of the south learned much of the North Land through the floats and other items in the parade. From the addresses at the banquet on Tuesday evening a still clearer conception was given. The idea originated with Hon. Mr. Finlayson, Minister of Lands and Forests, and he must be complimented on the great success of the idea. North and South have learned much of each other through this great parade. No doubt the Crusade will be talked about in the south for many a day, and as the Northerners return here there will be further details to give regarding the big event, which undoubtedly is to be of great value in attracting attention to the North and in increasing the goodwill between New and Old Ontario.

## FIRST INSTALMENT OF TAXES DUE ON SEPT. 15

Five Per Cent. Penalty Will Be Added to First Half of Town Taxes If Not Paid By Next Thursday

Readers of The Advance are reminded that the first instalment (one-half) of the municipal taxes for the year are due and payable next Thursday, Sept. 15th. If this instalment is not paid by that date, a penalty of 5 per cent. will be added. Accordingly, it is worth while for all to remember that the first instalment is due next Thursday, and to see that the amount is paid on or before that date so that the additional cost of the penalty will not be imposed.

This year the taxes are due and payable in two equal instalments, the first payment to be made on or before Sept. 15th, and the second and final payment to be made on or before Nov. 15th. When the instalments are not paid at the due date, a penalty of 5 per cent. is added in each case.

This year those who feel the paying of taxes is troublesome, should remember that last year no taxes were collected. This year is having its effect in a double payment, as it were. The payment of taxes in the regular way this year will have its effect next year, when the taxes will likely be easier, there being no deficit from this year to make up.

In any event, remember that the first instalment of taxes is due Sept. 15th, next Thursday.



BEAM TELEPHONE FOR CANADA

Rt. Hon. F. G. Kellaway, managing director of the Marconi Wireless Co. in Great Britain, has just announced that the beam telephone between England and Canada will be available before this year is out. Recent tests have been highly satisfactory.

## SILVER CENTRE WON AT NEW LISKEARD YESTERDAY

### Captured a Game From McIntyre in the Finals of the Baseball Championship

In the finals of the Temiskaming Baseball League championship series, Silver Centre and McIntyre played at New Liskeard yesterday (Wednesday), and Silver Centre won the match with the score 9 to 6. Despatches from New Liskeard suggest that it was a classy game of baseball, with the Silver Centre boys in much better form than shown in any of the final games before. McIntyre has already won two games in the finals for the championship of the North and the R. A. McInnis trophy. One more game will place the McIntyre team as the victors, while Silver Centre must win three straight. Of course, this game yesterday is one, but few think they have any chance of winning the other two. McIntyre team had just come down from Kapuskasing, where they were playing an exhibition game on Labour Day. The next two games, however, will be different. There is another game this (Thursday) afternoon at New Liskeard Beach. If McIntyre wins this, the contest is decided in favour of the Schumacher team. If the Silver Centre team should win this game to-day, a deciding game will be necessary to prove the winners of the championship and the R. A. McInnis trophy.

## FIRE CALL ANSWERED BY HORSES ON TUESDAY

Tuesday morning at 11:20 a telephone call was given to the firemen for a blaze at 24 Maple street south, owned by Mr. J. Shankman and occupied by Mr. Sol Shankman. The firemen made a very speedy response, but for the first time since its purchase the motor fire truck did not make a good start. It was accordingly left behind and the fire team went to the fire with the brigade. The fire was soon put out. It was caused by a short circuit in the heating system, this setting fire to the wainscoting. About \$50 damage was done.

## HORTICULTURAL SHOW LABOUR DAY EVENT HERE

Following the usual custom of leaving the big sports day on Labour Day to Iroquois Falls, there was nothing special staged here in the way of sports for Monday. The big feature here for Labour Day was the horticultural show in the Timmins skating rink. It certainly was a big event and the people enjoyed it immensely. The officers, directors and others concerned are to be sincerely congratulated on the big success of the horticultural show this year.

## War Memorial Unveiled at the Park on Thursday Last

### Gen. Sir Wm. Furse Unveils Monument to Soldiers from the Porcupine. Mr. A. F. Kenning Presides at Ceremony. Addresses by Hon. Chas. McCrea, Rev. Fr. O'Gorman, Mrs. H. W. Darling, Mr. A. F. Brigham and Others.

The presence in town last week with the Empire Mining Congress of General Sir William Furse, in command of the Eighth Scottish Division in the Great War, and formerly Adjutant-General at the War Office, London, was taken as a suitable opportunity for the unveiling of the Timmins War Memorial at the park near the station. Gen. Sir William Furse kindly agreed to officiate at the unveiling of the memorial, and though there was only a couple of hours in which to make preparations for the event, the arrangements were cleverly carried out and the occasion was a notable one. The Timmins Citizens' Band gathered at the bandstand and played patriotic airs before the ceremony, and after the event gave a concert for the crowd that had assembled. Several hundred people were present for the ceremony despite the fact that there was no way to make the time and occasion known in any extended way.

Mr. A. F. Kenning, M.P.P., presided for the occasion, and in a brief address, in which he thanked the Kiwanees, the Hollinger, the McIntyre, the Town and the T. & N. O. for the beautiful memorial and the park, the various speakers were introduced. Hon. Charles McCrea, Minister of Mines for Ontario, spoke briefly but eloquently of the service given by the soldiers from the Porcupine, and expressed appreciation to the Kiwanees, the Hollinger, the McIntyre, the Town and the T. & N. O. Rev. Fr. O'Gorman's prayer for the occasion was singularly appropriate and touching. Mrs. H. W. Darling, on behalf of the Kiwanees, gave a brief address that was most impressive and appropriate for the occasion. Mr. A. F. Brigham also spoke briefly.

## CROPS IN THIS DISTRICT SPECIALLY GOOD THIS YEAR

### Thresher and Two Binders Taken to Farms Up the River, Showing Development of Farming

Reports from around the district indicate that the crops this year on the farms of the Porcupine are unusually good. "Everything in the garden looking fine," was the way one settler phrased it, though he admitted that the grains looked and were every bit as good as the garden stuff. Not only are the grain crops among the best years of production in the North, but the root crops are also remarkably good. Potatoes were never better. Other vegetables are more than equal to the best past standards. The hay crop is a bumper one.

Evidence of the progress of farming in the district is given by the fact that a threshing machine and two binders have been taken to farms up the river. Mr. Chenier is the purchaser of the thresher, but he is not the first to buy this form of farm help in this district. Some years ago Mr. F. M. Wallingford invested in a thresher, though it was not much used. Mr. Chenier expects to have lots of use for his thresher and judging by this year's grain crops he has made a profitable investment.

## RAMBLERS AND K. OF C. TIED IN SOFTBALL HONOURS

Last night in a lively and interesting game of softball the Ramblers won from the K. of C. This means a game each in the series, the K. of C. winning the previous game. Now the deciding game will have to be played to settle the championship. This will likely be played to-morrow (Friday) night when the K. of C. and Ramblers will meet to finally decide the honours for the season.

## ILLUSTRATED LECTURE AT SANDY FALLS ON FORESTRY

At Sandy Falls on Sunday evening there was an illustrated lecture on Forestry by a representative of the Canadian Forestry Association. Mr. Henry, who spoke helpfully and ably on forestry problems. The lecture was well illustrated by motion picture views. Mr. Thomas Armead made a very able chairman for the occasion. The schoolhouse was crowded to the doors for the event, the lecture and views being greatly appreciated. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem. Mr. Gillespie, chief fire ranger, and the other fire rangers of the district, were present, and had also done their best to secure the largest possible attendance, believing very rightly that the more that is known about forestry the better for everybody.

## Horticultural Show This Year a Remarkable Success

### One of the Finest Displays of Flowers and Vegetables Seen in the North. Event at Rink on Labour Day Very Largely Attended. Entries Total 556. Special Display by Mr. Whorley, of Haileybury.

The third annual horticultural show of the Timmins Horticultural Society, held in the skating rink on Monday, Sept. 5th, Labour Day, proved to be the finest exhibition of flowers and vegetables ever seen in this North. The entry list was greatly in excess of any previous year, there being 556 separate entries. Practically every class in the line of flowers and vegetables was well represented, some of the displays being remarkably good. An extra interest was added by the magnificent display of flowers of all kinds made by Mr. Whorley, of the Prospect Nurseries, Haileybury. Mr. Whorley, by the display, showed what may be done in this North Land in the horticultural line. The display made by Mr. Whorley was a pleasing revelation of beauty and interest, and it was much appreciated by all.

All day Monday and all Monday evening the rink was thronged with people enjoying the fine displays shown. In most lines competition was keen, and in no line was the showing other than creditable and pleasing. Special interest was shown in the boys' and girls' departments, the youngsters very evidently living up to high standards.

Prizes may be secured by calling on Mr. A. R. Harkness, the president of the Society, at the Marshall-Ecclestone hardware store.

There was especial interest taken in the garden competitions. Mr. Whorley, the judge, had a long and difficult task, there being so many fine gardens in town now. Fortunately, however, he is an expert with a very thorough knowledge in the matter. The following are the prizes as awarded:

**Garden Competitions**  
60 foot and corner lots—1, F. C. H. Simms, 52 Maple street, south, cup donated by T. Eaton Co.; 2, H. Overton, 69 Elm south, table lamp donated by Smith & Elston, Ltd.; 3, Rev. R. S. Cushing, \$5.00 worth of perennials given by E. D. Smith & Sons.  
30 foot lots—1, H. Pocock, 23 Bannerman avenue, Canadian Bank of Commerce cup; 2, Dick Richards, 26 Hollinger Lane, 2 sterling silver vases, donated by Homer L. Gibson & Co.; 3, T. A. Skelly, 10 Sixth avenue, 2 vases donated by L. Halperin.

**Cut Flowers**  
Alyssum—1, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 2, A. R. Harkness; 3, Art. Skelly. Snapdragon—1, Mrs. G. Irving; 2, A. Parker; 3, Mrs. Geo. Howe. Asters, White—1, A. Harkness; 2, C. R. Murdock; 3, L. H. Pocock. Asters, Pink—1, W. D. Pearce; 2, D. E. Keeley; 3, Mrs. W. F. J. Cosser. Aster, Mixed—1, D. E. Keeley; 2, Mrs. Cosser; 3, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard. Asters, A.O.V.—1, D. E. Keeley. Asters, Mauve—1, Mrs. Cosser; 2, Mrs. A. Boutet; 3, Mrs. M. E. Williams. Asters, Purple—1, W. D. Pearce; 2, D. E. Keeley; 3, Mrs. Cosser. Asters, Red—1, Mrs. Cosser; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, Mrs. A. Boutet. Marigold—1, D. E. Keeley; 2, Mrs. G. H. Gauthier; 3, C. R. Murdock. Chrysanthemum, Annual—1, G. H. Gauthier; 2, Rev. R. S. Cushing. Clarkia—1, Mrs. F. C. H. Simms; 2, A. R. Harkness. Calliopsis—1, A. Skelly; 2, F. Read. Cosmos—1, D. E. Keeley; 2, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 3, Mrs. McCadden. Dahlia—1, C. G. Kemsley; 2, R. Mullen; 3, J. Skelly, special prize T. & N. O. Commission. Dahlia Cactus—1, Mrs. W. Dunn; 2, J. Singleton; 3, C. G. Williams, special prize donated by T. & N. O. Commission. Pinks—1, Mrs. Wm. Howe. Gaillardia—1, Mrs. H. W. Darling. Gladioli—1, Rev. R. S. Cushing; 2, A. Pocock; 3, C. R. Murdock. Godetia—1, Rev. Cushing; 2, H. Overton. Sunflower—1, Rev. Cushing; 2, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard. Candytuft—1, Mrs. G. H. Gauthier; 2, J. H. Skelly; 3, A. E. Taylor. Balsam—1, Mrs. C. G. Williams. Sweet Peas—1, W. D. Pearce; 2, C. R. Murdock; 3, A. Pocock. Stocks, Single—1, H. Overton. Stocks, Double—1, D. E. Keeley; 2, J. H. Skelly. Mignonette—1, A. Pocock; 2, Mrs. J. E. Gurnell; 3, Mrs. A. E. Prout. Negelia—1, Mrs. Cosser. Poppy—1, J. Moyle; 2, Lena Lepic; 3, R. Mullen. Cal. Poppy—1, Mrs. J. A. Howse. Phlox Drummondii—1, H. Hatton; 2, A. Skelly; 3, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard. Petunia, Single—1, Mrs. C. G. Williams. Petunia, Double—1, Ed. Richards; 2, H. Hatton; 3, Mrs. Geo. Howe. Salpiglossis—1, D. E. Keeley. Nasturtium—1, Mrs. A. E. Prout; 2, Mrs. Dunn; 3, Mrs. J. W. Dougherty. Verbena—1, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 2, A. Skelly; 3, Mrs. A. Boutet. Viola—1, Mrs. Wm. Howe; 2, J. Singleton. Pansy—1, Mrs. F. C. H. Simms; 2, A. Pocock; 3, Mrs. Dunn. Zinnia—1, A. Pocock; 2, A. E. Cole; 3, C. R. Murdock. Collection Annuals—1, A. Skelly; 2, A. E. Taylor; 3, Mrs. R. W. Robbins. Collection Perennials—1, D. E. Keeley; 2, Mrs. G. Irving; 3, Mrs. F. J. Hamil-

ton. Basket Cut Flowers—1, A. Pocock; 2, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 3, Mrs. H. W. Darling. Bouquet Wild Flowers—1, A. Pocock; 2, J. Singleton; 3, I. P. Wilson. Hand Bouquet—1, J. Moyle; 2, A. Pocock; 3, Mrs. W. White. Roses—1, Mrs. Dunn; 2, Mrs. F. J. Hamilton; 3, A. E. Taylor.

**House Plants Flowering—Open Class**  
Begonia, Fibrous—1, Mrs. H. W. Darling; 2, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard; 3, O. Ringstead. Begonia, T. Double—1, Mrs. Wm. Howe; 2, Mrs. A. Boutet; 3, A. Pocock. Geranium, Single—1, Mrs. Bateman; 2, Mrs. Geo. Howe. Geranium, Double—1, Mrs. J. Bruyere; 2, Mrs. Bateman; 3, J. Singleton. Hanging Basket—1, Mrs. Bateman. Hydrangia—1, A. Skelly. Petunia—1, R. Miller; 2, R. Richardson.

**House Plants, Foliage—Open Class**  
Begonia Rex—1, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard; 2, R. Richardson; 3, O. Ringstead. Coleus—1, Mrs. J. Bruyere; 2, J. Skelly; 3, J. Singleton. A. O. V.—1, Mrs. M. E. Williams; 2, Mrs. Cushing; 3, O. Bruyere. Hanging Basket—1, H. Hatton; 2, Mrs. V. H. Emery.

## Vegetables—Open Class

Broad Beans—1, W. D. Pearce; 2, A. Pocock; 3, M. J. Tinkess. Wax Beans—1, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 2, H. Overton; 3, I. P. Wilson. Runner Beans—1, A. Pocock; 2, Rev. Cushing; 3, Mrs. A. E. Prout. Beets—1, W. Barr; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, H. Overton. Cabbage—1, I. P. Wilson; 2, J. Moyle; 3, Mrs. W. Irving. Carrots, Long—1, W. Barr; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, D. Rubinos. Carrots, Short—H. Overton; 2, Lena Lepic. Cauliflowers—1, I. P. Wilson; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, Lena Lepic. Spinach—1, A. Skelly. Celery—1, I. P. Wilson; 2, H. Hatton. Cabbage Lettuce—1, Mrs. V. H. Emery; 2, Mrs. M. E. Williams; 3, J. Moyle. Cos Lettuce—1, W. D. Pearce; 2, A. Skelly; 3, J. Singleton. Onions—1, H. Overton; 2, J. Singleton; 3, A. E. Taylor. Parsnips—1, D. Rubinos; 2, H. Overton; 3, W. Barr. Parsley—1, A. Pocock; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, W. Barr. Vegetable Marrow—1, H. Overton; 2, A. Pocock; 3, H. Overton. Squash—1, H. Overton. Peas, small—1, Mrs. W. Irving; 2, J. Moyle; 3, Mrs. R. Edleston. Peas, Large—1, H. Overton; 2, W. D. Pearce; 3, I. P. Wilson. Radish—1, I. P. Wilson; 2, A. Skelly; 3, J. Singleton. Tomatoes, Green—1, I. P. Wilson; 2, J. Singleton; 3, Mrs. Geo. Howe. Turnips—1, J. Singleton; 2, Mrs. W. Irving; 3, J. Moyle. Swede Turnips—1, Lena Lepic; 2, W. D. Pearce. Round Potatoes—1, Mrs. W. Irving; 2, A. Pocock; 3, A. Parker. Kidney Potatoes—1, A. Parker; 2, J. Moyle; 3, A. Pocock. Kohl Rabi—1, Lena Lepic.

## Class 2—Amateurs—Cut Flowers

Double Stocks—1, H. Overton; 2, A. Skelly; 3, Mrs. Geo. Howe. Phlox Drummondii—1, H. Hatton; 2, A. Skelly; 3, J. Singleton. Dahlias—1, C. G. Kemsley; 2, A. Pocock; 3, Mrs. aing. Marigolds—1, A. Skelly. White Asters—1, Mrs. M. E. Williams; 2, Mrs. W. H. Pritchard. Red Asters—1, Mrs. A. E. Prout. Purple Asters—1, A. R. Harkness. Pink Asters—1, Mrs. M. E. Williams. Zinnias—1, A. Pocock; 2, Mrs. Geo. Howe; 3, Mrs. Laing. Pansies—1, A. Pocock; 2, J. P. Bartleman; 3, J. Singleton. Sweet Peas—1, A. Pocock; 2, Rev. Cushing; 3, J. P. Bartleman. Gladioli—1, Rev. Cushing.

## Class 3—Children

Cut Flowers—1, Mary Morin; 2, Catrine Morin; 3, Grace Singleton. Basket Cut Flowers—1, Geo. Darling; 2, Marion Emery; 3, Ethel Emery. Stocks—1, Willie White; 2, Cyril Read. Sweet Peas—1, Betsy Dodge; 2, Cyril Read. Sunflower—1, Geo. Skelly. Wild Flowers—1, Alice Dodge; 2, Grace Singleton; 3, Pauline Mullen. Plants—1, Ethel Emery; 2, Marion Emery.

## Children—Vegetables

Pumpkin—1, Geo. Skelly. Cabbage—1, Grace Singleton. Cauliflowers—1, Sophie Lepic. Lettuce—1, Grace Singleton. Carrots—1, Sophie Lepic; 2, Grace Singleton; 3, Geo. Skelly. Beets—1, Grace Singleton; 2, Sophie Lepic. Beans—1, Sophie Lepic; 2, Geo. Skelly. Peas—1, Grace Singleton; 2, Cyril Read; 3, Sophie Lepic. Potatoes—1, Sophie Lepic; 2, Grace Singleton.

## Special Prizes

A. E. Moysey & Co. Ltd., cup for the most number of points, won by A. Pocock. Hollinger Stores Ltd., for the most points on Asters, won by D. E. Keeley. E. D. Smith & Sons, Ltd., for the best showing of perennial phlox, won by Mrs. Wm. Howe. Rinn Bros., for the most points won by children, won by Grace Singleton. Taylor Hardware Ltd., for the best flowering plant in show, won by Mrs. A. R. Bateman. A. R. Harkness, for the best foliage plant in show, won by Mrs. J. Bruyere. W. Rennie Co., Ltd., grown from Rennie's Seeds—1, A. Skelly; 2, J. Singleton.