

TIMMINS LODGE, I.O.O.F. No. 459
Meets every Friday evening in the Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce St., North. Visiting brethren requested to attend
S. T. WALKER W. G. SMITH
N.G. R.S.

TIMMINS L.O.L.
Meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of every month, in the Basement of Anglican Church
ALL VISITING MEMBERS WELCOME
A. G. LUXTON, J. G. ARCHER,
W.M. R.S.

CORNISH SOCIAL CLUB
Meetings held in Hollinger Recreation Hall, third Saturday of each month. Open to all of Cornish birth or Cornish Associate.
ALFRED W. SNOW, President
J. G. HARRIS, Sec.-Treas., Schumacher, Ont.

Schumacher L.O.L. No. 2975
Meets on the Second and Fourth Thursday of each month at the Schumacher Orange Hall. All visiting members welcome
J. A. TOWNSEND C. C. HICKS
W.M. R.S.

All-Britain Social Club
Meets in the Hollinger Recreation Hall every first and third Friday in the month
BERNARD B. ASH, President
J. HALLAM, Secretary-Treasurer

LANCASHIRE CLUB
Meets in the Hollinger Recreation Hall, first and second Saturdays of each month. Invitation may be obtained from Secretary or President upon application, or from members of the Committee.
T. H. RICHARDS, President
MRS. T. RICHARDS, Sec.-Treas., Box 1037, Timmins, Ont.

The Caledonian Society of Timmins
Open to native-born Scots and Scotswomen and those of Scottish descent.
Meetings every second and fourth Friday in the month in the Hollinger Recreation Hall.
P. J. ARMER, President
D. CUTHELL, Secretary

GOLD STAR, L.O.B.A.
No. 677, Timmins, Ont.
Meets every 1st and 3rd Monday of each month in the basement of Anglican Church.
ALL VISITING MEMBERS WELCOME
M. GORDON, JEAN LANGMAN,
W.M. R.S.

CANADIAN LEGION TIMMINS BRANCH
DR. S. R. HARRISON, President
Meets second Friday in each month in the Town Hall at 8 p.m. All returned men gladly welcomed.
T. FELLOWS, Sec.-Treas., Box 1716
23 Montgomery Avenue, Timmins, Ont.

GOLDEN GLOW, L.O.B.A.
No. 742, Schumacher
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MRS. GORDON THOMPSON PASSED AWAY ON FRIDAY

Died After Illness of Only a Week. Was Highly Popular and Esteemed Resident Here

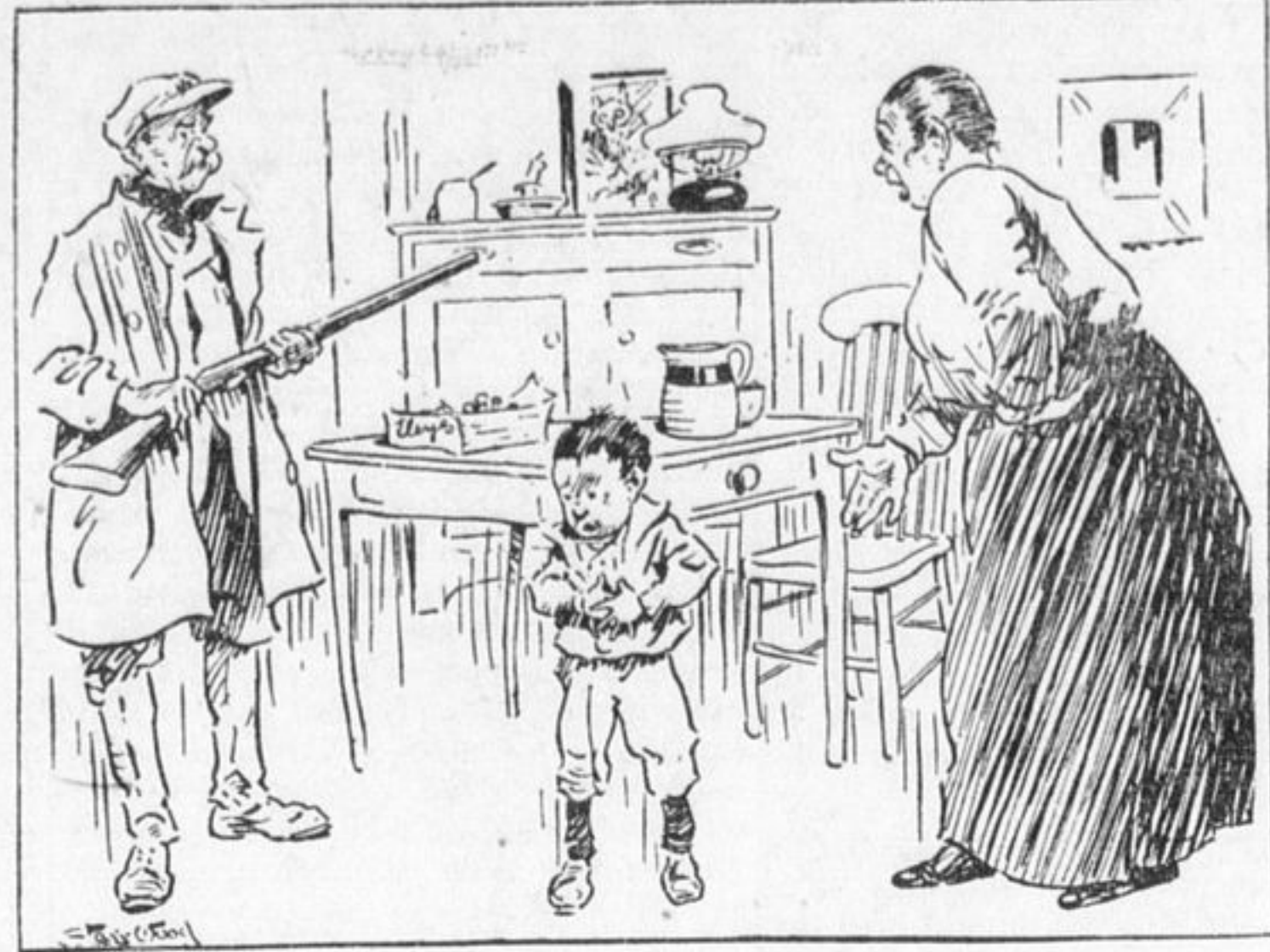
The sad death took place on Friday last, March 2nd, of Mrs. Gordon Thompson, 30 James street, after an illness of only about a week. Death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Thompson returned three weeks ago from a holiday visit to California and appeared to be in the best of health. About a week before her death she was taken ill and despite all that medical skill and care could do, she passed away on Friday last.

In addition to the bereaved husband, Mr. Gordon Thompson, conductor on the T. & N. O. freight on this division, a little daughter, Barbara, aged two years, is left to mourn the loss. Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Scott, resides at Schumacher. A brother, residing at Toronto, and a sister at MacTier, also survive. To all of these the deepest sympathy of all is extended in their sad and sudden loss.

The late Mrs. Thompson was born in England, coming to Canada some fifteen years ago. Until moving to Timmins some seven or eight years ago, the family lived in North Bay where the late Mrs. Thompson had hosts of friends who will mourn with those in Timmins at her untimely death.

The funeral took place on Sunday, March 4th to St. Matthew's Anglican church and the Timmins cemetery. Rev. R. S. Cushing, rector of St. Matthew's conducted the services, which were very largely attended despite the inclement weather. The pallbearers were Messrs R. Richardson, Gilbert Lee, Geo. Monaghan, H. Hatton, Cliff. Thompson and J. Dalton.

The large number of beautiful floral tributes evidenced the wide circles of friends who mourned the death and sympathized with those bereaved. Among the floral offerings were tributes from:—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, MacTier; Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley G. Allen, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Scott, Schumacher; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Powers, Connaught; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Forder, Parry Sound; Miss Bessie Forder, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Forder, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Perry, Miss Beatrice Rheume, the Willis family, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nichol, the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Edwards, Geo. Lawrence and family, North Bay; T. & N. O. staff, South Porcupine; Mrs. Archie Monaghan and mother, Iroquois Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan, Englehart; Margaret and Mary Byrnes, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hawkins, Edger Eady, Schumacher; Way Freight Crew, Timmins I.O.O.F. 459, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Spencer, Miss Finlay, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hatton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newton and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. MacLean, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomkinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Monaghan, Mrs. L. S. Newton, Mrs. E. Rogers, Mrs. J. D. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCann, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilson and Alex Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Carriere, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lambie, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Armistage, Mr. and Mrs. C. Beattie, Mr.



Poacher: "Wots all the trouble?"
His Wife: "Little Willie has swallowed one of your cartridges and I daren't wallop him for fear it will go off."
—Passing Show, London.

INTERESTING PRIZES FOR DOG RACE TEN YEARS AGO

Considerable Difference in the Intrinsic Value of Awards in 1918 and Recent Years.

Every year when the Dog Race event comes up for attention there is considerable discussion in regard to the prizes to be given. Each year there are some who wish to increase the value of the prizes. Their argument is that by doing so the event will attract outside attention, and so make Timmins famous. One year this idea did result in the prizes being extended till they totalled \$1500.00. The results were scarcely equal to expectations, however. On the other hand, those who have argued for more moderate prizes have, perhaps, been impressed chiefly by memory of the days when the Dog Race was a big event—the sporting feature of the winter—everybody taking part very evidently for sport's sake, the prizes being keenly sought, but certainly not for their money value. In 1918, for instance, there were no money prizes at all. There was an array of prizes, but here is the complete list for the Dog Race that year:—
The A. R. Globe Shield (for competition).
Handmade dog whip, made and donated by Mr. C. M. Auer.
Dog team harness, given by the boys of the Porcupine Crown Mine.
High quality sweater, donated by D. Ostrosser & Co.
Handmade snowshoes, made by Mr. J. Salmon, of Fox Point, donated by the Northern Canada Supply Co. Limited.
Hat, donated by Mr. J. P. McLaughlin.
Box of cigars, given by the Corner Drug Store.
Month's barbering, given by Carson & Fraser.
Auto-strop safety razor, donated by Marshall-Ecclestone, Limited.
Two handsome brier pipes, amber mouthpieces.
Times change! But there was much fun and sport ten years ago, at that!

Mr. H. S. Sladen, of Hamilton, was a Timmins visitor last week.
and Mrs. D. Chisholm and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dorsehner, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watt.

GENERAL MEETING OF THE LANCS. FOOTBALL CLUB

Finances in Good Condition and Prospects Very Good for Successful Season in 1928

The annual meeting of the Lancashire Football Club was held on Sunday, March 4th, in the Hollinger hall. There was only a small attendance owing to the severe storm. Several items of business were transacted, the most important being the financial statement which was presented by the secretary, Mr. T. Richards. This showed as follows:—receipts from all sources \$775.04; expenditures, \$695.16; leaving a balance on hand of \$79.88; thus showing that the club is away to a good start for the 1928 season. The president, W. Kevan, and the secretary, T. Richards, both handed in their resignations to the club, and the offices were taken over temporarily by other members until the season commences, when permanent officers will be elected. The committee was appointed as follows:—Messrs Foy, Jackson, Jopson, Michison, Hogg, Kevan, Rigby, Richards. These are to added to as conditions warrant. Several players have signified their intention of signing for the club this season, and any players who would like to be associated with the club are asked to get in touch with any of the committee. Things look bright for a good season for the Lancashire Football Club, and the committee are commencing work immediately to make it the best in the club's history.

TWO MEDALS IN EACH CLASS FOR HIGHLAND DANCING

In connection with the Highland dancing competition to be held at the big Irish concert to be given in the New Empire theatre on Friday evening, March 16th, under the auspices of the choir of the Church of the Nativity, there will be two handsome medals given in each class, 5 to 9 years old and 9 to 15 years. The medals are the kind that will be prized by the winners, and competition is expected to be keen. The judges will be Mrs. Mason, of Timmins, and Mrs. Mackenzie, of Schumacher, both ladies with a wide knowledge in Highland dancing. All entries for these competitions must be made at Mr. J. T. Heffernan's store, Third avenue, not later than March 10th, Saturday of this week.

ANOTHER KIWANIS EVENT WEDNESDAY EVENING NEXT

Edward Reno, Famous Illusionist, With Wonderful Programme, at Goldfields Theatre

Another of the lyceum entertainments sponsored by the Timmins Kiwanis Club will be held at the Goldfields theatre on Wednesday evening, March 14th. This will be Edward Reno, Expert Illusionist, one of the most entrancing entertainments of interest, mystery and fun ever shown here. The proceeds of the event on Wednesday evening next will be as usual for the Timmins Kiwanis Club fund for the underprivileged child.

The press speaks in the highest terms of the entertainment given by Edward Reno, and the committees in the various centres where he has appeared are superlative in their words of praise. He is acknowledged to be one of the greatest in his line at the present time.

For thirty-five years Edward Reno has been a magician and in that time he has travelled all over the world, including India, Syria and Egypt. His name is by no means new to lyceum committees. In fact he has appeared in many places for return engagements, presenting a new programme each time.

Reno is constantly inventing new things in magic and illusions, also in foreign lands he picked up many things not known to many professionals. Magic like everything else, has progressed with rapid strides during the past years. Never was there a better demand for up-to-date illusions and sleight of hand than now.

Reno has the usual light paraphernalia, but performs his tricks while in ordinary evening dress, and so adroitly as to escape detection in every case. In this respect he is a wonder. He does things that seem absolutely impossible of execution without the aid of supernatural agency.

One of his performances that never fails to amaze his audiences is known as the "dove trick." He burns a piece of common paper, and a dove rises phoenix-like from the ashes. He apparently tears the dove in two, only to find that he has two doves in his hands. He throws a glass of water into the air, and it changes into a dove and flies away.

Not the least enjoyable feature of Reno's performance is the running fire of comment with which he entertains everything he does. These fragmentary remarks are full of fun and wit, with flash after flash of good-tempered satire aimed at himself or his work. He is a man of fine personality and engaging stage presence with a keen mentality and an artistic appreciation of the success he has achieved in his profession.

In a performance two hours in length he is able to spring one surprise after another on his audience, keeping all in a state of breathless wonder and delight until they forget to note the flight of time. The fact that many of these tricks are inventions of his own adds interest to the entertainment.

A member of the Legislature in the course of a speech last week quoted figures purporting to show the increase of drunkenness under the L.C. A. He mentioned North Bay, and Mayor Banner at once wired to contradict the figures which he said were absolutely incorrect. "Police court records show police court cases 50 to 60 per cent. lower than under Ontario Temperance Act."

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