

## South Porcupine Hockey Team Banquetted Thursday

**Right Royal Welcome Accorded the Boys on Their Return from Toronto. South Porcupine Shows Its Pride in Its Wonderful Hockey Team. Township Council Meeting Deals With Many Matters. Other South Porcupine News.**

South Porcupine, March 27th, 1928. Special to The Advance.  
We regret very much to hear that Mr. and Mrs. O. Gillette are leaving the Dome Mines, Mr. Gillette having severed his connection with the Dome mill. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gillette have made many friends during their stay here by their kindly conscientious living and we feel it to be a loss indeed to the community to have them leave it.  
Mr. J. P. Pessiah, of Iroquois Falls, spent the week-end in town.  
Last week the bridge clubs met at the home of Mrs. G. Cross and Miss A. Sullivan. Mrs. Frood and Mrs. McCaffrey carried off the high hon-

ors, while Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Rowe won the consolations.  
On Saturday, March 10th, at Wadhope, Manitoba, Miss Neva Davis, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis, of Pottsville, became the bride of Mr. Robert Robertson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson, of Wishaw, Scotland. Mr. Robertson, who is a nephew of Mrs. John Fell, of the Dome Mines, came to Porcupine in 1922, and resided here and at Kirkland Lake until several months ago he went to the Central Manitoba Mines at Wadhope. The bride has lived with her parents at Pottsville since the early days of the camp. Both young people have been

very popular throughout the district and we join their host of friends in sending congratulations and best wishes.  
The time allotted for the licensing of dogs is fast drawing to a close. This is the last week. Those who have dogs they value would do well to see about this in good time and so avoid the consequences of a summons for not having tags for their dogs.  
In police court on Thursday last there were three drunks who paid the usual fine; one man was fined \$5 and costs for allowing a dog to run at large contrary to law; a case of breach of the Highway Traffic Act was dismissed.  
Born—At South Porcupine, to Mr. and Mrs. Toivo Haavista, a son, on Saturday, March 24th.  
The council of Tisdale township met on Monday, March 26th. Reeve Gallagher is still in Toronto on business so Councillor D. Kerr acted as reeve; all the other councillors were present. A requisition from Schumacher Fire Brigade for supplies in the way of hose, etc. was granted. It was decided to again write Mr. Clement of the T. & N. O. Railway in regard to a drain at the west end of the station in Schumacher. This

not working properly was likely to cause flooding in that area. The large amount of water per service used in Schumacher was again commented upon. The assessor was asked if the tax roll would be ready by the stipulated time and answered that strong efforts were being made to have it so and he judged that it would be. A suggestion for employing married men for township work in preference to single men was made by Councillor Laforest. Complaints were made in regard to the scavenging in Schumacher. A large amount of time was taken up in discussing ways and means of making the road improvements necessary this summer. A communication from a tractor company offering 3 trailers for our tractor, at a reasonable price, was considered as very feasible and the clerk was instructed to write and see if these were still available. These with some kind of a loading machine would reduce the cost of road-making at the rate of nearly \$1.00 per yard, the horses-and-wagon method being so slow especially on long hauls that it runs into money very quickly where much work is to be done. Where trailer dump-trucks are used the work could be much facilitated and the tractor made use of in summer as well as winter. The routine accounts and salaries were passed for payments.  
A royal welcome home was accorded the Porcupine hockey club when they arrived on Wednesday last. The Porcupine Goldfields band played a welcome as they stepped off the train. Not only the station platform, but all available space around was thronged with citizens. The boys lined up with the large handsome banner, presented to them in Toronto, carried ahead of them and were escorted to waiting cars, while the band on a truck headed the procession which started for down town. They were driven around town while the music heralded the fact that they were back. Then they were taken to the front of the council chambers where Councillor Kerr, acting on behalf of the absent reeve of Tisdale, gave them a civic welcome back, mentioning the repute and honour they had brought to our township and hoping they would stick together and go still further next year. Mr. Jamieson, manager, on behalf of the club, replied, voicing their appreciation of the warmth of the welcome given them. Then on Thursday evening a splendid banquet was arranged at the High School auditorium. The Porcupine Goldfields band were also present at this banquet, which was entirely a stag affair. Fifty plates were laid and Chief Mortenson, who acted as caterer, spared nothing in making it pleasing to the inner man as well as it was to the outer man by the tasty arrangement of everything. The ladies committee had the hall most tastefully decorated with the Porcupine colours, and everything was so smoothly carried out that it has been reported as one of the happiest, jolliest affairs ever taking place in this part of the camp. Councillor Laforest proposed the toast to the Porcupine Hockey Club, voicing the pride of the whole camp in their exploits. Manager Jamieson replied, giving highest credit to the boys for their gentlemanly conduct all through and thanking both them and their supporters for their loyalty to him. He stated that they were the most pleasing team to manage that he had ever had the good fortune of taking to Toronto. Mr. W. Rayner, president of the club also replied. Dr. Russell for the Dome Mines voiced his regret at not getting down to see the games. Mr. Charles Roach, on behalf of Timmins, expressed the appreciation felt for the boys in that part of the camp. The toast to the Porcupine district was proposed by Mr. Percy Richards of the Dome Mines and replied to by Mr. J. Shevan of the McIntyre Mines, Schumacher. At nine o'clock the general public was admitted for an evening of bridge, euchre and dancing. orchestra supplied music with the real pep that made everybody happier still. After lunch was served a huge cake in dark and golden colours was brought in. It was iced so as to have the name of each player on the sides and Porcupine Hockey Club on the top. Each section bearing the player's name was presented to him, the section being the size of an ordinary cake. Mr. Sarsfield, mining recorder, also donated a large pan of bread to each one. The beautiful banner given the boys in Toronto for their participation in the welcome to the Varsity Grads hung in a conspicuous place. The Porcupine Hockey Club were especially requested to take a place in the procession formed to welcome the home-coming of these world champions on Tuesday evening. Their banner was prepared for them and wearing their gold and black sweaters presented to them last year, they marched with the other sporting organizations of Toronto and all along the route were given a lusty cheer nearly equal to that which greeted the Grads. It was the biggest piece of appreciation given them by a city that used them while all through their stay. Mr. Jamieson, on behalf of the Porcupine Hockey Club, wishes to thank all those of Timmins, Schumacher and South Porcupine who so kindly wired encouragements to them during their series of gruelling games. Timmins was particularly thoughtful in this respect, messages being received from A. F. Kenning, M.P.P., C. Roach, A. Sauve, Chief Borland, C. Hall, Homer Gibson, Office, A. Ross and many others, some of them sending messages after each game. Iroquois Falls, Haileybury, Sault Ste. Marie and Owen Sound were also generous in their encouraging wires. These messages were a welcome balm after the games, while the bruises of the evening were nursed. The hearty support of all parts of the camps has been one of the most pleasing features in their series.



**MR. G. A. REID** has recently been appointed superintendent for the Industrial Branch of The London Life at Timmins. Mr. Reid comes to this city after a period of successful service as superintendent for the company at Lindsay. D. W. Neill, C.L.U., is district supervisor for the ordinary branch of the London Life at Timmins.

## A.S.D. HAS GOOD LEAD IN THE FRATERNAL LEAGUE

**Kiwanis, Second, and I.O.O.F. and Moose Tied for Third Place Now in Bowling League**

The following is the standing of the teams in the Fraternal Bowling League:—A.S.D., 14; Kiwanis, 11; I.O.O.F., 8; L.O.O.M., 8; Y.P.L., 7.  
The honour roll:—T. Feldman, 750; Skelly, 658; Daher, 645; Leamen, 641; Campbell, 632; Platus, 629.  
The bowling on last Monday night was a little better in spots, some of the players and teams putting up nice scores while others were all off. The I.O.O.F. who were trying hard to catch the league leadership, started off like a house afire, rolling 1162, but lost the next two games, to only get two points, while the A.S.D. won three points from the Y.P.L. to increase their lead. The Y.P.L. started out nicely, winning the first game, but lost the next two, when Abrams and Cohen fell down badly. T. Feldman tried to break his high single of 343 but fell 8 pins short, a blow in the second frame costing him a real big game. The standing of the individual averages are the same as last week.

A. S. D.			
Reid	142		142
Walsh	161	202	566
Jacobs	160	293	593
Wingrove		248	181 429
Barr	232	164	173 569
Belanger	239	145	168 552
	934	1052	865 2849
Handicap	104	118	118 340
Totals	1038	1170	983 3201
Y.P.L.			
T. Feldman	335	218	197 750
C. Abrams	131	139	116 386
E. Abrams	187	160	201 548
Platus	209	216	204 629
Cohen	231	153	135 519
	1093	886	853 2832
Handicap	75	75	75 225
Totals	1168	961	928 3057
A.S.D. wins 3.			
I.O.O.F.			
Carson	163	175	170 508
Cooke	219	108	327
Leamen	278	157	206 641
Skelly	280	188	190 658
Campbell	222	250	160 632
Brough			184 184
Handicap	94	94	75 263
Totals	1256	972	985 3213
L.O.O.M.			
Daher	216	177	252 645
Brennan	214	193	190 597
Pierce	119	202	264 585
Eyre	201	199	175 575
Dickson	177	199	183 559
	927	970	1064 2961
Handicap	20	20	20 60
Totals	947	990	1084 3021
Each win 2.			

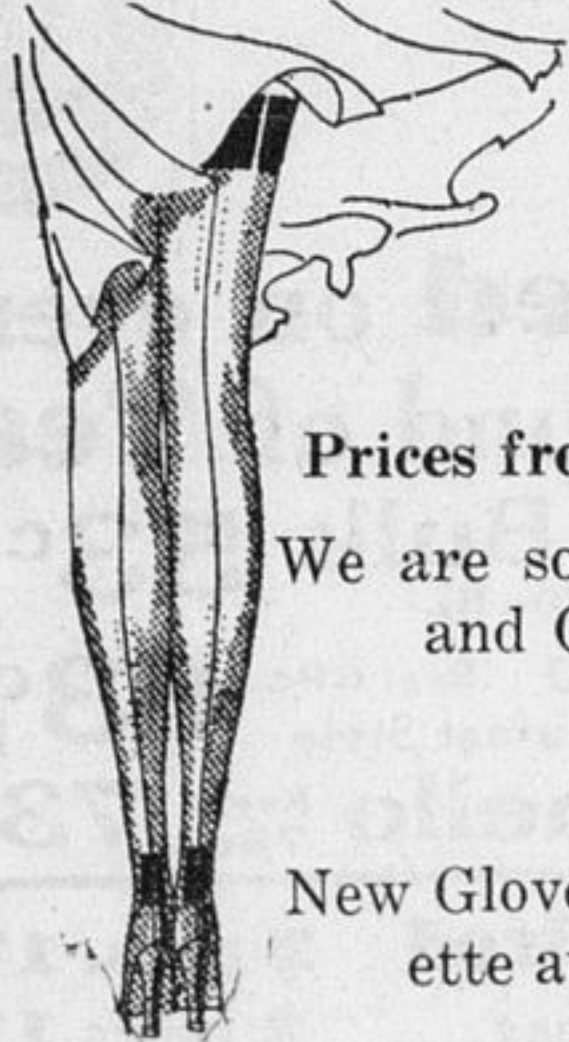
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