

Cornish Welcome Club Hold Banquet at South Porcupine

Very Pleasant and Successful Dinner and Concert. Noteworthy Samples of Ore from McManus Red Lake Property. Young Man Found Hanged in Cleaver Township. Grand Warden Visits South Porcupine O.E.S. Other South Porcupine News.

South Porcupine, April, 4th, 1928. Special to The Advance.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. C. V. Gallagher, reeve of Tisdale, is quite ill in Toronto. His many friends wish for his speedy recovery and return home.

Misses Vera, Beth and Elda Dempsey are leaving this week to spend Easter at the parental home in Cochrane.

Miss Brewster, of the Porcupine hospital staff, is spending Easter in Toronto.

Miss B. M. C. Shaw, principal of the Public School, is ill and has not been able to be at school this week. Mr. Peter McPhail, of Kirkland Lake, visited with friends in camp over the week-end.

Mining Recorder Sarsfield informs us that the usual ten day's grace has been granted with regard to the renewing of miners' licenses, this making the expiring date, Tuesday, April 10th.

Misses Donlevy and Roney, of the teaching staff, are spending Easter at their home in Pembroke; Miss Burns, at Lindsay; Miss M. Hogg, at New Liskeard.

Mrs. MacLennan and daughter, Jessie, of Kirkland Lake, were the guests

of Mrs. A. MacPhail, Consolidated West Dome Lake, during the past week.

Mrs. Farran is visiting her son, Willie, and his family on Bruce avenue.

We saw some noteworthy samples out from the McManus property at Red Lake. There was plenty of visible gold and you didn't need a magnifying glass to find it either. This is another property in which many South Porcupine people are interested. It was the original discovery of Red Lake, we believe. According to geological situation the strike of the Howey should pass directly across the McManus holdings.

The dinner and concert given on Thursday last by the Cornish Welcome Club was much enjoyed by the large number present. Mr. S. Sky efficiently acted as chairman for the occasion. A violin solo, "Home, Sweet Home," with variations, by Farmer, was a pleasing introduction by a young pupil of Mr. Brydges', Frank Calmeo. He gave "Traumerai" as an encore. The comic songs of Messrs Will Allan and Blewett were vociferously encored. A cornet and trombone duet by Messrs Brydges and Huestis was a pleasing

feature, as was also the cornet duet "Life's Dream is O'er" by the same two artists. Mrs. Bullock with her splendid contralto voice, gave a much appreciated rendition of "When You Come Home at Eventide," while Mrs. K. Humphrays in her soprano solo, "Down the Vale," showed a technique of expression and tone that called forth unstinted applause. Both these soloists were trained singers in England, well-used to concert work, but have been living such a retired life here, that this is the first time they have been persuaded to appear in public. We hope we may hear them soon again. Then there was the dancing of the little Misses Muriel and Isabel Wilson in the Irish Jig that caught the fancy of everybody who loudly called for more. Little Caroline Sutherland danced the Highland Fling with an airy lightness that reminded one more of a feather floating rhythmically on air. Between the numbers of the programme dancing was enjoyed. Then a real Cornish supper was served, pasties, saffron cake, coffee, etc. After supper Mr. Paddy Gallagher was the chief entertainer between dances. Frank Sullivan's orchestra, who supplied the music gratuitously left nothing to be desired in the way of quality and were most liberal with the quantity. Those in charge of the affair have the satisfaction of knowing it was a decided success. The accompanists for the evening were Miss Carmel Laforest, Miss Sarah Slotnick, Mrs. Webb and Mr. Brydges on the violin.

Mrs. T. J. Wright is leaving on Thursday for Toronto as a delegate of the school board to the Ontario Educational Association. She will also represent the Pioneer Home and School Association of South Porcupine

and will attend the dinner given in honour of the Women Trustees of the Province.

Special services are being held in the United Church on each evening of this week. These meetings are being addressed by various ministers of the district.

The "Hill" Bridge Club was entertained on Thursday by Mrs. F. Dowzger at an April Fool party. Fool bridge was played instead of the regular type. The one who at any other time would have expected the first prize, this time received the booby and vice-versa. Thus, Mrs. Alexander with a score of 10000 was given the booby while Mrs. D. MacPhail who came low carried off a choice bowl of hyacinths in bloom. The other arrangements for the evening were also in keeping with All Fool's Day and needless to say mothers can enjoy a joke just as well as their small sons, and all kinds of merriment resulted.

Mrs. A. Taylor, an honorary member of the Bridge Club, entertained the down-town section of the club. Mrs. W. Taylor and Mrs. F. C. Evans were the lucky prize-winners.

Word came to town on Monday of the supposed suicide of a young man in Cleaver township on Sunday afternoon. The details, we can gather to date (Tuesday), are that the young man, Jack Short, an Englishman, twenty-two years of age, had come from Porcupine Junction to take the job of cookee at the camp of the Mineral Areas Mining Syndicate in Cleaver township. He had been working there for two weeks and on last Sunday, April 1st, had resigned his job and was coming into town. Before leaving he had written letters to his brother in England and another at Northland, Ont., and it was ostensibly his idea to post these when he reached South Porcupine. About three p.m. he said he believed he would take a walk out around the camp before leaving. When he did not return by supper time a search party went out and they found him only a short distance from the camp buildings, hanging from a tree with a three-foot piece of rope attached from his neck to the tree. There were no other tracks around but his own which led to the trunk of the tree. Then he had, evidently, climbed out on the tree, which was a leaning one, and dropped from the end of it. No motive can so far be given for the rash act unless being unaccustomed to the loneliness of the bush his mind had become unbinged. When the body was discovered word was immediately sent in to Provincial Officer Craik of this place, who with Officer Brooks has gone out to the scene of the tragedy which is some twenty miles from here, over roads not very

thoroughly travelled. It is feared that, with the sudden break-up of winter, difficulty will be experienced in getting the body into town. It may be that the contents of the letters to the brothers may give some explanation of the deed, but at time of writing these have not yet been opened.

On Tuesday evening, April 3rd, the Porcupine Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star was honoured by a visit from Mrs. Robina Mains, of Toronto, Grand Warden of the General Grand Assembly of the Order, and a Past Worthy Grand Matron. During the evening Mrs. Mains gave a most interesting talk on the work of the order, dealing particularly with the proposed Florence Nightingale Home for the orphans of Masons and their dependents. Worthy Matron, Mrs. King, and a number of members of Arbutus Lodge, Timmins, were also visitors. A very dainty lunch was served and a happy social time spent afterward.

The Porcupine Juvenile orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Brydges, will give a concert on April 15th, for the purpose of raising funds for uniforms for Porcupine Goldfields Band. It practices at the school every Wednesday evening.

PLAY-OFF FOR OSTROSSER BOWLING LEAGUE TROPHY

Left-overs, Winners of Second Half of Schedule, to Play Supremes, the Winners of First Half

The Left-overs, who won the second half of the Ostrosser Cup League, will now play the Supremes, the winners of the first half for the right to call themselves champions for the year.

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