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TIMMINS, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JUNE 14TH, 1928

GRAVEL AND SAND—AND PLACER

Gen. Williams, Commissioner of the Provincial Police, was a visitor to the North Land this week. It is sincerely to be hoped that as a result of his visit here, steps will at once be taken to bring to justice the cowardly murderer of Inspector Constable at Cochrane in 1926. It is understood that General Williams' visit was for the purpose of assuring himself that conditions in this North Land were not so bad as Toronto professors and beer inspectors suggested. The Commissioner of Provincial Police can be assured that the observance of law and the order in this North Land are no reflection on the police in this country. The only serious reflection on the law-abiding standards of this North is the fact that the murderer of Inspector Constable goes unpunished. This has been the one direct challenge of the underworld to decency in the North. Even in this case, the South can throw no reflections on the North. There have been more than one honest official in the South murdered without the assassin being brought to book. The difference, however, is that the North Land does not intend to submit quietly to such an affront to law and order and decency. Until the murderer of Inspector Constable is captured and punished, the people of the North will not be satisfied with the administration of the law. The South may forget the murderers of its officials in the course of duty, but the North will require that the cowardly killing of Inspector Constable be avenged.

It is a peculiar thing, and would be amusing if it were not so serious, that when some well-meaning people of the South start out to help the North, they presume to know much more about what the North requires than the people of the North. At a meeting of the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade some years ago some gentlemen from Kitchener had a plan in regard to the absolute prohibition of the export of pulpwood. When men from the North objected, they were coolly told that they did not understand the needs and wishes of the North. For men from Kitchener who had never even visited the North to make such a suggestion to men like John Clark, of Englehart, Arthur Stevens, of Cochrane, Dr. McInnis and Frank Wallingford, of Timmins, and C. W. Wright, of Englehart, was amusing in its presumption and brought its own due reward. A somewhat similar presumption took place last week in the Dominion House when a member from Kingston suggested that Mr. J. A. Bradette was out of touch with his constituency in the matter of pulpwood and the settlers. Mr. Bradette, however, soon demonstrated how well he knew the country and the case. "In the North Land," said Mr. Bradette, "if the settlers did not have the United States market, and had to depend upon the local industry, they would starve to death. They have to export and they do export their pulpwood." It is perfectly true that the Abitibi concerns have been good customers for pulpwood this year, but it is equally true that the settlers would prefer to sell their pulpwood to local industries. It is a case, however, of being able to find a good market at a fair price. When there is a local market there will be no need for an embargo so far as the settlers are concerned. When prices are not fair, the settlers need the export market. At the present time there is a professed over-production of paper in Canada, and discussions are many as to the results. The result to the settler can be easily imagined if he had only the local market. The settler would feel like Belgium when alien armies battled on that land. For the time being it would not matter to him which side was winning. Mr. Bradette touched on this feature of the case when he said: "There is a surplus production of pulpwood in Ontario which the local industries cannot absorb. Are the settlers going to destroy or burn their pulpwood, or are they going to be allowed to export it?"

Kirkland Lake is the latest section of the North Land to be advertised as a place where law and order are not of the best and where open immorality and law-breaking are said to prevail. All this is on the authority of the word of a beer inspector named Tripp. Mr. A. F. Kenning, M.P.P., no sooner saw the diatribe about Kirkland Lake's alleged lawlessness and immorality than he sent a stinging reply to the Provincial Government, who will no doubt consider the knowledge of a member of parliament well acquainted with the town to the foaming words of a beer inspector. General Williams, chief of the Provincial Police, has also answered the exaggerated picture of Kirkland Lake. Of course there is indignation in Kirkland Lake about the wild stories regarding conditions at Kirkland Lake, while the rest of the North is also inclined to be resentful, remembering the false words of Prof. Urwick regarding the whole country, and also realizing the fact that any other town may be singled out for misrepresentation of similar kind at any time. Probably, the people of Kirkland Lake would be the first to agree that there are some evils in that town. Evil seems to be inseparable from any community where people are gathered together. It is the universal touch of humanity, it would seem. But the very fact that people object to being branded as a tough town or a law-breaking place is in itself a proof that the public conscience is alert. One of the big troubles in this North is the fact that there is so much decency and respect for the truth as well as for law that communities will not deny in toto any charges of evil. In Southern towns the tendency would be to indignantly assert that the charges were baseless and false throughout. Here, the grain of truth is recognized and the desire to better good conditions makes for hesitation in asserting that all is exactly well. The people here have no desire to pose as ultra-good. As a matter of fact they are better than they think. They observe the law better than in most Southern towns and because the people are healthy there is less of evil than elsewhere. The mining camps of the North are remarkable for their observance of law and the decency prevailing. Kirkland Lake is undoubtedly a lot better than most towns its size in the South, and it is unfair and untrue to misrepresent conditions there. There are women there not so good as they might be, just as in Toronto, or the Old Ontario country town. There is some drinking and some gambling, but that is equally true of even the best of towns. The North Land town will admit the facts; the Southern town is too liable to think itself better than it is. There is no open vice in Kirkland Lake, no flaunting of indecency, and no glaring disregard of the law. Southern towns would do well to look to their own morals, and not waste so much time and temper worrying about conditions that do not exist in the North. The chief injury these wild yarns do is to make it more difficult to keep conditions as good as the average man in the North would desire. The cry of the "wolf!" when there is no wolf, makes it the more difficult to rouse attention if a wolf should come.

The Ontario Government owed the city of London, Ontario, three cents and forwarded the amount by mail in the form of a cheque. The cost to pay

this three cents exceeded the amount of the debt, and some Opposition newspapers are inclined to sneer at the method used. The Government at Ottawa would no doubt have used another plan. That Government would, perhaps have entered into correspondence with London to have the debt cancelled, as being too small to forward. At least four cents would have been spent to achieve this end. The Government of Nova Scotia would probably have written asking the city to forward stamped addressed envelope and the three cents would be sent—in stamps. But the late Farmers' Government of Ontario would have shown the most enterprise. That Government would have telephoned to London, at a cost of \$6.71, to see if the city would not send a man to Toronto to get the cash.

There is a report that the Northern Ontario Relief Commission is planning to take over the hospital at New Liskeard and establish a home there for old people. This would be good work, indeed, and would give the recently re-organized Northern Ontario Relief Commission a high standing in the North Land as a useful and helpful body. In times past the people of the North have felt keenly the fact that men and women here too old or infirm to support themselves have no place to go but to jail, unless they happen to live in a town that is able to pay for their care elsewhere.

When the question of changing the time of Trains 46 and 47, known as the Toronto trains, was before the last meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade, the consensus of opinion was against any change. The Advance was against any change suggested because it meant a serious handicap to business on account of the late arrival of the mails here from Toronto. A train leaving Toronto earlier than No. 47 would, however, have many advantages. Such a train has been suggested to The Advance by a gentleman who has carefully studied the situation. The plan in brief is to have No. 47 leave Toronto at 6 p.m., reaching Timmins at 11 a.m. the next day. The train to Toronto would leave here at 4 p.m., and reach the city at 9 a.m. the next day. Such a plan would give time for one day's business in the city. Mails would reach here in the morning and it would be possible to answer them in time to catch the return mail the same day. The newspapers would reach here 6½ hours earlier than they do now. All round, the plan seems to have many advantages and it would appear to be well worth while for the Canadian National to consider the proposal and see if it would be practical.

ALL CASES DECIDED UPON  
BY COURT OF REVISION

Court Winds Up Appeals in One-Day Session. There Were 116 Appeals.

The council's court of revision on the assessment roll completed its work on Tuesday, the one day. There were 11 cases, 9 appeals for land assessments, 87 for buildings, 5 for business assessment and 15 for income assessment. Of these 6 on land were sustained and 3 reductions made, 28 reductions or changes were made on buildings, while 59 were sustained; 2 business assessments were sustained and 3 reduced; while on the income tax appeals, 12 exemptions were made for statutory reasons while three assessments for income were sustained. Also there were 28 corrections made on the roll on account of property being transferred or for other technical reasons.

Apart from appeals that may be carried to the Judge, the assessment roll is now fully revised. In this respect Assessment Commissioner Channen has set an early record this year.

MOTOR CYCLE CRASHES  
INTO AUTO AT CORNER

Percy Bennett Injured About the Head in Collision at Corner of Cedar and Third

At about 7.30 last night an accident occurred at the corner of Third avenue and Cedar street when a motor cycle crashed into an automobile. The motor cyclist sustained a nasty cut across the forehead and a few bruises but was otherwise uninjured. He was taken to Dr. Moore's for medical attention and was able to proceed later to his home. The motor cycle was rather badly damaged, while only a dent in the door of the car was sustained by the auto.

The collision occurred at the intersection. Mrs. Lindross, of South Porcupine was coming along Cedar street and on reaching Third avenue stopped in proper way. Finding the way clear she started the car across Third.

Mr. Percy Bennett, who stays at Mrs. Cowan's, Tamarack street, and who is a draughtsman at the Hollinger, was coming along Third avenue on his motor cycle. He himself does not know just what happened, but eyewitnesses say that just as he approached the corner he glanced towards the side of the street and waved his hand at an acquaintance. The instant's change of attention prevented him seeing the car before him, or avoiding it. The motor cycle crashed into the side of the car, Mr. Bennett being thrown off with much force. He was rather badly cut above the right eye, but his injuries will not prove serious. Those who noted the accident say that the car was not in any way to blame nor could the driver in any way have avoided the accident.

FAREWELL SOCIAL BY  
BAND TO MR. F. J. WOLNO

The Timmins Citizens' Band will hold a social evening at the Hollinger Recreation hall on Friday evening of next week as a farewell to Mr. F. J. Wolno who for seven years has been the leader of the band. There is general regret at the departure this week of Mr. and Mrs. Wolno. As band leader and as citizen, Mr. Wolno has won a high regard here. The event next Friday is in the form of a farewell to the popular leader. The event is for the members of the band and their ladies and a few invited guests.

DRIVER OF AUTO RUNS  
AFTER HITTING WAGON

Messrs Eli Leblanc and M. Boivin Injured Today When Car Hits Wagon

While Messrs Eli Leblanc and M. Boivin were riding in Mr. Lablanc's wagon down street just before noon today a motor car came down behind them and though the wagon was on the right side of the road and there was lots of room to pass, the motor smashed into the rear of the wagon and Messrs Boivin and Leblanc were through heavily to the ground. The driver of the car when he saw what he had done left the car in the ditch where it had landed and ran from the scene of the accident. Messrs Leblanc and Boivin had a narrow escape from serious injury. Fortunately neither of them was badly hurt, though both much shaken up. Mr. Leblanc had his shoulder hurt but otherwise did not appear to be injured. Mr. Boivin was injured more, sustaining a bruised hip and other injuries, though none of serious kind it is hoped. The car was one belonging to Dalton's livery, but was not legally out of the garage, no one being given this car to use, and none of the drivers having it out. From what can be learned the car must have been stolen from the garage. The police are busy on the case and have learned the identity of the man driving the car and are searching for him at present. The car is said to have been travelling at rapid speed when the accident occurred.

BIG BOXING EVENT AT  
KIRKLAND LAKE, JUNE 30

Mr. Fred Ribout, formerly of Timmins, but now of Kirkland Lake, was in Timmins last week-end making arrangements with a number of local boxers to take part in a boxing event being staged at Kirkland Lake on Saturday, June 30th.

The main bout of the evening will be between Jack Golden, of Toronto and 'Tut' Fisher of Buffalo. These two boxers have quite a creditable ring record, and both are of the same weight. Lou Marsh, the sporting editor of the Toronto Daily Star, has been secured to referee the event. In addition to the main bout several preliminaries will be staged, boxers from Timmins taking part in these.

The event will be held in the Kirkland Lake Arena and will start at 9.00 p.m.

The roadway through will give any local devotees of the pugilistic art an opportunity to see what is expected to be the best boxing bout yet held in the Northland.

A. F. Kenning, M.P.P., left this morning on a motor trip to Kirkland Lake.

TOO LATE FOR  
CLASSIFICATION

SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE TO RENT—With all conveniences. Partly furnished. Only adult people need apply. Apply to Box S.R. Advance or phone 673M. -24

LOST—A bunch of keys on a ring in or around post office. Finder please advise P.O. Box 1480, Timmins -24p

FOR SALE—4 burner New Perfection Coal Oil Stove and Oven, in first-class condition. Apply 2 Gillies street north, at the corner of Wilson avenue. -24

ADVERTISE  
YOUR WANTS  
HERE!

FOR RENT

TO RENT—Small flat, suitable for couple. Apply #55 Lake Shore Road. 23-24p

TO RENT—Four-roomed house with all conveniences and well located. Apply to 16 Middleton Ave. -24p

FOUR-ROOMED FLAT TO RENT—Apply to Wm. Nosky, 211 Balsam St. North. -24p

FOR RENT—Fenced Grass Pasture. Apply Art Throop, Box 71, Timmins, Lot 3, Con. 1, Mountjoy. 23-25p

THREE-ROOMED FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT—Apply to B. F. Lennan, 60 Elm St. north, corner Elm & Broadway. 15tf.

FOR RENT—Shack at 125 Commercial avenue, apply T. A. MacDonald, Homer Gibson Bldg., Timmins, Ont. 23-25

FOR SALE OR RENT—A six-roomed house with all conveniences. Apply after 4 p.m. to 171 Maple St. South. 23-25p

TO RENT—Nice large furnished room with kitchenette, all conveniences. Suitable for couple without children or two gentlemen. Apply to 35 Wilson Ave. -24p

PROPERTIES FOR SALE

DAIRY FOR SALE—Thirteen cows, horse, and all dairy equipment. Apply to 155 Birch street, north. -24p

LOT FOR SALE—On Hollinger Lane. Bargain for quick sale. Apply to 61 Balsam St., South, or P.O. Box 603, Timmins. -22-26p

DAIRY FOR SALE—Twenty-three cows, horse, and all dairy equipment. Apply to 155 Birch St. North. 23-24p

HOTEL FOR SALE—\$3,000 Down will buy the Lady Laurier Hotel, Cedar street, Timmins. For particulars, write to Mrs. J. L. Gignac, Box 126, New Liskeard, Ont.

FOR SALE—Two buildings, 60 by 108 feet, on main street, Nos. 39 and 41 Third Ave. Good location. Will sell cheap; owners leaving town. Apply on premises. -23-25p

PROPERTY FOR SALE—On corner of Mountjoy street and Montgomery avenue. Four rooms, including sun parlour. Apply at 214 Mountjoy street. Easy terms. Electric light and water. -23-25p

FARM FOR SALE—All live stock consisting of 9 head of cattle, 3 horses, 150 hens and chickens, 6 pigs, wagons, 2 sets of sleighs, threshing mill, and harness. Farm has 160 acres, 27 acres being cleared. Crop is sown. Apply to A. Chenier, Lot 8, Con. 3, Township of Mountjoy. 24-27

MISCELLANEOUS

PASTURE FOR HORSES. On lot 9, concession 3; 6 miles from Timmins by road. First-class pasture. Apply to C. N. Rondeau, Lot 9, Con. 3, Mountjoy township, P.O. Box 398, Timmins P.O. -23-24p

LADIES—Now is the time to bring your fur trimmings of your winter coats, etc., and have them made up into complete animal chokers. Expert workmanship. Apply at 12 Balsam St. North, between Third and Fourth Aves. 16tf.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Well-finished six-roomed house with all conveniences. Apply at 108 Maple St. South. 24-26p

FOR SALE—A rooming house all furnished. Good location. Cheap for quick sale. Apply to 5½ Fifth Ave. or phone 64. 23-25p

FOR SALE—One 4-roomed house, with water and light. Good high and dry location. House 24 by 28. Lot 40 by 100. Apply to 68 Banerman avenue. 22-24p

FOUND

KEY FOUND—Safety Deposit Box Key found near the corner of Pine street and Third avenue. Owner may have same by calling at The Advance Office and paying for this advt. -24

WOOD FOR SALE

JACK PINE STOVE WOOD FOR SALE—All dry wood. Apply to 85 Sixth Ave. or phone 271W2. 24-26p

NEW TRANSFER—1 Spruce street Stove wood for sale. For transfer service or for stove wood, phone 647. J. Lapalme. -46-47p.t.f

STOVE WOOD FOR SALE—Reasonable price. Also four-foot wood for furnace. Apply to H. Charlebois, 104 Cedar St. North, Phone 419W. 41t.f

ARTICLES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Maxwell Roadster price \$175.00. In good running condition. Apply at 62 Maple St. South. 23-26

SIDEBOARD AND GRAMOPHONE FOR SALE—Apply at 68 Fifth Ave. 24-25p

FOR SALE—One kitchen range and 16-foot Chestnut canoe. Apply to 56 Maple St. South. 23t.f.

FOR SALE—Limited number of locally-grown hardy annuals. Apply to 10 Sixth avenue, Timmins. 23-24p

FOR SALE—17-ft. Prospector's Chestnut Canoe. Apply 55 Lake Shore Road. 23-24p

FOR SALE—Lloyd baby carriage, in good condition. Apply to 118 Birch St. South. -23p

THREE ELECTRIC FANS FOR SALE, with motors. Apply Windsor Hotel, 6 Cedar street, south. -24

FOR SALE—Large china cabinet in Old English design. Also other furniture. Apply to 35 Wilson Ave. -23p

FOR SALE—Orthophonic violas at \$115.00. Terms, \$10 cash and \$9 monthly. Apply at J. T. Hefferman, 46 Third Ave. -47t.f

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE FOR SALE—All in good condition. Apply afternoons and evenings to 60½ Wilson Ave. -22t.f

FOR SALE—Household furniture including electric washer, Singer sewing machine, etc. Apply at 26 First Ave. 24p

FOR SALE—Empire kitchen range, in excellent condition. Has white porcelain trimmings. Used only six months. A real bargain. Phone 689W. -23

FOR SALE CHEAP—1 Hobart Electric meat chopper, 1 horse power; 1 cheese cutter, 1 meat block, 1 refrigerator, 2 counters, one lot of shelving. Apply to The Family Grocery, Phone 573, or Box 1540, Timmins. -13t.f

POSITIONS WANTED

POSITION WANTED—By lady stenographer and bookkeeper with 5 years' experience. Phone 231J2 -24-26p

WOMAN WANTS OFFICE OR HOUSEWORK by hour or day. Apply 17 Kimberley avenue, Timmins. 24p

HELP WANTED

MAID WANTED—Apply 36 Tamarack. -24

EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER DESIRES POSITION—Apply to Box E. S. Advance Office. 24p

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—For small family. Apply to Box H. K. Advance Office. -24p

WANTED—Capable girl for housework. Apply to 43 Kirby Ave. 24p

MAID WANTED—Must have experience of housekeeping. Apply to Mrs. L. Halperin, 7 Maple St. S. -24

EXPERIENCED MAID WANTED—For general housework. Apply Mrs. H. H. Moore, 2 Sixth avenue. -24

WANTED—First-class Machinist, capable of taking charge of machine shop and general repair work. When applying state experience to the Teck-Hughes Gold Mines, Limited, Kirkland Lake, Ont. -24-25

YOUNG GIRL WANTED, not over 16 years of age, for light work in manufacturing plant. Must be from good home and having fair education. Apply to Box A. P. Advance Office, Timmins. -24

WANTED—Experienced saleslady with knowledge of English and French wanted by high-class ladies' and children's wear firm. Permanent position. Apply giving references and stating experience to Box M.D., c-o The Porcupine Advance, Timmins, Ont. -24

ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM AND BOARD FOR TWO at 119 Birch St. South. Private house. -6t.f

ROOMS

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with all conveniences. Apply to 83½ Fifth Ave. -21p

FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT—With all conveniences. Apply to 67 Birch St. S. -24

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT—All modern conveniences. Nice and clean. Rent \$10.00 per month. Apply to 5½ Fifth Ave. or phone 64. 23-25p