

BIG BAZAAR TO OPEN NEXT MONDAY AT SKATING RINK

Event under Auspices of St. Anthony's Church Will Continue All Week. Many Special Features

The big bazaar opens on Monday next, June 10th in the Timmins skating rink and will continue all week. The event promises to be an unusually interesting one and will have a number of special features that will be sure to attract and please. The ladies of St. Anthony's church have been preparing for this bazaar for some time past and have perfected arrangements to have one of the biggest and best affairs of its kind yet held in the North Land.

SEVERAL HUNDRED AT THE MEMORIAL SERVICE SUNDAY

Services Conducted at Timmins Cemetery in Honour of Those Who Died During the Past Winter.

There was an unusually large attendance on Sunday afternoon, June 2nd, at the annual memorial services at the Timmins cemetery in honour of those who passed away during the past winter. The services were under the auspices of the Ministerial Association. Several hundred people attended the services at the cemetery despite the fact that the weather was far from favourable.

KIWANIS TO HAVE EVENING MEETING ON TUESDAY NEXT

Very Attractive Programme. Liberal Leader and Party to be Guests of Club for the Occasion.

The Kiwanis Club are holding a special meeting on Tuesday night next in the main dining hall of the Empire hotel and a very pleasing time is expected. Mr. W. E. N. Sinclair, leader of the provincial Liberal party, and the group accompanying him on his tour of the North, will be the guests of the Kiwanis at the event on Tuesday night.

SCHUMACHER FIRE DEPT'S ANNUAL BALL A SUCCESS

The annual ball of the Schumacher fire brigade held on Wednesday last week in the McIntyre Recreation hall was another successful and pleasing event to be added to the list already held by the Schumacher brigade.

TIMMINS S.O.E. LODGE TO OBSERVE FIRST BIRTHDAY

Lodge Goldfields, Sons of England Benefit Society, Timmins, will observe the first anniversary of the establishment of the lodge by a birthday dinner to be held in the Kingston Hotel, Timmins, on Saturday evening of this week, June 8th, commencing at 8 p.m.

Community Nights at the two Timmins theatres are proving popular and attracting big crowds, while the programmes are generally considered as especially good.

'DUTCH' JOHNSON TO FIGHT WATTS AT TIMMINS JULY 1

Watts' Backers Suggest That Dutch May Not be there, But Johnson's Friends Say he Sure Will, Worse Luck for Watts

On Tuesday "Dutch" Henry Johnson expressed himself as being quite disappointed at the referee's decision in awarding the King's Birthday fight to Watts on a foul. He met Watts on Tuesday morning before returning to Kirkland Lake and during a discussion on the fight "Dutch" accepted Watts' offer to meet again at Timmins on July 1st, or before.

Watts' backers claim that Johnson was worn down to a point when he could not control his punch in the fourth round, and that every round of the four fought would have been awarded to Watts. They also think that Johnson could not have been himself as he went rather wild when Referee Arthur Leonard gave the decision to Watts, Johnson at this point kicking the ropes and threatening to beat up the referee and his own seconds.

So far as the general public is concerned, probably no bout held here roused as much interest as the Johnson-Watts feature on Monday night last. Also, it is seldom that opinion is as evenly divided as to the respective merits of two boxers. Everybody has been talking all week about the fight and the decision, and there have been literally hundreds of arguments, some claiming there was no foul and others extolling the superiority of one or the other of the contestants.

Popular Couple Wedded on Wednesday Morning

A very pretty church wedding took place on Wednesday morning at this week at the United Church, Timmins, when Miss Ida Percival and Mr. Walter Cook were united in marriage by the Rev. J. D. Parks, minister of the church. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and many friends attended the event.

FORMER LIEUT.-GOVERNOR DIES AT HAMILTON AGED 87

Sir John Morrison Gibson, distinguished soldier, former Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario and a prominent figure in the financial world, died at his home Sunday evening at the age of 87 years.

Death on Monday of Miss Irene Bangs at Mattawa

Innumerable friends in the town and district will learn with the sincerest regret and sorrow of the death at her home in Mattawa on Monday of Miss Irene Bangs, who for several years had been a very popular and respected resident of town.

Four people died on Tuesday near Monklands Station as the result of a railway crossing accident when the auto driver who had waited for a freight train to pass did not notice another approaching freight. Those killed were—Octave Geroux, a resident of Cobalt, who was instantly killed; Rose Geroux, 19 years old, his daughter, who was also instantly killed; Mrs. Octave Geroux, of Cobalt, wife and mother of the three who were killed, is terribly injured and is now in the Smith's Falls hospital with only a small chance of recovery.



BECOMES A VISCOUNT Lord Hailsham, Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, who has been created a viscount in the birthday honours list of His Majesty King George.

Kapuskasing to Have New Railway Station

Tenders are being called for by the Canadian National Railways for the erection of a new station at Kapuskasing. It is understood by The Northern Tribune that the style of architecture will follow that of the Kapuskasing Inn, and the new club house at Kapuskasing, which will mean a depot of exceptional attractiveness.

J. R. WALKER NOW AGENT FOR DISTRICT FOR McCOLL BROS.

J. R. Walker, formerly with the Geo. Taylor Hardware, and more recently with the Timmins Garage, has been appointed agent for the district for McColl Bros., Limited, the well-known oil firm. On account of his wide acquaintance in this part of the North and the high regard in which he is held by business firms and the public generally, together with his business ability and attention to the work at hand, it is a foregone conclusion that he will do well at his new work.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE GOLF CLUB LAST SATURDAY

Weather Unfavourable for the Season's Event. Greens in Excellent Shape. Golf Should be Popular This Year

The official opening of the Timmins Golf Club was held last Saturday afternoon, President A. F. Brigham drove the first ball at half-past one and declared the golf club officially opened.

THREE COBALT PEOPLE WERE KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Sudbury Man Also Victim of Accident on Tuesday at Railway Crossing at Monklands, Ontario.

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Schedule of District Football Up to June 22

The following is the schedule of the Porcupine District Football League up to June 22nd: June 6—McIntyre vs Sons of England. Referee, R. Wallace. June 8—Dome vs Lancashire. Referee, D. Wallace. June 11—Cornish vs McIntyre. Referee, P. Larmer. June 18—Sons of England vs Dome. Referee, E. Tomlinson. June 20—Lancashires vs Cornish. Referee, R. Wallace.

FORMER RESIDENTS HERE RE-VISITING THE TOWN

Mr. James Twaddle, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Helen Twaddle, motored to the North this week from Stoney Creek, near Hamilton, Ont., where Mr. Twaddle has a prosperous grocery business. Mrs. Twaddle and Mr. Twaddle were valued residents of Timmins until about five years ago when they moved south, where Mr. Twaddle has built up a nice business. Mr. Twaddle was for years connected with the J. A. Howse wholesale here and both he and Mrs. Twaddle have hosts of friends in Timmins and district who are delighted to welcome these former residents back on the occasion of their visit here.

LANCASHIRE SOCIAL CLUB DANCE PROVES BIG SUCCESS

The dance held on Saturday by the Lancashire Social Club was a big success, there being a very large crowd present and those in attendance finding the evening a most enjoyable one throughout. A special feature of the night was the music by Bert Halvorson's orchestra. The music was continuous all evening, time only being taken off for the changing of the music during the whole night.

SCOTLAND WON THE BENEFIT FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY

In the P.D.F.L. Tuesday the Cornish Won a Good Game From the Dome, 1-0.

Football has been greatly handicapped so far this season by the unseasonable weather. The brand of football played here, however, has been good, and interest is increasing. On Saturday there was a benefit game here between two picked teams, "England" versus "Scotland." There was only a small attendance, but the game was a good one, deserving a big crowd and warranting lots of football enthusiasm. The Scottish team won, the final score being three to one. The Englishmen made them work throughout for the victory, and those present enjoyed the match. The line-up was as follows: England—Jemmett, Street, Thomson, Wright, Robson, Woods, Carroll, T. Johnson, Meredith, Collins and Landers. Scotland—Cadman, Fell, Phillips, Cooper, Harrower, R. McLatchie, Rudkin, McGarry, Richmond, Webster, A. Roberts.

SHOULD HAVE BRANCH HERE OF ONTARIO MOTOR LEAGUE

Motorists Would Find Active Connection with Provincial Organization of Value to Town and Individual.

More than one motorist in Timmins recently has urged the advisability of having an active branch of the Ontario Motor League here. Some years ago some thoughtful motorists organized a motor league club here and much good work was accomplished, but the plan was not carried along in succeeding years, largely through lack of interest and attention on the part of the average motorist. There is a very active branch of the Ontario Motor League at Iroquois Falls and any motorist in that town can vouch for the value of the association. In many ways the organization gives motorists protection and assistance when on trips away from home, while the maps issued and the other data available are of the greatest value to the average motor car owner. In the case of Iroquois Falls, an active motor league in that town has assured that part of the district to attention and care in the matter of roads that would not have been available otherwise. The motor league presents an opportunity for the discussion and consideration of questions affecting the motorist, and when there are requests to be made to the powers that be a strong and active motor league with a large membership is full assurance that the requests will receive the most careful consideration because they are backed by numbers and by organized influence. In Iroquois Falls the members of the motor league receive their licenses at less cost than ordinary; they receive rebates in the purchase of gas from specified dealers; and in other ways they find the motor league membership more than pays for itself directly while its indirect benefit is still more noteworthy. In the matter of securing organized effort for the betterment of roads in the district alone, it would be well worth while to organize a motor league here. It might be a good idea for some of the officers of the former motor club here to call a meeting at an early date to organize a branch of the Ontario Motor League here. The officers of the club that was formed here did considerable effective work. It was the average motorist who allowed the club to languish through lack of interest. Perhaps, the motorists in general now will be more interested and realize more fully the advantages of having a strong branch here of the Ontario Motor League.

ENQUIRY BEING MADE AS TO LOCATION OF HARRY DAND

Capt. Evendon of the Timmins Salvation Army this week received an enquiry from Major Thompson, assistant secretary of the S.A. Men's Social Work department at Toronto, asking if trace could be found of Harry Dand. Capt. Evendon has been unable to trace the missing man and accordingly the assistance of the press was asked. If anyone knows the location of Mr. Dand they will be conferring a favour on all concerned if they will kindly get in touch with Capt. Evendon. The particulars as given from Toronto in regard to Mr. Dand are as follows:—Age about 50 years; English parentage; comes from Dissington, Cumberland, England. When last heard of was boarding with a Mrs. Clark, Timmins.

ABOUT \$150,000 IN TAXES TAKEN IN UP TO PRESENT

Penalty on First Instalment Now in Effect. \$88,860 Taken on Saturday in Town Taxes.

Town taxes are coming in fairly well, though, perhaps, not so well as in some past years, though even at that collections this year are earlier so comparisons are not exactly possible with previous years. Saturday was the last day for payment of the first instalment of taxes without penalty, and \$88,860.00 was taken in. This was about \$11,000.00 less than the amount taken in last year on the last day for the payment of the first instalment without penalty. Last year special notices were given the people calling attention to the last date for payment of the first instalment and this advertising no doubt helped the collections.

Up to the present about \$150,000.00 has been collected this year in taxes. This is probably a 68 per cent. collection of the taxes due. The taxes taken in include some arrears and also a few cases where both instalments were paid. Last year quite a number who were able to do so paid both instalments before the date set for the penalty on the first half. By so doing they avoided the chance of forgetting the second half when due and so incurring the penalty. On the other hand the taxes so paid in advance of the due date saved the town interest charges. This year there was no line-up or special rush for the paying of taxes, as in some past years. The tax collectors office was kept open on Saturday afternoon but was just kept reasonably busy. Assessment Commissioner H. R. Channen is busy at present on the new roll for the recently annexed Gauthier and Bartleman townships. Tax notices for these annexations will be sent out shortly.

OPENING BASEBALL HERE ON FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK

Game Scheduled Between McIntyre and South Porcupine for Wednesday Had to be Postponed to Friday.

The opening game here of the northern group of the Temiskaming Baseball League will be played on the Timmins athletic grounds to-morrow (Friday), June 7th, commencing at 5 p.m. This match was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, but no one who has not been out of town will need to be told that it was necessary to postpone the game on account of snow in June and the general condition of the weather and the grounds. However, the right sort of weather has been ordered definitely for to-morrow and the game here should be largely attended and very interesting.

The contending teams will be McIntyre and South Porcupine. Both these teams have been materially strengthened lately and reports have it that both are class aggregations that will put up a superior brand of good ball. Last year McIntyre had a team that was a specially capable one, but several of the players have moved elsewhere in the interval so it will be a comparatively new McIntyre team that will be fielded here on Friday of this week. Manager I. A. Solomon, however, does not intend to drop the championship honours held last year without a struggle, and he has gathered together a promising aggregation that is credited with being a first-class outfit at baseball. South Porcupine team has been so strengthened since last year that the common report is that the fans will not know the South-Enders when they get going. Both teams have their ardent backers, so much so that it is difficult to choose between them, at least until after the first week or two. This would suggest that the game to-morrow will be one that no baseball fan can afford to miss.

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Mr. J. Cran, of the Toronto office of Homer L. Gibson & Co., was a visitor to Timmins this week.