

**LAND SETTLEMENT STILL
WAITS ON PROPER ROADS**

Settler Marooned in the Bush has a Very Difficult Time Getting Along Without Roads.

On innumerable occasions The Advance has pointed out the imperative need for roads for settlers in this district. Without roads the settler has little chance. He finds it necessary to have a proper road to get into town with any produce he may grow, and the road is equally necessary for him to take in supplies to his farm. The question of roads for settlers has done more to hold back development of the North than any other single factor. The Northern Tribune last week carried an editorial on this matter. This editorial deals with the question from a great many angles and it is well to judge the stand of the people from the attitude adopted by The Northern Tribune. The Tribune says:—

"If evil communications corrupt good manners, what must an entire absence of roads of any kind do to settlers who have waited in vain for them? The North may be the El Dorado it is pictured to be for some people—for ourselves, we have no slightest doubt that it embraces great natural stores of wealth—but for the unfortunate settler marooned in the bush and condemned often to pack-sack toting of all his requirements, the "promising" south is his immediate concern, rather than the future promise of the North. We may tire some people's patience by our reiteration of the necessity for much more roadage for the North's real pioneers. Their lack of success proves the urgent necessity of revising the terms and circumstances which face them when they take up crown settlers' lots.

"We would ask those who talk about the cost of road building as an excuse for attenuated programmes that have been carried out in the North, whether they are trying to argue that our land settlement can proceed on the basis of roads not being built at all? The argument works out that way. What an absurdity it is to induce anybody to take up crown lots in the North, if roads cannot be built to them before the lapse of some years because they cost too much! We have said before and we say it again, that when the provincial government accepts entry for a settler's lot there is the strongest moral implication in the contract that access by road must be provided, else what earthly use is it to coax any sane person to stay on it, convert it into farmstead? Or if the land is considered of such little value as not to be worth the expense of building a road to it, for heaven's sake let's quit spending a lot of money kidding people to try their luck living in the bush."

The postponed Junior baseball game will be played at Timmins grounds tomorrow.

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ATTRACTIVE FATHERS' DAY WINDOW AT HOLLY STORE

A particularly attractive window was noted at the Hollinger Store at the week-end. Sunday, June 16th, was "Father's Day," the date set apart for the special recognition of the fathers of the world. On Mothers' Day there are signs given by children, young and old, of the debt it is felt the world of folks owe to mother. It is the idea that on Fathers' Day similar honour should be given to "Dad." On Mothers' Day it is asked that flowers be worn in honour of mothers, whether living or dead. Fathers are expected to live, or their usefulness is over, and so the badge decided upon as the proper one for "Fathers' Day" is accepted as a tie. "Wear a tie for father!" is the sort of advice written and printed for the Fathers' Day campaigns. The Hollinger Store, in their men's department last week gave clever publicity to the idea of Fathers' Day. A special win-

dow display of the newest and best in ties was made, all sorts of elegant ties being shown, the variety of designs and colours being remarkable. The window was dressed with very special artistic skill and effectiveness, the big array of ties being most attractive. In the centre of the window was a representation of a man holding up a newspaper which he appeared to be reading. Of course the newspaper was supposed to be The Porcupine Advance and just as much of course the man was very evidently reading about ties suitable for the customary presentation to father on Fathers' Day as a mark of respect and affection. The window was lighted brilliantly at night, coloured lights being used. The public generally were much attracted by the window in question, and there were groups around the display practically all the time. Better still the display of ties appeared to strike the popular fancy in more material way, the Hollinger Stores reporting record days for the sale of ties.

ENGLEHART MAYOR'S REPLY TO REMARKS BY SINCLAIR

Mayor Weeks Takes Exception to Statements as to Political Bias. Thinks Attack Not Good Sport

All through the North and Mr. W. E. N. Sinclair, leader of the Liberal opposition in Ontario, who was recently on tour of this section of the North, had been emphasizing what he appeared to think was the fact that the present Ontario Government was doing something wrong because they did not budget all the various expenditures for Northern Development matters. Mr. Sinclair repeated this idea at practically all his meetings, and was not once checked up on it until last Wednesday when he reached Englehart. There, at a non-political gathering, Mayor Weeks took exception to the statements along this line as made by Mr. Sinclair. The Englehart mayor, as will be noted by the report elsewhere in this issue, showed that the budget idea was not practical. At the Englehart meeting Mayor Weeks appeared to have all the better of the argument. At North Bay, however, Mr. Sinclair made what many felt was an objectionable attack upon Mayor Weeks. Mr. Sinclair suggested that Mayor Weeks had displayed strong partisan leanings, and he also made what seemed to be an insinuation that some of the Northern Development Dept. money has passed through Mr. Weeks' hands. Now, Mayor Weeks is back with a strong reply to Mr. Sinclair's speech at North Bay. Mayor Weeks was shown a report of Mr. Sinclair's address at North Bay, and objected to the statements and insinuations credited to the Liberal leader.

"I have never taken a political standpoint in my life" said the mayor, who maintained that anything he had said during his discussion with Mr. Sinclair over the latter's proposal to budget northern development expenditures was in his official capacity and delivered at a non-political meeting held under the auspices of the Board of Trade.

"Mr. Sinclair's remarks are quite uncalculated for, to say the least, and I think it was pretty small of him. We had a friendly argument here, in the course of which I gave him my views on the matter of roads. I had been asked to welcome him, as mayor of the town, and when I started to speak I said I would have some new points to bring to his attention, to which he assented. I am surprised that a man of his calibre should try to mislead and stretch out something that was said in a meaning that was never intended."

According to press reports Mr. Sinclair had referred to Mayor Weeks during some remarks on "the political developments of the Conservative machine" and had quoted His Worship who, he said, was inspector of highways for the Northern Development Branch and in charge of the settlement of former Haliburton farmers in Sharpe township, as an example of its alleged workings. He had told the audience at North Bay that it "is quite natural he (Weeks) should oppose my proposal to budget northern development expenditures," had said that "if our argument prevailed, the money would not go through Mr. Weeks' hands for distribution" and had declared that his remarks showed that "up here government employees are not averse to discussing politics and defending the government which employs them."

Mayor Weeks declared that the meeting had been called by the Board of Trade and that invitations had been

issued, in the absence from town of the president, by M. S. Ireland, its vice-president. According to the mayor he had congratulated Mr. Sinclair and the Liberal party for not opposing the grants for the Northern Development Branch and had urged upon them the necessity for having these increased, if possible.

"I put the development of the north country ahead of politics" said the mayor, and that goes whether the Government is Conservative, Liberal, Labor or Farmer. I handle no grants. The money goes through the district engineer. I am only the inspector on the roads. I just spoke at the meeting in a friendly way, and enlightened Mr.

Sinclair on a few points, regarding the roads in this district, from my own experience. I told him that budgeting, which he was advocating with reference to the \$5,000,000 grant made to the Northern Development Branch, could not be done very well because of special circumstances peculiar to the North."

The mayor said that he got no extra salary in connection with the Sharpe township settlement and that much of the work in this connection was done in his own time.

Mrs. A. Portelance and baby left on Sunday for Buckingham, Quebec for a holiday visit to relatives of Mr. Portelance.

M'INTYRE AGAIN WINNER IN DISTRICT BALL GAME

Hands South Porcupine Another Setback on Their Own Field. Score 13 to 2 in Favour of McIntyre

McIntyre on Saturday last handed South Porcupine another setback when they defeated the latter in the Temiskaming Baseball League series match at the South Porcupine grounds, the score being 13 to 2 in favour of McIntyre. Noble hurled steady ball for McIntyre. Spence and Thomas, the pitchers for South Porcupine received poor support from their team mates, there being seven errors behind Spence in five innings and two with Thomas. Spence struck out three and Thomas three. Nobody walked with Spence, while Thomas allowed two. Noble walked one, and allowed five scattered hits and struck out nine. Hewitt and Smith were credited with sacrifice hits.

The weather was ideal and a large crowd were there for the game. Motor cars almost surrounded the South Porcupine grounds for the occasion.

The umpires were McIntyre and Deacon.

The next league fixture will take place at Timmins athletic grounds next Wednesday at 4.30 p.m., when the strong team from Troquois Falls play against the McIntyre nine.

The box score follows:—

McIntyre	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bradley, C.	6	3	3	10	2	1
Hewitt, S.S.	4	4	2	1	1	1
Smith, 3B.	5	3	2	0	1	0
Angrignon, C.F.	6	1	2	0	0	0
J. Monaghan, 2B.	6	0	0	3	1	0
Munro, L.F.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Suebert L.P.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Newkirk, 1B.	3	0	0	10	7	0
Monaghan, R.F.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Brown, R.F.	1	0	0	1	0	1
Noble, P.	5	1	3	1	5	0

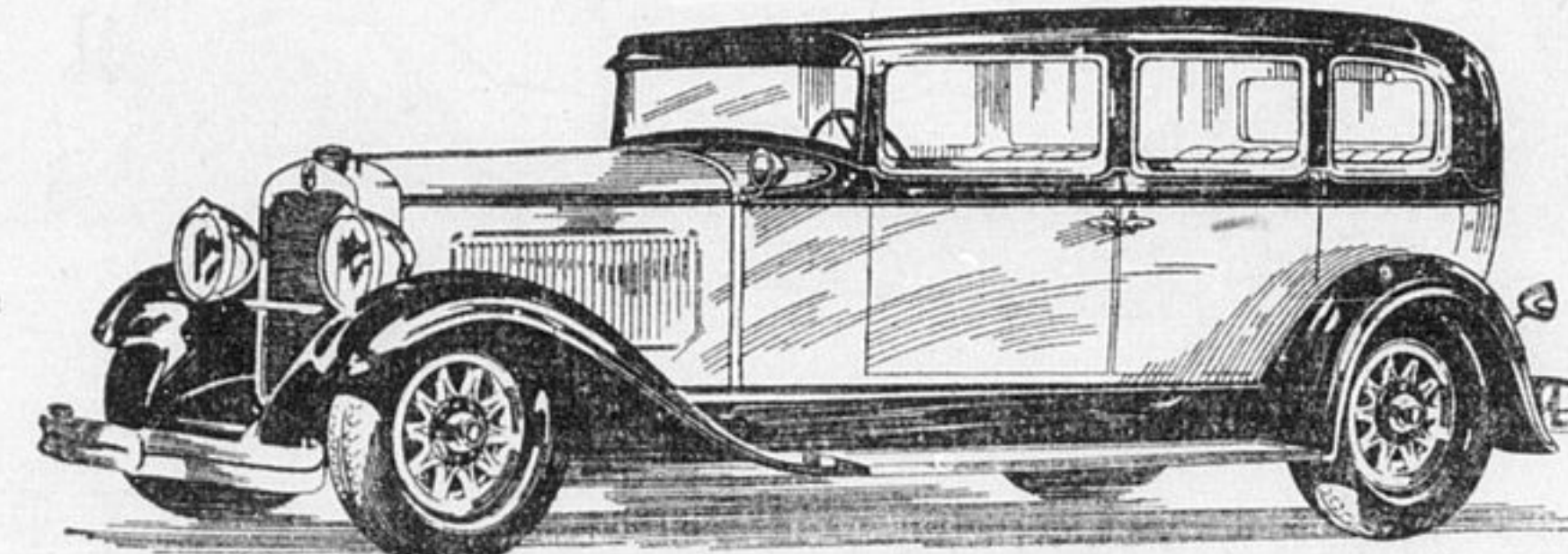
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S. Porcupine	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Gagnon, R.F.	2	0	0	2	0	1
Mill, R.F.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Mansfield, C.F.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Mulvihill C.-L.F.	4	1	2	2	0	1
Mason, 1B.	4	1	1	12	0	1
Cook, S.S.	4	0	0	2	3	0
Proulx, 2B.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Jemmett, 2B.	3	0	1	2	2	0
Burke, 3B.	1	0	0	2	0	2
Fell, L.F.-3B.	3	0	0	1	2	2
Spence, P.	2	0	1	0	1	0
Longworth, C.	2	0	0	0	3	0
Thomas, P.	1	0	0	4	0	1

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McIntyre	2	3	0	2	0	1	2	3	13	3
S. Porcupine	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	5

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