

TRYING IT ON THE WIFE (Toronto Mail and Empire) The noted botanist had given instructions that a dish of mushrooms he had gathered were to be cooked and

given to his wife at supper time. On the following morning the botanist greeted his wife anxiously. "Sleep well, my dear?" he asked. "Splendidly."

night? No pains or anything like that?" "Of course not, dear." "Good!" he cried. "I've discovered yet another species of mushroom that isn't poisonous."

IROQUOIS FALLS DISTRICT MOTOR CLUB'S FINE PICNIC

Approximately 1500 People at Picnic. There Were 438 Cars. Weather Ideal for Event.

Iroquois Falls, July 17th, 1929. Special to The Advance. One of the largest picnics ever held at Harmon Lake took place on July 14th when the first annual picnic of the Iroquois Falls and District Motor Club was held.

There were 438 cars and approximately 1500 people. The weather was ideal and the entire programme carried through without delay or a hitch of any kind.

Mr. W. J. Tierney, of Iroquois Falls, was the official starter and fulfilled his position in the excellent way for which he is famous. Other course officials were:—Mr. J. E. Patterson, Mr. Jim Brown, A. Corcoran, A. A. Sutton, J. H. Coons, A. R. Armstrong, course clerk, and Secretary F. E. Wood, chairman of the picnic committee.

Prizes were distributed by President G. J. Thistlethwaite and the traffic and parking arrangements were excellently handled by Messrs Beaveley, Morrow, Curley and Groux of the Provincial and local police forces. It is a good deal to the credit of these officers that the traffic and crowd were handled through the entire day without even a minor accident.

Three hundred tickets were distributed among the tiny children entitling them to secure an ice cream cone free, and which were redeemed in very short order.

Due to the generosity of the many donors listed below very excellent prizes were available for the events, and the lucky recipients, judging by their smiles, seemed to be very pleased.

This picnic was originally scheduled for July 7th but owing to continuous rain on that date it was necessary to postpone it for one week, and it is hoped that the picnic committee of the future will be equally as fortunate in weather as was experienced on the 14th.

The donors include Northern Electric Company, New Liskeard, Merchandise Department Canadian Westinghouse Company, Canadian General Electric Company, South Porcupine, Mr. T. E. Silver, National Pharmacy, Ansonville, Autoveyors, Ansonville Motor Engineering Company, Mr. W. J. Kenny, Rexall Drug Store, Ansonville; T. H. Wilkes, H. Child, Dr. C. M. Boutin, Mr. Ayoub, Perkus Limited, Grocery, Hardware, Jewellery, Ladies' Wear and Gent's Furnishings Departments of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company, Iroquois Falls Drug Company and the Hotel Iroquois.

The results of the events were as follows:—

- Boys' race, 6 years—N. Lalievre, first. Girls' race, 6 years—A. Champion, first. Boys' race, 10 years—first, T. Hardie; second, M. Graton; third, H. Doyle. Girls' race, 10 years—first, M. Chadwick; second, F. Gagne; third, E. Goodfellow. Boys' race 14 years—first, W. Smith; second, W. Swayne. Girls' race, 14 years—first M. Goulet; second, G. McInnis. Married women's race—first, Mrs. Leroux; second, Mrs. J. Kavalman; third, Mrs. Swayne. Fat man's race—first, C. A. Johnson; second, A. Corcoran. Throwing the rolling pin—first, Miss Mary Brown; second, Miss M. Ulrichuk. 100 yds. open—first, Harold Walsh; second, J. W. Emerson. 75 yds. special Chev. and Nash owners first A. Corcoran. Three-legged race, open—first, J. W. Emerson and J. Wilkes; second, J. H. Coons and G. I. Whiting. Spoon and potato race, ladies—first, Mrs. G. McInnis; second, Miss J. Barlinghoff. Needle and thread race—first, Mrs. A. Sutton and Harold Walsh; second, Mrs. Walsh and Mr. Walsh. Swimming—Men's race—first, Jack Turk; second J. D. Laroux. 18 lb. shot put—first, Trueman Gibbons, 26 ft. 7 ins; second, H. C. Murray, 26 ft. 2 ins. 75 yards race (members only)—first, Harold Walsh; second, A. Leroux; third, J. H. Coons. 4.00 p.m.—Softball game won by Iroquois Falls.

There was a remarkable array of specially good prizes for all the events.

KIRKLAND LAKE AT DOME IN ONTARIO CUP FINALS

In the Northern finals for the Ontario Cup Kirkland Lake will play the Dome at the Dome grounds on Saturday, July 20th. The kick-off will be at 6.15 p.m. sharp.

This should be an especially good game as both teams will be at full strength. Dome has a good team, and the same may be said about Kirkland Lake, so it is only to be expected that the spectators will see the finest of good football in this match on the Dome grounds on Saturday of this week. No football fan should miss this feature.

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HONoured BY PRINCE HENRY Miss Margaret Murphy, nurse, of Vancouver, who received a gold watch, suitably engraved, from Prince Henry, Duke of Gloucester, before he left the coast city for London, on his recent visit. Miss Murphy was one of the nurses who attended the Prince when he suffered a broken collar bone during a polo match. She is a daughter of Mr. Justice Denis Murphy of British Columbia.

DEAD BODY OF PROSPECTOR RECOVERED FROM RIVER

Henry Bracker, Well-known in District, Leaves Note Saying Illness Too Much for Him to Stand

Last week a party of men taken out to Shaw township by Provincial Officer Hartlieb found the dead body of Henry Bracker in the river about a mile from his shack. The body was badly decomposed and had been attacked also by some animal or animals. It was identified by means of the clothing, gun and other accessories.

Bracker had been one of the well-known men about the camp for a great many years and as soon as it was known that he had disappeared, parties were organized to search for him. On June 29th two boys were out and at his shack and saw a note there that Bracker had evidently written. They did not, however, realize the seriousness of the import of the note at the time, thinking that the man would return safely. On July 5th, the boys visiting the shack in Shaw township again saw the note once more and seeing that the man had very evidently not returned since their first visit, the lads hurried home and informed their mothers, who promptly sent them to the police. Provincial Officer Hartlieb visited the shack at once and found the note which read:—"Rheumatism is too much for me. So, goodbye, everybody."

It was known that Bracker had suffered considerably with rheumatism and it was felt that the note probably indicated that the unfortunate man in a fit of despondency and pain had taken his own life. Constable Hartlieb made a search for the missing man but was not able to find any trace of him. On July 11th the officer returned to the scene with a search party of nine men. A systematic and thorough search was organized and about 11.30 in the morning the body was found by two of the party resting partly on some logs in the Redstone river about a mile from his shack. The body was almost completely eaten away. An arm, the left leg and the top half of the head were practically eaten off. When the body was taken from the water it was found that Bracker had his gun tied to his body with a rope about four feet long. It is thought that this was a usual practice of Bracker's when going across the river on the logs, his idea being to prevent the loss of the gun through it being jerked out of the holster. On the head there was the mark of a hole that seemed to have been made by a bullet. It is thought that he went to the river and standing on the logs shot himself, expecting to fall completely into the river. When found, however, his legs were on the log. The animals that attacked the dead body may have dragged it back on the logs, but this can not be definitely known. It is believed that the mutilation of the body was the work of a bear or bears. Bear tracks were found all around the spot and there were also bear hairs found on the body.

The coroner was promptly notified of the finding of the body and after investigation and consideration of the evidence in the matter decided that a jury inquest was not necessary. It was quite evidently a case of suicide while despondent through ill-health and, perhaps, financial worries. In the shack after his death there was little of value and only 49 cents in cash in his possession at the time of his death.

The late Henry Bracker had been in this country about twenty years, having prospected and worked in the mines around Elk Lake, Gowganda, Porcupine and other camps. He also prospected in the Yukon, Nevada, California and British Columbia. He was naturalized in the latter province as a British subject in 1909.

At the time of death the late Henry Bracker was 55 years of age. He was born in Eutin, Lubeck, Germany. So far as known he had no relatives in this part of the country. He had many friends and acquaintances, however, who will deeply regret his sad death.

On account of the condition of the body it could not be moved and so burial was made on a high spot on the river bank close to where his body was found, the spot being marked with a simple cross of wood from the forest.

NON-METALLIC MINERALS MUCH USED IN INDUSTRIES

New Dominion Government Report Shows Growth of Industries Along These Lines in Canada

Establishment of new industries to work up non-metallic minerals, and the expansion of existing enterprises of this class in Canada, are reflected in the continued rise through several years of sums invested in the group of plants classed by the Bureau of Statistics as manufacturers of the non-metallic minerals in Canada on which a comprehensive report covering the calendar year 1927 has been printed and is available for distribution.

Producing more than \$175 millions worth of finished products, the 1,184 concerns mentioned in this report represent a wide range of manufacturers of which petroleum refining, the manufacture of illuminating and fuel gas, the production of coke, the manufacture of cement, may be regarded as leading examples. Industries such as brick and tile making, cement, lime and salt usually regarded as primary mining industries have also been included to make the report comprehensive.

Of the 15 main industries included, 13 reported gains in output value over the previous year and only 2 showed lower output values.

Manufacturing of secondary products from non-metallic minerals was centred in Ontario and Quebec. Fifty four per cent of the factories were located in Ontario and 21 per cent in Quebec. Ontario's output in this group was valued at \$85,832,634 or 51 per cent of the total for Canada and Quebec's output was worth \$41,998,404 or 27 per cent. Nova Scotia ranked third with an output worth \$12,265,962; in order of production the other provinces were: Alberta, British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Capital employed in the manufacturing of non-metallic mineral products in 1927 was reported at \$273,833,057, an increase of \$18.2 millions over the corresponding figure for the preceding year.

Copies of the report are available for distribution and may be had on application to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa.

FUNERAL LAST THURSDAY OF LITTLE EDDIE GODIN

The funeral of little Eddie Godin, the eight-year-old victim of the tragic drowning accident in a pond back of Gillies Lake last Tuesday afternoon, was held on Thursday morning from his father's residence, 65 Fourth avenue to St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church, and from there to the Timmings cemetery. Rev. Fr. Theriault sang Requiem high mass.

Mr. S. T. Walker had charge of the funeral, and four playmates of the little lad acted as pallbearers.

Floral offerings were received from the following:—Miss Ruby Sullivan, Miss Ruby McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Godin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Urquhart, Jerome, Moses and Monica Shragge, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lasalle and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howe, Fred and Lester Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Pirie, Alfred and Charles Charron, Rene Turgeon, Noel Richer.

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July a month of Sales

Continuing our remarkable July Sale offerings—this week brings foods of recognized quality particularly acceptable for light Summer lunches—Note the prices! Note the savings! Come Early! Come Often!

July Sale! Sockeye Salmon Premier Brand—finest quality—1/2 lb. flat tin... 21c. July Sale! Raspberry Jam A pure fruit Jam—40-oz. Jar... 32c.

Summer Suggestions Tuna Fish, Sliced Pineapple, Roast Beef, Galtonia, Boned Chicken, Jacob's Cream Crackers, Campbells' Pea Soup, For Preserving Certo, Crown Sealers, Rubber Rings, Zinc Rings, Parawax.

Every Day Values on Our Meat, Fruit and Vegetable Counter

Table listing various food items and their prices, including Local Lettuce, Local Radish, Local Onions, Local Spinach, Red Raspberries, Black Raspberries, Red Currants, Black Currants, Fancy Black Sweet Cherries, Sour Cherries, Ontario Field Tomatoes, Hothouse Cucumbers, New Beets, Round Steaks, Breakfast Bacon, Roast Ham, Cauliflower, Bananas, California Onions, New Cabbage, Minced Sirloin Steak, Pork Shoulder Roasts, Beef Roasts, Pork Shoulder Chops, Boiling Beef, Veal Roasts, Veal Chops, Veal Stew, Spring Lamb Stew, Choice Fowl, Sausage, Pork Liver, Cooked Ham, Veal Ham and Tongue, Ham Bologna, Macaroni and Cheese, Sliced Bologna, P. M. Cottage Rolls, Whole or half, Shrimps.

Herrings, Prepared Mustard, Libby's—a zestful touch to a cold luncheon, Palm Brand—wet pack.

July Sale! Weston's English Style Orange Slice Biscuits, Really delicious light biscuits with an orange flavor, lb. 27c. July Sale! Tickle's Imported Orange Marmalade, With the bitter sweet tang of Seville oranges—8-oz. Jar... 2 Jars for 25c.

SHIRRIFF'S JELLY POWDERS, CHATEAU CHEESE, "CANADA DRY", CHOCOLATE BARS, EATON'S PALAWAN TEA.

SPECIAL! Heinz Pickles, SWEET MIXED OR SWEET MUSTARD, No 10 tin, containing 2-3 of one imp. gallon Each \$1.70. SPECIAL! Swift's Weiners per lb. 23c.

SPECIAL! Aylmer Chili Sauce, GREEN LABEL, 12 oz. bottles Each 21c. Aluminum Tea Kettles, Plain or Faneled Design, 100 each. SPECIAL! Smoked Hams, HALF OR WHOLE per lb. 32c.

EATON GROCETERIA, OPERATED BY J. EATON CO.

ASSOCIATED BOARDS MEET AT ENGLEHART ON JULY 31

Many Important Questions to be Before Meeting, Ansonville Board of Trade Has Motion re Insurance

Mr. W. O. Langdon, president of the Timmings board of trade, this week received formal notice that the next regular session of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade will be held at Englehart on Wednesday, July 31st. Previous sessions of the Associated Boards have been held at Englehart and all delegates on previous occasions know that the people of Englehart are most hospitable, and that in addition to the business of the Associated Boards of Trade for the benefit of the North Land, there will be a very pleasant social time to look forward to at Englehart.

In sending out the notice of the meeting of the Associated Boards, mention is made of the fact that many important questions are to come before the sessions. These will include, no doubt, the matter of improved roads and more of them for the North. In this connection it might be well if special emphasis were placed on roads for settlers. Apparently this is something that is being lost sight of altogether these days. A number from the Connaught section recently called the attention of The Advance to the fact that though they had been bona fide settlers on the land, and working as settlers, for from ten to fifteen years they were still without a road and had to pack everything in and out except for a brief time in the winter when there was a good freeze-up and lots of snow. Other sections of the country can put forward similar complaint and be well warranted in doing so.

The Ansonville board of trade has a resolution submitted to come before the meeting of the Associated Boards at Englehart on the 31st in reference to the cost of fire insurance in this North Country. The resolution points out that the rates are so high as to be burdensome in some cases and prohibitive in others. The resolution asks that the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade endeavour to have the Canadian Fire Underwriters and the insurance companies operating throughout the North fix a more equitable rate for insurance for Northern Ontario. This is a question that has been before the Associated Boards on many previous occasions but it can not be over-emphasized as it is of vital importance not only directly to the business men but indirectly to all the rest of the public. If the Associated Boards can do anything to secure reductions in fire insurance rates a very decided benefit will be conferred for the business interests of the North.

The resolution by the Ansonville board of trade is the only one to be received by Timmings board of trade up to the present of the many that will be considered by the Associated boards at their meeting. The others will no doubt come to hand in due course.

Carnation Milk Display at N. Blahy's Next Week

—In keeping with Nick Blahy's promise of highest class pure foods kept in sanitary conditions, Mrs. Seguin, of the Carnation Milk Co., will be in town next week from Tuesday until Saturday. Mrs. Seguin will demonstrate the uses of Carnation products in the manufacture of candies, ice cream, salad dressing, etc., and also the use of their milk with tea, coffee, etc. All customers entering the store are invited to sample Mrs. Seguin's products and to inspect the up-to-date equipment Mr. Blahy has recently installed for their benefit.

Mrs. W. H. Warren returned Monday evening from visiting relatives and friends in Hamilton and other points south.

An Unusual And Interesting Event! Beauty Expert Now at Our Store. Will be Here Until July 27th. HAVE YOUR SKIN ANALYZED FREE BY THIS A'LURE DERMATOLOGIST. BURKE'S CORNER STORE, CORNER THIRD AVE. & PINE ST., S. TIMMINS.