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GRAVEL AND SAND—AND PLACER

There were many interesting and amusing incidents about the election and its aftermath Monday evening. One of the most pathetic was the case of a young man who is rather well known for his exuberant endorsement of Mackenzie King and all his works.

A few years ago there was a political scandal in Great Britain because of the charge that knighthoods and other honours were being sold at a regular scale of fees, the money obtained in this way going to enrich the party treasury.

Recently considerable annoyance and disgust has been caused in Ontario by the importation from the United States of a silly and dangerous piece of nonsense termed "tree-sitting."

The K-Ray, the monthly magazine of the International Kiwanis, in its last issue refers to the sensible ban in Timmins against parking automobiles in front of the theatre, and asks The Advance:—"For the love of Mike, where can a fellow park?"

There are nearly always compensating joys for the ills that may appear, if they are properly watched for and appreciated. Take the election contest this week, for example.

in this victory by the fact that in the wider sphere of the Dominion the expected victory had not materialized. Each side had a victory to compensate the loss, and thus neither side was too depressed nor yet unduly elated, and so everyone was more or less contented and more or less happy but not too much so, and everything passed off quietly and in friendly way. Which is all right.

On Monday evening the crowd at the Conservative committee rooms was cheering the returns that showed the party had won a noteworthy victory at the polls throughout the Dominion. "Who's doing all the cheering?" asked a customer in one of the stores nearby. "Oh, that's the Liberals cheering the Conservatives for winning out," said the gentleman in charge of the store.

The fact that so many seats were won by Hon. R. B. Bennett and his followers in the election this week may be taken as proof that the result will be generally satisfactory. In any event there is one feature of the election that appears to please all and that is that the new government has a clear majority over all and so is not dependent upon any group or faction for the safe conduct of the business of parliament.

Now that the election is over, the people of the North still feel that this large and important section of the province should have representation in the Senate of Canada.

At every election there is objection and protest in regard to names on the voters' lists that should not be there and names that are omitted where they should appear. Probably in no recent election has there been so valid a ground for objection as in the contest just completed.

With the Dominion election campaign out of the way it may be said again that the chief need of the North Land is still roads for the settlers.

Despite all the false reports that seem to be persistently spread in the South in regard to the condition of the roads in the North, there is now a considerable amount of tourist traffic coming to this part of the North Land. Apparently the conditions of previous years are being repeated in regard to tourists coming only a part of the way to the real North.

The Farm Day at Kapuskasing on Thursday, August 21st, should interest all settlers and others in this district. At present an effort is being made to have a special train from Timmins for the occasion.

FINNISH SPORTS HELD AT SOUTH PORCUPINE JULY 27

Big Athletic Event at South Porcupine. Similar Event Planned for Timmins. Other Interesting News Items from South Porcupine Correspondent.

South Porcupine, July 27th, 1930. Special to The Advance. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Court and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Turner and family, of Timmins, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. E. Anthony's this week.

Messrs H. Disher and Harry Simpson spent the week-end at Shillington. Miss Vera Lambert, of Noranda, is remaining for an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. B. Longworth, at the Dome.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and daughter, of Huntsville, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Orr, Connaught Hill. Miss Clara Gemmill left last week for her home at Snow Road, Ontario.

Rev. Summerell, of Schumacher, will preach in the United Church, South Porcupine, next Sunday, choosing for his subject, "The Long, Long Trail A-Winding."

Miss Pearce of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles McInnis, and family, at their summer home at Golden City.

Mrs. George Pirie and family of the Dome are visiting at her parental home in Shawville, Quebec.

Miss Dorothy Farrell entertained a number of young friends at her home on Bloor avenue on Saturday last in honour of her eleventh birthday.

Mr. Victor Burke is home from Sault Ste. Marie for a holiday.

Mr. S. Sky is a visitor to Toronto this week.

A number of the young people from here and the Dome had an enjoyable time at a weiner roast at Golden City on Saturday evening last.

Born—At the Dome Extension on Saturday, July 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Collins—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lively, of New Liskeard, motored up and are spending some time with Mrs. Lively's mother, Mrs. Laffan, Sr., and other relatives.

Miss Carry Ferguson returned from Renfrew with her sister, Miss Betty Ferguson.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. B. Longworth of the Dome entertained at bridge in honour of their guest, Mrs. A. Lambert, of Noranda.

On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Stone entertained at bridge for Mrs. Lambert. Mr. Bert Longworth won the first prize and Mrs. Lambert won the ladies' prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Brisson entertained a number of young people at their home at Portville on Saturday evening last.

Mrs. Clarence Farrell and children are holidaying at her home in Shawville.

An athletic meet was held at the recreation grounds, South Porcupine, on July 27th by the Finnish Sports Association of Canada. There were four hundred people present.

Relay race of 800 meters, 400 m., 200 m., and 200 m.—(1) Kirkland Lake team in four minutes and nine-tenths seconds. (2) South Porcupine team in four minutes, four and three-tenths seconds. (3) Timmins team in four minutes, eighteen and two-tenths seconds.

The 1500 metre race for men past 35 years of age was won by K. Valenius, South Porcupine.

The 5000 metre race was won by K. Kolari, South Porcupine, and second S. Luopa, South Porcupine.

In the three events for ladies—viz., 100 metre run, broad jump and ball throw, the winners were Mrs. A. Gronholm, Timmins, and Miss V. Tynjala, Timmins.

For boys under eighteen years there were three events, (javelin throw, broad jump and 100 metre run). The winners were respectively: S. Luhta, South Porcupine; E. Salomaa, Timmins; E. Leino, South Porcupine; T. Parkho, South Porcupine.

Men's events (200 metre run, shot put, discus throw, high jump, hop skip and jump) were won as follows: (1) L. Rasula, South Porcupine; (2) E. Kempainen, South Porcupine; (3) J. Penttila, Kirkland Lake; (4) I. Renfors, South Porcupine; (5) W. Walnius, Timmins.

The relay race for girls under twelve years (5 times 50 metres) was won by South Porcupine. The relay race for boys under twelve years for the same distance was also won by South Porcupine.

This same Sports Association is holding a championship meet in Timmins on August 9th and 10th.

Mrs. A. Cronk accompanied by Clarence and Evelyn are leaving on Wednesday for a vacation at Powassan.

Weather permitting a garden carnival is planned to be held at the home of Mrs. A. Ewing, 67 Bruce avenue, on Saturday afternoon and evening, August 2nd. Home-made candy and various other attractive booths are being arranged. There will be special attractions for the children in the afternoon such as the fish-pond, Jack Horner's Plum Pudding, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Henry and little son motored up from Kirkland Lake to spend the week-end with Mrs. Henry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mason.

Kapuskasing Boy Has Not Been Discovered

No trace whatever has been found of Victor Gareau, the six-year old lad from near Kapuskasing, who has been lost for over three weeks. The boy and two other members of the family of a settler living near Kapuskasing were lost in the bush about three weeks ago. Two of the children eventually were able to reach home after passing a couple of nights in the bush.

PLANNING FOR THE BIG DAY AT KAPUSKASING ON AUG. 21

In reference to the plans for the big day at Kapuskasing on the Farm Day, Thursday, Aug. 21st, The Northern Tribune of Kapuskasing last week says:—

"Considerable approval has been expressed of the idea of combining a sports day with the annual farmers' excursion to the Experimental Farm and running a special train from Timmins. A low special fare would be possible if this arrangement were made. Word has come from Timmins that strong efforts will be made there to have the T. & N. O. put on the special train, in which case a good delegation of sports fans and farmers would visit Kapuskasing for the day, leaving at an early hour and arriving here about 10 a.m. August 21st has been definitely set for the originally-planned farmers' excursion, which may now be considerably extended in scope.

DIAMONDS

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NOTED PLAYERS SUPPORT PRINCIPALS IN "LUMMOX"

Among the well-known screen and stage figures in "LummoX," the United Artists' all-dialogue screen version of Fanny Hurst's novel, to be at the Goldfields theatre, Timmins, on Wednesday and Thursday of next week, August 6th and 7th, are Myrtle Stedman and Danny O'Shea, who interpret two of the leading characters so realistically that the author declares they might have stepped right out of the pages of her favourite novel.

and leading man on the legitimate stage before Mack Sennett signed him to star in comedies. He was under contract to Sennett for two and a half years, and later was starred by F.B.O. As a free lance player he appeared in several big silent pictures winning outstanding success in "Manhattan Cocktail." About a year ago, he was seriously injured while working in a picture and spent seven months in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Grace, of Winnipeg, were visitors here last week.



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LAKE SHORE SINKING MAIN SHAFT TO 2,600-FT. LEVEL

Shaft sinking operations at Lake Shore mines is making good progress, according to information from Kirkland Lake. Work is under way on the sinking of the main shaft from the 2,200 to the 2,600-foot level. The old shaft is said to be down close to 2,200 feet and the management plans to drive over from the new shaft on the 2,600-foot horizon and raise from there to meet the old shaft.

DEATH OF MRS. JAMES NEIL AT NORTH COBALT THURSDAY

A despatch last week from Cobalt to The North Nugget says:—"Another old resident of the Cobalt camp died at her home in North Cobalt on Thursday when Mrs. James Neil succumbed to an illness extending over the last three months. Mrs. Neil had been suffering from heart trouble and had been confined to bed for the last few weeks. Born in the northern part of Hastings county, the late Mrs. Neil, who was a Miss Nellie May White, came to the Cobalt camp shortly after her marriage in 1909 and she had lived in Cobalt and Porcupine since. For the past 13 years the family has resided in North Cobalt. The funeral will be held on Sunday, with burial in Halleybury cemetery. Surviving are her husband and seven children, all at home, also a brother and sister, the

latter living in Hastings county."

T.B.A.A. JUNIOR SOFTBALL RESULTS WEEK OF JULY 28TH

Table with columns: Team, Won, Lost. Rows: Trail Rangers (3-1), Holy Name (2-3), Tuxis (2-2), High School (1-2).

The Kirkland Lake pipe band are now resplendent in new kilts. This pipe band has made excellent progress since it was organized less than a year ago, and is now considered one of the best pipe bands north of Toronto.