

**Cost Ten Dollars for Riding on the Sidewalk**

At police court this week a bicyclist was fined \$2.00 and costs, a total of \$10.00 for riding on the sidewalk. He was riding on the walk when he met two men, one of whom suggested that he should use the road for his bicycle. Instead of taking this good advice he started to give the man some bad replies in regard to roads and business and other things. He did not know the man who so quietly gave him the good advice was a policeman. Now, however, it is likely that he will not need to be told to get off the sidewalk while riding a wheel.

A speeder paid \$10.00 and costs. A reckless driving charge resulted in a fine of \$10.00 and costs and the driver also lost his permit for two months. This man had run a motorcycle on the sidewalk at night. A taxi driver paid \$25.00 and costs this week on a charge of reckless driving laid against him last May. He had been out of town, but on his return the charge was pressed against him.

Percy Lebrache, charged with theft of a motor car, was remanded for a week at the request of his counsel. Lebrache was brought back from Kirkland Lake on this charge.

The case of a woman charged with selling liquor was remanded until this (Thursday) afternoon.

**First Regular Meeting of Newly-Formed A.Y.P.A.**

The first regular meeting of the newly-formed branch of the A.Y.P.A. of St. Matthew's church was held in the parish hall on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Betty Sinclair, the president of the branch, presided for the occasion. After the formal opening and discussion of business the programme of the evening, which was of a social character, was participated in and greatly enjoyed by the goodly number of young people present. The programme included:—community singing of many popular songs and favourite melodies; the song entitled "Danny Boy," rendered by W. Thompson; a recitation, "The Clinging Vine," by K. Buffin; an interesting competitive game entitled, "Dinner," was directed by Miss Coleman, and proved productive of much fun. Last, and by no means least in its place of bringing a most successful evening to a close was the delightful repast of good things to eat, provided by the ladies.

For next week a programme of a literary character will be given, and as each member present on Tuesday evening promised to be a booster for next week, it is hoped the young people of St. Matthew's will take advantage of the meetings of the A.Y.P.A.

**OCCUPIES NEW POST**



HON. W. MARTIN  
Of Brantford, who is the first Minister of Public Welfare to be appointed in the Ontario Cabinet.

**EXCELLENT SPECIMENS OF CRAB APPLES GROWN HERE**

This week Mrs. J. M. Studor brought to The Advance office a couple of excellent specimens of crab apples from a tree on the property at the Studor home on Tamarack street. Last year the tree bore fruit but the apples fell off before they came to maturity. This year the tree is bearing good fruit and the apples are fine specimens, showing what can be done in the way of growing orchard fruits in this country. So far as known this is the only apple-bearing tree in town this year, though some years ago another local resident was able to raise a crop of crab apples, though later the tree was destroyed by accident. In the district, there are several farmers and settlers with crab apple trees bearing fruit. One or two settlers have also had some success with harvest apples. At New Liskeard the apples grown on the property of the late George Taylor became widely known. Settlers and others say there is no reason why apples should not be grown here. Some of them have proved this. In some cases where failure has resulted, the reason was plainly accident or other cause apart from climate or conditions. The weather is favourable enough to the growth of apple trees and no doubt they will become more popular even in the towns. One settler near town has a young pear tree, as well as an apple tree growing in his garden, both from seed, and both thriving.

**HEARST-SOUTH PORCUPINE MOTOR TRIP FOR WEEK-END**

Party from Hearst Motored to South Porcupine for Services on Sunday. Other Interesting Items from Correspondent at South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, Sept. 30th, 1930. Special to The Advance.

Mrs. B. Hocking and two children, Billy and Doreen, are on a holiday trip to visit her parents at Durham, England.

The Rally Day services in the United Church were well attended on Sunday last, quite a number of children being present both from the Dome and town. The regular Rally Day form of service was followed. There was a baptismal service at which the infant sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Collins, all of the Dome Extension, received the rite of baptism. The choir was composed of Sunday School children while two of the boys of the senior class took up the offering.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Noble, of the Experimental Farm at Hearst, Ontario, motored down from there and were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Hussy over Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. West, of Hearst, and visited their daughter, Miss Melba, who is a student at Montelth Academy, and brought her on to Porcupine with them. Surely when motorists from Hearst can come down to Porcupine for Sunday services then return for their weekly work there is no doubt which way the Trans-Canada highway should be built when the route via Cochrane and Hearst is already such that it can be used to advantage.

Mrs. Fred Farrant, of Ottawa, is renewing acquaintances in town, while the guest of Mrs. F. C. Evans, Connaught Hill.

Born—On Sunday, September 28th, to Dr. and Mrs. MacDonald at the Porcupine Presbyterian hospital—a daughter.

Mr. W. G. Skinner was a visitor to Cochrane this week.

Mrs. F. H. Hall and infant son are home at the Dome from the Presbyterian hospital.

Master Gordon Roy, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Roy, of Bloor avenue, got his shoulder dislocated and received other bad bruises from a fall while practising jumping with some of his playmates on Monday of this week. He is in bed under the doctor's care as a result.

Mr. H. M. Wilson is in Cochrane today as a witness in a case that is being tried there arising from the collision of a truck and a motor car on the Porcupine highway.

The harvest thanksgiving services of St. Paul's Anglican Church were held on Sunday evening last. The church was beautifully decorated with grains, fruits and autumn leaves. Archdeacon Woodall preached the Thanksgiving sermon, and Mrs. W. Christie sang "Hold Thou My Hand," her fine contralto voice and sympathetic rendering pleasing all. There was a fine attendance.

Messrs Henry Miller and William Farren were delegates of South Porcupine Fire Department to the Temiskaming Firemen's convention at New Liskeard this week.

Miss Pearl Kennedy has returned after a month's holiday in Ottawa, Toronto and Montreal.

Mrs. Woodall and two daughters Marjory and Kathleen have gone to Toronto from Porquus Jct., and will spend the winter there, while Marjory attends Shaw Business College and Kathleen the Bloor Street Collegiate. Archdeacon Woodall remains at Porquus Jct. making his home with another daughter, Mrs. Arnett.

The Toronto Daily Star of September 29th contained an announcement which will be of interest to her many friends in South Porcupine. It read—"Mr. and Mrs. William D. Pearce, of South Porcupine, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Becky Elizabeth (Betty), to Mr. Leigh Watson Bladon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bladon, Westmount, Quebec. The wedding is to take place in October." Until a few months ago Miss Betty was stenographer in the township's office in town.

Mrs. Will Johns has returned after attending the convention of the Women's Auxiliaries of the Anglican Church, in Perth and Ottawa. She is president of the Auxiliary for Cochrane district. A successful meeting of the local Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Maxwell Smith on Monday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell and children are home again after a motor holiday through Southern Ontario.

A pretty wedding was celebrated on Saturday evening, September 27th, when Eileen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hansen, became the bride of Mr. James McQuarrie, eldest son of the late James and Mrs. McQuarrie, of Connaught Hill, South Porcupine. The ceremony took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Fera, Bloor avenue. Rev. L. Hussy tied the nuptial knot. Miss Dorothy Kaufman acted as bridesmaid while the groom's brother, Stanley, was his attendant. The beautiful young bride was a charming picture in her wedding dress of white georgette and carried an old-fashioned bouquet of sweet peas. The bridesmaid was gown in mauve taffeta and also carried sweet peas. After the ceremony there was a wedding dinner and reception at the home of Mrs. Fera, some fifty guests being present to give their best wishes to the happy young couple. The bride has lived here since her childhood and the groom is manager of the Ever-Ready garage on Bruce avenue. Both are popular young people. After a motor honeymoon they will reside in an apartment in the Wilson block. We join their many friends in good wishes for their future.

Mrs. W. Brooks has returned from the south, much improved in health.

Mrs. Norman Mark, who has been with her sister, Mrs. G. T. S. Train, for some time returned to her home in Lindsay this week.

In the police court last Thursday there were four drunks who paid the usual fine, two speeders had their incomes slowed down for another two fines. One man was also fined for drinking in a public place. Provincial Officer Craik had one man up for having liquor without a permit but the case was remanded.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Costello and family have returned from Killaloe where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Costello's sister.

The South Porcupine Fire Department are holding their masquerade dance on Hallowe'en, October 31st. Arrangements had been made for this before the Rink and Hockey Committee were deciding on the date for their dance. Hence the date of the latter will have to be announced later. In the meantime everybody will look forward to the genuine treat the Firemen's masquerade ball usually is.

Next Sunday will be the harvest thanksgiving services in the United Church, South Porcupine. Rev. Bruce Millar, of Timmins, will be the preacher for the occasion. The Schumacher Male Choir will take the musical part. Those who have heard this choir before are looking forward with happy anticipation of hearing them again.

The young people's work of the United Church is being organized this week. On Thursday evening from seven o'clock to eight all boys from nine years to fourteen years of age wishing to join the Trail Ranger or Explorer group are to meet at the church. At eight o'clock boys from fifteen to seventeen, that is the Tuxis group, are to meet. On Friday evening after choir practice the young men and women are meeting to organize some kind of club work for the winter months. All young people interested are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Val Ray, manager of the Pioneer Stores at the Dome Mines, returned from a holiday in the south on Sunday evening.

The Toronto Mail and Empire last week says:—"There is to be a test to find how far a car can go on a pint of gasoline. It ought to be an added attraction for some Tom Thumb golf course."

**RE-DISCOVERING CANADA**

Mention of Cadillac leads to the reflection that nowadays it is necessary for the history student to confine all his attention to the text books. Automobiles are bringing about the re-discovery of Canada. The work of making historic sites in the Dominion is going on increasingly from year to year, and it is possible nowadays to reach by motor car many of the interesting battlefield sites and other shrines of historic events. Quebec, of course, is perhaps richest of all the provinces in these reminders of the early days. Fort Chambly, on the Richelieu River, is just half an hour's drive from Montreal. The first fortifications were erected in 1665 by the French under Captain du Chambly. After years of neglect the fort was taken over by the National Parks Board and preservation work carried on. A good motor road running south along the Richelieu brings one to the massive ruins of Fort Lennox, Ile-aux-Noix, fortified by the French in the 17th century. At Longueuil a tablet placed on the church marks the site of Fort Longueuil. At Vercheres stands a beautiful bronze statue to the heroic Madeleine de Vercheres. A cairn and tablet at Sorel mark the site of Fort Richelieu. It is the same in other parts of Quebec; and in the other provinces of Canada. Historic sites have been made accessible by the automobile. History for the young student becomes more interesting.

Friends in town will be glad to know that Mrs. Chittenden, who has been seriously ill at St. Mary's hospital, is now making good progress to recovery.

For a time her condition was so critical that she was entertained as to her recovery. Mr. Chittenden was summoned here from Rouyn, where he has been working, and came here last week. It was necessary to have several blood transfusions. Due to the care and attention given, however, Mrs. Chittenden is now on the way to recovery.

Stating that the Canadian Chamber of Commerce official tour of Japan and China leaving Vancouver and Victoria October 16 aboard S.S. Empress of Russia, offers a splendid chance to emphasize Canada's position as a trading nation, Col. J. H. Woods, Calgary publisher and president of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, speaking to 300 members of the Vancouver Board of Trade in an address at the Hotel Vancouver recently, urged Canadians to take full opportunity of the chance afforded by the tour.

Canada's wild life has a capital valuation of one billion dollars and represents a yearly business turnover to the Dominion of about \$45,000,000, Dr. H. F. Lewis, of the Department of the Interior, told the delegates to the Provincial-Dominion game conference at Ottawa the other day. The valuation includes the fur harvest, game fish and their attendant effect upon the manufacturers of firearms and fishing tackle not to mention railways, tourist camps, magazine publishers and others who derive a certain revenue from this source.

Badges will be worn by all big game hunters in New Brunswick during the season opening September 15 for deer and October 1 for moose. During the recent year all non-resident anglers in New Brunswick have worn badges and the system has proved so satisfactory as to render extension of the plan to shooting advisable.

This year's crop of grapes in the Niagara fruit belt, between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, Ont., is expected to reach about 58,000,000 lbs., an increase of 15 per cent. over the 1929 crop. The crop is now being harvested.

A shipment of 128 live cattle from farms in Ontario went forward recently to England—the first in 18 months. It was consigned to buyers in Manchester. The shipment, though comparatively small, is regarded by the live stock trade as marking resumption of Canada's export trade in cattle to the British market.

**CHANGE IN MEETING NIGHT FOR ORANGE LODGES HERE**

A change has been made in the nights of meeting of the Orange lodges here, formerly meeting on Monday evenings in St. Matthew's parish hall. Timmins L.O.L. will meet hereafter on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month in the Oddfellows' hall. The Timmins L.O.B.A. will meet on the first and third Tuesday of each month in the I.O.O.F. hall.

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