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### Fine Band Concert at South Porcupine

Very Effective and Pleasing Programme on Wednesday Evening Last. Christmas Trees at South Porcupine and the Dome. Other South Porcupine News

South Porcupine, Dec. 21st, 1931. Special to The Advance.

Mr. Ed. Harrison is leaving this week to spend the Christmas holiday at his former home near Owen Sound.

Miss Millicent Fieldmarsh, of Beamsville, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Christie, of the Dome Mines, for the festive season.

Miss Ruth Spencer is home from Eastford to spend the vacation with her mother, Mrs. E. Harrison.

Mr. Victor Evans left on Friday last for a month at his home in Winnipeg.

Mrs. A. Harris, of Gananoque, is staying over the Christmas holiday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ellis Wright.

Mrs. Caswell left last week to join her husband at the San Antonio Mine in Northern Manitoba, after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Michaelson.

Just don't forget that masquerade. 'Twill be a big affair.

This given by the Fire Brigade And many will be here.

In festive garb on New Year's Eve; So come, your share of joy receive.

The concert given by the Porcupine Goldfields Band in the auditorium of the Continuation School on Wednesday last week was one of the best renditions of varied musical talent heard in this part of the camp for a long time. It was regrettable that owing to the nearness of the Christmas season the attendance was so small, as the quality of the programme warranted a full house. The band is showing decided improvement under the able leadership of Mr. T. Pappone. The selections given by the band on Wednesday night were—Opening, "O Canada"; march, "Mon Ami"; overture, "Princess of India"; march, "Stars and Stripes Forever"; overture, "The Iron Count"; march, "Pomp and Circumstance"; march, "Little Giant"; and "God Save the King." The "Waps Trio" was another musical combination that called down loud applause. It consists of Mr. Tony Aquino, South Porcupine, banjo-mandolin; Mr. Pietro Sanzi, of Schumacher, with guitar; and Mr. Loreto Protomani, Timmins, with guitar. Besides giving a couple of selections by themselves, they accompanied Mr. Ernest Lorenzo's solos. Mr. Lorenzo of Schumacher who was making his first appearance in South Porcupine has a voice of such wonderful power that he has been nick-named "Caruso." His contributions to the programme were "O Marie" and as an encore "Vieni Sub Mare." Mrs. J. Aiken appeared before a Porcupine audience for the first time as a pianist and those who heard her hope that it is only a forerunner of many more such feats.

Her numbers were "Shepherds All and Maidens Fair," by Nevin and as an encore "Hungarian Rhapsody." She accompanied Mrs. Bessette for her soprano solos, "With All My Heart," and the catchy, trill-like "Cupid's Conquest," which was given as an encore and was greeted with the appreciative applause that shows Mrs. Bessette's popularity with a Porcupine audience. The High School orchestra under the leadership of J. Bridges again proved their ability by giving three peppy selections. Mr. Richard Leslie, of Schumacher, was new to a Porcupine audience, but pleased all with his cornet solo, "The Last Chord." He was accompanied on the piano by Mr. Ron. Jones, who also was accompanied for Mrs. W. A. Christie, of the Dome, whose rich contralto, with its power of expressive feeling showed to advantage in "For You Alone," by

Geehl, and "When Song is Sweet," by Sans Souci. Mrs. Bessette was pianist for Mr. Jones when his fine tenor voice was heard most appreciatively in "Nirvana" and the subtle sympathy of tone in the rendering of "Macushia," as an encore, was no less pleasing. One of the attractive numbers of the programme was an accordion duet by Mr. Tonin and his daughter, Gilda. This was followed by an artistically given piano solo, "Rhapsodie Mignon," and the encore, "Tranquillo Overture," by Miss Gilda, a young musician of much promise from Timmins. Reeve C. V. Gallagher acted as chairman in his usual efficient and witty manner. He explained how handicapped this part of the camp had been some ten years or so ago when for any special occasion a band had to be imported. It was on one such occasion that the idea was conceived of the municipality providing the instruments and a leader as a nucleus of a band of our own. The Porcupine Goldfield Band, as it is today, comprises members from Schumacher, South Porcupine and the Dome and has been a real asset to the municipality. After the programme a dance was given in the hall the orchestra comprising:—T. Pappone, saxophone; T. Aquino, violin; W. Allen (Dome), traps; and G. Jenkins (Schumacher), piano.

The Dome Sunday School held their annual Christmas Tree on Saturday evening. About sixty-eight children of the school were present and received gifts besides candy, fruit, etc. The little schoolhouse at the Dome was packed with parents and other visitors. Carols were sung during the first part of the programme. Then the primary department sang, "Infant Holy," under the direction of Mrs. Libby. The Juniors gave "Gentle Mary." Under the direction of Mr. B. Saunders the Intermediate classes rendered "We Three of Orient" are." Ruth Doran and Buddy Smyth then sang as a duet "Away in the Manger." Mrs. Libby gave the Christmas story, "Little Jean." While the children were singing "Jingle Bells," Santa Claus arrived and distributed the many lovely gifts. Much of the arranging and planning for the happy evening was done by Miss Maud Carpe. Mr. R. Jones had charge of the music.

Mr. Bert Richmond of the Dome sailed on December 16th from St. Johns, N.B., for Kilmarnock, Scotland. Her many friends here sincerely sympathize with Mrs. T. A. Strain in the loss of her youngest brother, Mr. Will Rutledge, who died on Friday, December 18th, at the Timmins hospital. The remains were shipped to their former home at Flesherton, Ontario, for burial.

In the police court last week one solitary drunk paid the usual inebriate's fine.

The building of the Canadian General Electric bought by the Consumers' Co-operative Company, an organization of loyal Finns, will soon be ready for occupation.

The bridge and euche given by the Rebekahs on Friday evening last was one of the best yet. There were eight tables of bridge and five of euche. The prize winners were—ladies, bridge, first, Mrs. Bessette; second, Mrs. Fieldmarsh; third, Mrs. O. Spiers; gentlemen, bridge, first, Mr. Costain; second, Mrs. W. A. Christie (as gentleman); third, Mr. H. R. M. Turner. In euche, ladies' first went to Mrs. H. Blood; second, Mrs. Allen; third, Mrs. B. Webb; gentlemen's first, Mr. H. Chevrer; second, Mr. H. Kaufman; third, Mrs. H. M. Miller.

The Wolf Cubs of the Dome held a jolly Christmas party at the Dome School on Thursday evening of last week. Cubmaster G. Newman was assisted by Scoutmaster Lemon, of South Porcupine troop, and some of his patrol leaders. Several residents of the Dome also assisted in entertaining the Wolf Cubs.

### Christmas Gifts at the Kiwanis Club

Members had a Merry Time on Monday. Humorous Gifts and Personal Verses the Order of the Day.

Had there been just one more member present at the Kiwanis Club on Monday at the Empire hotel the attendance would have been 100 per cent. As it was it was over 97 per cent. perfect. And everyone present were delighted to be there. There was a heap of fun for all. It was the Kiwanis own Christmas Tree or Santa Claus event, and although none of the gifts cost more than a few cents there was hundreds of dollars worth of fun in each of them.

The previous week each member drew a name from a hat and he was supposed to buy a suitable present for the member whose name was thus drawn. And did each member do so? Well, the laughter and fun on Monday proved he did so and more. In nearly every case there was added to the gift an appropriate verse, more or less personal, but sure to please. One member was given twin feeding bottles and twin comforts as a sequel to a double addition to the family in the year. Another was presented with a doll and a bottle of painkiller, the latter for his singing voice. Some of the gifts and verses that roused the greatest laughter are given herewith:—

Kiwanian Charles Keddie was presented with a bottle of some sort of fluid with alleged quickening and mellowing qualities, the verse accompanying it being as follows:—

To C. G. Keddie  
Merry Christmas to you, Charlie Keddie!  
In a pinch you are always found ready,  
But don't start to sing;  
That's a different thing.  
Try something to make your voice steady.

To Kiwanian Charles Pierce was presented a "miniature" miniature golf course with the following verses:—

Dear Charley  
The years they wander and they go,  
Since you, old boy, put on your show.  
Remember how you—picksack on back  
Came north to fill your empty sack?  
Remember your sign—"Prospectors' Supplies?"  
That was your game, it was your style.  
Hardware, boots, coats and even fur—  
From a dog's bark to a pussy cat's purr.  
And how you worked! Remember that?  
And you were lean, and now—you're fat!

But now, oh Charley! What have you done?  
Gone to miniature golf for your fun,  
Forsaken manly works of men—left them all—  
To build a court for a little white ball.  
Remember that court just two blocks away.  
The time you spent, the money you pay?  
"Miniature golf"—so they say—  
In a minute, out a minute, was your way.  
So Charley, I give this with my wish,  
When it hits you again, just play with this.

To Arch Gillies  
Accompanying the gift to Arch Gillies was the following verse:—  
Arch Gillies, with transit and level,  
Surveys out the lots,  
He does like the devil.  
If perchance, he precedes us to Heaven,  
Will he plot out space for us,  
Seven by seven.  
Dr. Honey was honoured with the gift of a bag of marbles with the gentle suggestion that he play with them until such time as he became a more proficient bridge fiend. Accompanying the gift was the following:—

Why Worry?  
Why do folks worry? There are only two reasons for worry.  
Either you are successful or you are not successful;  
If you are successful, there is nothing to worry about.  
If you are not successful there are only two things to worry about;  
Your health is good or you are sick.  
If your health is good, there is nothing to worry about.  
If you are sick, there are only two things to worry about;  
You are going to get well, or you are going to die.  
If you are going to get well, there is nothing to worry about.  
If you are going to die, there are only two things to worry about;  
If you die, you are going to Heaven, or you are going to Hell.  
If you know that you are going to Heaven, there is nothing to worry about.  
If you go to Hell you will be so busy shaking hands with your old friends

Mr. Hodder Stovel, of McGill University, and Masters Sam and Bruce Stovel, of Bishop's College, are expected home this week to spend the festive season with their parents at the Dome.

The Anglican Church Sunday School held their Christmas entertainment on Friday last under the supervision of Mr. F. McConnell, the superintendent and his assisting staff. Carol singing was a feature of the evening. There were recitations by Elaine Leiterman, Violet Hedges, Margaret Burton, Joan Smith Jimmy Doag. Miss Pashlar's class sang "Holy Night." Under the direction of Mrs. Hedges a dialogue was given. After an appropriate opening talk, Archdeacon Woodall showed the picture slides of "The Pied Piper," and "A Christmas Carol," while Mrs. W. Johns read the story. Supper was served to all the children present.

that you will not have time to worry. So why all the worry? Cut it out and be happy!

To Chairman of the Committee on Gloom

It was fitting that to the chairman of the Committee on Gloom, there should be presented a bottle of Old King Cole's "Oh-be-joyful!" With it was the following verse, etc.:—  
To the Honourable the Chairman of the Committee on Gloom,  
Mr. A. Wilson Lang,  
Wishing him a Dry and Merry Christmas and a Virtuous New Year.

Together with a slight poetical effusion, entitled, "Thoughts Inspired by Gazing at the Wreck of the Hesperus." While the long dry spell drags onward And I still am feeling pale,  
And I still dodge round the corner On the way to get the mail,  
Lest I meet the gang that tempts me To resign my hard-won seat  
On the cart that bumps so badly As it wanders down the street,  
Then I'll gaze on you and ponder On the troubles you produce,  
And in gazing gain the courage To consign you to the deuce.  
Do not fail me, Little Brother, As a warning do not fail,  
For there's danger ever present On the water wagon trail.

Welcome to Dr. H. H. Moore  
One of the special features of the day was the presence of Dr. H. H. Moore, the president for 1932. Owing to illness, Dr. Moore had been absent from a number of recent meetings, and the members were delighted to have him with them again.

Kiwanis Child Welfare Draw Postponed  
After discussion it was definitely decided to postpone the draw for the prizes for the Kiwanis Child Welfare event until January 25th, 1932. This action was considered absolutely necessary in view of the fact that a number of books of tickets had been sent out of town and these had not yet been returned either as sold or unsold. With these tickets out it would be impossible to do the drawing on Christmas Eve as originally planned. Instead the draw will be made at 6.30 p.m. on January 25th at the Serrall Service Station, across from Dalton's, on the corner of Third avenue and Cedar street.

December Report of Mattagami School  
Standing of the Pupils in the Various Classes of the Mattagami Public School for December.

The following is the report for December of the Mattagami public school:—  
Room 1—E. J. Transom, principal—Sr. IV—Cecil Linder 83, Basil Howse 82, Robert Watson 78, Betty Nelson 76, Blanche Coaty 75, Albert Hornby 75.  
Room 2—M. Tackaberry, teacher—Jr. IV—Alice Mercier 77, Cora Price 76, Peggy Phillips 75, John Moore 75, Helen MacNamara 75.  
Room 3—M. E. Byth, teacher—Jr. IV—J. Laidlaw 78, C. Horwitz 77, D. Gordon 77, S. Feldman 76, G. Ramsay 75, I. Luxton 75.  
Annex—E. C. Byers, teacher—Sr. III Marguerite Wilson, Edgar Price, Gwendolyn Bright, Rose Zolob, Marion Sheridan, Robert Stroud.  
Room 4—E. P. Dempsey, teacher—Jr. III—Phyllis McConnell, Tom Nelson, Vita Linder.  
Room 5—Gertrude I. Rogers, teacher—Sr. II—Franklin MacNamara 84, Laila Koskela 77, Arthur Spence 76, Inez Brown 75.  
Room 6—M. Bramwell, teacher—Jr. II—E. Creed, P. Latimer, J. Stingle, F. Campbell, M. Gedge, N. Bennett, B. Montgomery, L. Stewart.  
Room 7—J. A. Harris, teacher Jr. II—Marion Constant 87, Bessie Percival 85, Joyce Collins 82, John Pearce, 78.  
Room 8—M. Thorburn, teacher—Sr. I—Herbert Evans, Marin McLeod, Laura Laamanen, Edna Synth, Aubrey Everett.  
Room 9—C. M. Dodd, teacher—Sr. Pr. Jr. I—Fred Milne, Ahti Kattalaska, Herman Sanford, Adolph Solomone, Wilma Hawse, Irene Peacock, Kathleen Burke, Muriel Stuart, Wallace Sargalls, Lillian Walkerhouse, Jack McCafferty.  
Room 10—E. Taylor, teacher—A Class—Anna Middleton, Eric Bull, Irene Ruotsala, Gladys Roy, Alma Cripps, Jean Hill, Walter Scott, Lloyd Solomone.  
B. Class—Marion Bahn, Ross McIntosh, Lily Snyder, Jean Smythe, Magnus Johnson, Tynne Kanga.  
Room 11—J. W. McKelvie, teacher—K.P.—Peter Harrower, Barbara Haystead, Ronald Taylor, Richard Stroud, Dolores Guitard, George Smith.

RESULTS OF THE MCINTYRE BOWLING FOR LAST WEEK  
In the McIntyre bowling last week, Morandin, Cooke and Ennis were the winners.  
A. Morandin was high bowler for the week with 317 single and 823 total.  
Angrignon ..... 836 ..... 892 ..... 1050 ..... 2778  
Morandin ..... 1103 ..... 947 ..... 1074 ..... 3124  
Four points for Morandin team.  
Weber ..... 797 ..... 842 ..... 877 ..... 2516  
Cooke ..... 1124 ..... 914 ..... 942 ..... 2980  
Four points for Cooke's team.  
Arnot ..... 856 ..... 1067 ..... 859 ..... 2782  
Innes ..... 965 ..... 1053 ..... 986 ..... 3004  
Three points for Innes' team.

On Wednesday, Dec. 16th, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald and son, Allison, left by the noon train for Toronto and Montreal, intending to spend a few days in these cities before leaving for Campbellton, N.B., where they will spend the Christmas season with relatives before leaving for the U.S.A.

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### Bowling in McIntyre Mines Handicap Competition

Stratford's team, with handicap, registered 3186 and won the five geese donated by Canadian Industries Limited, and the special prize given by S. A. Wookey.

The previous high score was held by MacMillan's team, 2942.

Last week's bowling was as follows: Mackay team with handicap rolled 2580 Clarke team with handicap rolled 2774 Hamilton team with handicap

rolled	2916
Samplers team with handicap	
rolled	2731
Engineers team with handicap	
rolled	2836
Stratford team with handicap	
rolled	3186

The winners—Stevenson, Berker, Goldthorpe, Fogolini and Stratford.  
The services in St. Matthew's church on Christmas Day will be as follows:—8.30 a.m., Holy Communion; 11.00 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. The anthem will be, "Unto Us is Born This Day a Saviour."

A Merry Christmas To All

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