

Downpourings of Rain Stop Progress of Forest Fires

Some Excitement in Moneta over Bush Fires on Saturday, but Authorities Say There was No Danger. Fires at Hoyle and Elsewhere in District. Rain Completes Rout of Bush Fires in Rouyn and Other Areas in the North.

Last week bush fires were reported from all over the North, the unusually long spell of dry weather being responsible for the conditions that made the bush fires so much of a menace. The latter part of last week and this week, however, heavy rains came and the progress of the fires has been checked. At the time of writing it may be said that all the many fires are under control and there is now no immediate danger.

The two areas where the greatest danger existed last week was in the Rouyn and Sudbury districts. At Rouyn and Noranda adjacent bush fires were reported as particularly menacing, though some of the stories, both published ones and those carried by word of mouth, were much exaggerated. At the same time both Rouyn and Noranda were at times in danger and precautions were taken by both municipal and provincial authorities to guard the public safety. According to word from Rouyn this week Mayor Reilly of that town had a number of C.N.R. freight cars held at Rouyn so that in case of serious danger the people would be able to get to safety. The dense smoke that was blown upon Noranda and Rouyn caused inconvenience and some alarm, but for the most part the people took the danger very quietly and without any unnecessary anxiety. A week or so ago bush fires that seemed to have considerable force behind them leapt across Kekeski lake at three different points and as one despatch phrased it, "threatened to wipe out all vestige of civilization in the district." A number of settlers in some of the townships of Northwestern Quebec fled to escape the oncoming fires. On Monday night, however, a downpour of rain, followed by more on Tuesday and Wednesday dampened down the fires, which now may be said to be well under control and removed from the menace class. Many settlers have returned to the homes from which they fled. There were large forces of men engaged in fighting the fires in the Rouyn area, and these did excellent work, and with the welcome rains to help, have removed practically all danger.

In the Sudbury district, the good work of the fire rangers, together with the large numbers of special men fighting the fires have brought the Sudbury bush fires under control.

In North Cochrane a large number of individual fires have been reported but none of them have attained dangerous proportions, according to the reports. With the help of the heavy rains and the able work of the fire rangers they may be said to be well cured now.

In the Boston Creek area there were serious fires last week but the heavy rains of this week have made it possible to avoid further serious danger from the fires in that district. Here

again the stories told were in many cases exaggerated and the damage done was much less than suggested by the reports.

During the week-end the fires in the Hoyle district appeared very dangerous. On Sunday two houses along the road between Porquus Junction and the Porcupine were in danger from the creeping bush fires. The fires crept up to within a few yards of the houses, but the homesteaders with the aid of neighbours and friends and the assistance of the fire-rangers staff, were able to save their homes. The heavy rains this week completed the work of removing the danger.

On Saturday bush fires west of the town were looked upon by many as a serious menace here. Many in Moneta and other parts of the western edge of the town were alarmed by the approach of the bush fires and there was some excitement. Several were seen burying valuables with a view to being ready to make hasty departure if the fires reached the town. Others packed up goods that they thought would be of immediate need and were ready to make hasty departure. The authorities, however, did not think there was any danger. Fire Chief Borland kept in very close touch with the situation, and on Saturday he had Deputy Chief E. H. Hill at the west of the town to make expert survey of conditions. It was considered there was no cause for alarm or anxiety. However, more to satisfy some who were alarmed than for other reasons, lines of hose were laid at the west of the town. There were reports sent in to the fire hall that the fire was right up to oil tanks, that it was actually in the back yard of this or that resident of the western or southern corners of the town. These reports were found to be unfounded, however, the fire not coming near these places. Fire Chief Borland says that at no time was there serious danger. He had to be prepared to look after any fires that might occur in the town in the ordinary way and so could not consider putting any large part of the equipment in the outlying sections of the town as some seemed to desire. The situation, however, was thoroughly covered and at no time did he feel there was any reason for anxiety or any real danger. The heavy rains this week completed the safeguarding of the town from any danger. The dense smoke drifting over parts of the town made the anxiety of the people in some sections very easy to understand. With the smoke and the danger that seemed to arise from the chance of flying embers there was every justification for the precautions that were taken. The heavy rains, however, have now made any further notice unnecessary of the fires.

History and Art of Dentistry Detailed

Kiwanis Hear Excellent Address: by Dr. S. L. Honey with Illustrations Given. Rabbi Schwartz to be Speaker Next Monday.

Kiwanian W. Rinn introduced the speaker for the day at the Timmins Kiwanis Club luncheon at the Empire hotel on Monday. Kiwanian Dr. S. L. Honey was the speaker and he gave a very effective and interesting address on "The Past, Present and Future of Dentistry." Dr. Honey had many of the articles of his office equipment with him and he gave actual demonstrations of how certain lines of work were done, this part of the address being of unusual interest to the gathering. In reviewing the past of dentistry Dr. Honey noted that the work of restoration of teeth, popularly known as "filling," was traceable to the time of the early Egyptians who used it, though of course, remarkable progress had been made in the science of restoration since those early days. Dr. Honey touched on the achievements of present-day dentistry and expressed the belief that further advances in the future would make this science of still greater benefit and value to mankind, the effect on general health, appearance and comfort of dental work being implied.

The visitors for the day were A. F. Butter, of Toronto, a former Winnipeg Kiwanian, and Mr. Lefcoe, of Toronto, introduced by Kiwanian S. Bucovetsky. Announcement was made that the guest-speaker for next Monday, June 27th, would be Rabbi Jesse Schwartz, the noted speaker and educator, who would be in Timmins in connection with the Zionist movement. His address will be looked forward to with much interest.

Mrs. F. Stoughton, Mrs. H. Sweetman, Miss M. McGrath, Mrs. A. M. Reid and Mrs. C. E. Ellis, of Kapuskasing motor-ed to Timmins last week.

CORNISH SOCIAL CLUB TO GIVE DANCE ON SATURDAY

A dance is to be given on Saturday of this week, June 25th, in the Hollinger Recreation hall, under the auspices of the Cornish Social Club. There will be good music and a general good time for all attending. Cornish Social Club events are always pleasant and successful.

Horse Shoe Pitching Club Away to Good Start Here

The Timmins Horse Shoe Pitching Club got off to a good start last week with a match with four old-timers of the camp who are also noted old Cobalt quoits players. Without going in to details, it may be said that it took three games to decide the issue and darkness was coming as the play concluded. The losers have had a number of challenges thrown at them but are reserving these until after they have another try at the winners whom they think can be beaten next time.

There are quite a number of good horse shoe pitchers joining the club and all others are cordially invited to get into the game. Interest seems to be very keen. There were a large number of spectators at the match last week. Games and practices are being held on the athletic grounds. There are two pitches ready now and if the number of members warrants it there is room to make more, thanks to the president of the grounds committee, Chief Borland, who promises to try the same himself. It is hoped and expected to get challenges from the Dome and South Porcupine. The president of the Horse Shoe Pitching Club is J. H. Skelly, while W. Wilkinson, Box 2332, is the secretary. Any wishing to join the new club should come over to the grounds and sign up with the president or secretary. Membership is only one dollar and an enthusiast at the game can get many times the value of that in good sport and fun. Readers are advised to watch The Advance for announcements of tournaments, etc.

McIntyre Expected to Enter Lacrosse League

Porcupine District Box Lacrosse clubs are showing improvement in speedy way and interest continues to increase in this sport. Dome Mines and Timmins have played two games which thrilled the spectators. It is expected that the McIntyre Mine will enter a club in the grouping and this will certainly add to the interest. As soon as the McIntyre are organized, a schedule will be drawn up. All games here will be played in the skating rink.

No Trace Secured of Eugenio Viale

Has Been Missing from Here for Over Twelve Days. Had Not Been in Best of Health. No Other Reason for His Disappearance.

During the past week no further trace has been secured of Eugenio Viale, who disappeared from his boarding house at 258 Cedar street, south, on the morning of June 11th. He was seen in the afternoon of that day in the vicinity of Gillies Lake, but no further trace can be found of him, though the municipal and provincial police have conducted a very careful search and enquiry. He left on June 11th, apparently for his work at the Hollinger, but did not go to work and has not returned since or sent any word. There is no known reason why he should voluntarily disappear and he was not known to have a single enemy. He had money in the bank, had a position, and no troubles of any kind, and was generally popular and respected. For some weeks previous to his disappearance he had not seemed in the best of health and this fact is now causing alarm to his friends. His wife and two children are in Italy. Eugenio Viale is of fair complexion, 5 ft. 10 inches tall, about 33 years of age, quiet, sober and industrious. Anyone who can give any information as to his whereabouts should communicate at once with Chief Jones, of Timmins, and thus relieve the anxiety of the missing man's friends here.

Members of Legion Hear Fine Address

Col. W. H. Scarth, Provincial Secretary, Pleases Large Crowd with Able Address on Legion Matters on Monday Night.

There was a very large attendance at the final meeting of the season of the Timmins Branch 88, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. The chief item of interest was the address by Col. W. H. Scarth, provincial secretary of the Ontario Command. In introducing the speaker, President Austin Neame, said it was an honour for the branch to be able to hear Col. Scarth, who was only here recuperating his health, and not in any way an official business.

Col. Scarth, dealt with Legion matters in very effective manner. He stated that the Canadian Legion members should be very proud of the fact that they were also members of the British Empire Service League, an organization with over a million members and five thousand branches. While on this topic he touched upon the various organizations formed at the close of the war, and how they had not attained their objective. The late Earl Haig had the right idea when he formed the British Legion, thence spreading out to embrace the whole of the Empire. Col. Scarth said that except for one or two ex-service men's organizations, all are now under the one banner, truly a remarkable example of leadership. Many other topics were touched upon at length. In regard to pension legislation, he stated that the returned soldier had only the Canadian Legion to thank for this splendid piece of legislation. The fight was still on and they were still pressing for justice in certain cases. Touching on politics, Col. Scarth said that to affiliate with any one party meant immediate dissolution, and after a few remarks, closed by saying "Legionnaires, hands off politics." Space does not permit of a fuller account of this address, but the Legion Letter in next week's Advance will carry a full account of the other principal points touched upon. The address was listened to very attentively and Comrade E. Rowe, moved a hearty vote of thanks, which was carried with musical honours.

Much business was carried though this including the completion of plans for the drumhead service on Sunday, June 26th, the parade to meet at 2:00 p.m. at the Oddfellows' hall.

The District Zone 21 picnic will be held on Sunday, August 7th, not July 3rd, as previously announced.

A vote of thanks was also passed to Comrade H. Winks, pension adjuster, for his good work here recently.

A social hour brought a very fine meeting to a close.

Born—in Timmins, Ont., on Wednesday, June 15th, 1932, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacPherson, 7 Maple street, north—a daughter (Lola Catherine).

Principal Demoted



A review of evidence of "unsatisfactory conditions" in Knox Presbyterian College, Toronto, caused the demoting of two officials involved in the controversy. The Presbyterian General Assembly demoted Principal Thomas Eakin (above) and retired Prof. E. Lloyd Morrow.

Golf Tournament at Timmins, Aug. 4 to 6

Northern Ontario Golf Association Arranges for Big Annual Event on Saturday at Meeting Here.

The annual tournament of the Northern Ontario Golf Association will be held at Timmins on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 4th, 5th and 6th. This was decided at the meeting of the Northern Ontario Golf Association executive held at Timmins golf clubhouse on Saturday last, June 18th, at 2 p.m. At the annual meeting Timmins had been selected as the place of the tournament, the dates being formally chosen on Saturday.

At Saturday's meeting there were present—John Knox, representing North Bay club; D. Sutherland, representing Halleybury; A. R. Armstrong, representing Iroquois Falls; and S. R. McCoy, representing Timmins.

In the absence of A. F. Brigham, the president, John Knox was appointed chairman and W. L. Hogarth, the secretary, acted as secretary for the meeting.

After the secretary had read the notice calling the meeting and intimated that it had been duly mailed each club in the association, the minutes of the annual meeting held in Halleybury on August 5th, 1931, were read and upon motion duly adopted.

On motion of S. R. McCoy, seconded by A. R. Armstrong, the tournament this year will be held on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 4th, 5th and 6th.

On motion of D. Sutherland, seconded by A. R. Armstrong, the following committee was appointed to inspect the golf course at Timmins on Saturday, July 23rd, 1932:—G. W. Lee, North Bay, chairman; D. H. Millar, Halleybury; J. W. Kearns, New Liskeard; W. S. Kirkland Lake; A. G. Irving, Timmins; G. Hammel, Iroquois Falls; R. T. Smith, Idylwyld; R. W. Stone, Chapleau. Should any of the members appointed not be able to attend, his club shall have power to nominate an alternative.

Assassin's Wife



MME. GOURGULOFF
Wife of Dr. Paul Gourguloff, Russian assassin of President Paul Doumer of France, is shown as she was escorted into police headquarters at Paris after her arrest in Monte Carlo. She was questioned concerning the activities of her husband, who will shortly be brought to trial for the President's murder.

Snappy Lacrosse Game Last Night Proves Tie

The lacrosse fans had an enjoyable time last night at the match here between the Dome and Timmins. Despite the rain and everything else there was a good crowd out for the match and they all were delighted with the pep and vim in the battle. It was swift but clean and met with general favour. After three fifteen-minute periods the match resulted in a draw, 3 all. Games like this will further popularize lacrosse in this section of the country.

Recover Boy's Body Near Scene of Death

Douglas Armbrust Drowned on January 24th in Attempting to Help Friend. Body Found on June 19th Near Scene of Accident.

The body of Douglas Armbrust was recovered from the river at Sandy Falls on Sunday evening at 6 p.m. Douglas the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Elstone Armbrust, of Sandy Falls, lost his life near Sandy Falls on Jan. 24th when he attempted to help one of his young friends, Douglas Armbrust, Jack Taylor, and Albert Cavaney were playing together at the river when Albert Cavaney fell in the water. Douglas went to his friend's assistance, but sadly enough the young hero lost his life in his effort to help his friend. Albert Cavaney after a trying experience when for some time he kept himself afloat by clinging to the ice, eventually was rescued, but Douglas was lost beneath the ice. Search was made at the time in the hopes of recovering the body of the lad, who was only twelve years old at the time of his death, but all means of locating the body were unavailing. On Sunday last, June 19th, however, the body was found in the river about a mile from the place he went in. The recovery of the body was made about 6 p.m.

The funeral was held at St. Catharines, to which place the body was taken for interment in the family plot. The late Douglas Armbrust was a bright boy with many high qualities and he was very popular and highly regarded by all who knew him. There will be very sympathy with the family at this time just as there was five months ago when the unfortunate accident occurred.

Seized With Cramps and Drowns in River

Many Mourn Death of Warren Warrick in Mattagami Saturday. Funeral Largely Attended with Cornish and Legion Honours.

A sad drowning accident occurred at the Mattagami river here on Saturday when Warren Warrick met his death. He had been enjoying a swim in the river when he was seized with cramps, and despite efforts to rescue him he perished in the waters. Constable Paul succeeded in reaching the drowning man and got him to the surface but was unable to hold him and the body was carried away. The drowning accident occurred about 2 p.m. and though diligent search was made for the body it was a couple of hours or more before it was recovered from the waters.

The late Warren Warrick was a native of Cornwall, England, and had been in Timmins for several months, stopping here with his cousin, Mrs. H. J. MacPherson. He was well known and very popular and much respected and his untimely death is a shock to all. In addition to his cousin, Mrs. MacPherson, who lives at 88 Tamarack street, he has a sister in Detroit and another sister in Manitoba. His father and mother live in Cornwall, England.

The late Warren Warrick was a member of Timmins Branch No. 88 Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. He had served during the war in the Royal Navy, being in the Battle of Jutland among other engagements. At the time of death he was about 35 years of age. He was unmarried.

The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, June 22nd, from Lee's Undertaking parlours in the Timmins cemetery and was with Cornish and Legion honours. The funeral was very largely attended and there was a profusion of beautiful flowers. Rev. Bruce Millar, of the United Church, conducted the funeral services. The Cornish sang their hymns at the service and at the graveside. At the grave the "Last Post" and "Reveille" were sounded by Legion Bugler P. Cherry, and the Legion members dropped poppies in the grave in memory of their dead comrade. Among the floral tokens was a beautiful wreath from the Legion, with other floral tributes from the Cornish and other friends. There was an unusually large number of ex-service-men present at the funeral. He was among friends in death as he had been in life, and from Timmins, Ontario, goes deepest sympathy to his bereaved relatives and friends.

George Gagne, 126 Main avenue, was arrested this week on a charge of incest and was remanded for a week. He will come before Magistrate Atkinson for hearing on this serious charge on Tuesday next.

Notable Celebration Here of St. Jean Baptiste Day

Large and Attractive Procession with Floats Illustrating Early History of Canada. Big Crowd at Sports Event. Music and Addresses in the Evening. Distinguished Speakers.

Wednesday of this week the French-Canadian Club at Timmins celebrated St. Jean Baptiste Day and the occasion was a notable one. The event started with a procession from St. Anthony's church and parish hall, there being a long line of beautifully decorated floats and autos followed by members of the club and other Canadians. The floats depicted scenes and events from the early history of Canada, picturing among others the heroic missionary, Rev. Fr. Dollard. There was a float in honour of St. Jean Baptiste. All the floats were particularly attractive and were designed with usual cleverness and artistic skill. The first prize for floats went to the St. Jean Baptiste float, designed and entered by Mrs. C. Desautniers and Mrs. A. Gagne. The second prize was awarded to the float representing the "First Settler and His Cabin." This float was entered by Concellor A. Caron, and it attracted much attention and approval. Other floats also were pleasing and attractive. The decorated car prize was won by Hurlbise Livery, with an entry in which white and flowers pre-

dominated. From the parish hall the procession proceeded down Third avenue to the western section of the town and then back to the athletic grounds where there was a big programme of sports for the day. At the grounds, O. Sauve, president of the Canadian Club, presented J. A. Bradette, M.P., and Dr. Hurlbise, M.P.P., these two able gentlemen giving brief but appropriate addresses.

In the evening the celebration was continued by music and addresses in the parish hall. A lecture by Senator LeCasse, of Tecumseh, Ont., on the ideal Canadian citizenship was a feature of the evening. There were also brief addresses by His Lordship Bishop Rheame, Dr. Hurlbise, M.P., Rev. Fr. Theriault and others. The evening event concluded by the singing of "O Canada." There was a large attendance in the evening, and there was for the afternoon event, and all concerned are to be congratulated on the remarkable success of the big celebration of St. Jean Baptiste Day here.

Mrs. Teare Passes Away at Age of Seventy-two

Wide circles of friends will regret to learn of the death on Sunday, June 19th, of Mrs. Emily Teare, mother of Mrs. Alfred Kelly, 59 Preston street, south. Mrs. Teare, who had resided with her daughter, Mrs. Kelly, for a number of years, had many friends and acquaintances in town and district. At the time of death she was 72 years of age. The funeral was held on Wednesday, June 22nd, interment being made in the Timmins cemetery.

Rabbi J. Schwartz Coming to Timmins

Eminent Speaker and Educator Will Address Local Jewry. Will also be Guest-Speaker at Kiwanis Club on Monday.

A telegram has been received by S. Bucovetsky, local president of the Zionists, to the effect that Rabbi Jesse Schwartz, executive director of the Zionists Organizations of Canada, will visit Timmins in behalf of the "United Palestine Appeal and its Greater Reconstruction Project."

A mass meeting of all Jews of Timmins and district is called for Sunday evening at the Hebrew Synagogue to welcome the distinguished guest.

Rabbi Schwartz is also to be the guest-speaker at the weekly luncheon of the Timmins Kiwanis Club on Monday at the Empire hotel, and particularly in view of the remarkably able address given last year by Dr. James Waterman Wise, local Kiwanis are looking forward to the address by Rabbi Schwartz as sure to be of special interest and inspiration.

Drumhead Service on Sunday, June 26

All Cordially Invited to Take Part in Sunday Afternoon Event Under Auspices of the Canadian Legion.

Last year the Drumhead Service held under the auspices of the Canadian Legion, Timmins branch, was a notable event. This year it is hoped to have still larger attendance and interest.

The Drumhead Service this year will be held on Sunday, June 26th. Members of the Legion, patriotic societies, and the citizens generally are asked to assemble at the Oddfellows' hall, to leave there at 2 p.m. and march to the ball grounds for the service. All patriotic organizations are specially urged to take part in the march and the service.

The Timmins Citizens' Band and the Legion Bugle Band will be in attendance for the occasion.

There will be addresses and prayers by the local clergy.

All loyal citizens, returned soldiers and sailors, etc., are cordially invited to march with the Legion and attend the Drumhead Service on Sunday.

SALE OF HOME-BAKING ON SATURDAY OF THIS WEEK

Saturday of this week there will be a sale of home-baking at Miss Sinclair's, 21 Fourth avenue. The event is under the auspices of the L.O.B.A., which is full assurance that it will be well worth patronage.

A general meeting is to be held by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion on Monday, June 27th, at 7:30 sharp, in the Oddfellows' hall.

Traffic Delayed by Accident on Road

Many Cars Lined up on Road from McIntyre Hill on Sunday Evening. Traffic Tied up for 25 Minutes.

Traffic on the highway in the vicinity of the McIntyre hill was tied up for about twenty-five minutes on Sunday evening by an accident that occurred when two cars collided. No one was hurt in the accident and though the cars were both somewhat damaged, the injury done was not as serious as the delay to the traffic would suggest. The accident occurred about 10:20 p.m. Sunday evening. Alec Susner was driving to Schunacher, while M. J. Cox, of Hollinger Lane, was going west to Timmins. They crashed on the McIntyre hill, just about opposite where the mine plant used to stand. Each blamed the other for the accident. Mr. Cox said that Susner's car ran into his, while Mr. Susner laid the blame for the accident on Mr. Cox, who he said had attempted to pass a bus on the road. The left front wheel of Cox's car was broken, while the left front fender of Susner's car was badly damaged. The police were soon on the scene and one man was taken to the station for questioning but no charge laid as there was no direct evidence to show which car was at fault. The accident created considerable notice, chiefly, no doubt, by the fact that traffic both ways was held up for 25 minutes, there being a long line of cars at each end of the hill.

Annual Dome Mines Field Day, July 1st

Notable Programme of Sports at Dome Athletic Grounds on Friday, July 1st, for Dome Employees and Their Families.

The annual Dome Mines field day with a notable programme of sports for Dome Mines employees and their families will be held this year on the Dome athletic field on Friday, July 1st.

There will be free ice cream cones and circus lemonade to Dome employees and their families, as well as an interesting array of all sorts of sports.

The event is under the auspices of the Dome Mines Athletic Association executive committee.

There are races for boys and girls with first, second and third prizes in each event. Both for the boys and girls there are races for those under 16, under 13, under 11, under 9, and under 7. For the girls there is added—an egg and spoon race, three-legged race, sack race. For boys there is—boot race, wheelbarrow race, sack race. Jumping, high and broad and hop, skip and jump events for both boys and girls feature the programme.

Then there are tug-of-war events for both boys and girls.

Men's races, ladies' race, obstacle race, fat men's race, running broad jump, hop skip and jump, Italian bowling, standing broad jump, putting the shot, married women's race, single ladies' race, egg and spoon race, thread the needle race, fat women's race, nail-driving contest, women's sawing contest, are among the other features worthy of note.

Mrs. DeMille entertained a number of ladies at whist on Friday evening last, the event being very much enjoyed by all. It was followed by a very dainty lunch served by the hostess. The winners at cards were—Mrs. P. Whitford, first; Mrs. D. Hannah Schunacher, second.