

POWER COMPANY BOWLERS FIGHT FOR "ALMA MAMMA"

The C.N.P.C. Review, published monthly in the interests of the employees of the Canada Northern Power Corporation, in its current issue gives some space to bowling in Timmins. The C.N.P.C. Review starts out its reference with the words:—"According to The Porcupine Advance, there is considerable rivalry between four groups of bowlers residing in Timmins, among whom is an aggregation fighting for their Alma Mamma, as Andy

would say, the C.N.P.C. family. Apparently Lady Luck was not with them in the opening game, though they made a brave start." The C.N.P.C. Review then published in full the report of the game as given in The Advance, following this with the statement, "It looks as though the boys got their revenge the next week," and giving the report in The Advance to bear out this claim. The Power team has been doing fine, but it is hard to say what will happen now when Art Saint has that "Alma Mamma" gag to work on the boys to

ground the current of their thoughts and introduce his noisome and annoying brand of static into the progress of the matches. More power to the Power boys! And more power to Art and his cigar! So, everybody has more fun! North Bay Nugget:—With the American Tobacco Company planning to spend \$16,000,000 on advertising next year one gets the idea that even the makers of one of the most widely used articles in the world believes it pays to advertise.

Here's Remarkable News for the Troops

Cocktail Invented that Gives a Jag Without Swallowing. All the Feelings without a Headache or a Stomachache.

A local gentleman last week suggested that there is not a general feeling of optimism in the country as remarked by one public man. That, of course, was before the report of the discovery from Paris. This remarkable discovery at Paris is the invention of a "gargle cocktail," heralded as science's latest contribution to mankind.

What does the invention mean? It means all the glories of the ordinary cocktail, with no possible ill-effects. In other words you have the feeling without the bad taste. Not a hicough in a hundred glasses. No longer will a drinker need a cast-iron stomach. The new drink is guaranteed to be easy on the most delicate stomach lining. At last it is going to be possible to reach that goal of all good drinkers—to get drunk without getting full.

Like all great discoveries, however, it will not be universally popular after all. The man with a long neck will no longer feel he has an advantage over his short-necked fellows. There is no swallowing about the new stuff at all. It is a sort of inhalation. Perhaps, the Paris doctor worked on the principle implied in those frequent cases when men claim to have become intoxicated just from the breath of a regular stewed prune.

The cables last week from Paris France, (that Paris famous for its absinthe, not the one noted for its alabastine) say that science, in the person of Dr. Leon Meunier, announced that it is not necessary for a person to swallow liquor to get a "kick." It is sufficient Dr. Meunier says to inhale the perfumes of liquors and to roll a small quantity around the tongue without swallowing it. The glands will be excited and exhilaration will follow, he declared. As an added convenience, such practice will eliminate headaches.

Dr. Meunier prescribes a "gargle-cocktail" which is guaranteed to bring intoxication without swallowing. It consists of 20 grams of absinthe, 20 grams of sugar syrup, two grams of anisette, six grams of angostura bitters, ten grams of crushed ice, shake and serve with seltzer water.

Of course, there is the danger that the new way of drinking may have some of the wider disadvantages involved in other modern labour-saving machinery. It is the belief of many that in this machine age inventions have been largely responsible for unemployment and depression. It would be too bad if this new invention, by throwing earnest fellows out of their regular work and leaving them no place to go and nothing to do would further disorganize conditions. Perhaps, it might be well to try the new scheme out on the Soviet principle of a five-day week, with the right to go back to the old style on the holidays. Or, how about adopting it on the famous five-year plan—try it for five years, praise it regardless of five years, and then spend another five years trying to get away from it. Under such a five-year plan old-style drinking could be gradually resumed under the name of the "cocktail gargle." In the meantime, however, it would be well not to lightly throw away what men have fought and died to assume—the right to have a drink the way they like it at the time they need it. A sensible man doesn't give away even his dress suit to a tramp until he has a new one to put on. It is admitted that Dr. Meunier has implied a mouthful, but there is always the chance that the stomach may have something to say. The most of people will preserve an open mind—and an open mouth—on this "gargle cocktail" matter. In the meantime a merry Christmas to everybody!

NATURALLY NO PREMIUM ON UNITED STATES GOLD

A United States citizen in Vancouver, B.C., last week rather over-reached himself in his desire to obtain a premium on United States money. He presented some United States bills, some silver dollars and several \$5.00 United States pieces at a Vancouver bank. He got nineteen cents premium on the dollar for his bills. Great! There was a premium of eight cents on the dollar for the silver he had. Not so good! But the bank would give him nothing on his gold pieces except the face value. No doubt the bank told him that intrinsically the Canadian dollar was as good or better than the United States dollar, but that through improper pressure the United States had been able to force a false difference between the currency of the two countries. As this had now been turned really to the advantage of Canada, the people of this country were not objecting, but they were not standing for anything like paying a premium on gold pieces. Gold was gold wherever found and Canada's gold was, if anything, superior to United States gold. Indeed, the paying teller may have told that United States gentleman that the chances were that the gold pieces were made from Canadian gold.

The United States gentleman continued to protest against the discrimination he thought he saw against United States gold in favour of paper money of the same nation. But the bankers explained:—"Your gold pieces are worth no more to us than Canadian gold pieces of the same face value. We will give \$5 in Canadian bills for a \$5 Canadian gold piece, and we can give no more for an American gold piece of the same amount."

"But I thought you were paying a premium on gold?" "On raw gold from the mines," replied the banker. "And, by the way," added the banker, "you will have to leave the gold here now, because it is illegal to take gold out of Canada without a Government license."

Bowling Last Week on McIntyre Alleys

Cameron, McMillan and Proulx were the winners. Cameron had High Single and High Cross Alley.

At the bowling on the McIntyre alleys last week, Cameron, McMillan and Proulx were the winners. Cameron won three points from Barron. McMillan took all four points from Jenkins, and Proulx won four points from Morandin.

Cameron registered high single, 296, and high cross alley, 771.

BARRON			
Kidd	139	184	255
Stevenson	186	182	368
Dummy			160
Marshall	125	151	160
Adamson	125	192	101
Barron	215	226	176

CAMERON			
Boutet	256	167	176
Ferguson	182	218	221
McDonald	207	172	160
Dummy	125		125
Fitzjohn		122	183
Cameron	222	253	296

JENKINS			
Staples	200	163	146
McLean	157	112	209
McFarlane	181	215	184
McNeil	185	145	209
Jenkins	136	175	242

MORANDIN			
Staples	859	810	990
McMillan	124	176	167
Tom	201	187	217
Goidy	117		117
Hall		170	238
Hannigan	185	185	217
McMillan	262	186	195

PROULX			
Marchiro	135	171	225
Phillips	236	182	184
Nicholson	148		148
Suebert		173	175
Langle	218	231	194
Proulx	227	243	291

MORANDIN			
Duxfield	182	152	181
Findley	164	192	193
Tennysen	143	178	108
Gibson	127	156	144
Morandin	175	175	129

Proulx, 4 points.			
Marchiro	964	1000	1069
Proulx	964	1000	1069

Another help given to the north by the T. & N. O.

In an editorial note last week The Sun, of Milverton, Ont., says:—"Settlers in Northern Ontario are being given employment by the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission by providing for the making of 150,000 railway ties for which the sum of \$125,000 has been appropriated. The T. & N. O. Railway, while not paying interest on original investment, is still the best paying railway in Canada in that during the last year it earned

Christmas Sailings To the Old Country

Spend this Christmas in the Homeland among old familiar scenes... a real Old Country Christmas among the home folk.

LOW ROUND TRIP FARES
CABIN • TOURIST • THIRD

Dec. 15 SAINT JOHN—HALIFAX
15 DUCHESS OF ATHOLL

Full information from your local agent or R. Y. Danlaud, District Passenger Agent, C.F.R., North Bay, Ont.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

\$400,000 over operating expenses. In endeavouring to keep its roadbed in condition the settlers of the area will profit." There were 6,900 names on the voters' list at North Bay this week, as against around 5,000 on the Timmins list.

Grand Dance

Opening of the CROATIAN NATIONAL HALL Schumacher, Ont.

ON SATURDAY, DEC. 17

Dancing from 8.30 p.m. Lunch Served
Sullivan—Ormston and the Merrymakers Orchestra

Tickets, \$2.00, including tax

ALL INVITED ALL COME
A GOOD TIME IS SURE FOR ALL

Only 15 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

Women complain that one of the most worrying of Christmas problems is the selection of a suitable gift for "him"

Below are given a few suggestions from a stock this is new, fresh and carefully chosen.

Shirts

He can always use a new shirt. From our Christmas display of carefully selected colours and patterns, you can choose one or more for him that is sure to please. Guaranteed unshrinkable.....\$1.95, \$2.50 and \$3.50

Also in a very nice quality silk at.....\$4.75 and \$5.00

All in Christmas Boxes



Ties

He will be pleased with a new tie, especially if chosen from the new and very complete range we are showing. Neatly boxed50c to \$1.75


Socks

The normal man is continually in need of new socks. We have the finest assortment we have ever shown in various weights of wool, and silk. Boxed for Christmas50c., 75c., \$1.00




DRESSING GOWNS

A lasting gift that assures the wearer of years of comfort and warmth. Our showing includes Beacon cloths, wool flannels, and a very fine range of silks in handsome but conservative designs. You can't go wrong with these. Priced from \$8.00 to \$23.00 for Men Boys at \$2.95 and \$3.50



Scarfs

Scarfs are smart this year. In wool mixtures and silk. Whites for evening wear, and a splendid variety of colours. Attractively boxed98c to \$3.50

Handkerchifs

Of good quality are an ever present need and a never failing indication of good dressing.

Pure linen, 3 in a box with embroidered initial, per box.....\$1.25

Fancy Handkerchiefs, 3 to a box, per box.....75c

Plain Hemstitched, pure linen, 3 to a package, per package.....50c

Smart Silk Handkerchiefs75c to \$1.00



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Rolls Razors Nickel Plated\$6.95
Silver Plated\$8.95

Watches 15-jewel Gentlemen's or Ladies' Wrist Watches, regular \$14.50 for\$8.95
Jump Watches, 15-jewels.....\$11.95

Compacts All the Latest Models, single or double, from.....50c to \$14.50

CHOCOLATES—Smiles 'n Chuckles, lb. boxes50c

Drug Specials for the Week-End

Phillips' Milk Magnesia	33c	Jasmine Face Powder	\$1.00
Squibbs' Tooth Paste	22c	Kepler's Malt and Cod Liver Oil	95c
Kruschen Salts	69c	Coty's Face Powder	59c
Nox-a-Pain Tablets	25c	Cuticura Soap	18c
Bath Salts, regular \$1.50	75c	Minard's Liniment	18c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste	28c	Kotex	25c
The Indian Herb Tonic	\$1.35		

NOX-ECZEMA OINTMENT—The greatest remedy for eczema, per jar.....\$1.00

PURE COD LIVER OIL, Norwegian—The purest and best, qt. bottle.....89c

PURE RUSSIAN OIL—The best and heaviest, qt. bottle89c

HOWARD'S STOMACH MEDICINE—Cures Indigestion

NOX-A-PAIN TABLETS—Nox all Pains25c