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The Sanitarium Sun for Christmas, 1932

Attractive and Interesting Christmas Number Issued by the Patients at the Muskoka Hospital for Consumptives, Gravenhurst, Ontario.

On different occasions The Advance has had occasion to refer to The Sanitarium Sun, "published monthly on a non-profit basis by the patients of the Muskoka Hospital for Consumptives, Gravenhurst, Ont." This original and interesting monthly never fails to attract attention and touch the heart of those who read it with understanding and appreciation of the courage underlying its success. All that might be said of ordinary issues applies with double force to the Christmas number for 1932. Well printed, artistically illustrated and tastefully arranged the number is of special interest because art work and all the articles are by patients at the sanitarium. The cover page is an original symbolic design appropriate to Christmas and illuminative to the season, the page being the clever work of Edith H. Middleton, the staff artist of The Sanitarium Sun.

Following, on the inside front page of the cover is a message of greetings and thanks. The greetings are for a merry Christmas and a healthy and prosperous new year to all from The Sun staff. The thanks are extended to the Toronto firm to whose skill the attractive number owed its mechanical perfection. "Second," says the message, thanks are due, "to those members of the staff and others who gave so graciously to the prize fund, thereby enlisting the splendid co-operation from many of the patients." "Third, to the contributing patients, all of whom, both winners and losers, worked hard with us in the endeavour to bring out a successful number. Also, we have in mind our doctors, business executives, nurses, and orderlies, who, in their several ways, minister to us day in and day out, but with particular selflessness at this festive time. Nor, do we forget our fellow patients, who, by their unflinching courage, inspire us to struggle on in the fight for health. And then, last, but by far from least, our outside friends who help us more than they ever imagine."

The contents of the Christmas number of The Sanitarium Sun are worthy of particular note. First, there is a Christmas editorial, in which it is shown that Christmas comes to the Sanitarium as elsewhere, and that neither health nor suffering can quench the spirit of true Christmas. A Christmas story, "Noel," by Betty Sydie, was the winner of first prize in its class in the competitions on which the issue is based. It is the story of a man who found his long-lost sister and the spirit of Christmas lost for many years to him. "Fire" is the story of the destruction by fire of the main building of the san and the reconstruction bigger and better than ever. Other stories and articles include:—"A Soft Clean Bed" by "Z"; "The Christmas Handicap," by B. G. Plunkett, with illustrations by Robt. Benson; "Christmas at Stuart's Mills," by Dima Robinson; "Miss Maria Pepps—Her Journal"; "Laennee and His Discovery," by Robt. H. Dart; "Nocturnal Phantasy," by Henri Caron, with illustrations by Michael Kruzelnoski; "Innovation," by Cleisthenes, (prize humour); "Initiation," by E. J. Winslow; "White Lies and Mistletoe," written and illustrated by James A. McLean; "The New North Wing"; "A Promising Future," by Michael Kruzelnoski; "Classical Allusions," a humorous compilation applied to patients and doctors.

The illustrations are many and of special interest. They include:—Staff doctors at work and play; Nurses' staff Oct. 1932; "Around the Sanitarium Camps"; "Here and There," pictures of patients and places at Muskoka. The Christmas number of The Sanitarium Sun is specially well represented in poetry and humour. The poems include:—"Christmas Bells," by Anna Smith; "Te Deum," by Basil Plunkett; "For Christmas," by K. Ariss; "Christmas in Muskoka," by E. J. Winslow; "A Verse to Santa Claus," by David Crisetti; "Change Your Mind," by Mabel Bogg; "From What Black Void," by Z.; "Don't Quit," by Bill McCue; and "Friends," by K. Ariss. The excellence of the poetry is worthy of special mention. "Christmas Bells," "Christmas in Muskoka," and "Friends" are particularly effective poetical efforts.

The humour and wit throughout the Christmas number add zest and interest. One of the doctors asks a lady patient if her heart flutters, and she begs him to come closer to see if it will. One of the best fellows of one of the nurses is quoted as saying, "I've made up my mind to stay home tonight." The nurse replies, "Well, I've made up my face to go out. Get your hat." The patient who wondered if she could do anything with her voice was advised that it might come in handy in case of fire. Another patient was sore at one of the doctors. "When I told him I had a tired feeling he asked to see my tongue." Another patient thinks he has India pyjamas, because they keep "creeping up on me." Readers are solemnly advised that one thing comes to a man who waits—whiskers! "Quiescent" is defined as between Christmas and New Year's. One doctor remarks that he notices by the papers that there are courses that teach married women how to spend money. "First thing we know," says the second doctor, "somebody will be teaching tuberculosis patients how to

MRS. DR. ROSS BEREAVED BY DEATH OF HER FATHER

The Kapuskasing Northern Tribune last week says:—"Mrs. (Dr.) A. C. Ross received telegraphic advice on Wednesday night of the death at Brantford of her father, W. S. Brewster. She left by an early train to be present at the obsequies. The late Mr. Brewster was a barrister, and sat for two terms in the Ontario Legislature as Conservative member for Brantford. He held directorates on many local industries at the time of his death, in his 73rd year. With the widow and Mrs. Ross, three other daughters and a son survive in the immediate family. A second son was killed overseas."

Death on December 27th of Ellen Kathleen Coombs

Very deep sympathy will go out to Mr. and Mrs. J. Coombs in the death on Tuesday of last week, Dec. 27th of their little daughter Ellen Kathleen, aged 14 months. She had been ill only three weeks when she passed away despite all that skill and care could do. The funeral took place on Wednesday, Dec. 28th, to the Church of the Nativity and from there to the Timmins cemetery.

There were many beautiful floral tributes, these including wreaths and sprays from:—Mother, Daddy, Brothers and Sister; Mr. and Mrs. McAleavey and Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Webber, 42 Laurier avenue; Mr. and Mrs. H. Cheynoweth; Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Willie; Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston and Magnus; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Parsons; Mr. and Mrs. Shaw and family.

All of which may be more or less explained by the sentence in the issue:—"One who ought to know has said that the Sanitarium's most pronounced trait is its sense of humour. There isn't any doubt about its sense of humour."

For this very creditable Christmas number special honour is due those in charge of The Sanitarium Sun:—Robt. H. Dart and Anna B. Smith, editors; Henri Caron, business manager; Edith H. Middleton, artist; Flora M. Laver, secretary; Michael Kruzelnoski, associate artist; and F. H. Warriner, Zetta Galbraith and Ida Angus, reporters.

After enjoying the Christmas issue of The Sanitarium Sun, the wish will be very sincere and very sympathetic for all at Muskoka to enjoy restored health and all happiness in 1933 and the years to come.

Ottawa Journal.—This depression is lasting so long it is beginning to look as if Eugene O'Neill wrote it.

Every Day Like Christmas to Canadians, He Says

(From Brampton Expositor) A European immigrant expressed his views on the preparations for Christmas, and the solicitude for the needy, with a cynical directness. We rebuked him. He turned and unburended his feelings to us.

What does Christmas and the feast mean to you people, he said. You have a feast every day—meat, butter, and white bread. Christmas in my country means something, not just a turkey and plum pudding. Every bit of the menu is a treat. When I look about and see your tables laden every day with an abundance of butter, sugar and meat, I feel sorry for my countrymen and am angry when I hear you people grumble. A few are out of work to be sure, but no one starves. Europe has many more thousands out of work and there is not enough food to go around. Do you wonder that I feel Christmas can mean little to you when every day you sit down to what in my eyes, is a feast. Christmas-time at home means meat, white bread and butter.

Hughes-Porcupine Area is Optioned by the Dome

A despatch last week from Toronto says:—"Indicating their continued interest in properties to the east of their present extensive holdings the Dome principals have optioned the Hughes-Porcupine claims on Porcupine Creek in Whitney Township.

The spectacular gold showings found in the course of development on the Hughes, as well as the favourable geological conditions have made these holdings an attractive plum in the eyes of local operating companies for some time, but with control in the hands of ultra conservative interests in the East, negotiations have been pending unsuccessfully for a long time. With any appreciable addition to the tonnage already in sight, the property should prove a most valuable asset to the Dome. The ore being susceptible to similar treatment, and assaying unusually high, it is altogether likely that shipments will be made direct to the Dome mill by truck or by rail while further investigation will be made of the ore bodies now only partially opened up.

"With an inevitable increase in reserves, and a possible step-up in average assays, the deal should, in the opinion of mining men familiar with the Porcupine area, prove of practical interest to Dome shareholders, and is generally regarded as a further compliment to the Fabian policy of the Dome management."

DEATH OF THOMAS HANLAN AT KASPUSKASING, DEC. 24TH

The death took place on Saturday, Dec. 24th, 1932, of Thos. Hanlan, father of L. H. Hanlan, superintendent of the Hearst Demonstration Farm. The late Mr. Hanlan was 73 years of age and had spent practically all of his life at Oxford Mills, Ont. He had gone to Kapuskasing about three weeks ago to spend his declining years with his son, but he was taken ill shortly after his arrival and had to be removed to the hospital where he passed away. L. H. Hanlan motored to Cochrane with the body so that the wish of his father to be buried at his old home at Oxford Mills might be carried out.

Another Pleasant Whist Drive Held on Dec. 30th

Another pleasant whist drive was held on Dec. 30th in the I.O.O.F. hall under the auspices of the L.O.L. 2552 and L.O.B.A. 877. All the six prizes awarded were poultry. The following were the prize winners:—Ladies, first, Mrs. H. Parnell; second, Mrs. J. T. Andrews; third, Mrs. H. Garner; men's first, R. Garner; second, Mrs. Fisher (playing as gentleman); third T. Longman.

New Addition to Plant Hopeful Sign for Year

Announcement was made at London, Ont., last week-end by officials of the Kellogg Company of Canadian Limited, of the construction of a new addition to their present plant. Plans have already been drawn up and approved and work on the new building started January first. The Pigott Construction Company, Hamilton, Ontario, are the contractors—local labour is to be employed. It is anticipated the plumbing, electrical, and heating contracts will be placed in London.

Work on the new unit, although originally planned for next spring, has been moved forward several months in order to give immediate employment this winter.

The new building, which will be 54 ft. x 100 ft., will house the machine shop, mechanical department, stores and restaurant. It will be of a pressed brick and its design will be in harmony with the other structures. Changes to be made in the present location will enable company to install new equipment, considerably increasing the manufacturing capacity.

New High Record in 1932 for Gold Mines

Ontario Leads Dominion. Quebec in Second Place. Big Gain over Production Figures for Previous Year.

Canadian gold production touched a new high record in 1932, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimating it at \$63,156,000. This represented an increase of 13 per cent. over 1931, 65 per cent. over 1927 and 142 per cent. increase over 1922 production.

The total value of Canada's mineral production was placed at \$182,701,000 as compared with \$228,029,000 in 1931. Gold was the only metal to record an increased production this year.

The following is a list of production values with 1931 totals in brackets: Gold, \$63,156,000 (\$55,687,600); silver, \$5,818,000 (\$6,141,900); nickel, \$6,987,000 (\$15,267,400); copper, \$14,746,000 (\$24,114,000); lead, \$5,420,000 (\$7,260,100); inc. \$4,112,000 (\$6,059,200). Coal production in 1932 amounted to 11,786,580 tons valued at \$37,441,000. The corresponding figures in 1931 were \$12,243,211 tons and \$41,207,600. Production of natural gas in 1932 was valued at \$8,873,000 and in 1931, \$9,026,700. Petroleum production this year was valued at \$2,891,000 compared with \$4,211,600 last year.

The following is a list of production values of non-metals with 1931 totals in brackets: Asbestos, \$2,897,000 (\$4,812,800); feldspar, \$71,000 (\$186,900); gypsum, \$1,178,000 (\$2,111,500); quartz, \$217,000 (\$303,100); salt, \$1,951,000 (\$1,904,100).

Production of clay products, such as cement and lime, totalled \$22,739,000 compared with \$44,158,200 in 1931. Cement production fell from 10,161,600 barrels to 4,555,200, reflecting the stagnation in the building trades.

3,955,100 Fine Ounces Gold production in 1932 totalled 3,955,100 fine ounces, compared with 2,693,800 ounces last year. Ontario stood first among the provinces, producing 2,280,442 ounces or 74 per cent. of Canada's total. Quebec was second with 411,247 ounces; British Columbia third with 202,351 ounces, followed by Manitoba, 119,379 ounces; the Yukon, 40,748 ounces; Nova Scotia, 914 ounces and Alberta, 87 ounces.

Firemen Doing All Sorts of Good Work These Days

With The Advance praising the Timmins firemen for making toys for children this Christmas, and The Northern News adding good words for the Kirkland Lake firemen for their fine success in reviving a baby whose life was despaired of, the firemen are getting some of the good words coming to them in this part of the North. To these good words it might be added that some credit is due the Timmins firemen for the service to humanity through the readiness of members of the brigade to offer themselves for blood transfusions. However, in all this talk about the valuable services of the firemen it should not be forgotten that their greatest service after all is the one receiving not too much publicity—the everyday work of fighting fires. In this work they risk their health and their lives practically every time they turn out. Surely, this is worthy of an occasional special thought!

In the meantime, however, The Northern News has more to say about the saving of life by the use of the inhalator by the firemen. In the "Roving Reporter's" column last week, The Northern News had the following:—"Some weeks ago a story in The Northern News told how the infant son of Councillor and Mrs. Max Kaplan had been saved from death by the use of the inhalator—and by the prompt arrival of firemen with this piece of valuable equipment from the fire hall. The babe, it was recalled, had apparently ceased to live before Dr. M. A. Shipley and Chief Jack Mathieson reached the Kaplan home, but it was quickly revived by the use of the inhalator and later was reported "doing fine." And now, from far Utica, N.Y., comes another item which shows that the inhalator proved its worth in another case that was somewhat similar. The babe, in this instance, however, was born as the result of a Caesarian operation. The item says: "A baby born after a Caesarian operation in St. Elizabeth's Hospital owed its life today to firemen and an inhalator machine. When the baby was born it failed to breathe. Doctors summoned firemen, who quickly brought the child to life by the use of the inhalator." In both cases it was clearly evident that the modern fireman of to-day knows his business. The promptness in which the two calls for help were answered, and the skillful way the firemen went about their business, revealed again the important part the modern fireman plays in the life of a community. In a sense, of course, it's all in a day's work to a fireman—this business of saving the lives of others. But it is a pretty fine thing to know that firemen can be depended upon to do the right thing at the right time. The fact that they are on guard night and day—looking after the affairs of other people—is something to be thankful for."

The Central Relief Committee at Kirkland Lake, made up of several church, lodge and women's organizations, and representing the people in general at Kirkland Lake, sent out 175 baskets of Christmas cheer to the needy in Kirkland Lake at Christmas time.

TIMMINS LODGE I.O.O.F. NO 459 Meets every Tuesday evening in the Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce Street, North. Visiting brethren requested to attend. S. LAWLEY H. M. MOORE, Noble Grand Box 1311 Rec. Sec. 14-26

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Cornish Social Club Meetings held in the Hollinger Recreation Hall two evenings a month. Dates will be announced in The Advance. Pres.—E. Stephens, Box 1104, Timmins Secy.—Treas.—J. G. Harris—Phone 772-w Box 428, Schumacher

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Premier Henry Sends New Year's Message to the North

Thanks the People of the North for the Way They Have Played the Game During the Trying Times of 1932. Asks the People to Give Even a Greater Measure of Co-operation and Support During 1933. Premier Believes that with all Working Together the Province will Emerge from the Depression and Proceed Forward to Prosperity and Contentment. "This is No Time for Playing Politics," Says Hon. Geo. S. Henry, Premier of Ontario.

On Friday morning last The Advance received the following New Year's message from Hon. Geo. S. Henry, premier of Ontario. In this message Premier Henry expresses thanks for the co-operation given by the people in meeting the trying days of the past year. As the premier points out, times are too serious for the playing of politics, and all good citizens should be concerned solely with doing all possible to minimize the evils of the day and assist the authorities in conquering present conditions and ushering in a brighter and better style of affairs generally.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 29th, 1932

To the Editor of The Advance, Timmins.

—May I through your news columns, be permitted to thank the people of your district for the way they have "played the game," under the most trying conditions of the past twelve months, and frankly, sincerely, to invite them on behalf of the government throughout the difficult year ahead of us, to an even greater measure of confidence and co-operation.

This is no time for playing politics. Governments are far too busy endeavouring to save the country to concern themselves with petty partisanship. Problems, unprecedented in magnitude and characteristics confront us in Ontario. With every citizen "pulling an oar" we should feel confident our ship of state will weather the difficult sea with which it is now contending.

Only through co-operation, not the co-operation of any political party in particular, but the patience and tolerance and "Fair Play" of all right-minded people, regardless of creed, whether they be urban dwellers or agriculturists, can our ship ride out the storms and be brought safely and securely into port again. While we cannot demand that co-operation, as the government at the helm, we can at least appeal, unreservedly and unashamedly, for this contribution from our people.

GEO. S. HENRY, Prime Minister of Ontario