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Memorial in Honour of Viscount Plumer

Donations for Memorial to Honour the Late Field Marshal May be Made in This District to Austin Neame, Timmins.

Bulletins from the Department of National Defence at Ottawa give details of the plans under way for the establishment of a memorial to the memory of Field Marshal Viscount Plumer. The memorial is to take the form of:

(a) Completion of the Warriors' Chapel at Westminster Abbey, where the body of Lord Plumer lies.

(b) The establishment of a scholarship at Eaton College, his old school; the holder of the scholarship to be a descendant of an officer of the British Army who died in action in the Ypres salient 1914-1918.

The committee in Great Britain who are sponsoring the proposal includes the Archbishop of Canterbury, General Harrington and Lt.-Gen. Pultenay. At the request of this committee General Sir Arthur Currie has consented to be the Canadian representative for the collection of funds. At his request Jackson Dodds, Esq., general manager of the Bank of Montreal, has consented to act as honorary treasurer.

Canadian troops served under Lord Plumer during the South African war and on several notable occasions during 1914 to 1918. It is therefore thought that many individuals of the Defence Forces of Canada would like to subscribe to the proposed memorial.

The collections are to be made by districts and forwarded by the District Officers Commanding direct to the honorary treasurer, Jackson Dodds, Esq., Honorary Treasurer Plumer Fund, Bank of Montreal Head Office, Montreal, Que.

A report is to be made to N.D.H.Q. regarding the amount forwarded and the numbers subscribing.

All services, both permanent and non-permanent should be given an opportunity to subscribe, the bulletin says. Any subscriptions offered by ex-service personnel should also be accepted and the fact of any of these subscribing should be notified to N.D.H.Q.

Subscriptions should be limited to the amounts per rank (or equivalent rank) as set forth in the following schedule: Colonels and above, \$100; Lt.-Cols. and Majors, 50c; Captains and subalterns, 25c; Serpts., W.O.'s, etc., 15c; other ranks, 10c.

It is anticipated that the subscription list will close on May 1st, 1933.

Officers of the Algonquin Regt. will assist in the accepting of donations for the fund in this district.

Austin Neame, past president of the Canadian Legion, and prominent for so many years in activities in connection with military matters and ex-servicemen will accept any donations from ex-servicemen for the Plumer Memorial Fund.

REFUSED RELIEF BECAUSE THEY WERE JUST MARRIED

A couple applied for relief last week at Sudbury but were refused any relief because they had been married only a month. The authorities said that there was no chance of relief being given to newly-married couples unless they had been wedded at least six months. Apparently, the authorities have the idea that a man who cannot support himself has no right to take on a wife, unless she can support him. It seems unreasonable that couples should act as if they ought to have all the ordinary comforts of home under relief as the regular mode of life. They seem to forget that being on relief is an abnormal condition with certain disadvantages and hardships. Stories of people going on the dole in the Old Country so as to be in condition to get married were considered as jokes some time ago, but it appears that people in this situation have not much humour for a joke, but take the matter in earnest and go ahead. It is one of the evil features of the whole direct relief system. For the sake of the morale of the people of Canada it seems necessary to sweep away completely the whole scheme of direct relief and adopt instead a broad plan of employment that will assist those who deserve it.

North Cobalt Girl Badly Burned in Chemistry Class

The Haileyburian last week says:—“Edna MacPherson, a North Cobalt girl attending the Haileybury high school, was painfully burned in the face by acid as the result of an unusual accident that occurred in the school laboratory last Thursday. Some pupils of the class were, under the direction of the teacher, performing the Babcock test for milk. This involves whirling bottles containing a mixture of milk and sulphuric acid at a high rate of speed. The machine used was a special enclosed safety model, but for some unknown cause, one bottle broke, and a fine spray of acid escaped between the cover and lower part of the machine. Miss MacPherson was leaning over just at the same instant to look at a watch used for timing the operation, and as a result her face was in line with the escaping fluid. She was given first aid by the teachers until the arrival of Dr. W. C. Arnold, who gave further treatment and took the victim home. Miss MacPherson has made satisfactory recovery from the burns and shock, and no permanent injury to face or eyes is anticipated.”



Another "Steal"

Governments Should Not Lose Faith in Country

There is some talk to the effect that the demonstration farm at New Liskeard is to be closed by the Department of Agriculture. It would seem that any such action would be a serious mistake. Economy may be needed—is needed—but that economy should not take the form of dropping valuable services that have been the patient growth of years and that are necessary for the development and progress of the country. It is likely that there are economies possible in the Dept. of Agriculture, but surely they do not lie with necessities as basic as the demonstration farm at New Liskeard. It serves a large territory and there is no doubt whatever that it has more than justified its cost both in the fact that it has proven that the North has remarkable agricultural possibilities, and also in the assistance it has given to settlers and others by way of demonstrating the possibilities of the country in farming way. The New Liskeard Speaker very naturally and very effectively makes protest against the idea of discontinuing the demonstration farm. In place of the suggested “economy” of closing the farm, The Speaker mentions the fact that the farm is too large and that part of it could well be leased with economy and advantage. The Speaker emphasizes the fact that the demonstration farm at New Liskeard has been a success and that it has played a very important part in the development of the North and also in attracting attention to the agricultural possibilities of this country. The Speaker thinks, and very rightly so, that with all the discussion of the “back-to-the-land” movement this is a most inopportune time to think about closing the demonstration farm at New Liskeard. “And what about the hundreds of families the Government has settled on Temiskaming farms during the past year?” asks The Speaker, and it is a very pertinent question! As The Speaker suggests, many of the new settlers know little of farming, still more of them are unacquainted with the special agricultural problems of this North, and there is no doubt but that they will be much in need of the advice and the illustration and example of the demonstration farm. The Advance believes that this particular effort at “economy” so called would be a specially serious mistake. It is almost a confession that the Government has lost faith and confidence in the country. When “economics” that destroy what may be termed basic services to the people are threatened, there is little else to be thought but that the Government has lost faith in the country. The Advance does not believe that the Government has actually lost this faith, but to discontinue the demonstration farm would be to beg that such a construction be placed on their attitude. All in the North, not alone those in Temiskaming area, should unite to urge upon the Government the ill results that are sure to follow any false economy such as that suggested by the closing of the demonstration farm. The Speaker’s suggestion of leasing part of the farm looks like true economy. The farm itself should be continued.

ONE-LEGGED NEWSBOY SAYS HE WILL BE HOCKEY STAR

Timmins has been visited by one-legged men who have excelled in one form or another of athletics. One gave an exhibition here of swimming and diving while another was equally good at skating and jumping. All who saw these two men in their exhibitions of skill were greatly impressed not only by their ability but by the patience and courage that made it possible for them to triumph over their handicaps. What they were able to do was proof of the idea suggested here by one of the organizers of the National Institute for the Blind who claimed that every handicap was only an incentive.

The city of Sudbury at the present time has a boy of ten years old who seems to eclipse the expert swimmers and skaters in his triumphs over handicaps. This boy is Gussie Kyriakos, a Sudbury Star newsboy, who is a clever skater, an expert hockey player, and expert on skis, despite the fact that one leg is off above the knee and he has to use crutches. He is now playing on a boys’ hockey team and says that by the time he is 18 he will be on a real hockey team. The boy says himself that he has it all over the other hockey boys instead of being handicapped. “With one crutch,” he says, “I knock their sticks out of the way and with the other I hit the puck. It’s great fun.” The lad is an accomplished skater. He also has managed to do some skiing. He has played softball with the lads, using one crutch as a bat, but otherwise playing the game in the usual way. This lad has even tried football, rugby playing, and in tackling is a regular whirlwind. He did some high jumping last summer. In fact, as the Sudbury Star said last week, “he is game for anything any other boy will try.”

C. C. F. CLUB FORMED RECENTLY BYIROQUOIS FALLS PEOPLE

Iroquois Falls is one of the places where a C. C. F. Club has been formed. The C. C. F. Club at the Falls is for the purpose of studying and supporting the new political party formed by Rev. Mr. Woodsworth and Miss Agnes Macphail, M. P. The full name of the political party is the Canadian Cooperative Commonwealth Federation and because of the unwieldy nature of such a long name the attempt is being made to have the new political party or group known by the initials of the party. At the meeting held in the Columbus hall at Iroquois Falls W. J. Grummell was appointed as chairman and G. K. Mansell as secretary.

A provisional executive, as follows, was elected: President, M. J. Smith, first vice-president, T. Hogg, second vice-president, W. J. Grummell, third vice-president, W. Smith, secretary, A. C. Cutten, treasurer, G. K. Mansell. The council includes H. H. Beach, H. Flemming, H. Towsley, A. Delean, Geo. Brewtnall, F. Koughan and others.

A sliding scale of annual fees, with 25 cents as the minimum was adopted. The executive was instructed to draw up at an early meeting a definition of their duties.

HEARST MUST PAY PART OF THE COST OF RELIEF THERE

The provincial unemployment relief committee has notified Hearst that hereafter the municipality must bear 20 per cent. of the cost of relief. For the past eight months the government, through the Northern Development Branch, has paid 100 per cent. of the cost of relief, including administration.

Anglo-U.S. Wedding



Eight Were Hurt in T. & N. O. Collision

Timmins and Falconbridge Hockey Teams were in Train but Escaped Injury. Snow Plough and Train Collided.

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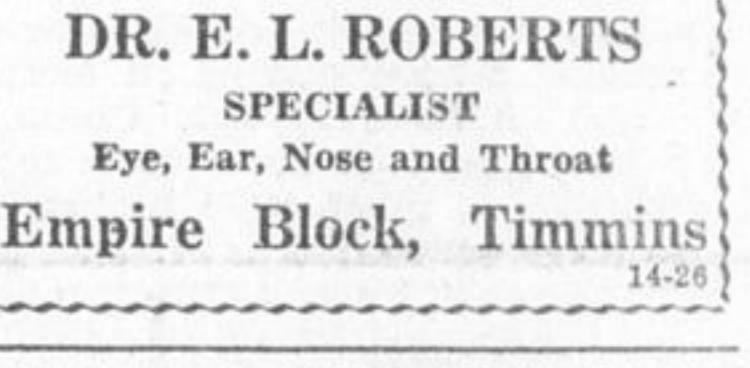
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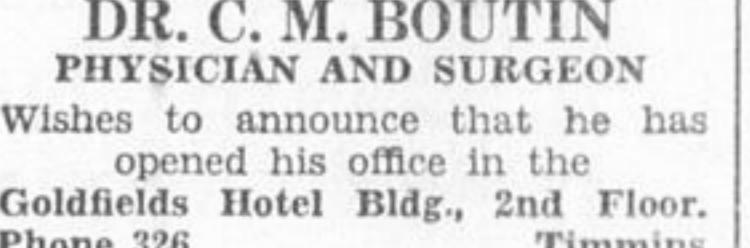
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