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Are French Reservists Being Called to Colours?

Anxiety in regard to the war news in Europe has been increased recently by stories to the effect that French reservists in Canada are being called to the colours. Last week there was a story that a settler from near Kapuskasing travelled over the T. & N. O. on his way to Montreal. The story claimed that the settler, who was accompanied by his wife, asserted that he didn't know what it was all about, but that he had received word to report at the French consul's office in Montreal. He did not know what would happen after he reported at the consul's office but he was expecting that he would be taken back to France and was all prepared for that to happen. That sounded like a startling story and gave many the impression that France was preparing for trouble and was gathering home her reserves. The French consul at Montreal, however, was immediately quoted as saying that he knew nothing of any French reservist being called to report. There were certainly none called to do anything like that at his office. He said he knew nothing about the man from Kapuskasing, or what his story meant. The French consul gave the impression that there was absolutely nothing to the settler's story and either he must be badly mixed or else the reporters were. Yet last week on top of this The Kapuskasing Tribune publishes the following: "Not to particularize too closely, several French reservists living in this district were notified by telegram to report to the French Consul-General at Montreal immediately, early this week, and promptly arranged their affairs as best they could and entrained. The news of this spread quickly and was soon on everybody's lips, and speculation was rife as to its significance. It was expected that the daily papers would contain word of still more strained tension in Europe, to justify such a definite pre-war move by France, but there has so far not been a hint that matters had come to such a head as to call for any form of mobilization of armed forces. What is in the wind?"

Officers Elected by the Dome Golf Club

As Soon as Snow Goes, Clearing will be Started on Course for New Golf Links in Vicinity of Dome Extension. Other News from Dome and S. Porcupine

South Porcupine, Ont., April 4th, 1933. Special to The Advance. Her many friends here are grieved to hear of the serious illness of Miss Greta Thompson at London, Ontario, where she has been following her profession of nursing. She spent last winter here with her cousin, Mrs. Percy Richards at the Dome. Miss Caroline Ferguson, of Pembroke, is holidaying in town with her sister Miss Betty. A golf club has been formed at the Dome with the following officers elected:—President, Mr. H. P. Depencier; vice-president, Mr. J. H. Stovell; captain, John Fell, Sr., secretary, Douglas Lettman. As soon as the snow goes off it is hoped to start clearing a course in the vicinity of the Dome Extension. The Dome Football Club are starting training this week. Their secretary-treasurer, Percy Andrews, is expected home after his recent operation at Porcupine hospital. John Fell, Sr. has been elected as president during the absence of President Christie. Lacrosse fans are having a meeting on Wednesday of this week to make plans for the coming season. Miss Martha Michaelson, of the Dome, had the misfortune to slip on the ice last week and is laid up with a badly sprained ankle. The season for the followers of the stane and besom is nearing its close. The rinks of Evans and Fairhurst have still to play their finals for the supremacy in the president's bonspiel. When the ice is in shape this will be done, winding up a successful and happy season at curling. President F. C. Evans and Secretary Maxwell Smith, Sr. are to be congratulated on the interest kept up in curling during the winter. As a resume we might mention again the different events. The Gallagher Cup was won by Mr. Cantor's rink; the Lang Shield by F. C. Evans' rink; the Pillsworth Cup by Basso with his all-Ireland rink; the Sky Cup by J. J. Gallagher's group; the four-prize bonspiel by F. C. Evans' rink and the president's event is still to be settled. In an edition of The Toronto Daily Star last week there was a picture of the machine, termed by its inventor, the "Arctic Travler." This machine is a sort of ski proposition for winter and goes by pontoons in summer. It travels at from forty to fifty miles an hour and will carry from two hundred to two hundred and fifty pounds of freight. It makes steep hills with comparative ease and has a comparatively low gas consumption. Its inventor is Vladimir Hrynuk, a twenty-two-year-old machinist at the Dome Mines. Unfortunately Mr. Hrynuk is at present in the Porcupine hospital, but is now recovering nicely from a severe attack of pneumonia. Miss Hattie Johns returned to Toronto on Monday of this week after a three-week furlough at her home here. At the police court on Tuesday a woman from Schumacher who was charged with stabbing another woman had her case adjourned. We understand the victim is still in the hospital. A charge of unlawfully being in possession of fox and other skins, laid by Game Warden Eddleston against a man from the western part of the camp, was adjourned for two weeks to allow the defendant to get his witnesses. A charge of assault against a man on Railroad street, South Porcupine, was dismissed. It arose out of the presence of a young woman, twenty-two years old, at a place on Railroad street not considered a proper habitation for her by the defendant, whose cousin she was. The man, on whom the assault was made, had threatened defendant with bodily harm it was stated. Chief McInnis stated that Provincial Officer Gardiner was investigating the case of the young woman at Cochrane from which place she and complainant both came. A feature of the trial was the tenacity and directness with which defendant questioned witnesses against him. Although speaking only broken English, he kept up a method of cross-questioning that quite clearly brought out the point he wished to emphasize, viz.—that the knife (closed) which was picked up in the snow had fallen out of the other man's pocket and had not been used by him. His questioning such as, "How you can see that man speak to me 300 yards off?" etc., was followed up by "I live 18 years on South Porcupine, never run blind pig." A case re collection of wages was dismissed, most of the amount having been paid on April 1st and complainant not being present to press the charge. There was skating at the South Porcupine arena Tuesday evening, quite a number availing themselves of the privilege not often enjoyed in April. There will be skating as long as the present cold spell lasts as there is still good ice.

CLAIMS BIGGEST BARGAINS EVER OFFERED IN TIMMINS

Tuesday, April 11th, being the last day of the bankrupt sale at the Ayoub Store everything is to be taken from the windows and placed on sale. The directors of the sale claim that there will be the biggest bargains ever offered in Timmins and they urge all to make sure to be there at the finish. "No reasonable offer refused," they say, as everything must go.

Funeral at Sudbury of Late D. O'Connor

Service at St. Joseph's Church, Sudbury. Large Attendance at Funeral of Northern Pioneer. Sketch of Career of D. O'Connor.

After the funeral services at Timmins for the late Dan O'Connor, of Connaught, the body was taken on the noon train on Friday to Sudbury for interment. There were funeral services held at Sudbury and The Sudbury Star makes reference to the funeral there. The late Mr. O'Connor being a prominent and esteemed resident of Sudbury many years ago. The Sudbury Star also gives an interesting sketch of the late Mr. O'Connor's life. The Sudbury Star says:—

"Second mayor of Sudbury, and one of Northern Ontario's most prominent citizens, Daniel O'Connor died at St. Mary's hospital in Timmins on Thursday morning, March 29, of double pneumonia. "A man of tremendous energy, Mr. O'Connor was an outstanding figure in the North for almost 50 years. A lover of pioneer districts, throughout his life he was in the vanguard of each new movement into the North. Sudbury, Temagami, and the expanding of T. & N. O. country knew him in succession, and in each he was an enterprising leader. "Daniel O'Connor was born at Pembroke 69 years ago, son of the late Patrick O'Connor. He came to the North in the late 80's, settling first in Sudbury. Lumbering, mining and the hotel business engaged his attentions in the nickel district. For years he operated the White House, where the Nickel Range now stands, under lease. He conducted the old Coonstock mine, at Lake Wahnapitae and was interested in many other mining properties. As a lumberman, he was known in almost all the district tributary to Sudbury. "In 1894, one year after Sudbury was incorporated as a town, and while he was only 30 years old, Mr. O'Connor was elected mayor of Sudbury, defeating the late Stephen Fournier. In those days every municipal fight was a battle between Liberals and Conservatives, and Mr. O'Connor was the Liberal standard bearer. "Daniel O'Connor was the discoverer of Temagami as a summer resort. First attracted there more than 30 years ago by its mineral prospects, he realized that it was one of the finest natural playgrounds in Canada. Then, 7000, lumbering was active in the region west of Temagami lakes, and the district was undergoing a minor boom. "So he established a steamship company, to serve the lumber camps, which in the course of a few years operated three boats on the lakes. Known as the Temagami Hotel and Steamboat Co., his organization opened the Ronocco hotel at Temagami, still one of the finest summer hotels along the T. & N. O. Backwards the letters of its name spell O'Connor. He also built the Lady Evelyn hotel, on the lake of the same name, the Temagami Inn, and a large general store. "In Temagami he continued the prospecting activities that had first lured him north, discovering several large bodies of iron ore, and other valuable claims which he disposed of profitably. "Again feeling the lure of the North, Mr. O'Connor led the way to Connaught, once prosperous lumbering town on the banks of the Frederick-house river, arriving before the T. & N. O. railway. Again he proved a leader, chiefly in mining and lumbering. "Several promising gold discoveries were made and his dealings in claims

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became extensive. At his death his most important holdings were the Ronocco Gold Mines, and the Cleaver Gold Mines. On several occasions he sat on the boardland of great fortune, but his pioneering spirit was manifested in the alacrity with which proceeds of mining deals were "ploughed" back into the country. "The charity of Dan O'Connor and his tolerance in dealings with destitute Indians and others who besought him for aid was traditional. For years he fathered the trappers and residents of the Night Hawk district and hundreds of legitimate prospectors wrung from his store the grubstakes for a summer's work. An ardent exponent of the dictum, "Gold is where you find it," he was one of that small remaining group of pioneers whose lives have given the North Country traditional colour and character. "Of a very hospitable and generous nature, he was ever ready with a helping hand to the needy. His friendly manner made him many friends in all walks of life, from the humblest prospector to the highest in the land. Living in retirement at Connaught for the past several years, he has still retained his old-time interest in the doings of prospectors and lumber men, of which he was proud to number himself one. "He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Clemens, of Timmins; two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Morin of Sudbury, and Mrs. George Sylvester, of Toronto, and one brother, J. T. O'Connor, of Sudbury. "Requiem high mass was said at 10.30 Friday morning by Rev. Father John B. O'Gorman, of the Church of the Nativity, Timmins, after which the body was sent to Sudbury on train No. 46, at 12.55 p.m., for interment in the family vault. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clemens accompanied the body to Sudbury. "A sheaf of cables and telegrams, received by his sorrowing relatives, bears eloquent testimony to the life and work of the late Mr. O'Connor. "He had a great career and did wonderful pioneer work in Northern Ontario," read a cable from Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, Canadian trade commissioner in London, England. "Hon. W. A. Gordon, Dominion Minister of Labour, wired: "He had unful-

ling faith in the destiny of Temiskaming, and his name will always live among the builders of Northern Ontario. "Other telegrams of condolence were received from Premier Geo. E. Henry; Hon. Chas. McCrea, provincial Minister of Mines; Geo. W. Lee, chairman of the T. & N. O. Railway Commission; Hon. Wm. Finlayson, Minister of Lands and Forests; Fred Kenning, M.L.A., and others. "The body of the late Mr. O'Connor arrived in Sudbury this morning from Timmins, and funeral services were conducted at 9 a.m. from St. Joseph's church, Very Rev. Dean T. H. Trainor officiating. Interment was in the Roman Catholic cemetery. "Honorary pallbearers were Thos. Travers, Dr. W. H. Mulligan, John Fravelley, Alex Fournier. Pallbearers were E. A. Lapierre, Camille Gravelle, John Clemens, W. Grant, Phil. Green and Jas. Kelly. "A long cortege of cars followed the body to its last resting place, and many beautiful floral tributes banked the casket."

Moose Dance and Draw Very Successful Event

The Moose entertainment dance and draw announced for March 17th was postponed on account of so many events on the same date, and it was desired to give as many as possible opportunity to be present. Accordingly, the event was held on March 24th in the Moose hall. The hall was packed for the occasion and all had a very happy time. The music was furnished by the Merry-makers' orchestra, which means it was the best and latest and was much appreciated. Everyone attending the event reports a wonderful time. The lucky tickets were drawn by Miss Mabel Mackenzie. The following were the prizes and winners:— First prize, \$20.00, won by Mrs. M. Hagen, 104 Cedar street, north. Second, \$10.00, won by Mrs. K. Lytle, 6 Kirby avenue. Third, \$5.00, won by Mrs. P. Teasdale, Schumacher.

North Bay Nugget—Some colleges are now including courses in matrimony. In the United States they ought to add a faculty year in alimony.

Timmins Lead Again in Inter-town League

Schumacher Bowlers Lose on Friday on the Timmins Alleys. Timmins Bowlers Leading Inter-town League by Two Points.

Timmins boys took Schumacher bowlers into camp on their own alleys on Friday last to trim them for three points.

C. Studor, for the Timmins bowlers, had three good games to total 742 pins, and the ball pitcher, E. Kemball, used his speed ball to roll a grand total of 715.

Morandin, of Schumacher, was the only bowler for Schumacher in form. He had three good games to total 738.

Schumacher was unable to get started Friday on the local alleys, but look out for next week in Schumacher.

TIMMINS				
C. Studor	248	261	233	742
Reid	168	168	168	504
Kemball	211	271	233	715
Tomkinson	209	177	172	558
B. Webb	209	188	267	664
Sauve	183	245	428	456
Totals	1045	1080	1150	3275
SCHUMACHER				
Proulx	206	160	120	486
Weston	278	160	240	678
Morandin	230	266	242	738
Cameron	208	191	151	550
MacMillan	220	125	—	345
Angrignon	—	—	252	252
Totals	1142	902	959	3013

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All will be pleased to know that W. S. Hallett, plant superintendent of the Northern Ontario Power Co., who was taken ill here some weeks ago and had to undergo an operation for appendicitis at St. Mary's hospital, continues to make the best progress to recovery and soon will be able to leave the hospital for his home. Milverton Sun—Al Smith has perhaps the right idea regarding inflation; he says that it is like giving a sick man a shot in the arm—it will take a stiffer shot next time.

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First Tournament of the New Firemen's Association

After consideration that the territory attempted to be covered by the Temiskaming Firemen's Association was altogether too large, a new association to include the fire brigades in this part of the North was formed last year. This new firemen's association will hold its first annual tournament at Cochrane on July 1st this year and arrangements are now under way to make the event an outstanding success. The new association includes fire brigades from all over this section of the North and with such brigades as Kapuskasing, Cochrane, Timmins, Ansonville, Iroquois Falls, and others in the territory should present a tournament of unusual interest to the public as well as to the fire brigades.

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