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Timmins Team Shows up Well in Opening of Ball Season

Kirkland Lake's Crack Team Takes the First Game, but it Might Have Been a Timmins Win. Score 5 to 4 Tells the Tale. Big Crowd at Game and all Delighted with the Timmins Aggregation. A Game of Much Interest.

The Temiskaming Baseball League was officially opened yesterday (Wednesday) in Timmins. A record crowd greeted both teams and even though the new grandstands are bigger than the old ones, they could still be bigger.

The Kirkland Lake team journeyed up here and went back on the lucky end of a 5-4 score. Kirkland Lake has a fine team this year and should be dangerous before the season ends.

But the big surprise is in the Timmins team. Nobody expected an effective team as they proved yesterday. The Timmins team are a classy aggregation, the only fault being their inability to hit in a pinch. However with practice they should overcome this. Their pitching staff is better than last year; O'Donnell having improved a lot.

Well, the game started off in a smart fashion. The two pitchers Lefty O'Donnell and Pete Hackett, burning themselves nicking the corners in a smart way. The result was that not one man crossed the home plate for four innings.

O'Donnell broke in the fifth innings and Kirkland Lake hammered him for plenty of hits that brought in three runs. That lead looked like enough too. Timmins was blanked in their half and both went scoreless in the next innings.

Chambers relieved O'Donnell in the first half of the seventh and got a big hand. He's the most popular man on the team. After a few warm-up balls, he started to dish 'em up. He was nicked for one run but it was no fault of his. The run was scored on Barton's error, a wild pitch to second base and the Kirkland man on third grabbed the opportunity and put Kirkland four runs up.

The lucky seventh was certainly a lucky one for Timmins. Before the crowd knew what had happened Rouen and Brooks were perched on second and third. Chambers came up to bat and promptly knocked out a one-base hit that scored two runs. Lafamme got to first and then to second, while Chambers went to third. The stage was being set. Barton the little man with a big wallop was at bat. Well he placed a nice one in deep centre and Lafamme and Chambers ran in to tie it up, while Barton was safely perched on second. Barton later stole third but died there.

Kirkland up for the eighth innings and just when it looked like another blank, McDougall put one into the corner of the park and lit like a deer. Yes it was a home run. And it broke up the old ball game. It was a beauty and MacDougall got a big handout.

Timmins was blanked in their half and both teams went scoreless in the last one.

Timmins play their next game next Wednesday at Kirkland Lake. Timmins—catcher, Rozen; pitcher, O'Donnell; 1st base, Coleman; 2nd base, Heximer; short-stop, Wagner; 3rd base, Barton; left field, Roberts; centre field, Lafamme, right field, Thomas; pitcher, Chambers.

Kirkland Lake—catcher, Barclay; pitcher, Hackett; 1st base, Fries; 2nd base, Giovanelli; short-stop, Minnis; 3rd base, Richardson; centre field, Price; centre field, MacDougall; right field, Menard; catcher, Smith; pitcher, Curry; centre field, Armistage.

Score by innings—
Kirkland Lake 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 1 0—5
Timmins 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 4—4

Runs scored for Kirkland by—Fries, Giovanelli, Smith, MacDougall. (2)
Runs scored for Timmins by—Lafamme, Rouen, Roberts, Chambers.

STATEMENT OF TIMMINS RELIEF FUND EXPENDITURES

The following is the statement of receipts and expenditures of the Timmins Relief Fund up to May 31st, 1933. The total receipts to May 31st, were \$12,589.87. There are further receipts to come in. The expenditures to May 31st were \$8,833.41, made up as follows: Food, \$1,877.12; fuel, \$236.75; rents, \$2,452.91; clothing, \$2,207.43; sundry, \$39.20; C.A.S. \$2,000.00; total, \$8,833.41.

Old Times Party Tuesday Very Largely Attended

There were over a hundred present at the Old Times party given by the Oddfellows in their hall, Spruce street, Timmins, on Tuesday evening of this week.

After lodge was over, the ladies took part in bridge and whist. The winners of the bridge were Mrs. Ted Whaley and L. Halperin. Mrs. A. Fulton, Schumacher, and "Scotty" Andrews were the winners of the whist.

Lunch was served downstairs during the evening. There was old-time square dancing in charge of Counsellor R. Richardson.

The evening throughout was a very enjoyable one and was much appreciated by the large number present.

George Fenwick, of New Liskeard, was in town last week-end renewing acquaintances here and returning to work on Monday.

Timmins Juveniles Meet Defeat in Box Lacrosse

The second game of the current season of box lacrosse brought out a better brand of the game. The boys are learning in rapid way and with a few more games behind them should be able to hold their own with any team in their class. The local juveniles met defeat when the South End juveniles took them into camp, the score being 3 to 1. The Timmins team can offer no excuse except that the South Porcupine team played a better game. Turner for South End, with Wright as an assistant, played heads-up lacrosse on the forward line, while the defence line of Pecore and O'Shea was worthy of much credit. The Timmins line of Ansara, Theriot, Sauve, Delmonte, was well balanced and strove hard to get in and score. Jackson deserves a big hand for tackling a goal tending job without the protection of pads.

On Friday of this week (to-morrow) the Timmins squad journeyed across the cyanide to meet Schumacher. This will close the game until June 30th when they travel to the Dome.

Large Crowd Hears J. Woodsworth, M.P.

Leader of the Canadian Co-operative Commonwealth Federation Party Addresses Audience in the Goldfields Theatre on Sunday evening.

The Goldfields theatre, Timmins was filled to capacity on Sunday evening for the address by J. S. Woodsworth, M.P., for one of the Winnipeg ridings and leader of the recently organized Canadian Co-operative Commonwealth Federation party. A Stewart, prominent here in labour circles, was chairman of the meeting and on the platform with him were D. McKenzie, Moise Maltais and others. J. S. Woodsworth was the only speaker for the evening and he delivered a clever political address. He referred to the organization of the party of which he is the leader, the "C.C.F.", as it is usually called. He outlined the policies which this new political group advocated. He also told of the success of the organization of the C.C.F. party in various sections of the Dominion. The chief part of his address touched on what he considered to be evils about the present system of politics and economics. He did not make out the case any better than it actually is, but rather to the contrary. A sort of public ownership seemed to be the remedy he suggested as advanced by his party. Just how the plan would be enforced in detail in practice he did not make clear. However, he did say that his party was not advocating violence or the use of force but thought the radical changes suggested might be made through constitutional means. Mr. Woodsworth replied to a number of questions during the evening, several questions being asked him by one man prominent in the work of the alien agitators. While Mr. Woodsworth's address was greeted with considerable applause at many points, the feeling of the majority of the thoughtful people present was one of disappointment at the indefinite nature of the new political party. Mr. Woodsworth's reliance on generalities and broad statements disappointed many. Others were disappointed not to find him a more able speaker than he is.

Timmins Sustained in Holding the Patton Cup

"Observer" writing in his column of "Sportology" in The North Bay Nugget on Monday says:—"The defence of Timmins High School in a dispute with Kirkland Lake High School over possession of the Patton Cup, the inter-scholastic titular basketball emblem of Northern Ontario, has been sustained and the Timmins lads authorized to retain the trophy which they have held for three years. The Kirkland school protested a win claimed by Timmins in a challenge meet on the grounds that an excess in overtime was played and with the result that victory was snatched from them. T. J. Patton, donor of the cup, probed the dispute pro and con and on evidence submitted by the referee and the principal of the Timmins school learned that the teams agreed to stretch the game into two five-minute overtime periods when they finished a tie at the end of the regular playing period. Basing their protest on the rules, which say that extra time will be played only until one of the contenders breaks the deadlock, Kirkland contended that a one-point advantage which they gained in the first five minutes of overtime gave them the verdict. However, they failed to affirm or deny statements by the referee and the Timmins team that the overtime rule was waived by consent of all concerned. The Ontario Amateur Basketball Association ruled that in the event of the teams agreeing to extra overtime, the overtime ruling could be ineffective. And so the trophy remains with Timmins for another stretch. From this dispute may come a revision of the governing rules and the appointment of a board of trustees."

Annual Inspection of Timmins Cadets

Presentation of Medals for Proficiency in Shooting. Also Certificates for Junior St. John Ambulance Brigade Work.

The annual inspection of the Timmins Cadets took place on Wednesday of last week, the inspecting officer being Capt. Cummings, of Toronto. Capt. Cummings said it was the best inspection he has had in the three years he has been coming to the North Lan.

The cadets made a very creditable showing under the inspection and won praise for their appearance, their knowledge of the work and their proficiency at drill. The cadets at the Timmins Central public school are now 65 strong and under the able and earnest direction of S. M. Robinson are attaining high standing. Mr. Robinson and the principal of the school, Mr. Transom, take very active interest in the cadets, and the work generally is proving of high value both in the way of instilling discipline and in developing the boys physically, mentally and morally.

Much credit is also due to the good work of the boys' own officers.—Cadet Captain Herb Hutton and Platoon Officers Wm. Morosan and Ronald Lake. In addition to the drills and games Capt. Cummings presented medals to the boys for proficiency in shooting. Wm. Morosan won the silver medal which is only given on 88 out of 100 on ten targets. Two bronze medals were also presented, one to Alfred Erickson and the other to Ronald Lake. The bronze medals are only awarded for 75 out of 100, or better, on ten targets. Capt. Cummings during his visit here also made the formal presentation of four Junior St. John Ambulance Brigade certificates. These certificates were won by four members of the Timmins Cadets for first aid work taken up successfully with the Timmins division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade in

Graduation Event St. Mary's Hospital

Interesting Programme for the Fifth Annual Graduation Exercises of St. Mary's Hospital on Tuesday Evening, June 13th, in St. Anthony's Parish Hall.

Announcement was made some weeks ago by the Sisters of Charity of Providence in regard to the fifth annual commencement exercises to be held in St. Anthony's parish hall (basement of the church) on Tuesday evening, June 13th, commencing at 8.30. Invitations were issued recently for this event. The graduating class this year is as follows: Miss Violet Rose McGale, Miss Irene Mary Clement, Miss Ellen Mary Wilkes, Miss Margaret Frances Doherty, Miss Clare Ella Lamothe, Sister Paul Emile.

The programme for the event next Tuesday evening is as follows:— Processional march, by Mrs. M. Boutin. Welcome song, by the Class. Salutatory, by Miss V. McGale. Address to the graduates, by Mayor Geo. S. Drew.

Address to the graduates, by Rt. Rev. L. Rheame, Bishop of Halleybury. Address to the graduates, by Hon. J. M. Robb. Song, by L. Pare.

Address to the graduates, by Rev. R. S. Cushing. Address to the graduates, by J. A. Bradette, M.P. for Temiskaming North. Song, by L. Jutras.

Address to the graduates, by R. J. Ennis. Address to the graduates, by A. P. Kenning, M.L.A. for Cochrane South.

"The Grouch and the Optimist," by Misses Wilkes and Doherty. Address to the graduates, by Dr. H. H. Moore. "Word of Advice," by Miss M. Sweeney, R.N.

Song, by Miss E. Lamothe. Address, by Rev. Fr. J. R. O'Gorman. The Nightingale Pledge, by the graduates. Class song, by the class. Presentation of diplomas, by Rt. Rev. L. Rheame, Bishop of Halleybury. Thanks, by Rev. Fr. C. E. Theriault. God Save the King.

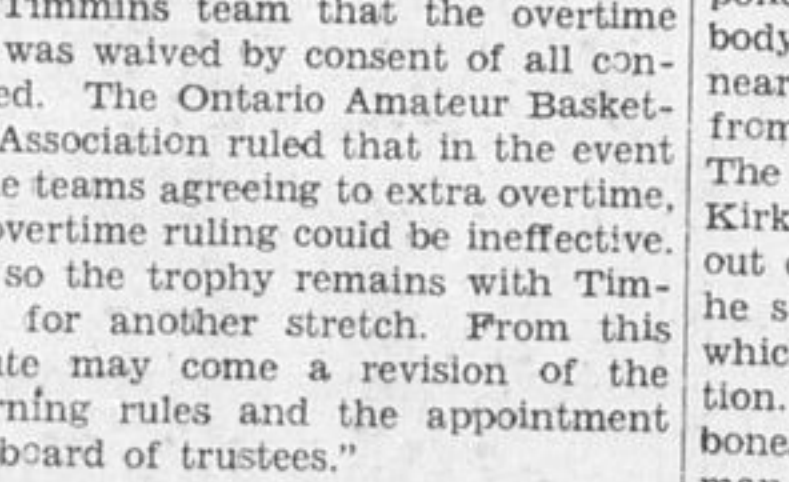
Thought Skeleton to be that of Woman

Reported as Lacking Head and Murder Case Feared. Investigation, However, Showed that a Mistake had been Made. Bones Those of Big Dog.

There was some excitement on Sunday when a Finnlander reported to the police that he had seen the headless body of a woman behind some rocks near the road at Alexo on the highway from Porcupine Junction to Timmins. The man said he was driving from Kirkland Lake to Timmins and getting out of the car for a rest from driving. He strolled around the rocks at Alexo, which is not far out from Porcupine Junction. He was horrified to notice the bones of what he thought to be a woman behind the rocks. He told the police here that he was sure it was a woman's body, because the bones were so arranged and seemed to be in fairly well preserved condition. The head was severed from the body and the boots were the only signs of any clothing or covering that seemed to be left. The gentleman admitted that he did not stay to make very careful investigation, but hurried on to Timmins in his car. As soon as he reached here he notified the town police of what he thought he had seen. The town police in turn notified the provincial police. Provincial Constable Alec Craig went out to the scene, taking with him the coroner for the district, F. C. Evans, of South Porcupine. A brief investigation showed that the visions of the murder of a woman were not founded on fact. It developed that the bones were those of a large dog. The woman's boots were at the spot where the dog's bones were, but, of course, they were not attached to the feet as the Finnlander had imagined. The boots were simply on the scene. The head was also nearby, but it was clearly the head of a dog. The dog had evidently been a large one and had apparently been killed a year or so ago and thrown behind the rocks.

The investigation by the coroner and provincial police upset a report to the effect that an unknown woman had been murdered, the head severed and carried away to prevent identification, and other sensational details that made an exciting and thrilling story until the actual facts of the case were made known.

Guests of the North



HON. CHAS. MCCREA
Minister of Mines for Ontario, who is accompanying the party on tour of the North this week with the Governor-General of Canada.

The classes put on here. The four cadets receiving the certificates were:— Jack Lake, Cyril Knell, Lloyd Johns and James Bateman.

Popular Young Couple Wedded at United Church

On Monday, June 5th, a quiet wedding took place at the United Church manse, Timmins, when Miss Verdun Latham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Latham, of Timmins, was united in marriage to Mr. Newton Walman, of Harrison, Ont.

The bride looked very beautiful attired in white and carrying a large bouquet of roses, while the bridesmaid, Miss Maxina Sopha, was very becoming in a mauve gown, with a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. The groom was supported by Mr. George Latham.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, a number of the immediate relatives and friends attending.

The happy couple left on the noon train on Monday for Harrison where they will take up residence. The bride's two sisters, Iris and Gertie, travelled as far as South Porcupine with the couple before saying good-bye.

Both the bride and groom were well-known in Timmins and will be much missed here. Hosts of friends will join in extending sincere good wishes.

Delightful Dance at the Badminton Hall

Close to Five Hundred Attend Notable Event at Schumacher on Occasion of Visit of Hon. Chas. McCrea, J. P. Bickell and Others.

The dance given by the Porcupine Badminton Club in the club hall, Schumacher, last night was one of the outstanding social events of the year. There were close to five hundred attending the event, there being often during the evening more than a hundred and fifty couples on the floor, while others enjoyed the comfort of the club rooms. There were a number of distinguished visitors for the occasion, these including Hon. Chas. McCrea, Minister of Mines for Ontario, J. P. Bickell, president of the McIntyre Porcupine Mines, Geo. W. Lee, chairman of the T. & N. O. Railway, J. A. Bradette, M.P., A. F. Kenning, M.P.P., Mayor Geo. S. Drew of Timmins and others. Tommy Stephens' orchestra provided the liveliest of good music for the dancing. Refreshments were served during the evening and these were the very best. The hall was decorated for the event, and the floor and other features were about perfect. During the evening there was an interval during which C. V. Gallagher, the former popular reeve of Tisdale, took occasion to compliment the McIntyre and still more the people of the district on the fine badminton courts and club rooms. J. P. Bickell, Hon. Chas. McCrea, Geo. W. Lee and R. J. Ennis were also called upon to speak and in brief, bright witly addresses responded to the pleasure of all. The dance was generally considered as one of the most pleasing and successful enjoyed in the camp for a considerable time.

Crowd of Six Thousand Greet Governor-General and Party

Royal, Loyal Welcome at Timmins. Ideal Weather Last Night. Largest Crowd Ever Gathered in Timmins. Addresses and Presentations to Governor-General and Countess of Bessborough. Legion, Auxiliary, I.O.D.E. and Others Take Prominent Part. Timmins Band Features. Proceedings go with Notable Smoothness.

A crowd numbering fully 6,000 people gathered on Spruce street, on the park, and in the vicinity, last night, to welcome His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada and the Countess of Bessborough and party now on tour of the North. The town was gay with flags and bunting and other decorations for the occasion, and other features in the Empire hotel being especially noteworthy, Leo Mascoll seeing to the lighting and decorations and doing it well as usual.

On the arrival of the special train of seven cars, the distinguished visitors were met by His Worship the Mayor of Timmins, Geo. S. Drew, and the reception committee. The reception committee included:—Mayor Drew and Mrs. Drew; Councillor D. Kerr, representative of the township of Tisdale; Jos. A. Bradette, M.P.; A. F. Kenning, M.P.P.; Mr. and Mrs. John Knox; R. J. Ennis; Mrs. J. A. McInnis, Regent of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and Dr. J. A. McInnis; T. Parsons, president of the Timmins Branch Canadian Legion and Mrs. Parsons; and others. The Timmins Citizens' Band played the National Anthem as the party stepped from the train.

Mayor Drew read the following address to Their Excellencies, presenting them with the address printed in black and gold, with golden cover and enclosed in envelope of gold-coloured paper:—

To The Right Honourable The Earl of Bessborough, Privy Counsellor, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George.

Governor-General of Canada and
The Countess of Bessborough
May it please Your Excellencies:
To accept this sincere and hearty welcome from the people of the town of Timmins, Ontario.

As mayor of the town of Timmins, and on behalf of the citizens, I extend to you a North Land welcome. We welcome you as notable and distinguished citizens of the Empire. We welcome you as the titular heads of Canada, our country. We welcome you as the representatives of His Gracious Majesty the King, to whom we pay the fullest measure of loyalty and affection.

On this, your first visit to the town of Timmins, it may interest Your Excellencies to know that twenty-two years ago what is now a city in all but name was no more than a part of a virgin forest. Timmins-to-day is an up-to-date town with a population of over 16,000, and with all the conveniences of a city. Timmins is the chief town and the centre of the Porcupine Gold Camp, a camp where there are at present six mines producing gold and a score or more promising prospects awaiting development. Canada stands in second place to-day among the world's producers of gold, with Ontario overshadowing all other parts of the Dominion, and the Porcupine taking the lead in Ontario. The Porcupine has produced over \$300,000,000 in gold in the twenty-odd years since its discovery, and it is admitted that even with this impressive production "the surface has scarcely been scratched as yet." The Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines Limited is the largest of the industries of the Porcupine. Situated in the town of Timmins, it employs 2,500 men, handles an average of 5,000 tons of ore per day, and produces nearly \$35,000,000 in new wealth of gold every 24 hours. The McIntyre, the Dome, the Vipond, the Conlaurem, the Ankerite and other mines of the district, are also doing their part in the vital work of production.

While the Porcupine is the "land of gold," this district is rich in other resources. In this area there are proven sources of nickel, barite, asbestos and other minerals of value. There is the wealth of forest. There is the treasure of a fertile soil. There is the beauty of scenery and the charm of landscape. There is a bounty of fish and game. Thriving farms are developing in the neighbourhood of Timmins, at Golden City, at South Porcupine, and other places in the district.

Timmins is justly proud of its industries, its buildings, its material progress and its prospects of advance for the future, but it has still greater cause for pride in its schools, its public library, its hospital, its musical organizations, its churches, and the other evidences that the higher values of life have ever been remembered here.

On account of the large payrolls and because of the activity in the gold-mining industry, the town of Timmins has perhaps escaped some of the effects of the world-wide depression. At the same time the town has had its own hardships. Literally thousands of transients have flocked into Timmins looking for work, and these have in large measure been a burden on our municipality. During the past year the town spent \$85,000,000 on relief. There are at present 1,000 men out of employment here. The strain and stress of (Continued on Page Eight)

Winners of Prizes at St. Anthony's Bazaar

Event Last Week Proved a Success and was Much Enjoyed by the Large Crowds Attending During the Week.

The annual bazaar under the auspices of St. Anthony's church proved a success as usual last week, despite unfavourable weather and counter-attractions. There was a large attendance each evening, with Saturday evening the biggest occasion. On Saturday evening the prizes were awarded. The prizes and winners were as follows:— P. O'Gorman, winner of cake donated by Mrs. C. Pigeon. N. Fairfield, winner of cake donated by Mrs. L. Brosseau. Miss P. McDonald, winner of table cloth. H. Gauthier, handmade table cloth. Mrs. J. Vachon, beautiful piece of linen. D. A. Houle, handmade shawl. Mrs. H. Plouffe, Chinese vase. Stephen Hidwege, silver butter plate. Mrs. Anne Leroux, \$5.00 gold piece. G. Nadon, radio. Omer Gerard, hope chest (furnished) Mrs. J. Barbare, cushions. Eddy Jolicoeur, Westinghouse refrigerator. Mrs. P. Lavergne, Dodge sedan. Mrs. Wilfred Paquette, \$10.00 for selling the winning ticket on car.

Mrs. Jeanine Grandbois, \$2.50 gold piece for selling most tickets on the cakes. Miss Viola Chenier, \$1.00, a second prize.