

## Many Seek Help from Town Council at Meeting on Monday

### Two Residents Ask for Assistance in Connection with Needed Operations. V.O.N. Tag Day Date Approved by the Council. "Week of Wonders," Aug. 21st to 26th. Waterworks and Other Public Works Asked for. Other Council Business.

The regular meeting of the town council was held Monday afternoon with Mayor Geo. S. Drew in the chair and Councillors R. Richardson, Dr. S. L. Honey, J. K. Massie, Geo. W. Parsons, J. E. Morrison and M. Maltais present.

A request was received from the Imperial Motor Sales Co. asking the town to sell them some land so as to complete their property. Council thought that the land asked could not be sold without interfering directly or indirectly with the children's playground and this was not desired. In any case it was decided not to do anything until after consultation with the Timmings Townsite Co.

Councillor Richardson did not think that the playground was much used this year, but the mayor and others in the council thought the playground was still popular and would be more so were it not for the danger from cars and that mothers were persuading their children to avoid the children's playground on account of the cars.

The local Victorian Order of Nurses asked permission to hold a tag day on Sept. 19th. The request was granted. The Canadian National Institute for the Blind asked for permission to hold a tag day on August 26th, and this privilege was granted by the council.

A motion provided for the paying to the public library board of \$1,000.00 on account.

A lot had been advertised at the tax sale as having a house on it. It developed that there is no house on the lot and council authorized a refund of the price paid to be made to the lady who purchased the property under a wrong impression.

The Canadian Legion, Timmings branch, No. 88 asked permission from council for the holding of the annual "Week of Wonders," Aug. 21st to 26th. The permission was given contingent on the same sort of permission being secured from the provincial police.

A petition was received from the residents of Cedar street south, between Ogden and Tisdale streets, asking for the gravelling of the road, sidewalks built and street lights installed. Mayor Drew thought the traffic on the street named would hardly warrant the expenditure, as there was little travel there. The petition said that the road was so badly in need of repairs that neither doctors nor wood dealers could get through the street. The public works committee is to consider the petition and see if anything can fairly be done.

A letter was received from the Northern Ontario Football Association asking that the town council and the board of trade in Timmings and other towns try to induce the government to complete the road connecting Timmings and Sudbury. The letter indicated the value to football and other sports from a highway from Sudbury to Timmings. Council had previously passed resolutions asking the government to build this needed road, but the mayor thought it might be well to keep the ball rolling now that the N.O.F.A. had started it going again.

Reference was made to the request of the residents in Goldale townsite for water. They would bear all the expense of putting in the pipes and would also pay the regular water rates to Timmings. They will be given the per-

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## Death of A. Bucovetsky at Toronto on Sunday

Abraham Bucovetsky, prominent citizen of South Porcupine, and resident there for 16 years, died in Toronto hospital Sunday morning. He is survived by five children, Morris, Rose, Aster, Barney and Ann. There are also the following brothers surviving: Sam, Morris, S. I. and Izzy Bucovetsky.

## Fire Destroys Mill at Nipissing Mine

### Motorists on Highway See Fire at Cobalt Property on Monday. Structure Cost Half a Million When New. Largest Mill in Cobalt

Motorists from Timmings and other sections of the North, noted the big fire in progress at the Nipissing Mine property at Cobalt on Monday evening of this week. This mill, for low-grade silver ore, was situated on the back of the rocky slope on the east side of Cobalt lake, and could be seen for miles around. The flames on Monday night attracted wide attention. Flames were first noticed coming from the mill about 6:30 Monday evening. Apparently the fire had much headway before it was noticed. On account of being in use for so many years, the frame of the building was inflammable from oil-seaking and from the maturity of the wood. In any event, the flames seemed to rush through the series of frame buildings covered with sheet metal and forming the plant of the Nipissing Mine. The mill was the largest in the Cobalt camp. Inside of a couple of hours, nothing remained of the big structure but smoking piles of debris.

## Dance and Floor Show by Eva Torek Pleases Many

The dance and floor show given in the Croatian hall, Schumacher, on Friday evening, Aug. 11th, under the direction of Miss Eva Torek, A. N. C. artist and teacher, attracted a nice crowd, all of whom enjoyed the event very much. Miss Richardson, a visitor from Toronto, won the prize as the most popular girl at the dance and was duly crowned Rose Queen. Miss Torek gave feature dances that attracted much notice, these including exhibition stage waltz, modernistic tap dance and her famous Russian dance. These dances were all very well received. The music for the evening was by Babe Janis and his Rhythm Kings and proved very popular indeed.

To meet the popular demand, Miss Torek is presenting another dance and floor show in the Croatian hall, Schumacher on Wednesday, August 30th, featuring snappy costumes and peppy dances, as well as music that makes the feet go.

## Candidate Chosen by C.C.F. for Riding

### A. M. Stewart, Blacksmith, Timmings, Named as C.C.F. Candidate For Provincial Election in This Riding.

Alex. M. Stewart, blacksmith, of Timmings, was selected on Saturday as the C.C.F. candidate to contest the riding of South Porcupine in the next provincial election. The choice was made at a convention here at which representatives were present from all parts of the district where there are members of the new political party.

Mr. Stewart is well known in Timmings, where he has been prominent in labour matters. He was secretary here of the One Big Union, and was also active in other lines of work for labour.

## Policemen's Charity Ball Thursday of Next Week

The announcements of the first annual charity ball under the auspices of the Timmings police department have created great interest in town and district. The event will be held on Thursday evening of next week, Aug. 24th, at the Riverview pavilion. The music for the ball will be considered as "extra special," being provided by Jimmy Fry and his famous orchestra from Toronto. There are eight able musicians in this orchestra, all being well known in connection with their programmes over the radio. Dancing is from "nine until unconscious," the idea being that you will never tire with the wonderful floor at the pavilion and the remarkable music by Jimmy Fry and his orchestra. The proceeds from the event will be given to charitable causes. Tickets are now on sale.

## FOUNDATION STONE LAID FOR NEW ROMANIAN CHURCH

On Sunday, August 13, at 3 p.m., the foundation stone for the new Rumanian Orthodox St. Mary's Church, corner of Maple street and Eighth avenue, was duly laid. In addition to the members of the church, many prominent citizens of the town were present at the ceremony.

Many old friends this week greeted Harry Macaulay, for many years a shift boss at the Hollinger but recently living in the South. Mr. Macaulay left Timmings in 1920, and sees immense changes in the old town. He has interests in claims in Bristol township and will be in town for some days in connection with these.

## Plans Better Wheat



DR. L. H. NEWMAN  
Details of an extensive programme to improve western wheat crops and thereby raise the premium which Canada obtains on world markets for her grain have been revealed by Dr. L. H. Newman (above) Dominion cerealist. He is at present doing research work in Western Canada.

## H. Garner Honoured by Timmings Citizens

### Presentation made to H. C. Garner of The Employment Service, Prior to His Removal to Chatham, Ont.

H. C. Garner, in charge of the Timmings office of the Employment Bureau of Canada since its establishment here, secretary of the Timmings high school board, and active and useful in many other worthy causes in the town, was shown honor and appreciation by representative citizens of the town, prior to his removal to Chatham to reside. Mr. Garner was recently promoted to the position of supervisor in the Employment Service Bureau at Chatham, and he was back in town last week to pack up his goods and see to their shipment to his new home. Opportunity was taken by his presence in town, for the people here to express their regard and good wishes. On Friday afternoon about 75 representative citizens of the town gathered in the grill room of the Empire hotel to honor Mr. Garner. Mayor George S. Drew was in the chair and expressed the general regret at the departure of the family from town and the good wishes that followed them to their new home in Chatham. Mayor Drew said that all had known Mr. and Mrs. Garner for some ten years past and all were well aware of their sterling qualities, and the loss sustained by the town in their removal. Mr. Garner was one of the pioneers of the Porcupine, the mayor pointed out, and a many a man and a true friend. He was a valued citizen, useful to both church and state. On behalf of the citizens generally, the mayor expressed the regret at the loss of Mr. and Mrs. Garner and Misses Betty and Doris, and the sincere good wishes that would go with them from their hosts of friends in this part of the North.

W. H. Pritchard spoke on behalf of the golf club, of which Mr. Garner had been a director for many years. Mr. Garner had learned golf in Timmings and showed his skill at the game by winning the club trophy in 1926. Among the golfers, as among all others, Mr. Garner was highly valued, and Mr. Pritchard extended the good wishes so generally voiced for the success in their new location of Mr. and Mrs. Garner and family.

E. L. Longmore pointed to the truth of the saying that to really know a man you had to live with him, or work with him, or play with him. He had both worked and played with Mr. Garner and found him a real man in both capacities. He had known Harold Garner probably for a longer time than most here, and had always found him a gentleman and a true friend. In extending sincere good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Garner, Mr. Longmore concluded with the words, "We are all measured by what we contribute rather than by what we get, and I have found Harold Garner measures up to the full stature of a man."

M. B. Scott, chairman of the Timmings high school board, spoke of the value of the services of Mr. Garner as secretary of the board and the advantage and benefit of his advice in school board matters. Incidentally Mr. Scott mentioned that he believed the high school today to be in better condition than ever before. He did not take credit for this himself as chairman of the board, but gave full honour in this respect to the members of the board who had given so generously of time and effort and talent to make it so, and to Mr. Garner, whose interest and work for the success of the school never failed. Mr. Scott added his own good wishes and those of the high school board to Mr. and Mrs. Garner and family for their future success and contentment.

Austin Neame, past president of the Timmings branch of the Canadian Legion, spoke of the pleasure and sadness mingled on an occasion like this. Mr. Garner had been one of the few commissioned officers who had joined the legion and helped in its success. Mr. Garner was a friend with every member of the legion; it would be impossible to mention the innumerable good turns he had done for returned

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## Noted Concert Tenor to Sing at Kiwanis Monday

Vincent Woodbury this week received word that the concert tenor, Henri Auger, who has been singing over the radio from Toronto and Montreal will sing at the Kiwanis luncheon Monday noon. It will be an added feature to the musical programme of the club.

## Week of Wonders at Timmings Next Week

### Annual Bazaar and Carnival Event of the Timmings Legion to Be Held in The Skating Rink Aug. 21 to Aug. 26. Notable Features.

The annual Week of Wonders, presented at Timmings for several years past by the Timmings branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., has won a high place in popular regard by the novelty and interest of its features and the swing with which it runs from start to finish. The cause for which it is held, is equally appealing, being for the legion relief fund. It may not generally be known, but it is a fact, that the legion relief fund in the past year, has helped returned soldiers and their families to an extent exceeding \$2,000. Since the fund was established fully ten thousand dollars has been paid out for the relief of ex-soldiers and their dependents. The legion has been always anxious and ready to help any in distress and to continue to be able to do so they are holding the annual Week of Wonders to replenish the relief fund.

The Week of Wonders this year will be held all next week, Monday, Aug. 21, to Saturday, Aug. 26, both days inclusive in the Timmings skating rink.

This year there will be all the usual bazaar features. Again, "Bingo" will be a favorite. Several other new and attractive games will be included. There will be a nightly draw for good prizes. The tearooms and refreshment booths will be in charge of the Ladies' Auxiliary, which is another way of saying that they will be specially effective and well conducted. Attractive booths will be a feature of this year's event. There will be many fine exhibits by local merchants. Special features nightly will keep the interest keen all through the week.

It will be worth anyone's while to see the prizes to be awarded in the big prize draw. The first prize is a Stewart-Warner radio, magic dial, and there are ten other valuable prizes. Tickets are now on sale for the Week of Wonders event.

## Roy Hamilton Given Decision on West

### Battling West and Roy Hamilton Feature on Popular Boxing Card Here on Monday Night. Some Other Good Numbers.

Roy Hamilton put over another good boxing card last Monday evening. All the bouts were good and in some there was real class. Roy has aroused interest in boxing here again and judging from the comments on the quality of the fights last Monday, there will be even larger crowds attending subsequent events. The rink was packed again, and the fans went out with the idea that they got more than their money's worth. In any case they saw a card that will match any boxing card in the country.

The main bout of the evening was between Roy Hamilton, the local champion and idol, and Battling West, of the Soo. Battling West was well known to boxing fans here, most of them remembering him from last year when he was quite a sensation here. Everyone knows that these two opponents of the art of boxing would hold up their end of the programme! And they did! Roy Hamilton fought the nicest battle he ever fought in Timmings. It was a fast battle between two men. In the fifth round West started bleeding from the nose and Roy kept jabbing at it. Roy was knocking West all over the ring but couldn't knock him out. The sixth round saw Roy still punching at West's nose but West gamely held on. In the seventh, West came back strong and gave Roy some trouble for a while. In the eighth Roy rushed from the start, eager to finish it. He hit West with everything he had but just couldn't knock him down. He kept up this barrage in the ninth and as they came out of a clinch, Roy threw West down. This was the only knockdown in the fight. In the tenth Roy twice had his man in a knockout state but couldn't knock him out.

Roy Hamilton got the decision easily, West not being in the same class. West showed the crowd that he had what it takes to be a fighter when he stood up against the avalanche of boxing gloves that Roy shot at him. With more experience against good boxers West will give Roy quite a handfull. His fights against Bert Dempsey have taught him how to take it.

In the semi-final two Kirkland Lake fighters put on a good exhibition. Willie Stevens got a lucky decision over Bill Thompson. The fight should have been a draw but the judges thought differently. The real action started in the fourth round when Stevens got his man groggy. In the fifth Thompson came out fast and was very aggressive.

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## Open Field Day at McIntyre Grounds, Labour Day, Sept. 4

### Only Big Day of Sports Announced So Far for the North Land Promises to be Attractive Event. Football, Baseball and Field and Track Events to be Featured on Monday, Sept. 4th at McIntyre Grounds.

The McIntyre Athletic Association will hold an open field day on the new McIntyre athletic ground at Schumacher on Labour Day, Monday, Sept. 4th.

So far, this is the only celebration proposed for Labour Day for this part of the North, and it promises to be a big event. In the morning the annual children's races and field sports will take place with good prizes. McIntyre football team which made such a good showing in the Dominion Championship Cup series, will play an outside team, also in the morning.

In the afternoon a splendid track and field programme will be held, with three prizes for each event.

From correspondence with the athletes of Kirkland Lake, Iroquois Falls, Cobalt, New Liskeard and other points,

it is expected that these events will be out of the ordinary. The setting and accommodation for these at the new field are of the best.

The pole vault, relay races, and 100 yards dash are already assured of outstanding entries.

A baseball game has been arranged for, and with a grand dance at the McIntyre recreation hall in the evening, Labour Day, Sept. 4th, promises to make the Porcupine the centre for visitors from many parts of the North.

Further particulars will be given in a few days of the big event for Labour Day. Watch for details given on programmes and posters. All who enjoy a good day of sports should make a special note of the event announced to be presented at the McIntyre athletic grounds on Labour Day, Sept. 4th.

## Toronto Man Judges Horticultural Show

### Some Corrections in Prize List and Announcements Issued. Class No. 37 Omitted from the Prize List. About the Garden Competition.

Officials of the Timmings Horticultural Society this week announced that the judge for the annual event this year will be Frank Sillifant, of Toronto. Mr. Sillifant is one of the judges on the official list of the Ontario Horticultural Association.

Attention is also called to the fact that Class No. 37 was left out of the prize list through a printer's error. Class No. 37 is—"Sweet Peas, 12 spikes, mixed colours."

Class No. 98 should read—"Peas, 3 inches and under, 12 pods."

To complete the corrections it may be noted that in The Advance last week in referring to the garden competition, gave one of the classes as "Gardens 20 foot and under" This was a typographical error. It should have read "30 foot and under." The next item made this apparent but to prevent misunderstanding the following information is repeated in regard to the garden competition.

The garden competition is held each year in connection with the annual horticultural show. Judging will likely be done on Saturday, Sept. 1st this year. All entries must be in for the garden competition by Aug. 31st.

There are special prizes for Hollinger townsite gardens but this does not prevent a townsite garden from being eligible as the "best garden in town."

For the Hollinger townsite gardens, first, second and third prizes are donated by the Hollinger Mines; fourth prize donated by Canadian Industries Limited; fifth prize by Timmings Provisions; sixth by A. J. Shragge; seventh by C. and C. Store.

Gardens, 30 feet and under, five prizes

Gardens 30 feet to 60 feet, Hollinger townsite excluded, 4 prizes.

Gardens over 60 feet, 3 prizes.

Entries for the garden competition may be left with the president, T. A. Skelly, 10 Sixth avenue, or with the secretary, A. E. Taylor, 22 Floral Park.

## COCHRANE BAND TO PLAY HERE ON SUNDAY EVENING

Cochrane's excellent band is to pay a visit here on Sunday evening, and will play at the band stand on Spruce street after the church services. This is a return visit, Timmings band having recently given an open-air concert at Cochrane. The Cochrane band is well worth hearing and there should be a big crowd out to give them a very hearty reception here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Black and children, of Toronto, are the guests of friends in Timmings.

## I.O.D.E. to Sponsor Tag Day for Blind

### On Saturday, August 26th, Timmings and District will be Canvassed for Sale of Tags. Many Volunteer for the Work to Help the Blind.

It is gratifying to know of the keen interest and enthusiasm which the good women of Timmings and district are taking in the cause of helping the blind in Canada. This is evidenced by the readiness of the I.O.D.E. to conduct a tag day and otherwise help to raise funds for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. D. B. Lawley, field organizer for this institution has been here for several days and is obviously warming many hearts to his worthy mission. The executive committee in charge of the preliminary arrangements are:—Mrs. J. A. McInnis, Mrs. L. E. Dorway, Mrs. H. G. Skavlem, Mrs. W. A. Devine, Mrs. M. B. Scott, Mrs. A. H. Cooke, Mrs. L. Halperin, Mrs. J. M. Douglas. Other ladies who will assist the I. O. D. E. at various points, Schumacher, Dome, South Porcupine, will be announced in the next issue of The Advance. A special meeting of all women participating or wishing to help in the tag day will be held at the clinic rooms, Fourth avenue, on Monday, Aug. 21st at 4 p.m., when Capt. E. A. Baker, M.C., B.Sc., will give an address of special interest on the prevention of blindness, as well as in regard to help to those afflicted. It is hoped that a large attendance will greet this distinguished guest speaker.

Following the plan adopted last year Mr. Lawley has inaugurated a campaign for Timmings and district to support the work of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. A large number of letters have been sent out explaining the work of the Institute and showing the great work being accomplished. The Institute in one way and another is helping 2400 blind people in Ontario, several of them being in Timmings and other parts of the North Land. This appeal for funds is sponsored by:—His Worship Mayor Geo. S. Drew, F. A. Burt (hon. secy.), A. Borland, R. J. F. Cosser, Rev. R. S. Cushing, H. P. DePencier, E. E. Dye, E. J. Ennis, Dr. S. L. Honey, W. S. Jamieson, C. G. Keddle, D. E. Keeley, Martin Knutson, E. L. Longmore, G. A. Macdonald, Dr. J. A. McInnis, Rev. Bruce Millar, Austin Neame, Rev. Fr. J. R. O'Gorman, Chas. Pierce, Dr. E. L. Roberts, O. Sauve, Bernard E. Sky, Reg. Smith, J. H. Stovel, Rev. Fr. Thurlow, W. S. McDowell (South Porcupine).

Fire Chief A. Borland, Mrs. Borland Miss Maimie Borland and Mr. and Mrs. A. Borland, Jr., and family, left this week by motor for their summer holidays in the South, London, Woodstock and other centres to be visited.

## Juniors Given Poor Usage at Kirkland

### Second in Junior Northern Ontario Championship Series Given as a Tie. Local Juniors Now Out For Bleed in Finals.

Timmings Juniors could do no more than tie at Kirkland Lake last Tuesday in the Northern Ontario championship game. The first game in the series of home and home games to decide the championship was played in Timmings last week. This game was won by Timmings. Both teams showed an unusually fine array of talent.

The second game was played at Kirkland Lake on Tuesday, and the best they could do was play to a tie, although most reports say that Timmings had the game sewed up only to have it snatched from them by the umpire. A crowd of almost a thousand saw the game and rooted most encouragingly for the Kirkland squad. But the local boys took it on the chin and stuck it through only to have the umpire call some raw decisions on them when they needed an even break.

In the seventh innings it was dark and hard to play. Timmings was leading 10-9 but the game wasn't called yet. In the eighth inning when the score was 11-11 the game was not called.

In the first part of the ninth, Timmings tallied one run before the side was retired. In the second part of the ninth Timmings had put one man out when a runner on first got away towards second. He was caught a good five feet off the bag but the umpire called him safe. No one could argue the point with him because it was too dark to see it clearly. The runner got another lucky decision at third base and then, with two weak batters up and the game sewed up, the ump. called the game. The score reverted to the eighth innings when the game was tied. This announcement was followed by a "Battle Royal."

The next game, or rather the replay of this game, is to be played next week. In this game arrangements are to be made to have neutral officials. In event of Kirkland winning, the third and final game will be played in Timmings.

The local team was surprised to have such a cold reception after treating the Kirkland boys as friends when they were here. The team is after blood now and promise to "wipe 'em out" when they go back to Kirkland.

## Play-offs in League Championship Ball

### Home and Home Games, Four of Them Between McIntyre and Kirkland Lake to Decide the Issue.

The Temiskaming Baseball League Championship play-offs are as follows: Kirkland Lake at McIntyre, Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 30th and 31st, 24th.

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## Pretty Wedding at St. Anthony's Church

### Popular Young Couple United in Marriage on Wednesday, Aug. 9th, St. Anthony's Church Timmings.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at St. Anthony's R. C. church, Timmings on Wednesday morning of last week, Aug. 9th, when Miss Edith Brouseau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brouseau, and Mr. Wilfred Dagenais, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Dagenais, Columbus avenue, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony, Rev. Fr. Pare officiating.

The bride looked very charming in a gown of silk chiffon organdie, flesh coloured and carried a bouquet of roses. She was given in marriage by her father, Mr. Eugene Brouseau.

After the wedding ceremony, breakfast was served to the wedding party at the home of the bride's parents.

The young couple left later in the day for Ottawa and Montreal and other points east for their honeymoon. On their return after the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Dagenais will reside in Timmings.

## Wedding Last Week of Popular Couple

### Quiet Wedding at United Church on Tuesday, Aug. 8, When Miss Dorothy Watts and Wm. McHugh Were United in Marriage.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the United Church manse, Timmings, on Tuesday, August 8, when Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Watts, of Twickenham, England, became the bride of Wm. G. McHugh, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McHugh, of Timmings.

The bride wore a gown of printed pink chiffon, white turban and white accessories, and carried a bouquet of red roses, mingled with lily-of-the-valley. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. J. Drew, wearing a pale blue crepe dress, with white accessories, and carrying a bouquet of pink roses and blue sweet peas.

The groom was attended by Mr. J. Drew.

After the ceremony, a buffet lunch was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Drew, there being 30 guests present.

Later, the happy couple left on their honeymoon trip to Bermuda, the bride wearing a white swaggar suit with white accessories.

Both bride and groom have wide circles of friends in town and district, being very popular in the younger social circles in town, and all will join in extending to them the sincere good wishes. The bride was for some years on the Northern Telephone Co. staff. The groom is accountant at the Northern Canada Power Co. office here.

Kirkland Lake was ahead 5-3 in the district baseball with McIntyre yesterday when the game had to be called in the seventh inning. A full report of the game is crowded out of this issue, but will appear next week.