

## Timmins Team May Drop Out of N.O.H.A.

### Town - Township Urge Roadway to Matachewan

Project of Road from South Porcupine to Matachewan Suggested as Needed Relief Work Now. Overhead Crossing Also Asked at Schumacher. Other Council Business.

Strong recommendations have been sent from the Timmins town council directly to Mitchell Hepburn, premier of Ontario, that something be done as soon as possible to provide work for the district's unemployed. The council suggests in the communication that the South Porcupine-Matachewan road be the one chosen as the needed relief project, as plans for this have already been drawn up.

Members of the township of Tisdale council were present at the special meeting of the Timmins council held Tuesday evening and the question of an overhead bridge at the railway crossing east of Schumacher as a safety measure was considered by the joint meeting. A recommendation in the name of both bodies was sent to the Ontario Government and a copy of the letter to the chief engineer of the T. & N. O.

The idea of an elevated crossing at this dangerous point was first suggested by Jack Dalton at a meeting of the council in December. Since that time both councils have been working on it and now the Ontario Government and the railway have it in their hands.

The Government will also be queried about the legality of the corporation taxing lands held by Ontario within the limits of Timmins.

**Tax Sale Next Week**  
Names of a few property owners were struck from the list of property to go up for sale by the town on Jan. 23rd. Special circumstances were taken into consideration when the council eliminated some properties that might be sold. The court of revision also acted on a few minor cases that were presented.

The water pumping contract with Hollinger which has expired after a ten-year term is being held in abeyance over a clause in the old contract that provides for a further ten-year extension. Hollinger will obtain legal opinion on the clause and if it is not satisfactory, a new contract will be made. The reduction of a half a cent per thousand gallons announced by Hollinger last week is now in effect but the resultant saving to the water users of Timmins cannot be worked out until the annual report of the waterworks committee is given. This will appear late in February and at that time the public will be informed of the amount of the reduction.

**Reduce Meter Rentals?**  
It is probable that a reduction will also be made in the rentals charged for water meters. This at present is 75 cents a quarter and those that have been installed for a period of four years will likely be entitled to a reduction of 50 cents a quarter. It is understood that the rentals will be the same for all those that have not been installed for four years.

**Chateaufort at Meeting**  
J. E. H. Chateaufort, who sent in a letter of resignation to the clerk last week, was present at the meeting, as he will still be a member until the next regular meeting of the council on Jan. 23rd, when his resignation will be considered if Mr. Chateaufort does not withdraw it before that time. He pleaded a previous engagement and left the board early in the evening.

All the other members of the council, Mayor Richardson, Wm. McDermott, Dr. Day, John Morrison, Alf. Caron, and J. P. Bartleman were present.

### Mayor and Council at Kiwanis Monday

Meeting Next Week at Noon as Usual. Many Interesting Points at Luncheon This Week.

President Arch Gillies was in the chair at the regular Kiwanis luncheon at the Legion club house on Monday and the meeting proved specially interesting.

The guests for the day included Mayor Richardson and Councillors J. P. Bartleman and Dr. E. A. F. Day, Town Clerk H. E. Montgomery, Dr. Wright, of Toronto, and Mr. Stock, district manager Mutual Life. All the members of the council had been invited but some were unable to be present on account of the calls of work.

Kiwanian Rev. Bruce Millar reported approximately 1,000 half-pints of milk now being delivered weekly to the various schools, a considerable portion of this being provided by the Kiwanis Club. He also reported the case of a large family of children in need of milk, which the club has agreed to provide until other relief can be arranged.

The hall not being available there will be no evening meeting next week as planned, the regular meeting to be held at noon as usual.

The mayor and councillors were introduced by ex-Mayor Geo. S. Drew, and their remarks were much appreciated. Mayor Richardson announced his support of an open air rink for 2000-hockey, which is considered very worthy as it will help to provide healthy recreation for boys and also keep their minds occupied with manly sports. Councillors J. P. Bartleman and Dr. Floyd Day expressed their approval of the rink while Councillor Bartleman also remarked that while they as councillors and citizens were interested in the work of the Kiwanis Club for underprivileged children they also were interested in assisting underprivileged taxpayers.

Kiwanian R. E. Dye, on behalf of the club, thanked the mayor and councillors for their visit and interesting addresses, and at the same time mentioned that the club had decided to invite the 1935 council to the meeting before the last municipal election was held and therefore before it was known who the members of the 1935 council would be.

### Special Train Wednesday for Junior Game at Falls

A special train to Iroquois Falls will be run next Wednesday night when the Timmins junior team goes to the paper town for their second meet. The teams are evenly matched and the game in the Falls should be a good one.

### Two Die as Nova Scotia River Overflows



Two people lost their lives and thousands of dollars damage was done in and around Truro, Nova Scotia, when the Salmon river overflowed its banks and flooded the surrounding countryside. Above scenes from flood areas show UPPER LEFT, an impromptu ferry from Oxford to S. Oxford. UPPER RIGHT main street and railway yards at Kentville, under three feet of water. BELOW, ice cakes deposited on streets of Truro.

## Expect Nearly 60 Rinks at T. & N. O. Bonspiel

Fifth Annual Event of the T. & N. O. Curling Association to Start at Noranda Feb. 4th. Famous Rankin Rink, Montreal and Two Toronto Rinks Expected.

The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Curling Association announces its fifth annual bonspiel to be held at Noranda commencing at 9 a.m. on Monday, February 4th, 1935.

There will be 5 events and 88 prizes. Notices sent out by W. H. Given, secretary Ncranda Curling Club invite all to attend the event and enjoy Quebec hospitality.

It is expected that nearly 60 rinks will be entered so reservations should be reserved as early as possible.

The famous Rankin rink of Montreal and two rinks from Toronto are expected to be present and compete in the bonspiel.

The five events for the bonspiel are as follows:—

The Geo. W. Lee trophy—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes—open to all rinks entering bonspiel.

The Hill-Clark-Francis event—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes—open to all rinks losing in the preliminary or first round of the Lee trophy.

The Dunbar Shield—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes—open to all rinks not

reaching semi-finals of Lee or Northern Canada Power trophy.

Canada Northern Power Trophy—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes—Open to all rinks entering bonspiel.

Purity Flour Trophy—1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th prizes—Open to all rinks losing in preliminary or first round of Canada Northern Power Trophy.

The Grand Aggregate—1st and 2nd prizes—for the rink winning the greatest number of games in the bonspiel.

The T. & N. O. bonspiel is the big curling event in the North and always attracts large groups of enthusiastic curlers to the centre where the event may be held. There will no doubt be a large attendance of the clubs of the North at the event commencing on Feb. 4th and likely to carry through the greater part of the week. The event itself is one that has great pulling power with curlers while all will also know that at Noranda they may be sure of the finest hospitality and the best sort of a good time all the way along.

### Vimy Gold Mines to Instal Plant Soon

40-Ton Mill, Compressor Hoist, Crushers, etc., for Vimy Gold Mines, Ltd.

What will be one of the first gold mills in the Ramore district is on order by Vimy Gold Mines, Ltd., a company working 320 acres of land in Hislop township and in which the controlling interest is owned in Timmins. Joe Berini, secretary-treasurer of Vimy, told The Advance this week that a complete mine plant has been ordered and that it should be in operation by spring. It includes a 40-ton mill, compressor, hoist, crushers and other necessary equipment.

More than a ton of ore taken from the property is now in Ottawa for a test mill run and Mr. Berini will go to Ottawa to be present when the department of mines puts it through the various processes.

**To Work Open Vein**  
A vein, now exposed for 1,300 feet will be the scene of the first work and the sinking of a shaft will not likely be begun until the surface ore has proven itself. The officers of the company wish to get the mine on a production basis just as quickly as possible so as to avoid the lapse of time between expensive preliminary operations and actual milling of ore.

Financing of the company was done in Timmins and few persons outside the town hold stock in it. The company is capitalized at 1,000,000 shares of \$1 par value and about 200,000 shares have been sold for financing at between 30c and 60c. The owners of the lands have 400,000 shares of the company stock pooled and held by a chartered bank.

"The equipment is bought and paid for," Mr. Berini stated, "and will be delivered after we see the Ottawa results."

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dooley left for Florida last week.

### Charged with Having Illicit Liquor Here

Police Arrest Victor Vinkka at his Home Maple Street, North, Last Night. Some Liquor Seized.

Chief Paul and Sergt. Salley were busy again last night and as a result there will be one more case before Magistrate Atkinson on his next visit here.

The accused is Victor Vinkka, 207 Maple street, north. There have been some complaints from the district in which this man lives and as a consequence a check was made of the traffic to the house. Among the "customers" visiting the district last night were Chief Paul and Sergt. Salley and they were able to get inside the place although they had no invitation and no ticket of admission, except a search warrant. Once inside they found some home-made liquor and eventually this was seized and the accused man was taken to the cells and locked up. The charge against Vinkka is that he had liquor not purchased from the vendor as required in all such cases.

Both Fire Trucks Out at the One Time Last Night

Two telephone alarms within three minutes of each other had both fire trucks on the go last night about 8.30. The first one at 5 Way Avenue was answered by the small truck and while it was away a call came from 69 Balm Street, south to which the big ladder truck was taken.

There was no damage in either fire. This morning at 10 o'clock a call to 24 Commercial Avenue was another chimney fire.

### Department Exams Earlier This Year

All Must be Over Before July 1st Says Deputy Minister of Education in Announcement at Toronto.

No department of education examinations in Ontario must be held after June 30th this year, was the definite announcement made by Duncan McArthur, Deputy Minister of Education this week.

This announcement follows the prediction promises made by Hon. Dr. L. J. Simpson, Minister of Education while speaking to his constituents. During recent years the dates set for examinations have been keeping a large number of high school students at work until after the first week of July.

The change will make more difference to the lower, middle and upper high school examinations than to those for high school entrance.

### The Semi-Weekly Smile

A local gentleman who sometimes smokes cigars but never bowls, though he tries occasionally, passes on the following:—

"I wuz out to de Washington's to a bridge party las' night, an' won secoun' prize," said one nigger to another.

"What wuz de secoun' prize?"

"I got to kiss de hostess?"

"Mah goodness, what wuz de fust prize?"

"A quash."

## McIntyre to Stay Despite Loss of Two Star Wings

Vail Refuses Chance to Try-out with Cleveland Indians. Will be in Game Saturday. Timmins Hockey Team May have to Withdraw.

Between the C.A.H.A. refusing "branch to branch" transfers to McIntyre hockey players and the loss of some valuable material by Timmins, senior hockey here threatened to peter out this week.

Unless something new turns up before the end of the week, it is likely that Timmins will withdraw from senior N.O.H.A. competition. The executive has been busy trying to arrange ways and means of keeping a team in the league but it is rather late in the season now and unless something or somebody turns up before the week-end there is every probability that the schedule will be played out minus a Timmins entry. The Advance learned late this morning.

McIntyre will continue to play and hopes to keep up a strong team.

Kenneth (Sparky) Vail is not going to Cleveland to try out with the Indians in the International League, the team in which his brother is a star. The offer came a day or so ago but Ken decided yesterday not to accept it. He will be on the ice Saturday night for McIntyre when they meet Kirkland Lake.

The Macs are going to put up the strongest team they possibly can against the Millionaires and even though they have lost Malloy and Follhill through the C.A.H.A. decision to refuse them transfers, they still have strong hopes of winning from the team they nearly beat in Kirkland Lake.

Vail, according to the McIntyre management, is satisfied with his job there and is a good worker. The Advance was told that his retention in the employ of the mine does not de-

pend in any way on his playing ability but that his status with the mine is the same as that of any other employee. The same applies to all the other players on the McIntyre team.

The Macs admit that they could use a few of the Timmins players on their line-up should the Gold Diggers definitely decide to drop out of the league but they are doubtful whether the N.O.H.A. would allow them to use Timmins players on their team at this late stage, with the permission of the other teams in the group, it might be arranged.

One of the reasons given for the possible withdrawal of Timmins from N.O.H.A. competition is lack of support from the fans. It is said that it has been a losing proposition to date.

### McIntyre President and Some Directors Visit Here

The president and two of the directors of McIntyre-Porcupine Mines Limited, were in town for a few days this week on one of their periodical visits to the property. They arrived Monday and remained here until yesterday when they returned to Toronto.

J. P. Bickell, the president; Strachan Johnson and Ben Smith, directors, made up the official party this week.

Plans are under way at North Bay to give increases in salaries to civic employees. In recent years there has been a tendency to cut down and now the feeling is growing that for the best service towns and cities like private individuals must pay living wages or lose out in service.

## Juniors Have First Win in Hard-Fought Hockey

Two Junior Goalies Look Good When Iroquois Falls Visits Timmins in Opening Game in Junior Hockey. Richard Scores Only Goal. Fans Get Thrills.

A game little team of Eskimos from Iroquois Falls went down to defeat last night before a nicely performing Timmins junior team in a game that had all the thrills, kids who never know when they're licked can give. Mayor Richardson faced off the puck that officially opened Junior hockey here this winter.

The score of one to nothing indicates nothing more nor less than that there were two sterling net-minders. Barbarie in particular in the Timmins goal looks like a real comer. In fact he's almost there now. The Falls had the better of the play for minutes on end yet when there was no one but Barbarie to beat, it just could not be done. When the crowd groaned at what looked like a sure tally, the puck would turn up in Barbarie's glove which appeared from the other side of the net to catch the rubber on its way in.

**Another Porter Appears**  
Porter, another of the hockey playing Porters, of the Falls was in the other goal and though he did some great work, he didn't have the opportunity to star that Barbarie did.

The scoring sheet for the first and third periods is blank. Richards did the job when the time came about five minutes into the second. He carried the puck up, shot over the wire, took it from the face-off that followed when the puck was returned to the ice,

circled the net, shot, came in for the rebound and scored.

There were a number of penalties handed out during the game by Referee Jennings Shea and there could have been plenty more had he wanted.

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### Important Meeting of Legion on Monday

More Nominations for Officers for 1935. Presentation of the Quarterly Report. Other Matters.

The regular monthly meeting of the Timmins branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in the club house on Monday evening commencing at 8 p.m. sharp. A big attendance is asked for this meeting. All members able to turn out should do so, as there is considerable important business. In the first place there will be more nominations for the 1935 officers. Next there is the quarterly financial statement to be received and considered. Also, there will be initiation of a large number of new members. No member of the Legion should miss this meeting, as there will be so much of special interest to be dealt with that a full attendance is fully warranted.

### As Amelia Completed Pacific Flight

AMELIA EARHART PUTNAM  
Though she failed to break any records, Amelia Earhart Putnam completed a daring jaunt from Honolulu across the open Pacific ocean to Oakland, California. The famous aviatrix is seen here as she climbed from her aeroplane to receive plaudits of the crowd.



Shirley Temple enjoys a ride on the back of her 20-year-old brother, Jack.



JOSEPH BUERCKEL

According to a despatch from the German capital, Adolf Hitler has named Joseph Buerckel (pictured) to be governor of the Saar territory, upon its expected reincorporation into the reich as a result of the plebiscite on Sunday (Jan. 13). It was announced also that the Saar territory would be made into one of the thirty departments into which Germany is to be divided when the political reform of the reich has been completed by the Nazi government.

### Two Chimney Fire Calls on Wednesday, No Damage

Two fire calls on Wednesday were both chimneys. A phone call followed within a minute by a call from box 9 at Rochester and Toke at six o'clock in the morning took the department to 53 Lake Shore Road. At 12.10 p.m. 68 Maple street south was the scene of another chimney fire that did no damage.