

An American Tragedy



Carlyle in the Des Moines Register

steady promotion in Dominion Stores since he first joined the organization as Assistant to the Secretary. He is a native of Ontario and during the war served with the Canadian Flying Corps. Mr. Stewart is a Director of Corporate Investors, Limited, and a member of the Rotary Club, the Scarborough Golf Club and the Eglinton Hunt Club.

Mr. Kemp, the newly elected director, was born in London, England, and educated at Oxford University and McGill University. Prior to joining the Dominion Stores organization, he was associated with the National City Company, Limited, in Montreal, in the Industrial Investigation Department. During the war he served overseas as an officer of the 60th Battalion, Victoria Rifles of Canada. He was wounded and was awarded the D.S.O. and M.C.

About the Land-Clearing Bonus Planned for North

The Halleyburian last week says:—"One of the hopes of Northern settlers may be fulfilled in the near future, according to report in a Toronto paper last week, which stated that Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Development, admitted that he had under consideration a policy of bonusing Northern Ontario settlers for work done on their farm holdings in the way of clearing and tilling the land. The plan would be submitted to the Cabinet at an early date, the report said, and it was expected that if given approval, legislation requisite to the establishing of a bonus system would be brought down at the coming session of the Legislature. For some years there has been an agitation of this nature, especially in the more northern sections of the country where settlers find it very difficult to make a living and at the same time improve their farms. A bonus from the government, based on the amount of clearing done each year, would not only prove a great boon to the struggling farmers but would react to the benefit of the whole North. One of the planks in the last provincial election platform of the former Henry Conservative administration was a policy of bonusing of settlers for the land brought under cultivation."

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Girls' Basketball at South Porcupine

South Porcupine H.S. Girls the Victors in Fast and Exciting Game.

South Porcupine, Ont., Feb. 9, 1935. Special to The Advance.

Condensed from a report of the game by a High School girl. The first home game of the South Porcupine High School Girls' basketball series was played on Saturday, February 9th, against Timmins H. S. The poor turnout did not daunt the spirits of these girls and the game was fast and exciting as can be indicated by the final score of 25 to 21, in favour of the South Porcupine High School girls.

Catherine Foster put in the first basket with a beautiful shot after a scrimmage in the corner. Three shots had been tried but skillful work of the Timmins guards foiled them.

Betty Jordan in an anxious attempt to secure the ball made a personal foul and the free shot resulted in a basket for Timmins.

After an attempt by Mary MacIntosh, Catherine Foster put in another basket making the score 4 to 1 for South End. The Timmins girls retaliated with a basket by Alice Villeneuve.

In the second quarter Beulah Rayner substituted for Irene Kaufman. Beulah's foot gave the team a few anxious minutes before the game but she decided to go on despite this mishap. Newsham Haneberry substituted for Betty Jordan as jumping centre.

The second period opened with better combination and less bunching. Before two minutes had passed Lorraine Charron made a basket for Timmins. Later the basket was carried back again and Timmins scored with another spectacular shot.

Lorraine put in a free shot and soon after another basket. The game continued in Timmins territory and Alice put in one for Timmins. South End would not let them get away with this though, and Catherine tried to put it in but luck was against her. A Timmins guard caught the ball and Emily Cole made a technical foul by trying to capture it.

Lorraine Charron the perfect Timmins forward, put in another of her famous free shots. Then half-time was called with the score 13 to 4 for Timmins.

The next quarter opened with South End anxious to make up for those extra baskets and they were rewarded by gaining one. Then Lorraine put in a perfect basket from the line for Timmins. Beulah tried to make a basket for South End but failed and Catherine put it in after some good work. Louise Abramson made a foul and South End put in the free shot.

Mary MacIntosh made a free shot and after several long shots made another basket. Once started this lightning forward could not leave the basket alone and after a few minutes put in two beautiful shots.

Louise Abramson took steps with the ball and it was tossed in from out of bounds just as the whistle blew. The score was 15 to 14 for South End.

Catherine Foster made a lovely basket from the line to start off the last period. Less than half a minute later Alice got a basket from Timmins but then our matchless Catherine Foster rained on the basket a volley of shots until she succeeded. The ball was taken into Timmins territory but back to the S.P.H.S. basket where Mary scored. She made a free shot after a few minutes also after a foul on the Timmins side. Catherine put in a basket for the S.P. Girls and after Beulah nearly broke her back stopping her, Alice put in a basket for Timmins. She put in another a few minutes later but while Mary MacIntosh's guard was up in the centre she scored a perfect shot for South End.

George Kaufman refereed the game. Timmins—Lorraine Charron, Alice Villeneuve, forwards; Mary Stachow, centre; Louise Abramson, sub; Barbara Hawse, side centre; Nellie Ploppis, Ruth Brown, guards.

South Porcupine—Mary MacIntosh, Catherine Foster, forwards; June Kaufman, Beulah Rayner, sub, side centre; Emily Cole, Catherine MacPhail, guards; Newsham Haneberry, Betty Jordan, sub jumping centre.

Milverton Sun:—Now we read where some fellow in the far West claims to be sensitive to radio waves. He isn't in a class by himself for some of the programmes at least have always given the rest of us in the world a pain in the neck.

S. McChesney's Brother Dies at New Liskeard

The death of one of the pioneers of the North is chronicled last week by The New Liskeard Speaker in writing of the death of John McChesney, brother of S. McChesney, of Timmins. The Speaker says:—

"The many friends and relatives were shocked to learn of the sudden and very sad death of a highly respected citizen, Mr. John McChesney, at the age of seventy-five years. Coming to Northern Ontario from North Sherbrooke, county of Lanark, in 1868, Mr. McChesney took up farming outside of New Liskeard where he was one of the pioneers. After farming for a number of years, he went into the lumbering business. In his later years Mr. McChesney devoted his life to prospecting. His death is keenly felt throughout the North. Mr. McChesney was predeceased by his wife in 1916, and leaves to mourn his passing three daughters, Mrs. D. McWhinnie, of Detroit, Mrs. I. Foy, of Iroquois Falls, and Mrs. C. Boyce, of New Liskeard; also four sisters, Mrs. Bowen, of Hudson township, Mrs. O'Hara, of Smith's Falls, Mrs. Barker, of Hartsmere, Mrs. Hunter, of Lanark; and two brothers, Sam, of Timmins, and Albert, of New Liskeard. The funeral service, held at the Bethel Gospel Hall, was conducted by Mr. Rowdon, of Cobalt, and Mr. E. Smith. The remains were laid to rest in New Liskeard cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs W. A. Taylor, A. A. McKelvie, W. Armstrong, D. McLean, W. McKnight and John Gray. Many floral tributes received showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends and relatives.

Wreaths: Sam and family; Albert, Edna and family; Eva, Chart and family; Basket: Friends from Cobalt; Sprays: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bowen and family; Claude, May, Dorothy and Ted; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McChesney and family; Manse, Mandaline and Maxine; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Mallett; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Young and Phyllis; Mr. and Mrs. John McFarlane."

Big Hit Made Here by Major Urquhart

"Spiritual Special" of the Salvation Army Interests Big Crowds with his Music and Addresses.

Major Urquhart of Toronto, "spiritual special" of the Salvation Army, concluded a seven-day series of meetings in Timmins on Wednesday evening. On Friday the major left for North Bay where the work in the North Country will be continued.

"It was a very successful campaign all the way through," Major Hilliard of the Timmins Army told The Advance. "All the meetings were well-attended. The spiritual and financial results were very gratifying."

Major Urquhart is an accomplished musician as he demonstrated well at the large Wednesday night meeting when the hall was so crowded that some of the audience could not find seats. He plays 36 instruments and although he did not bring them all with him, novel instruments easily made in the house made a hit with the crowd. The major played various selections on the mandolin, sleigh bells, carpenter's saw, a tin can with a string attached, kitchen utensils (a broom, rolling pin, tea kettle and two small dippers), fairy bells, guitar, mouthorgan and hand bells. He even played a duct by himself, using the mouthorgan and guitar in one number. He used the guitar as accompaniment for his vocal solo.

Others who took part in the Wednesday night programme were Mrs. Vera Stephens, Miss Winnie Stephens and Miss May Alkerton who sang a trio and Mr. and Mrs. Havins and Milvie Nichols who played an instrumental trio.

On Tuesday afternoon nearly 300 school children crowded the hall to hear Major Urquhart in a special children's meeting. Included in the short programme was an object lesson in which three magic bottles were used. One bottle, representing the pure heart, contained crystal-clear water. The second, representing the bad heart, held a dark liquid. A few drops from the dark bottle were placed in the water and immediately it turned almost as black as the other. Then a third bottle was produced, representing the purifying influence of Christ's word. Just a few drops from that in the liquid so recently turned dark and it became clear again.

The children were enthusiastic applauders of Major Urquhart's "magic."

Possible Results of the Trial of Bruno Hauptmann

With all the evidence presented in the case of the trial of Bruno Hauptmann on the charges of kidnapping and murdering the baby son of Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh, there is naturally considerable question as to the probable outcome of the trial. The possibilities of the trial are outlined clearly in a despatch received from Flemington, New Jersey, the little town in which the trial is being held. The despatch says that any of four things can happen to Bruno Richard Hauptmann when his trial for the Lindbergh kidnapping-murder closes.

They are:
1. The jury can acquit him.
2. The jury can convict him of first degree murder, which carries the death penalty.
3. The jury can convict him of murder with a recommendation for mercy, in which event the penalty would be life imprisonment.
4. The jury can disagree, necessitating a new trial.

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Major Relief Works Not to be Commenced

Premier Heppburn Confirms Story that Treasury Department Wants to Hold Down Costs.

A despatch from Toronto last week to the effect that the Ontario Government had definitely put the brakes upon relief works expenditure was confirmed by a later despatch quoting Premier Heppburn in the matter.

"There will be no major undertakings commenced from now on. That is the definite policy of the Government. We simply have not got the money," Premier Heppburn, is quoted as saying.

Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Northern Development, who has been suffering from a severe attack of influenza for the past two weeks, frankly admitted that other members of the Government had expressed alarm over his departmental expenditures.

While Mr. Heenan stated that he has been unable to keep in close touch with all departmental affairs during his illness, he said as far as he was aware, no immediate move was contemplated to curtail the works program that had already been commenced.

The Prime Minister's declaration came when asked if the contract for the 11 miles of highway immediately west of Keewatin in Kenora had been awarded. "I know nothing about that contract," said Premier Heppburn. "I can say that, however, there will be no more major road work commenced in the north now. That will be our policy."

Tenders closed for the construction of the Keewatin link in the Trans-Canada Highway at the Department of Northern Development last Tuesday. As a result of the government's decision to embark on no more undertakings in Northern Ontario, this project, which was expected to be costly due to the rocky section of the country, will be abandoned.

"I am aware that the expenditures in Northern Ontario were causing concern to the treasury," Mr. Heenan said. "They have been very high through no fault of the Government. When our program to take the relief burden off the municipalities was drafted, it was expected that we would receive the same assistance from the Dominion Government that the Henry Administration received."

"Instead they turned us down. I am still hoping that we will be assisted and that no curtailment will be necessary. While the cost of our program in the North has caused worry to the Government, I am still hoping that Ottawa will assist us." Mr. Heenan was bitter in his criticism of the Dominion authorities whom he blames for the present plight in which the Government finds itself. At one point in an interview with The North Bay Nugget he is quoted as referring to the Dominion Government as "Shysters" who deceived the people of Ontario.

TEA AND SALE OF BAKING AUSPICES, LADIES GUILD

A tea and sale of home baking is announced by the Ladies' Guild of St. Matthew's church, Timmins, on Wednesday, Feb. 13th, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Caldwell, 16 Hemlock street, from 3 to 6 p.m.

Gold Taxes has Amounted to Close to Six Millions

Since imposition of the gold tax last year, the Canadian Treasury has been enriched by \$5,883,711, Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes said on Friday in reply to a question in the House of Commons. The largest contributor was Ontario, whose mines accounted for \$4,867,702 of the total.

Quebec's gold tax yielded \$733,974 and that of British Columbia \$282,034. The Minister explained the totals were subject to adjustment for income tax.

Investigation Asked in the "Pepper" Bubble

London, Eng., Feb. 11th—The pepper bubble that burst last week and threatened disaster to several large spice brokerage offices here, will be officially investigated, if Joseph D. Rolls has his way. Mr. Rolls is heavily interested in one of the firms that tried to corner the market on pepper.

The crash of the pool and the decline in the price of pepper came when orders exceeded the pool member's expectations. East India shippers, puzzled but happy that there was such a heavy London demand for the spice, began immediately to ship reserves which otherwise would be left in storage for months, perhaps years. Now London warehouses are jammed with pepper and still it continues to come from the east. A shipload is now in the Mediterranean which will add several thousand tons to the already large reserves.

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Important Promotions for Dominion Stores Officers

A special despatch from Toronto this morning says:—The promotion of three executives to positions of prime importance in the organization of Dominion Stores, Limited, was announced to-day by Morley Smith, president. They are W. F. Stewart, F. R. Paget and A. A. Beevor.

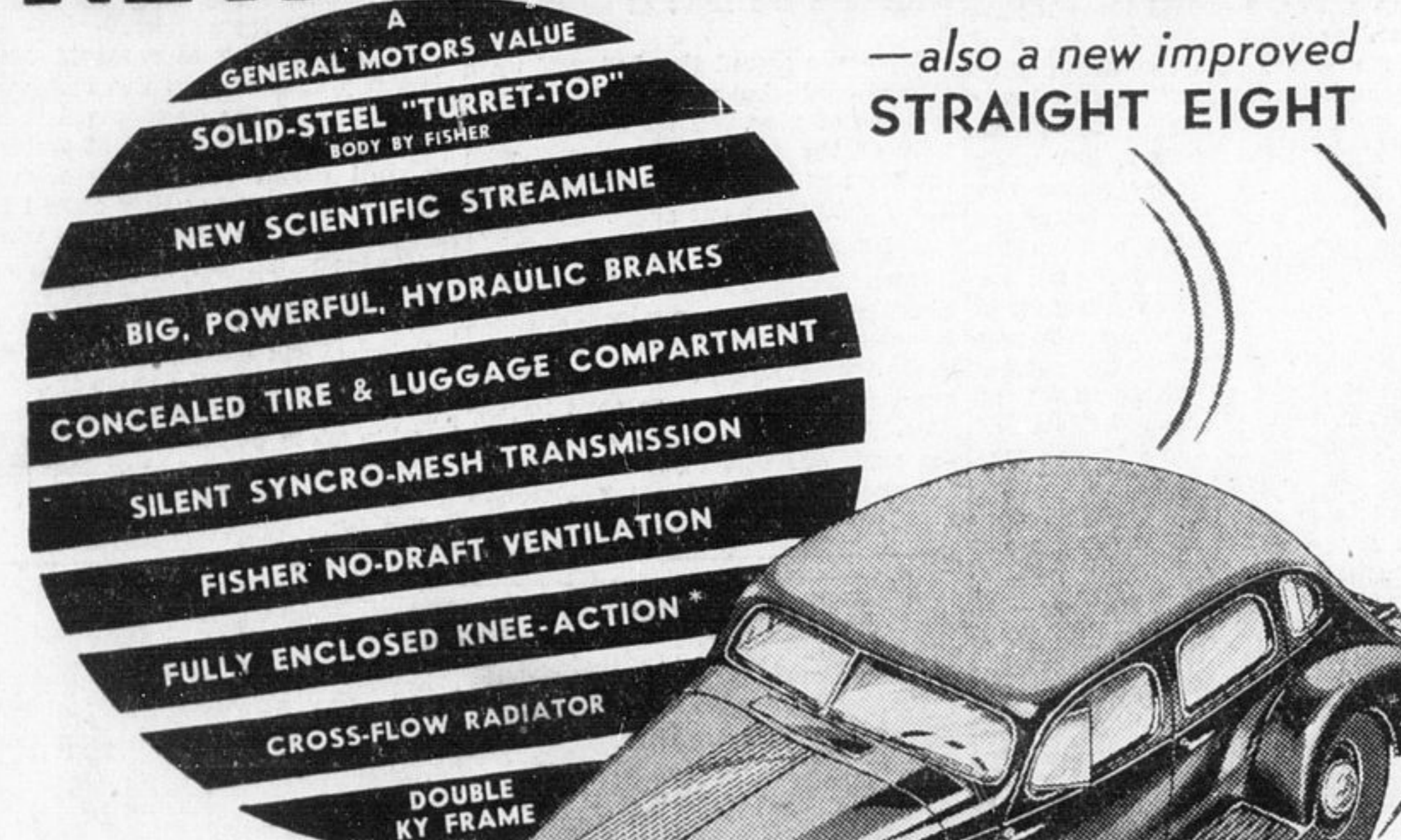
Mr. Stewart, formerly Secretary and Treasurer of the Company, becomes Vice-President in charge of all the company's operations in approximately 500 stores in Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. He has been a director since 1929.

Mr. Paget, formerly Divisional Inspector of the Toronto Division and Assistant Secretary, becomes the company's Secretary and Assistant Toronto Manager, while Mr. Beevor, Toronto Office Manager in charge of the accounting for this division, becomes Assistant Treasurer.

Other changes announced include the election of J. Collin Kemp, of Montreal, to the position of Director and his appointment as Manager of the Montreal Division. C. F. Hatton, of Montreal, was made Treasurer of the company.

Mr. Stewart joined the Dominion Stores organization in 1924 and played an important part in the expansion of the system into Canada's largest food chain. He was formerly with the Standard Bank of Canada and has received

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