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TEN YEARS AGO IN TIMMINS

From data in the Porcupine Advance Files.

Ten years ago Godfrey Jelbert, four years old, and his brother Jack, two years old, arrived in Timmins after having been under the parental care of the Cunard Steamship company and the Canadian National Railway. These transportation companies passed the two little lads from one to the other on the long trip from England to Timmins. Their parents who lived at 48 Broadway avenue had come to Timmins a year previously and undecided whether or not they would remain in Canada, had left their two sons at home. "Not necessary at all for anyone to go after them or for anyone to come out with them," said J. K. Moore, local Cunard agent. The two boys had as much attention and care as would royalty itself. In London, a European representative of the national road took them in hand and escorted them to Southampton where the chief stewardess of the liner Antonia welcomed them and saw to their comforts all the way to Halifax. There they were met by another C.N.R. official, who accompanied them to Montreal. The conductor of the Continental Limited, which in those days came up through Porcupine Junction, took them in charge at Montreal and the anxious parents met their brave young travellers at the Junction to bring them to their new home.

In 1925, the government of the province was apparently not in such grave need of funds, for The Advance of Feb. 18th announces that an extension in the time of buying motor vehicle markers to Feb. 28th had been granted by the department of highways.

"That rink on the Central public school grounds is one of the finest things in Timmins," a citizen of the town is reported as saying in 1925. "A majority of those giving any thought to the matter will give very hearty endorsement to this idea," comments

The Advance.

Prospectors' classes were held in the gymnasium of the High School ten years ago conducted by Dr. W. L. Goodwin of the Ontario Department of Mines. Illustrated lectures on geology and mineral deposits were given in the evening as well as the more practical lessons of identifying minerals in the afternoon.

Byrnes church, Timmins, observed its eight anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 15th, 1925, by special services, and on Monday by afternoon tea and high tea served by the Ladies Aid, together with a lecture in the evening by Rev. Alex MacMillan, Toronto. The Toronto minister also conducted both morning and evening services on Sunday and, as a member of the Church Praise Committee, he gave the congregation a new insight into the reasons behind church praise. Rev. Mr. MacMillan impressed the variety of forms of praise on the congregation in a most enlightening address in which he analysed the substance of many hymns and pointed out their strong characteristics.

On Thursday, Feb. 12th, 1925, the Presbytery of Temiskaming met at Schumacher for the purpose of inducing into the pastoral charge of the Union Church there, Rev. C. Armstrong Sales, who for the ten years previous to that time had been ministering in Schumacher as a "stated supply." The members of the Presbytery taking part were:—Rev. J. H. MacInnis, moderator of the Presbytery of New Liskeard, who presided and inducted; Rev. M. Hutton of Monteith, who preached; Rev. J. O. Watts, of Haileybury, clerk to the Presbytery, who addressed the congregation, and Rev. J. D. Parks, of Timmins, who read the Scriptures. M. B. Scott, elder of Timmins, was also present.

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Robbers Take Away Victim's Footwear

Paul McGoch, of Rouyn, Robbed Near Kirkland Lake. Shoes and Stockings Stolen to Hinder Pursuit.

A startling story of a new and particularly vicious form of robbery is reported from Kirkland Lake. Paul McGoch, a Rouyn workman, informed the police that he had been set upon in Label township by two men and after they had robbed him of the \$24.00 he had on his person, the assailants forcibly removed his boots and stockings leaving him barefooted in the snow in weather below zero. The idea of the robbers in taking the unfortunate man's footwear was undoubtedly to hinder any pursuit, and the plan certainly accomplished its purpose. The shoes and stockings were thrown into the bush by the robbers but McGoch was not able to find his footwear and had to make his way into Kirkland Lake and ill from exposure. Two of the unfortunate man's toes were frozen. According to the story given by McGoch to the police, he had been visiting a friend in Label township and was on way to Kirkland Lake when assaulted and robbed.

Passing two men on the trail, about two miles from town, the unsuspecting bushman was set upon from behind. While one man held him prisoner, the other went through his pockets removing the money. As an afterthought, the high top miner's boots and heavy woolen socks were removed. Throwing the footwear into the bush the holdup men made good their escape.

Mr. McGoch was picked up by John Nesbitt, a local miner, after he had covered about a mile and a half of the journey to town. Nesbitt assisted him to shelter and later searched the bush for his boots which were found only after considerable difficulty. The victim was later removed to a local hospital where he received medical attention.

Provincial police at Kirkland Lake have the case in hand.

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The Story of a "Triennium of Joyful Service" Given

"A Triennium of Joyful Service" is the title of the report of the Council for Social Service of the Church of England to the 16th General Synod held in 1934, which has just been published and is available for distribution. The colour is a lovely shade of blue and the cover design is most attractive. It contains as a frontispiece an excellent picture of Canon C. W. Vernon, late General Secretary of the Council for Social Service. The report includes an account of the three years of the various activities of the Council, the work of the executive committee, and the financial report of the treasurer.

It deals with the welfare work at the council's office, efforts for the relief of sufferers in the prairie districts who have suffered from drought and grasshoppers, and for those trekking into the North to discover fresh fields where drought is unknown. There are a number of illustrations showing the activities in unemployment relief camps supplied by Church of England workers. Pictures of the work being done in the "left behind" country by the Cowley Fathers and the nursing sisters of St. Margaret near Bracebridge add much interest. The work of the Church Army, Women's Auxiliary,

Summer School's, the welfare of the prisoners in Ontario, Chaplaincy work, etc., all have their place in this interesting pamphlet.

The report closes with an appeal for increased and increasing aid by prayer, study, almsgiving and work in its efforts to build the King's highway in the hearts and lives of the people of Canada.

A copy of this report will be sent free on application to the office of the Council for Social Service, 604 Jarvis Street, Toronto 5, Ont.

Millerton Sun.—Some men grow with responsibility, but the most of us just blat.

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George O'Brien in "DUDE RANGER"

Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada

Sixty-fourth Annual Report — 1934

ASSURANCES IN FORCE, December 31, 1934	\$2,748,725,403
NEW ASSURANCES PAID FOR	236,215,961
INCOME DISBURSEMENTS	159,251,023
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER DISBURSEMENTS	43,589,726
PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS AND BENEFICIARIES:	
During the year 1934	88,160,206
Since Organization	888,330,239
ASSETS	665,378,716
LIABILITIES	651,115,531
PAID-UP CAPITAL (\$2,000,000) and balance at credit of shareholders' account	\$3,299,728
RESERVE for depreciation in mortgages and real estate	5,012,619
SURPLUS	5,950,818
	\$14,263,165

The valuation of bonds and stocks has been made in accordance with the basis authorized by the Insurance Department of the Dominion of Canada, and in conformity with the bases authorized by the Departments of Insurance of the various Provinces of Canada, and the National Convention of Insurance Commissioners of the United States. Policy liabilities have been valued by the full net level premium method, a standard more exacting than is required under the provisions of the Dominion Insurance Act.

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