

## Associated Boards Press Needs of North

### Expert Finds Municipal Accounting System Good

Some Desirable Improvements Suggested to Meet Enlarged Needs of Town. Mayor Thinks Survey Well Worth While. Council Meets Expert and Discusses Suggestions.

"I think the whole thing has been well worth while," was Mayor R. Richardson's comment following the meeting of the council with T. H. Franklin, registered accountant, of Toronto, who has been studying the town's accounting system for the past two weeks. Mr. Franklin has recommended several alterations in the system, some of them eliminating detail work, others increasing it slightly, but on the whole giving those in charge an adequate and fast check on all the finance of the various departments. Just what the changes are will probably be announced later this week, when the accountant's job is complete and his report turned in. He has been retained for a few days more to see his recommendations carried into effect and will be in Timmins until Thursday or Friday.

Town Clerk H. E. Montgomery and his whole staff have co-operated in every possible way. It is reported by the expert, and will be able to make the changes without much trouble.

**As Good as Most Municipalities**  
The town's old accounting system was as good if not better than most Ontario municipalities, Mr. Franklin is reported as having told the council. Timmins has simply outgrown the one at present in use so that it has become unwieldy in some departments. The council discussed the question with the Toronto accountant Wednesday night until about midnight and again on Thursday evening for a few hours. They are heartily in accord with the recommendations.

The original cost of the survey, according to the letter received from Mr. Franklin in July, was to be \$250. The total cost, since he has been retained for a few days more, will be slightly over that figure.

When the new system is installed, it is hoped that the town will be completely safeguarded from any sort of repetition of the situation now awaiting trial where \$17,000 is alleged to have been lost to the town through false entries.

### Timmins Band Will Play for Big "Jamboree" Here

The Timmins Citizens' Band has offered its services for the big Temiskaming and Cochrane Boy Scouts jamboree here on Friday and Saturday of this week. It was announced last week. The local association is holding another meeting to-night to make final arrangements for the big event.

Tickets are now on sale for the programme in the Timmins skating rink on Saturday, and it is expected that a large number will be sold.

### It's Poll Tax Time in Timmins Town Now

Police Put on the Pressure to Collect \$10 from Every Unmarried Non-Property Owner.

Timmins police are making a determined effort this year to collect poll tax from all unmarried non-property owning men who live here. Last week hundreds of "demands" were placed in the hands of prospective tax payers who have not been on the rolls before now, and not a few hundreds of dollars have rolled into the town's treasury since the pressure was put on.

A period of 30 days is given to pay the tax of \$10, and after that time has elapsed, the police promise action on any that are unsettled.

The usual course in the matter of mine employees is simply to notify the mine office, where the deduction is made from the worker's cheque.

Any appeals from the poll tax should be made to the town clerk, H. E. Montgomery, at the town hall. If a poll tax receipt can be shown for any other town in which a man has lived this year, an exemption is made.

### Kiwanis to Enjoy Special Speakers

Rev. A. E. Owen, of Toronto at Club To-day. Speakers for Coming Meetings.

Rev. A. E. Owen, Toronto, was the special guest speaker at the Timmins Kiwanis Club to-day.

For Tuesday of next week, September 3rd, Osias Sauve, barrister, and a new member of the Timmins club, will be the speaker. On account of next Monday being Labour Day and a public holiday, the luncheon is being held on Tuesday, September 3rd.

Monday, September 9th, Scoutmaster E. B. Rowe will give the Kiwanis an account of the Boy Scouts camp.

Monday, September 16th, it is expected that Kiwanian Tom Glaister will be the speaker.

Monday, September 23rd, R. W. Hopper, executive secretary for the Ontario Society for Crippled Children will address the club and as he will speak on a subject of very special interest to Kiwanis a large attendance is expected.

### Opera to Talkies



GLADYS SWARTHOUD  
Gladys Swarthroat, lithe young mezzo-soprano of the Metropolitan, shortly to make her screen debut in "Rose of the Rancho," is an expert tennis and golf star.

### New Warehouse for the Swift Canadian

Modern Refrigerator Warehouse on the Schumacher Road. To be of Solid Brick and Steel.

Construction has been begun, next to the Hy-Way service station on the Schumacher road, of a new refrigerator warehouse for Swift Canadian. It is to be built of solid brick and steel and is to be 40 feet in width by 75 feet in length. Hill-Clark-Francis, the contractors, have agreed to have the new warehouse completed by October 28th.

Refrigeration equipment of the latest type is being installed by Swift's and will give the company room for about four times the supplies they are able to keep on hand now. The T. & N. O. railway is building a private siding to the warehouse.

### Over Two Hundred to Pay Poll Tax Here

Notices Served on Single Men During the Past Week. Have Thirty Days to Pay.

More than 200 single men in Timmins had been notified, up to Saturday morning, that they were liable for poll tax of \$10, payable within 30 days. The effort on the part of police and the council will bring in an additional \$2,000 to the town's treasury, it is expected, since a much closer check is being made on single men who are on regular salary at various places in town than during the last few years. Most of the men in the mines' have already paid. The wages of those who do not pay within 30 days will be garnished.

Dog tax, too, is proving a good source of revenue this year. Returns to Saturday showed \$1,172 collected.

### Social Credit Party Returned in Alberta

Head of Party Says There will be No Confiscation and No Repudiation of Any Kind.

The new Social Credit party made a regular sweep of Alberta in the provincial elections there on Thursday. Late returns give the party standing as follows:—Social Credit, 45; Liberals elected, 4; Conservatives, 2; Social Credit leading, 10; Liberals leading, 1; U.F.A. leading, 1. Total seats, 63. W. R. Howson, Liberal leader, and D. M. Duggan, Conservative leader, were re-elected. Premier Reid, of the U. F. A. government was defeated, as was also Fred White, Labour leader.

In an interview on Saturday, Mr. Aberhart, leader of the Social Credit party, says that the party is determined to maintain the credit of the province, and that there is no intention of any confiscation or repudiation in any way.

### Trophies, Badges, Curios, Desired by the Legion

Weapons, Mounted Heads of Game or Pictures Pertaining to Army or Navy Sought as Decorations for the Canadian Legion Club Building.

Have you any war trophies, relics, regimental badges, weapons, curios, mounted heads of game, or pictures pertaining to either the Army or Navy? If so the Timmins Branch of the Canadian Legion would be pleased to hear from you. The Legion is anxious to secure a number of suitable articles of this sort for decoration purposes at the Legion Club building. It is felt that at the present that the walls are a little bare and that decorations of the sort referred to would do much to brighten up the walls and make the building more "homelike" to the soldiers.

Anyone who has any suitable articles of this sort and is ready to donate them to the good cause suggested should get in touch with President Austin Neame or other members of the executive. The executive and members of the Timmins Branch of the Legion would be very pleased to receive gifts that would make suitable decorations along the lines referred to. Donations may be left at the Legion Clubhouse on Cedar Street, or at Mr. Neame's office at the Mines Rescue Station at the rear of the fire hall.

Returned soldiers or others who have any of the articles suggested or others along similar lines would be assisting materially in improving the appearance of the Legion building by kindly donating the souvenirs to the worthy cause.

A meeting of all interested in hockey is called for the town hall to-night at 7.30, when it is expected that the question of a Timmins entry in the N.O.H.A. this winter will be thoroughly thrashed out.

It is understood that a number of players who learned their hockey here want to come back to put the game on the map again, but that they do not want to make the change unless they are assured of having a good coach and every chance of turning out a first-rate hockey squad.

Should the executive decide to go ahead, things will probably move swiftly from now on. Turn out and make the meeting a real success.

### Hockey Meet Called To-Night, Town Hall

All Interested in Hockey are Asked to Attend Organization Meeting at 7.30.

### More Improvements St. Mary's Hospital

Flower and Vegetable Garden to be Added South of Hospital. Dining Hall for Sisters Being Built.

The fence at the rear of the St. Mary's hospital property is being moved about 30 feet farther south, in accordance with permission granted by the council. The land is owned by the hospital, with the exception of a small strip which on the original plans was a lane, but which is now of no use since the other buildings of the block are served from the single laneway at the rear of the post office.

The ground now fenced will be used as a vegetable and flower garden by the Sisters of St. Mary's hospital, and will no doubt be as attractively kept as are the gardens immediately south of the hospital.

Work on the new dining hall for the Sisters, to the rear of the west wing, is now being rushed, and when the room is ready for use, the changes proposed at the hospital in sleeping quarters will be made, giving more accommodation for patients in the hospital.

There were a couple of accidents yesterday at the corner of Elm and Second, no one being injured but car damage being done. This is a bad corner for accidents, and looks like a suitable place for another stop sign.

### Two Men Charged with Illegally Having Gold

Police Arrest Phil Boulanger and Jos. Desjardins. Equipment for Crushing Gold Seized. Was in Operation when Police Arrived.

On Thursday evening at 6 p.m. Phil Boulanger and Jos. Desjardins were arrested at the old bunk house at the Hollinger Reserve property, near Timmins, and face charges of being in illegal possession of gold. Police say that when they arrived work was in progress in reducing gold ore to powder for panning. The equipment for the purpose was seized by the police and is held as evidence. There was about \$100 worth of gold ore in possession.

There are many other cases for court this week, including a number of remands from last week. In the other cases breaches of the traffic and motor laws figure largely. There are cases of defective lights, defective brakes, speeding, reckless driving, four in the front seat of a coupe, etc. Herman Nakness is charged with being drunk in charge of a car on August 22nd at 11.30 p.m. He damaged equipment in the cells after his arrest.

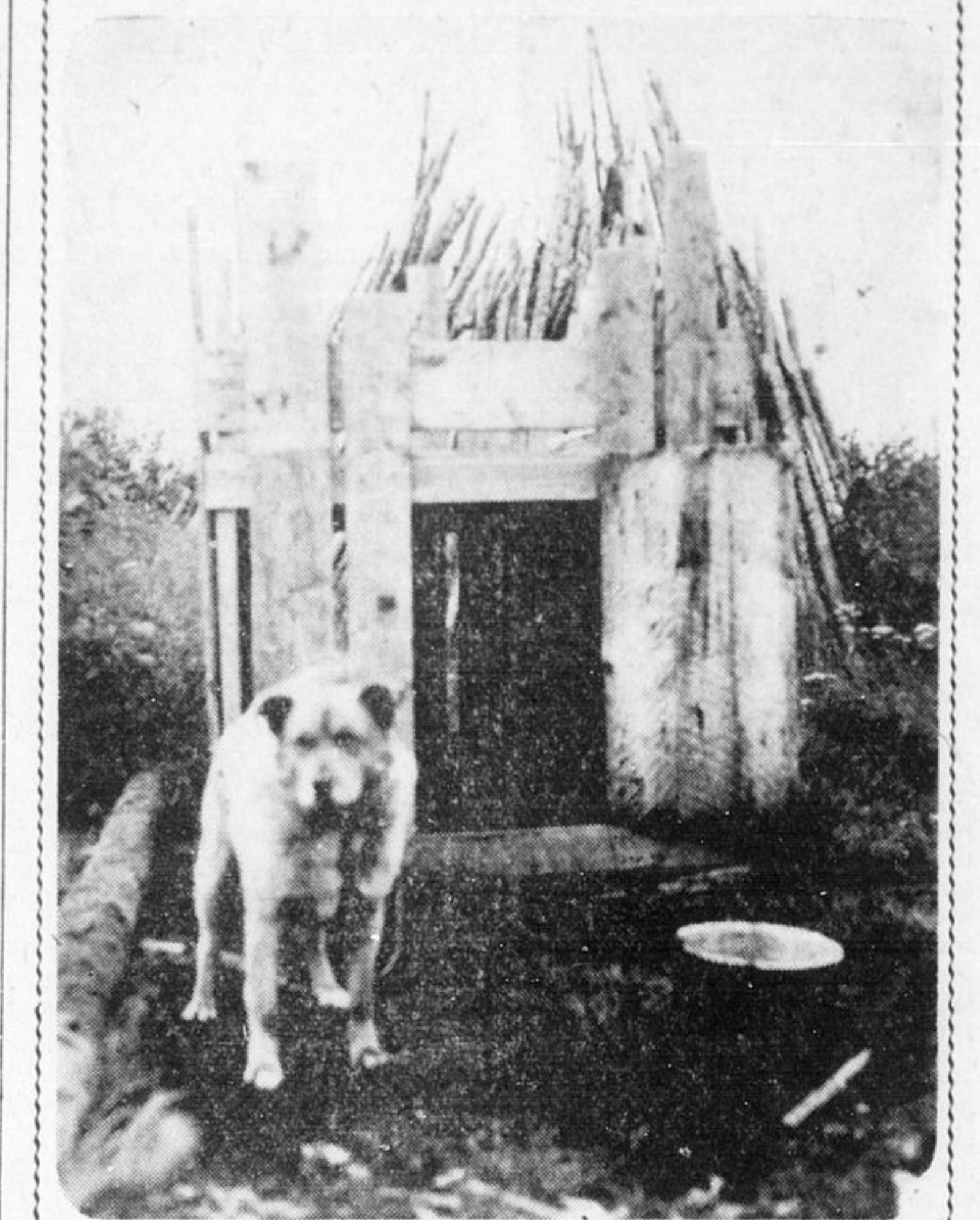
A man and woman were charged on Thursday evening on charges of disorderly conduct. They were using very objectionable language on street.

A truck driver is charged with having stolen good, namely stolen truck wheels.

Two men will be charged with fighting on the street in front of the Standard hotel. Two others will answer to charges of disorderliness in the Goldale Cafe.

There are also four drunks. A boy of 16, another of 15, and a third of 14 are charged with stealing gasoline from a barrel at the rear of

### Nothing To Do All Summer



Rover, one of the Huskies used by a Revillon Freres trapper at Moosonee. He's got nothing to do all summer and so works up quite a nasty disposition. But they say he's anxious to get on the trail as soon as the first snow flies. He doesn't greet summer visitors with a smile but makes rather vicious overtures. Just as the above was snapped, Rover made a dash for the camera, and so got just a little out of focus.

### Strong Resolution on Radio Passed by Boards

Northern Ontario Associated Boards Also Call Attention to Dust Nuisance. Approve Aid to Settlers. Trans-Canada Road Discussed. See Quintuplets.

Local radio stations, operated by private firms, are not serving the North with the radio entertainment the country should have, the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, meeting at North Bay on Friday, said in a strongly-worded resolution, which is being forwarded to the Canadian Radio Commission.

The motion read: "Whereas during the past five years and more resolutions have been presented showing the need for proper radio service to Northern Ontario;

"And whereas the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Commission has not done anything towards remedying the situation;

"Now therefore be it resolved that this association again voice its disapproval of such inaction and maintain that service can be given the North, if only by increasing the power of one or more Commission stations located in central Ontario now broadcasting; and urges that the Commission forthwith take steps to remedy the evil; and provide the North with Commission programs through existing stations until such time as a high-powered station is established on the height of land."

**Dust Nuisance Scored**  
The attention of the government was again drawn to the dust nuisance on the Ferguson highway and a request made that action be taken to prevent it in the future. The association went on record as voicing their approval of the Ontario government's campaign to make driving safer and will assist in every possible way.

The meeting was advised of the promise of the deputy minister of Northern Development last spring to have surveys made of the Timmins-Sudbury road. A survey party had started north from Sudbury and two parties are at work near Matachewan on the Swastika section.

The announcement of Premier Hep-

### Used 5,465,000 Gallons of Water Here in Day

Aug. 19th Looks Like the Hottest Day with Nearly a Million Gallons More Water Used than on Average Summer Day.

Timmins people have their own ideas about which was the hottest day of the summer, but the Hollinger pumping station men have one of the best gauges for judging—the total amount of water used in 24 hours.

On Monday, August 19th, just 5,465,000 gallons of water were pumped from the Mattagami river for the use of Timmins citizens and for the mine.

Nearly a million gallons more than the summer average of 4,500,000 gallons per day. The summer average itself is about 700,000 gallons per day over winter, which runs about 3,800,000.

That's a lot of water, but then there was a lot of heat. The big electric pumps had no trouble handling the increased demand.

### Diplomats Arbitrate in Geneva



While diplomats toil in London, Paris and Geneva, war preparations by Italy and Ethiopia go on unabated. TOP shows Premier Pierre Laval of France and Maxim Litvinoff of U.S.S.R. conferring in Geneva. RIGHT M. Aloisi of Italy takes time out from conferences to have a snack. CENTRE: M. Hawariate (LEFT) and Prof. Jeze, representing Ethiopia retire to gather further argument, while LEFT Mr. Anthony Eden of Britain, flits from one camp to another trying vainly to keep the arbitration alive.