

# WANT Ads

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three-roomed apartment, immediate possession. Apply at 164 Birch Street South, Timmins. -96p

FOR RENT—Three-roomed house at rear of 12 Elm Street North. Apply 12 Elm North, upstairs. -96p

FOR RENT—Six-roomed house; all conveniences; hardwood floors throughout and recently decorated; rent \$35 a month to reliable tenants. 170 Elm Street North, Timmins. -95-96

### ROOM AND BOARD

CHEERY ROOM, EXCELLENT BOARD—in private home at 3 Elm Street South. Also meal tickets, 21 for \$6.50. -89-90f

### ARTICLES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Special offer on "The Book of Knowledge" for Christmas. Apply J. T. Heffernan at Schroeder's Music Store, Phone 597. -94-95-96p

FOR SALE—Electric range, also small heater; good condition; cheap. Apply at 173 1/2 Spruce Street South, Timmins. -96

### HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED—Boys wanted about 14 years of age, to sell the special Christmas number of the Porcupine Prospector. Apply 8 Cedar Street North, Timmins, between 3 and 5 p.m., Thursday and Friday. -96

### NOTICE

Whereas The Mattagami Company Limited, incorporated by Ontario Letters Patent, dated January 20th, 1912, has no debts or obligations.

Notice is hereby given that, under the Province of Ontario Companies Act, the said The Mattagami Company Limited, incorporated January 20th, 1912, hereby gives public notice that it will make application to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario for leave to surrender its charter on and from a day to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Dated at Detroit this 16th day of December, 1935.

Alfred Fritzsche, President.

### NOTICE

On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name by my wife, Virginia Dumais, or any of my children; she having left her home.

(Signed) Paul Dumais. Dated at Timmins, December 18, 1935. -96p

## A Winter's Skating for a Dollar

Schumacher rinks are now open to the public, and all adults are urged to take advantage of this unusual chance of being able to skate for three months for this small sum of one dollar.

The season ticket entitles the owner to admission to all events on the rink EXCEPT THE CARNIVALS.

Tickets may be secured from the man in charge of the rinks.

Schumacher Rink Committee

### POSITION WANTED

YOUNG ACCOUNTANT DESIRES POSITION — 15 years accounting; five years banking; excellent references. Box C.R., care of The Advance. -91-92-93-98p

### MISCELLANEOUS

NO MORE BLISTERED TOES—Folder, "Snowshoeing in Comfort," on request. M. U. Bates, Metagama, Ont. -94-95-96

RADIO REPAIR SERVICE—Backed by 18 years' experience, means maximum efficiency with minimum cost of repair. R. V. Durie, 29 Lakeshore Road, Phone 1378. -96-97p

ALL MAKES OF RADIOS—Repaired by our expert. Estimates free; all work guaranteed. Armstrong Electric, Phone 898. Basement 30 Third Avenue. -73-74f

### WANTED

WANTED—Porcupine Gold Reef stock. State quantity available and price. M. Smith, 40 Wilson Avenue, Toronto, Ontario. -96-97p

WANTED—Men mechanically inclined to train as Diesel Engineers. Real opportunity if you can qualify. Write immediately, Box L.R., care of The Advance, Timmins. -96-97p

WANTED—The Porcupine Pipe Band wants all players to purchase their tickets now for the Pipe Band Christmas Season Whist Drive and Dance to be held in the Hollinger Hall on Friday first, December 20th, at 8 p.m. Seasonal prizes, big turkeys and chickens. Refreshments and dance after the Whist Drive. Secure your tickets early for this event, from the members of the band or members of the band committee. -95-96

### CHRISTMAS TIME DANCES AT RIVERSIDE PAVILION

Special arrangements have been made at the Riverside pavilion for dancing on Christmas Eve and Christmas night, it was announced today by the management. Both affairs will be run on the "pay as you dance" scheme. Andy Congiano's orchestra will supply the music.

### Schumacher Plans Hockey and Broom Ball Leagues

A meeting of the citizens of Schumacher who are interested in forming hockey and broom-ball leagues is to be held at the public school on December 26th, it was announced this morning. There is to be a raterayers' meeting at the same place the same evening, so the hockey and broom ball session will not take place until afterwards—about nine o'clock.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Heavy Horse and harness. Apply A. Patent, 10 Wilson Ave., Timmins. -96

### WOOD FOR SALE

DRY JACKPINE—\$3.00 per cord; by 4 cords, \$2.75; special price on dry birch. Tractor to hire by day or by contract. G. Morin, 71 Main Avenue, Phone 829-J. -92f

COAL AND WOOD FOR SALE—All kinds of wood; jackpine, 16"—by 3-cord lot, \$2.75; dry birch in 4 ft., 16" and 12" lengths; also dry slabs by cord or load. Also coal. Apply Chapput and Mainville, 118 First Avenue. -94f

## Formal Opening of Store by Banquet

Over Three Hundred Guests at Event in New Store of the Consumers' Co-operative Society.

More than three hundred guests were entertained at the new Consumers' Co-operative Society store at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Birch Street on Sunday last. The occasion marked the official opening of the fine new building. Although the society has occupied the place for the past couple of months, it has not been possible up until now to have a general inspection of the premises by the public because of the confusion of moving.

From two o'clock on, coffee and sandwiches were served to all who came. Many went out of the way to express their congratulations to those who designed, built and operate the place. In layout, equipment and cleanliness, the Consumer's Co-operative is a model for the North.

## Arrested on Train on 'Cheque' Account

Man Well Known in Timmins Facing Charge at Kirkland Lake Court Today.

Timmins police were informed last week that Kirkland Lake wanted Lloyd F. Schwoob, of Ottawa, on a charge laid by H. H. Boyd, druggist, Kirkland Lake, whose information in the case said that on Sept. 7th he had cashed a cheque for \$30 for the accused and that the Capital Trust Co., Ottawa, upon whom the cheque was drawn, had returned the cheque, saying that Lloyd Schwoob had no account there. The police here soon had trace of the wanted man, but it was found that he had left the same day for the South, travelling on a ticket to Ottawa. When Kirkland Lake was notified of this provincial police co-operated and the train was boarded between New Liskeard and Haliburton and the wanted man placed under arrest and taken to Kirkland Lake for trial to-day. A number of other worthless cheques passed in Timmins and district recently are being investigated to see if they are connected with the case against Schwoob, but to the present they do not appear to be connected with the accused in any way.

## LOCALS

R. H. Tennant, of Hamilton, was a Timmins visitor this week.

John Arcott is spending the Christmas holiday at Cobden.

L. Davidson, of Winnipeg, visited Timmins this week.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. John Carnovale, corner of Sixth Avenue and Spruce Street, on December 14th—a son.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wagner, 111 Railway Street, on December 17th—a son.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh P. O'Neil, 3 Birch Street South, on December 13th—a daughter.

Noon weather report for Northern Ontario—Fresh northerly winds, considerably colder to-night and part of Friday.

Robert Schram, secretary-treasurer of Canusa Gold Mines Limited, is in Timmins this week on one of his periodical visits to the property.

Born—On Tuesday, Dec. 17th, at the St. Mary's hospital, Timmins, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Twamley—a daughter (Sylvia Ann).

Mrs. Fred Walkley, 6 Borden Avenue, expects her sister, Mrs. Lowe, from Lyons, Colorado, U.S.A., to reach here on Saturday to spend Christmas here. It will be a happy Christmas re-union, Mrs. Walkley not having seen her sister, Mrs. Lowe, for 29 years.

Frank Conklin, of Hamilton, Ont., was a Timmins visitor this week in connection with the plans for bringing Conklin's Shows to Timmins next year, under the auspices of the Canadian Legion.

Hosts of friends in Timmins and district will regret to learn that Matt Boivin, formerly of Timmins, but more recently of Bonfield, has been seriously ill at North Bay hospital. Later reports say that he is making favourable progress to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watt returned to Timmins on Monday evening after spending some years in the Peace River district. Mr. and Mrs. Watt were among the real pioneer residents of the Porcupine, and are being very warmly welcomed back home by hosts of friends. They will spend Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Gordon C. Ross, at Swastika, returning after Christmas to Timmins to reside.

### MOTHER OF FORMER HOCKEY STAR DIES AT EDMONTON

Mother of Gordon B. "Duke" Keats, one of hockeydom's brightest stars of former years, Winnifred J. Keats, 70, is dead at Edmonton, Alberta, victim of a heart attack.

She was born in Calabogie, Ont., but lived most of her life at North Bay, Ont., before coming to Edmonton seven years ago.

Mrs. O. C. Flood, Galt, Ont., and Mrs. L. T. Charlton, Listowel, Ont., are daughters.

## Again Says No New Roads for the North

Ontario has No Money for Road Building, Hon. Peter Heenan is Again Quoted as Saying.

Again the story comes from Toronto that Queen's Park has called a halt on all new road construction in the North. Hon. Peter Heenan is quoted in the Toronto newspapers as saying: "We haven't any money—that's the reason."

The references in Toronto newspapers to the statement attributed to Hon. Mr. Heenan, Minister of Lands and Forests and Northern Development, appear to be peculiar, to say the least, in view of the understanding that it was agreed at the recent conference of Dominion and provincial premiers at Ottawa that the Federal authorities would contribute on a 50-50 basis with the province to all trans-Canada projects and to such trans-Canada feeder roads that might be designated by Ontario and approved by the Dominion. Now the Toronto newspapers assert that no further construction of any new roads will be attempted by the Hepburn government for some time, either on the trans-Canada main roads or on the several feeders proposed.

Just what it all means one man can figure out as well as another.

Vancouver Sun:—When a young woman undertakes to appear on a public platform minus her clothing, it appears that distinguished and cultured men are blood brothers to the poor dopes who pay a dollar a head to go to stag parties. That, at any rate, is the moral to be drawn from this recent affair in New York, where the police raided a show staged by the Society of Illustrators and packed half a dozen girls off to court for performing without benefit of costumes. The judge before whom the girls were arraigned showed good sense in dismissing their cases. His point was that if anybody should be arrested, it ought to be the distinguished artists who sponsored the show, and not the girls themselves; and most people, probably, will agree. If such a show merits interruption by the police, surely the men who got it up are the ones who should pay the penalty.

## The Little Girl Who Talked to Old Santa

When the Dream of the Little Girl Came True. "Merry Christmas," Said Santa Claus.

(By Helena R. Wilson)

It was the night before Christmas. All Christmas stories start off that way, because the night before Christmas is the most mysterious and enchanting time of all the year, and in every house where there are children there thrives a sort of feeling that something is going to happen. Sometimes the feeling that something is going to happen is not a very pleasant feeling but on Christmas Eve the sensation is just the same as you get when the bass notes of a big organ make you feel nice and funny.

There was an expectant feeling in every house, and even in the great hospital, where the little girl lay white and silent in her little white bed, there was quite a bustle of cheerful excitement. A wide, white bandage was stretched across the little patient's forehead and eyes. The doctor and the nurse looked at the little figure with sympathy in their eyes and doubt in their hearts.

"I hope it will be all right," said the doctor. "You say she has never seen the light since she can remember," said the nurse. "Do you think this operation will give her back her sight?" "I wish I knew," said the doctor. "It is a very delicate business, but there is a chance that it will work. Before we put her to sleep she wanted to know if Santa Claus was coming to-night. I told her that he was, but I wish I knew."

"Is there anything I can do now," asked the nurse. "Don't disturb her," said the surgeon, "and I will be around early in the morning to see how she is getting on."

The night before Christmas turned slowly into Christmas morning. In the houses of the town dim figures crept stealthily around dim Christmas trees. Santa Claus was abroad; doing his magic work in a thousand homes at once. Santa Claus works in the daytime all year round, but when Christmas comes, the poor old fellow has to work all night long, and no one can figure up how much work he does, for some of it is so very big that it can't be measured and some of it is so very small that it can't be seen at all, but only felt, and there's no use trying to count things like that.

There was no one in the room where the little girl lay with the wide, white bandages over her eyes, but if you had been there you would have seen that gradually the little white cheeks became a little less white, and the loud breathing became a little more regular and natural. Her hands twitched under the bed clothes just like a little dog's legs twitch when he is dreaming of bones and cats, so, if you know signs like that you would have known that the little girl was dreaming.

In her dreams she saw Santa Claus starting out from the North Pole with his reindeer and his sleigh, and she thought it quite funny that one of the reindeer had snowshoes on his feet and another had horseshoes, and she couldn't understand why Santa carried an umbrella. But then, she thought, perhaps he goes to places where it rains. And Santa Claus looked so happy and the reindeer seemed to pull the immense sleigh-load of toys so easily that she smiled in her dreams.

All sorts of queer things seem quite natural when you are dreaming and so the little girl was not very greatly surprised when Santa Claus told her to get into the sleigh and hold one of the big speaking dolls on her knee, and she was not surprised when they went hurrying off through the sky, over lakes and rivers and mountains and towns. She was a little surprised when she began to feel that she was coming to a place where she had been before, and by and by, in a second or two, the feeling became so real (she could hear the sleigh-bells ringing and Santa Claus shouting) that she wakened herself up. "That wasn't very pleasant for, although she was only half awake, she began to remember where she was and that the nice doctor had told her that he was going to try and make her like other children. She was not quite wide awake enough to remember that the doctor had told her not to touch the bandage across her forehead, and she tugged and pulled at it until it came off.

This was Christmas morning, and just at the moment that the little girl pulled the bandage from her eyes, the doctor, who had been up nearly all night, opened the door quietly to see how his little patient was getting along. He was surprised to see her sitting up in bed, and startled to see, in the dim light of the room, that the little girl was not only looking in his direction, but actually seeing him.

"You have taken off your fur coat and you have no whiskers," said the little girl, "but you must be Santa Claus because we stopped outside the door just a moment ago. Aren't you Santa Claus?"

"I must be. I must be," stammered the doctor. "What did you bring me?" cried the little girl. "I brought you more," said Santa Claus, "than I brought to any other little girl in the world this Christmas morning."

"Where is it?" asked the little girl. "I'll bring it in," said Santa Claus, and he went out and came back with a great big speaking doll, exactly like, strange to say, the doll which the little girl had nursed in her dreams.

"Oh, thank you," whispered the little patient. "Don't mention it," said Santa Claus. "Merry Christmas."

## Special Service at the United Church

"The Star of Bethlehem" to be Given on Sunday Evening at Timmins United Church.

Evening service at the Timmins United Church this Sunday will take the form of an active worship, in which Margaret Tarrant's masterpieces, "The Star of Bethlehem," will be presented in life size. In this undertaking, the choir and the girls of the C.G.I.T. are co-operating. Organ, violin and cello accompaniment has been provided for the presentation. The short scripture readings will be illustrated. There is also to be carol singing at this Christmas service.

The subject of Rev. Bruce Millar's sermon for the morning service is to be "The Slighted Child." Special Christmas music has also been arranged for the morning when Mrs. P. Carson will sing a solo and the choir will sing Beethoven's "Hallelujah Chorus," and the Hallelujah chorus from Handel's "Messiah."

### Hail, Glad Season!

Hail the glad season of Christmas, With its promise of mirth and good cheer.

Let joy fill all hearts as we welcome The happiest time of the year. Let love reign supreme, as the joy-bells Ring out over mountain and glen, And heaven and earth chant the chorus "Peace on earth and good will unto men."

Welcome the season of Christmas! Again the glad message we sing, Fill all the earth with its sweetness, Gifts for the Christ gladly bring, Gold of pure prayer and of praise, Give of your heart's dearest treasure On this the most joyous of days.

If love is the spirit of Christmas, Cherish it through all the year. Keep the heart turned to its music; Sound forth the notes far and near Follow the star whose bright glory Shines undimmed through earth's darkness and cold; 'Twill lead the Child of the manger, As certainly now as of old.

Glorious message of Christmas! Hark! as it rings through the air! Angels with joy should the tidings Of love, o'er the world everywhere. Hear their sweet voices repeating Over and over again, "Glory to God in the highest! Peace on earth and good will unto men!" —Violet Hadley Travers.

Renfrew Mercury:—Hastings county hunters boast of the killing of a bear having a weight of 410 pounds, and pictures of the carcass have appeared in the press, with the statement made that it was the largest ever killed in the district. This Hastings county bear, in the matter of weight, was 15 pounds lighter than the one which a Barryvale man shot at a point up the Madawaska, and it is known that the Barryvale man's prize was noticeably smaller than the one shot by a member of the Sharbot family in the neighbourhood of Black Donald a couple of years ago. Bears grow large in Renfrew county, which should not go unmentioned in any tourist literature which the county may send out.



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## D. Myers' House at Cobalt Damaged by Fire Monday

Fire starting in the ceiling of the kitchen of the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Myers at Cobalt on Tuesday did damage to the extent of some \$700. The cause of the fire has not been definitely determined. The fire gutted the building and much of the furniture and other contents of the building, which is owned and occupied by Mr. Myers, was also destroyed by the time the blaze was put under control. Mr. Myers is an employee of the Canadian National Express and an old resident of Cobalt. He carried no insurance on the house or contents and so is a heavy loser.

### OLD AGE PENSION CHEQUES TO BE MAILED FOR CHRISTMAS

Old age pensioners and mothers' allowance beneficiaries will get their December cheques early "and so will be able to make their modest preparations for Christmas," David A. Croll, Minister of Welfare, announced this week. "We feel that in this way we shall be able to bring a measure of happiness to nearly 65,000 homes in Ontario—homes where happiness is most needed," Mr. Croll said.

Guelph Mercury:—One historian tells us that women used cosmetics in the middle ages. They still do.

Help fight Tuberculosis BUY Christmas Seals

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