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Iroquois Falls and Ansonville Items

I. F. Badminton Club Banquet of Ansonville Board of Trade.

Iroquois Falls, Ont., May 10th, 1937. (Special to The Advance)—The Iroquois Falls Badminton Club wound up the season on Friday evening with the finals of the tournaments which have been in progress for the past few weeks. A general business meeting was held and the officers elected for next season. President, Mr. A. R. Armstrong; vice-pres., Mrs. Dr. Young; secretary-treasurer, Mr. G. Edwards; Match committee, T. Lavallee, chairman, Mrs. Osborne, Miss Alma Wilkes, Miss M. Spence, Mr. C. Benson, W. Yurichuck, R. Shaw.

Winners of the matches were as follows:—Ladies' singles, Mrs. A. T. Hurter; ladies' consolation singles, Miss C. Nault; men's singles, C. Benson; men's doubles, J. McCracken and T. Lavallee; mixed doubles, Miss M. Spence and C. Benson; ladies' doubles, Mrs. Osborne and E. Rae; ladies' consolation doubles, Mrs. Kishbaugh and M. Little. Prizes were presented by Miss M. Little and lunch served by the refreshment committee.

Ansonville Board of Trade Banquet

Mr. W. O. Langdon, Timmins, president of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, of which there are over twenty boards, addressed an audience of 75 at the Board of Trade banquet held in the Iroquois hotel, Iroquois Falls, on Wednesday evening. At present there is no Board of Trade in the Falls and the objective is to reorganize and have one board for the two towns.

The speaker outlined the activities of the organization in the past and pointed out objectives for the future and its many possibilities. At present the majority of the people in this part of Ontario are dependent upon the mining industry but eventually this industry will disappear in this locality. The fact is inevitable and brings one to the realization that other means of obtaining a livelihood must be developed if this section of the province is to remain self-supporting.

Steps must be taken to conserve the pulp and timber and to promote agriculture. At present much food is brought into this section from Southern Ontario and other places which might well be produced in our own communities. This would necessitate the adoption of some plan for assisting the settlers and promoting agriculture.

Settlers might be benefited for clearing the land rather than given municipal jobs during the months of June and July, the period when efforts should be directed towards raising crops. The markets are at hand, and as progress is made, facilities will necessarily be provided, all of which will tend to make this a completely self-supporting district.

MEETING OF NURSES TO BE HELD TO-MORROW NIGHT

The regular monthly meeting of the Porcupine Chapter of the R.N.A.O. will be held in St. Mary's hospital on Tuesday, May 11th, at 8 p.m. All nurses are invited to attend.

CORONATION BALL UNDER AUSPICES OF THE I. O. D. E.

Timmins Golden Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, is giving a Coronation Ball at the Riverside pavilion on Wednesday evening of this week, May 12th. Dancing at 10 p.m. with Cangiario's orchestra providing the music. Invitations were issued recently for this event. All attending may be sure of a pleasant evening.

Dance Recital by Pupils of Mrs. H. Burt, May 27-28

A dance recital of more than passing interest will be given in Harmony hall on Fourth avenue on Thursday and Friday evenings, May 27th and 28th. The pupils of Mrs. Burt each year present a programme of dancing that pleases all who attend the recital, and the event this year promises to be even better than similar events in previous years.

Welsh Miners' Choir at Schumacher on May 26th

One of the events of special interest promised for the near future is the grand concert to be given by the Porcupine Welsh Miners' Choir in the Trinity United Church, Schumacher, on Wednesday, May 26th. Under the leadership of Geo. E. Hale, the Welsh Choir has made notable progress and is proving especially popular with all audiences hearing this musical group. The concert on May 26th at Schumacher will be of special interest to all who enjoy good music and a special note should be made of the time and place.

Unusually Attractive Special Coronation Issue

Among the many special Coronation numbers issued none will prove more pleasing than the 72-page issue of The Christian Science Monitor, published at Boston, Massachusetts, U.S.A. It is full of historical and other data in reference to the Coronation and the Empire and has a large number of excellent illustrations of people and places. The fact that it is published in the United States and still takes so sympathetic and accurate a view of the Coronation and the Empire makes the publication all the more pleasing as an expression of neighbourly goodwill. The accuracy of its articles and the mass of information given is most impressive, though it is only in keeping with the standards always maintained by The Monitor. A beautifully illuminated supplement giving part of the Coronation ceremony is a striking feature of The Monitor's Coronation number.

House on Fire While Its Owner is Frying Eggs

The Halleyburian last week says:—“While he was busily engaged in frying some eggs for his noonday lunch on Thursday last, Chas. Manderstrom, who lives in a small house on Anwell street, heard the fire bell ring and on going out to see what was wrong discovered that it was his own dwelling that was blazing merrily and had caused a neighbour to send in an alarm. Manderstrom had been burning grass on his premises and had suspended operations to get his lunch ready, but had apparently not realized the fire was so close to the house. The brigades laid a line of hose and put the fire out, after the building had suffered damage estimated by Chief Watson at \$15.

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Generous Gift to New York City by J. S. Bache

(Sudbury Star) Because of his connection with Northern Ontario mining, Canadians will be interested in the gift of millions of dollars worth of art treasures to New York City by Jules S. Bache, president of Dome Mines, and prominent American banker. There are 77 paintings and many pieces of furniture and sculpture. The collection constitutes the most generous donation ever given to a community by a single person, and will no doubt be viewed by thousands of people.

Glebe and Mall:—Before the Coronation, police in old London are to check up on the city's “cranks.” This would be quite a job even for smaller municipalities in any country.



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cent how he had been associated at one time with the late John Ross Robertson before The Evening Telegram was started in Toronto, and when Mr. Robertson was running The Telegraph there. At that time, Mr. Stephenson was on the mechanical staff, but occasionally “covered” news items for the paper to help out the reporting staff. Later, he was Muskoka correspondent for the Telegram. He spoke, too, of his father, the late Major Stephenson, a sturdy Briton who came from English York to his Ontario namesake, and who became a successful pioneer farmer in the Aurora section more than a century ago.

His father's gold watch, a gift from neighbours in recognition of his prowess at plowing, is worn by the son today, and Mr. Stephenson held it up for examination by his visitor. The older man, it was explained, when over fifty years of age, had emerged victorious in a plowing match, and his fellow-citizens added to the prize of silverware given for that event by subscribing among themselves sufficient money to purchase the watch, which carries an inscription inside the case

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Considering Mill for the Moneta Mine

Annual Report Refers to This and Other Matters of Interest.

Possibility that Moneta Porcupine Mines, Porcupine district, will start production during the coming year is expressed by Walter E. Segsworth, President, in company's annual report. No mention is made regarding size of the mill nor is any specific date set on which it might be expected to go into operation.

Cash on hand, at \$437,376, is adequate to pay for all equipment and mine development up to the production stage and to provide necessary working capital until the mine is in production. In addition to the cash, company has government bonds having market value of \$71,656, securities worth \$70,118 at market prices and other current assets amounting to \$30,915. Current liabilities amount to \$12,505. These figures were as at March 31, 1937.

Up to that time the three-compartment shaft had been sunk to depth of 350 feet, with stations cut at depths of 150 and 275 feet. The shaft is to be continued to 550 feet and stations established at 400 and 525 feet.

Diamond drilling carried out in the latter part of 1936 indicated a substantial orebody and certain new knowledge of geological structure was arrived at, according to the reports of Dr. W. F. James and Dr. B. S. W. Buffan, consultants. “Unfortunately,” they say, “our knowledge is not yet sufficient to complete all the details of the structure, but there are certain possibilities for the discovery of further veins which can be better investigated later by underground drilling.”

The indicated orebody is 515 feet long with average width of 10 feet. From calculations made by J. D. Barrington, the grade of this ore is taken at \$19.47, with an indicated tonnage of 425 tons per vertical foot. Drilling has been carried to a depth of 350 feet in the dip of the vein. In estimating the



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grade, provision has been made for dilution below the average of diamond drilling, cutting it to \$15.60.

During the fiscal year, company's interest in Straw Lake Beach Gold Mines was sold at a profit of \$50,166. Shares in other companies disposed of showed profit of \$35,390. Company acquired five additional claims adjoining its original ground on the south and west and its Timmins property now consists of 320 acres.

In addition, 547,760 treasury shares were issued, bringing total issued shares to 2,543,860. Of those issued last year 16,500 were issued for two claims, 300,000 shares sold to the public for \$211,237 and 231,260 shares issued to shareholders on rights, netting \$289,075.

Net expenditures for the year totaled \$74,580 on current operations at Timmins and \$4,492 prior to current operations and including prospecting on outside properties.

Eastern Star Chapter Attends Church Service

Arbutus Chapter Eastern Star members attended the services in the United Church last evening. The Rev. Bruce Millar preached a very impressive ceremony on “The Star of the East.”

Good Drill Results At Lancour Mines

Mineral Section Intersected in No. 5 Hole. \$15.40 Gold Across Three Feet

Diamond drill operating at Lancour Mines, adjoining Pamour Porcupine Mines in the Porcupine district, intersected a mineral section from which core assays gave \$15.40 per ton in gold across three feet. The ore sections are encountered in No. 5 hole at a depth of 150 to 153 feet and showed quartz with scattered sericite and sparse specks of pyrite, running 44 ounce per ton, according to official report by Mining Research Corporation, in charge of exploration and development work at the property. The new find was located a short distance from the Pamour Porcupine boundary.

The progress report by the Mining Corporation states that results from the No. 5 hole were the most encouraging so far obtained. Previous holes completed failed to locate commercial values although they revealed formation characteristics. Of the previous four holes put down two failed to contact mine values, while core from the following two holes was lost. Cutting of better than \$15 values in No. 5 hole has changed the picture for Lancour Mines and at the same time has revealed the location in which values may be expected. Drilling on the Lancour ground has been somewhat a gamble owing to the heavy overburden, but has followed the programme as outlined following the geological survey. The company proposes to continue its drilling to make a thorough test of the merits of the property.

GIRL GUIDES IN TIMMINS



Rangers

The weekly meeting of the Rangers was held on Wednesday evening. Work was completed on the April number of the Lone Guide Company letter and plans were made for the May number which will be in the form of a crown.

There will be no Ranger meeting this week due to the Coronation.

Girl Guides
The 5th I. O. D. E. Co. held their meeting on Friday evening. The attendance and inspection were taken by Helen Landers. Horseshoe was formed and the flag raised.

All First Class Guides were taken by Captain Morris. Eight of the Guides are First Class Guides and also hold their blue and white All-Round cards. Games were taken by Helen Landers.

All Guid s and Brownies are requested to be in the Central School grounds on Coronation Day by 1.30 p.m. in full uniform, including dark stockings.

Brownies
The 46th I.O.D.E. Brownie Pack held a baseball practice instead of the regular meeting.

Northern Ontario Roads

Protection During Spring 1937
Northern Division Department of Highways

Frost action in April and May causes road beds to get soft and readily subject to damage from traffic.

All trucks are limited to half loads and speed of 20 miles per hour. Horse drawn vehicles capacity one ton, 250 lbs. per inch of tires.

The weight of loads and speed will be constantly checked. Penalty for overloading is a fine, or imprisonment, or both. Permits may also be suspended. Co-operation from truck and car owners is earnestly requested to prevent unlawful and unnecessary abuse of roads.

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H. R. PHIPPS,
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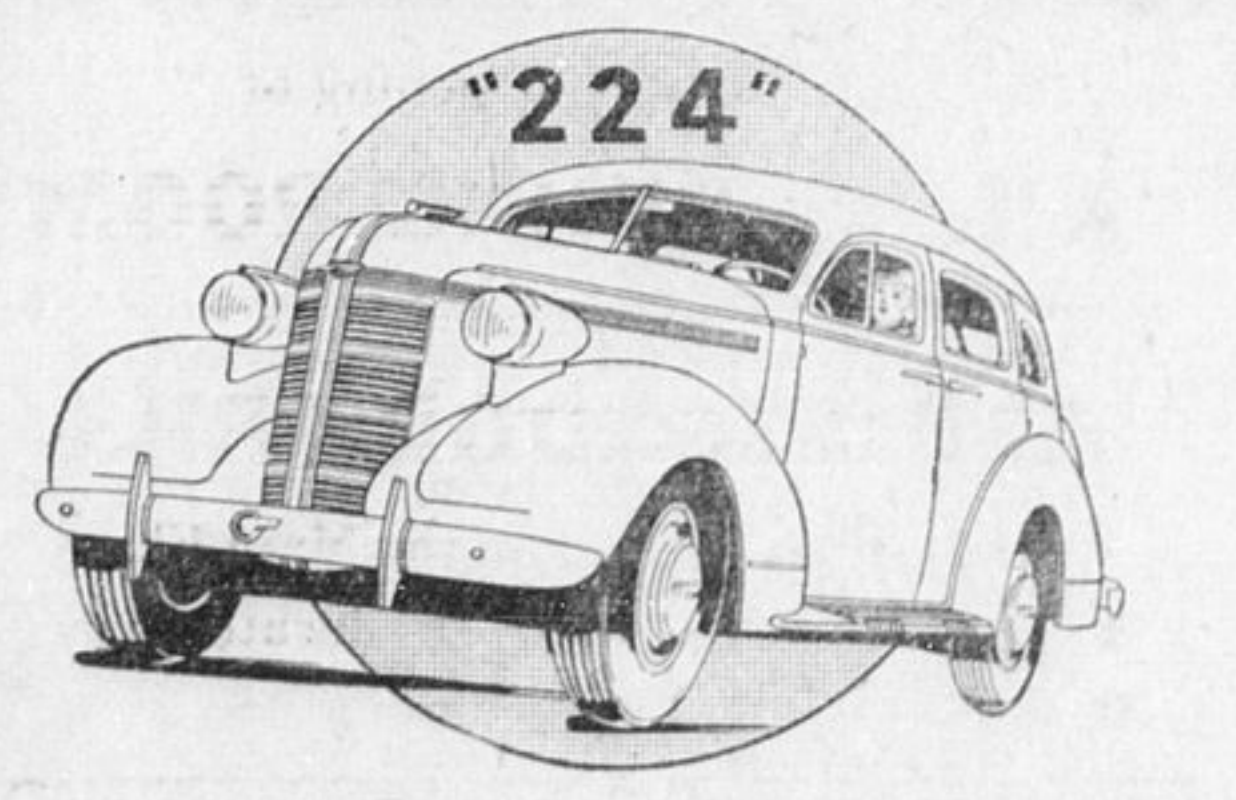
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