

Town Revenue Collector Appointed

Red Cross Society to Register Blood Donors

Mrs. James Barry is Appointed Chairman of Committee to Look After Registration. Dental Work for Indigent Children and Distribution of Cod Liver Oil Adopted.

The newly-formed Timmins branch of the Red Cross Society last Thursday afternoon became the second organization in the province to adopt a plan for the registration of blood donors for persons in this district requiring transfusions in time of illness or accident. N. R. Vinton, of Toronto, field secretary of the Ontario division of the Red Cross Society, was present at the meeting and explained the advantages of such a system of registration, which in England has developed into one of the finest services rendered by the British Red Cross. The society branch in Ottawa is the only other group in Ontario to adopt such a plan up to date, Mr. Vinton announced.

The registration will be on an entirely volunteer basis. If a person to whom a transfusion is given is able to pay, the regular amount of \$25 will go to the person supplying the blood. In the event of a patient requiring blood who cannot pay, the service will be free. President Austin Neame, who presided, told the meeting that Dr. James Barry, of Timmins, and Dr. G. C. Armistage, of Schumacher, have already informed him that they are greatly interested in the proposed registration and are willing to assist its furtherance in any way that they can. Mrs. James Barry was appointed chairman of a committee to direct the registration.

The field secretary, Mr. Vinton, outlined a suggested programme to the society, which for the present time will include dental work among indigent children, the organization of a Junior Red Cross Society and the distribution of cod liver oil to children of school and pre-school age.

Referring to the dental programme, it was brought out that in many cases the father of a large family of children is unable to pay the cost of rent, fuel, food and clothing and also pay dentists' bills, with the result that his children's teeth are neglected. In these cases the Red Cross Society will pay local dentists a flat rate to look after the cases authorized for attention. The task will be rotated among the dentists and the rates paid will be in relation to their overhead and cost of materials used.

Dr. J. Martin, president of the local (Continued on Page Eight)

Taken in "Purge"



Baron L. Rothschild prominent Austrian banker who has been arrested in Vienna, Austria, following the Nazi seizure of all branches of Government.

Silicosis Expert Is Taking Trip

J. J. Denny, McIntyre Metallurgist, to Spend Two Months in Europe.

J. J. Denny, of McIntyre Porcupine Mines, internationally known for his researches in metallurgy, whose latest discovery is a principle of mixing air and aluminum dust as a preventative of silicosis, left on Saturday for a two-month vacation in Europe. Interviewed over the telephone by The Advance, Mr. Denny declared that his trip had nothing to do with the development of silicosis prevention, being entirely of a holiday nature.

Re-elect Jas. R. Todd as Game Association Head

Annual Meeting of Porcupine District Fish and Game Association Held in Schumacher. Jack Brady Resigns as Secretary After Holding Office for Past Eleven Years.

J. R. Todd was re-elected president of the Porcupine District Fish and Game Protective Association at the annual meeting held in Schumacher last Thursday night. The resignation of Jack Brady, who has acted in the capacity of secretary for the past eleven years, was received and accepted with genuine regret. Mr. Brady explained in his letter that he found it necessary to resign owing to the pressure of his own business and other executive work. He was tendered a hearty vote of thanks by his associates.

A suggestion by Dave Small that a number of boats be built and placed at various lakes in the district for the use of members of the association was dropped after a short discussion. Mr. Small thought that it would be possible to assess each member one or two dollars to pay for the building of the boats but the meeting was unfavourable to this plan. It was decided however that inquiries be made from Mr. Young at Big Water Lake regarding the renting of boats by the year, day and hour.

Committees were appointed to sponsor juvenile organizations of the association in South Porcupine and Timmins after a lengthy debate which was opened by Dave Small. Mr. Small suggested that the association foster the Schumacher Juvenile group, which has already been organized and let Timmins and Schumacher form their own organizations independently.

Mr. Brady, the retiring secretary, warned the meeting that the work of the organization could not be localized in Schumacher, pointing out that the association covers the entire Porcupine district. "The officers and the executive will have to co-operate in the organization of all the schools for juvenile association purposes, otherwise disension will creep in and disorganize and hinder the work which past officers have strived so hard to start," Mr. Brady said.

At the conclusion of the discussion a resolution was passed authorizing the association to purchase 200 pine for

Inter-Club Kiwanis Meet This Evening

South Porcupine and Timmins Kiwanis to Meet at South Porcupine To-night.

There is to be an inter-club meeting this evening of the Timmins Kiwanis and the recently organized Kiwanis Club of South Porcupine. The meeting is to be held in the Masonic hall, South Porcupine, commencing at 6:15 p.m. The South Porcupine Kiwanis have a large charter membership and are enthusiastic and active, so there is certain to be a large representation of the new club at the inter-club meeting. It is hoped that the Timmins Kiwanis will have equally large representation. Timmins members are asked to get in touch with P. T. Molesley for transportation arrangements to get to South Porcupine for the evening's event.

The Buffalo-Ankerite orchestra will be in attendance.

To Start Tubercular X-Ray Tests

To Continue Examinations Commenced in Public Schools in Timmins Last Year.

Dr. N. H. Russell, specialist in radiology at St. Mary's hospital, announced today that x-ray examination of students for tuberculosis commenced last year, will be continued again this spring. Examinations will commence after the Easter holidays with the possibility that some of the work may be started before school closes. Of six hundred examined last year fifteen per cent. were found to have positive tuberculin conditions. Approximately the same number will be examined this year.

Moneta Public School to Present Operetta

Event of Much Interest on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings This Week, April 6th, 7th and 8th. List of Those Taking Part in Musical and Dramatic Programme at Moneta School.

The second concert to be given by the pupils of the Moneta public school will be presented on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week, April 6th, 7th and 8th. Last year's event is remembered by all who had the pleasure of attending it, and all the chances are that this week's concert will be even more gratifying. The concert this year is divided into four parts, any one of the parts being well worth more than the nominal price of admission. The fourth part is the operetta, "Why the Garden Quarrelled." Costumes and scenic effects are said to be unusually attractive and none should miss attending one or more of the presentations of this concert. Last year it was proven beyond question that there is lots of talent among the Moneta school pupils and this year's concert will further emphasize the fact. Tickets may be secured from pupils of the school. There are no reserve seats. The concert each evening starts at 8 p.m.

The following is the programme with the names of those taking part:

Part I—Annie Laurie—Santa Lucia
Joan Turner, Dina Casonato, Doris Rattray, Helen Holmes, Daphne Gay, Patricia McIntyre, Dora Spadafora, Pauline Morin, Helen Crispin, Beulah Wood, Audrey Worthington, Kathleen Smuk, Nina Loretta, Rosa Di Minin, Ida Dionisi, Sybil McIntyre.

Part II—Patrik Plays Fairy
The Patient—Ardio Moscarin.
Patrick—Patrick Burns.
The Acrobats—Lorma Schiratti and Violin Good.
The Street Musician—Victor Dorigo.
The Boy Soloist—Maurice Di Marchi.
Little Willie—Billy Ramsay.

The Czechoslovakian Dancers—Ilonka Bukova, Vilma Valiko, Mary Babela, Mary Cunik.
Sunbonnet Sally and Overall Jim—Georgina Palamero and Bobby Bezanti.

The Veterans — Ernest Domenico, Gerald Mackey, Sam Casonato, Harold Rutherford, Adolph De Luca, Alfeo Gallino, Otavio De Marchi, Tremaine (Continued on Page Eight)

C. R. Stiber Named New Town Official

New Department Created for Collection of All but General Tax Levies.

C. R. Stiber, 36 Patricia Boulevard, has been appointed revenue collector for the town of Timmins and commenced work at the town hall this morning. The appointment was made upon a recommendation of the finance committee. Ordinary tax collection will be handled by the same department as previously but Mr. Stiber will have charge of the collection of revenues from licenses for barber shops, signs, etc., as well as statute labour and dog taxes.

The new appointee is a native of Toronto, where for twelve years he was employed by the Canadian National Railways. Coming here two years ago he worked for a year with the Rudolph-McChesney Lumber Company, Limited, and latterly with the General Insurance Company.

Last Post Sounds for Sergt. J. C. Rowe

Well-Known Pioneer of the North Dies at Age of Seventy-seven.

Mr. John Charles Rowe, affectionately known by his old-time friends as "Paddy" Rowe, died at St. Mary's hospital on Friday morning after a brief illness. His death takes away one more of the popular old-timers, the late Mr. Rowe having been in the camp for twenty-eight years, with the exception of his service overseas, and previous to coming here having been at Cobalt.

The late J. C. Rowe was a native of England, and had reached the notable age of 77 years at the time of death. Almost from the beginning of the Hollinger Mine he was a valued employee of that company, being still with the Hollinger at the time of his death. Despite the fact that he was past the military age, he went overseas with the rest of "the boys" in the Second Canadian Pioneer, and served with distinction, holding the rank of sergeant at the close of the war. He was a member of the Canadian Legion and recently was made an Honorary member of the Sons of England as a tribute to his worth. His wife predeceased him five years ago, and he is survived by two stepdaughters, Mrs. Churchman, of Toronto, and Mrs. Keates of Timmins.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the Legion hall with Legion honours, and the very large attendance showed the regard in which the late Mr. Rowe was held. There were many beautiful floral tributes. Adjutant Cornthwaite, S.A., an old-time friend of the late Mr. Rowe conducted the service. Mr. Foster acted as pianist for the singing of the late Mr. Rowe's favourite hymns, "O God our Help in Ages Past," and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." Adjutant Cornthwaite spoke with deep feeling of Mr. Rowe's generosity and good citizenship. "He lived beyond the allotted span of life, doing useful and good work," the Adjutant said, "and being a friend to all." The pallbearers were: Comrades Durkin, Potts, Raymond, Dingley, Avery and Bellamy. The last post was sounded at the grave by Eugler P. Cherry, and a Lament played by Pipers McLellan and O'Neill. The late Mr. Rowe was laid to rest beside his wife who died in 1933.

The funeral cortege was led by the Porcupine District Pipe Band.

Club To Hear Outline of New School Courses

E. J. Transom to be Speaker at Women's Music and Literary Club on Monday, April 11th. Musical Interlude to be Given by Mrs. Paul Piche. Selections by Chorus from Birch Street Public School.

Empire Award



Penelope Chipman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warwick F. Chipman, Montreal, who won the prize offered by Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Dominions, in the Empire Essay contest on the Youth movement.

One of the features at the next meeting of the Porcupine Women's Music and Literary Club, on Monday, April 11th, at the Harmony Hall, will be a musical interlude by Mrs. Paul Piche at the piano. Mr. E. J. Transom, supervising principal of the Timmins public schools, will outline the new course of study. This address will be especially interesting to those whose children are at present attending the public school, and will also have an attraction for those who are not in this class, as they may then fully understand what benefit may be derived from this new method.

A chorus, made up of pupils of the Birch street school, and under the direction of Miss Teskey, will render several selections, and the event promises to be a very interesting one.

Those in the camp who are interested in the club and its activities, are asked to keep in mind the fact that there will be an open meeting on April 25th in Croation hall, Schumacher, to which everyone is welcome. Many nationalities will be represented on the programme, which at present has not yet been completed, but which, even at this stage promises to be both interesting and entertaining.

Suspended Driver is Facing Charge

William Maki, with License Under 30-day Suspension Found in Charge of Car.

William Maki, proprietor of the Queen's Taxi, whose license to drive was cancelled for a period of thirty days by Magistrate Atkinson here last Tuesday when he was convicted of reckless driving and fined \$25 and costs, was picked up by police Sunday night allegedly in charge of a car. He will appear in police court on Tuesday to answer to a charge of driving a motor vehicle while his license is under suspension.

Despite the fact that it was a pay-day week-end, police report that conditions were quiet. Two were picked up for being drunk, one for vagrancy and one man from operating a car with defective lights.

BAND TO BROADCAST AGAIN MONDAY EVENING, NEXT WEEK

The Timmins Citizens' Band will give the sixth and concluding broadcast in the series for this season on Monday evening of next week, April 11th. The five broadcasts already given this season have been appreciated and enjoyed. During the summer weather the band has opportunities for giving outdoor concerts and so the public has opportunity to hear and enjoy the music by the Timmins Citizens' Band.

Children's Aid Making Annual Appeal for Funds

Letters Being Sent to Large List Asking for Renewal of Membership. Society Doing Notable Work for District. To Engage Additional Social Service Worker. Fifteen Children in Shelter, Thirty-one in Boarding Home.

The annual campaign for funds to carry on the work of the District of Cochrane Children's Aid Society is under way. This year, as last, the plan adopted is to send out letters explaining the work and containing membership tickets. The recipients of the letters are asked to forward their contributions to A. G. Carson, secretary, or Mrs. K. A. Eyre, president, an address envelope being enclosed for the convenience of the subscribers. While the membership fee is one dollar, it is hoped that the majority sending in donations will make the fee considerably more—the higher the better—as the Society's work requires considerable expenditure. During the coming year the expenses will be increased in view of the fact that following the request of the Department at Toronto, the Society is adding a special social service worker. It is held by the Department that while this addition may increase the costs for this year, it will eventually result in lessened expenses, as the services of a trained social service worker will prevent the breaking-up of many a home and so avoid the necessity for taking many children from their homes because of wrong home conditions.

At the present time there are 15 children in the Shelter here, and thirty-one children being boarded out in private homes, their expenses being paid by the Society. Each child so boarded out costs the Society fifteen dollars per month for board, plus medical and dental care.

For many years the District of Cochrane Children's Aid Society has been doing notable work for the children of the district. The motto of the Society is "A Fair Chance for Every Child," and the officers and executive have spared no efforts to give full effect to the motto. The idea has been to see that every child has a good home, is well cared for, and has a fair chance for education, health and happiness. In cases where the homes are not all they should be, the effort has been to improve the home, and where the homes cannot or will not be improved, as a last resort to find another home—a good home—for the child. The Society has also seen to the medical and hospital care of children whose parents could not provide these things. Also, the Society has given care and protection to children who have run counter to the law or encountered other troubles.

This work for the children is surely worthy of support and no doubt this year as in the years that are past will receive the approval and assistance of all good citizens. This year the objective of the Society is approximately \$3,000. To raise this amount there will need to be a generous response in the way of membership fees, both the number responding and the amounts of the subscriptions having to be high. As one canvasser in a previous campaign phrased it—"Tickets are \$1 and up—the upper the better."

TAKES OVER POST IN WAR ZONE



While bitter warfare raged along the Sino-Japanese front, Sir Archibald Clarke, Britain's new Ambassador to China, arrived at Shanghai and was accorded a fitting welcome. Our picture shows Sir Archibald leaving the customs jetty after his inspection of the next to the Ambassador is Major-General A. P. D. Telfer-Smollet, who commands the British forces in Shanghai.

Financial Statement	
Membership Fees, 1937-38	\$ 85.00
Balance in bank, April, 1937	74.01
Total	\$159.01
Operating expenses	48.72
Balance in bank, March 1, 1938	\$110.29