

## Young Man Killed On Track Near Golden City

### Crowded Houses Attend Second Nights Ice Events

Ice Carnival Under Auspices of Lions and Kiwanis Clubs Duplicate Outstanding Interest and Success of Official Opening Night. Some Highlights of the Occasion.

An appreciative silence ruled over the large audiences at the new McIntyre Community Building on Friday and Saturday evenings, as the stars of the Granite and Toronto Skating Clubs, presented their various numbers and made a great "hit" with the crowds. When a particularly difficult leap or spin was completed, the delighted audience would burst into loud applause, eager to show their interest and appreciation of the performance.

### Pay Day to be Dec. 22nd.

Likely That All the Mines Will Pay on Thursday, Dec. 22nd.

Friday of next week would be the regular pay day for some of the mines in the district—those like the Hollinger, paying every second Friday. For others paying on the 10th and 25th of the month Friday would also be the pay day, as the plan is to pay on the previous Friday when the regular pay day falls on a Sunday or other holiday. It is understood, however, that owing to the fact of it being Christmas time and to allow employees more time to do their Christmas shopping the mines will pay next week on Thursday, Dec. 22nd.

### Mr. Edwin O'Daker Died on Saturday

Succumbed to Pneumonia After Brief Illness.

A sad death occurred on Saturday morning when Mr. Edwin O'Daker passed away at St. Mary's hospital, a victim of pneumonia.

The late Mr. O'Daker was forty years of age. He was mechanic at Imperial Motors, and had made wide circles of friends in town and district. He resided at 70 Birch street south and is survived by his wife and two children.

Funeral services were held this (Monday) morning at 9:30 o'clock at the Church of Nativity in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends. The services were conducted by the Rev. Fr. Dawson, and interment was in Timmins cemetery.

### Mayor and Councillors Elected for Town of Hearst

Hearst had six candidates on the ballot papers this year for mayor and twenty-one for council—thus making a record never equalled even in Timmins. The result of the voting gives Hearst the following municipal government for 1939: Mayor, R. Northey; councillors, E. Loubert, Jules Cote, P. Fraser, G. Duzgary, N. Estey and J. Semenclew.

### Central School Event Delights Large Crowds

Rhythm Band One of the Features of Concert. Playlets and Other Numbers Make Big Hits. Notable Costumes and Scenic Effect Add to Clever Acting.

A large number of proud parents and friends were present on Thursday and Friday evenings at the annual concert presented by the Central School students, in the auditorium of the school. The pupils and the staff are to be complimented on the smooth manner in which the programme was carried out, and on the talented performances of the entire cast.

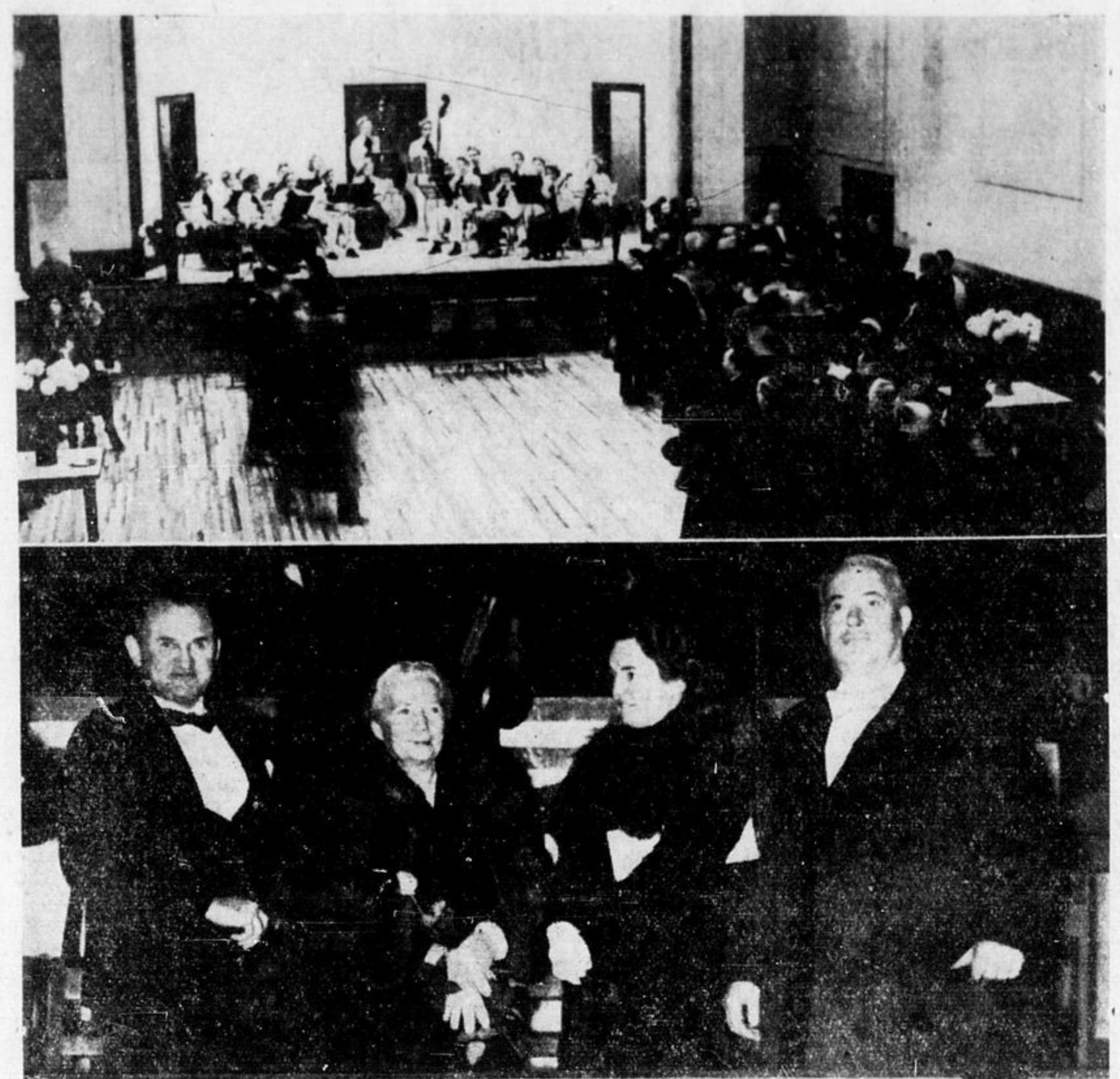
### Concert by Schubert Choral December 14

Event at Finnish Hall on Wednesday Evening.

A most interesting programme has been prepared for the Schubert Choral Society concert to be held in the Finnish hall, Fourth avenue, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 14th, commencing at 8:15 p.m. The programme will include solos, duets, quartettes, part-songs, glees and choruses chosen from the Gilbert and Sullivan light operas, together with an Ode to Music written by Alexander Pope, music by Dr. C. Hubert H. Parry, performed at the Norwich and Crystal Palace Festivals in 1890. Mrs. P. Hansman will be the official pianist accompanying the chorals. Mr. Geo. E. Hale, Mus. Bac., is the director and conductor of the Schubert Choral.

Those who have heard the previous concerts presented by the Schubert Choral will not be likely to miss the event on Wednesday evening. It may be noted in passing that the previous concerts delighted music lovers, and that the Schubert Choral is better than ever now, steady progress having been made under the skilled leadership of Mr. Hale and those assisting him in building up this noteworthy choral group.

### AT THE OPENING OF NEW McINTYRE COMMUNITY BUILDING



At the top is a scene in the auditorium of the new McIntyre Community Building on the official opening night when President Bickell and Directors Ben Smith and Col. McDougald and other McIntyre officials welcomed those present as they filed past. On the platform will be seen the Croatian orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Jos. Begovich. The lower picture was a snap shot taken of one of the boxes. Reading from left to right:—Mr. Bernard E. Smith, director of the McIntyre; Mrs. John Knox; Mrs. Dr. Robson; Mr. J. P. Bickell, president of the McIntyre.

### Says His 'Gun' Was Beer Bottle Opener in Pocket

Man Held in Bank Robbery Case Has Been Giving the Police Much Trouble. Tried Hunger Strike. Set Fire to Mattress. May Think of Insanity Plea.

Neil Donevan will appear before Magistrate Atkinson tomorrow in police court and face a charge of robbery. It will be alleged that Donevan held up the bank of Montreal here, using a beer bottle opener in his pocket as the threat of a gun.

Donevan was captured last Wednesday. Since then he has been a source of trouble to the police. To begin with he went on a hunger strike. He would not eat for a long while, and when he did start he would accept food only from certain officers. On at least one occasion he made a whole meal out of ice cream.

On Friday night Donevan staged what appeared to be an attempt to break jail. He first set fire to the mattress in his cell. The dense smoke awakened the other prisoners and choked them. They attracted officers by their cries.

When police came in and attempted to extinguish the fire, Donevan tried first to slip past them to freedom and then to grab one of the officer's revolvers. He failed in both instances. The police would not be surprised at suggestions that the accused was not sane.

Police are convinced that Donevan knows where the \$1,000 that has not yet been recovered, is located. They have managed to account for all but



Nikolai Yezhoff, Russian commissar of internal affairs, including supervision of political police, has been relieved of his duties, according to a Moscow dispatch which states he left the post "at his own request."

### To Speak at Mining Institute on Rubber

"Synthetic Rubber" to be Topic of Speaker at Mining Institute Meeting.

The Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy will hold its December meeting in the dining room of the Empire Hotel on the evening of Thursday, December 15. An illustrated address entitled, "Synthetic Rubber," will be given by Barclay K. Read. Refreshments will be served after the meeting as is the usual custom.

### Missionary to China Visits Here

Rev. Andrew Thomson Pays Brief Visit to His Daughter, Miss Jean Thomson.

The Rev. Andrew Thomson, Anglican minister, was a visitor to Timmins during the week-end, spending a brief time with his daughter, Miss Thomson, of the Children's Aid Society. The Rev. A. Thomson has been at his home in Toronto for the past year and some months, having returned from Honan, China, in June of 1937. Mr. Thomson left on the afternoon train, Sunday, and will travel to Tao Kon, Honan province, China, to take up his duties again as missionary. During his visit to Timmins, Mr. Thomson took part in the regular Sunday services at St. Matthew's Anglican Church.

### Justice Promoted



Prime Minister King announced at Ottawa the appointment of Mr. Justice C. P. McTague (ABOVE), of the Ontario high court to the Ontario appeal court.

### Seeking the Identity of Dead Man Found To-day

Unidentified Body Found on Tracks Near Golden City This Morning. Apparently Hit by Train. Body Badly Mangled but Face Recognizable.

### Colder Weather Tomorrow

Colder Weather Expected in the Next Few Days. Anticipate Change of Weather To-day or To-morrow

Colder weather is expected tonight or early tomorrow. Mr. S. Wheeler, the weatherman at the Hollinger, said today that the next few days should see changeable weather. Today would remain cloudy with colder weather toward evening, he said.

Light snow fell on the evening of Friday to the depth of a quarter of an inch. On Saturday between eight and eleven o'clock in the evening another quarter inch of snow fell.

Temperatures since last Thursday have been as follows: Thursday, maximum 30, minimum 21; Friday, 33 and 27; Saturday, 35 and 30; Sunday, 32 and 25. Last night's minimum was 22 and at eight o'clock this morning the thermometer read 22 degrees.

The broken body of an unidentified man was found on the tracks near Golden City, this morning. He apparently had been struck by the freight train which passes through there between seven o'clock and seven-fifteen.

The man's body was badly mangled, although the face was not injured to the same extent as the remainder of the body. How the accident happened is still a mystery.

The victim appeared to be about twenty years of age. He was about five feet, nine inches in height and was wearing red mitts, a woolen cap, shoes and rubbers and appeared to be carrying a small knapsack.

Provincial police are investigating the accident. They hope to find someone who can identify the body. It is believed that the young man was walking on the track, and because of some atmospheric condition or some other reason, did not hear the approaching freight train, which hit him and threw him to one side of the tracks, mangling his body.

### Iroquois Falls Union Elects New Officers

R. W. Crumb Voted as President for 1939.

Iroquois Falls, Ont., December 10th, 1938. Special to The Advance.

Polling booths, located in the Knights of Columbus Hall remained open from 2 to 6 p.m. on Thursday afternoon, so as to enable all members of the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Mill Workers to cast their votes for new officers, nominated at the last meeting.

With a good representation of the members participating, the officers taking charge for 1939, will have the full support of the Union behind them in taking up matters pertaining to working conditions in the Atbitt Mill here.

R. W. Crumb was well voted into presidency, as he polled 299 votes, as against his opponent, Mr. Poirier, who received 137 ballots. C. Potter takes the office of Recording Secretary, having 241 votes, as against 127 for R. Forbes, bidding for the same office. For Treasurer, 263 votes were given to J. E. Freeman, who defeated C. J. Roholm, who got 101 votes. Financial Secretary will be A. Gauthier, with 258 votes, as against 143 given to J. D. Burton, for the same office. Office of the Inner Guard will be filled by L. Lepage, polling 272 votes, as against J. Proulx, who received 96.

The office of Vice-president will continue as last year, Mr. A. Seymour, having taken this office by unanimous acclamation, as did the office held by Mr. W. O. Charlebois, that of Business Agent.

### Silver Anniversary of Finnish United Church

Event Observed Yesterday by Special Services at Timmins and South Porcupine. Mrs. P. Kyllonen Spoke on Timmins 27 Years Ago. Many Notable Musical Items.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the Finnish United Church in the Porcupine was fittingly observed at the Finnish United Churches at Timmins and South Porcupine yesterday. From every standpoint the anniversary services were very successful.

At the Timmins Finnish United Church there were many special features, the music being particularly attractive. The United Church Choir gave valuable assistance to make the event a decided success. The anthems, "Conquering Kings Their Titles Take" (Mauder), and "Now the Day is Over" (J. C. Marks), and the selection, "The Church in the Wilderness" were presented in very effective way by the Choir. The duet, "Consider the Lilies," (Tappin), by Mrs. P. H. Carson and Mrs. T. Gay was a very pleasing number. The solo by Master Earl Draw, "In the Garden" delighted all. Mr. and Mrs. L. Worthington won appreciation with the duet, "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" (Stainer).

Rev. Mr. Mustard was unable to be present but there were inspiring addresses by Rev. Mr. Baile and Rev. Mr. LITTLE.

Mrs. P. Kyllonen spoke most interestingly on Timmins on Dec. 1st, 27 years ago when she arrived here. At that time the town was not even on the railway, the T. & N. O. only coming as far as South Porcupine.

All the babies of Timmins of twenty-five years ago who were christened in the Finnish church a quarter century ago and who are still resident here, and also some from Broder township and Copper Cliff were present at the services yesterday. Each wore a red rose sent by Bruce Leek. Chrysanthemums for the adorning of the church were sent by Mrs. Shephard. Refreshments (donated by the merchants of Timmins) were served after the service.

### Fire Begins in Smoke House on Hemlock St

Firemen Receive Five Calls Since Thursday. Four of Them for Chimney Fires. Nothing Serious.

Firemen have had five calls since last Thursday, four of them for chimney fires. The only fire that threatened to be serious occurred in a small smoke house at 220 Hemlock street. The small building was used for curing meats.

At one o'clock on the afternoon of Thursday the truck was called to 104 Pine street south. The chimney fire there was easily handled. On Friday at five in the afternoon another call was received from 93 Bannerman avenue. The smoke house fire occurred at 2:49 p.m. on Sunday. Also on Sunday were received two calls for chimney fires. One from 48 1/2 Bannerman avenue, the other from 38 Murdock street.