

28th Anniversary of the United Church of South Porcupine

Anniversary Sunday, October 22nd. Rev. Gilmour Smith, B.A., and Rev. F. J. Baine, M.A., B.D., to Conduct Services. Anniversary Supper on Monday, October 23rd.

South Porcupine United Church will observe its twenty-eighth anniversary on Sunday, Oct. 22nd. At the morning service at 11 a.m., Rev. Gilmour Smith, of Timmins United Church, will occupy the pulpit, while in the evening, Rev. F. J. Baine, M.A., B.D., of Schumacher, formerly of South Porcupine, will conduct the services.

On Monday evening, Oct. 23rd, there will be the usual anniversary supper at the church from 5 to 7. This is always a very happy feature of the anniversary observance.

On the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the South Porcupine United Church in 1936, a booklet was issued giving a brief history of the church and its growth. It is noted that the Methodists located at Pottsville and the Presbyterians at Golden City. Then came the forest fire of that year—the 1911 fire. After the fire the communities were rebuilt. One of the churches met in a tent for a time, but under the energetic leadership of Rev. G. B. McLennan, the Presbyterian church was built and the first service held on Oct. 27th, 1911. A church was also built at Golden City. In 1916 under a plan of co-operation the two churches united their forces in the Northern field. This was before the more general church union, thus the North leading the way. The development of the Dome Mines

soon drew the larger proportion of the people to South Porcupine and the church followed the trend of the times.

The list of ministers at the South Porcupine church includes—J. F. G. Morris, Rev. J. Peacock, Rev. W. L. Lawrence, Rev. Mr. Johnston, Rev. H. S. Lovering, Rev. J. C. Cochrane (later superintendent of missions), Rev. S. Milton Beach, Rev. A. P. Menzies, M. C. C. McInnis, Rev. G. B. McLennan, Rev. M. Bumford, Rev. H. Lyons, Rev. Mr. Malcolm, Rev. T. Andrews, Rev.



W. J. Arms, Rev. E. C. Moddle, Rev. G. R. McVittie, Rev. F. J. Baine, Rev. Levi Hussey, Rev. Dr. Fraser, Rev. J. A. Little (the present minister).

Clubs and Societies Hold Meetings at Schumacher

Fourth of Leadership Training Classes of Y.P.S.

Schumacher, Oct. 18.—(Special to The Advance)—The Consumers' Co-operative held a very successful whist drive in the Daffodil Community hall last Friday evening. Whist was played and the prize winners were—Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Townsend; 2nd, Mrs. Finchen; men, 1st, Mr. C. Premeau; 2nd, Mr. Von Krugnet; consolation prize, Mrs. C. Brown. After the cards a nice lunch was served and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing. Miss Muriel Harris accompanying at the piano.

The 500 Card Club met at the home of Mrs. C. Brown, Second Ave. Five hundred was played, and the prize winners were—1st, Mrs. Tario; 2nd, Mrs. Forsythe; 3rd, Mrs. Soucie; door prize, Mrs. G. Robertson. After the cards the

hostess served a nice lunch and a pleasant evening was enjoyed.

The Young People's Societies of the United Churches met on Monday night in Trinity United Church. This meeting was fourth in a series of Leadership Training Classes. The meeting was very interesting and instructive and was well attended.

Wage Scale Charge Settled and Case is Withdrawn

A charge under the Industrial Standards Act laid against Alex Feldman was withdrawn in Timmins police court yesterday when the complainant, J. A. Larocque, inspector of the Provincial Department of Welfare, reported to Magistrate Atkinson that the matter had been settled by payment in full.

Now, What Was It?

"My memory is excellent," said Smith, "but there are three things I never remember: I can't remember names, I can't remember faces and I can't remember—I forget what the third thing was."

Penitentiary Term for Robbing Man in Local Beverage Parlour

Jerry McNulty Acquitted on Another Charge of Robbing F. Laface of \$50. Convicted at South Porcupine of Entering Hardware Store There.

The stone walls of Kingston penitentiary will be the home of Jerry McNulty for the next two years, as the Timmins man was convicted of robbing William Vichoff of a purse containing \$148 in a local beverage room on Sept. 9th last.

Conducting his own defence in a clever manner, McNulty won an acquittal on a charge of robbing Frank Laface of \$50 following an alleged fight in the early hours of Oct. 4th and was successful in having a charge of car theft laid by Laface reduced to one of joy riding. He was given six months on the latter count.

The sentences in the Timmins court bring to a total of six-and-a-half years the time which has been handed to McNulty during the past week. He received two years at South Porcupine on Tuesday for breaking and entering the Marshall-Ecclestone Hardware Store there and two years at Sturgeon Falls last week for breaking and entering a hardware store at Coniston. His companions on the South End theft, Romeo Mayer, and Paul Daignault received 15 months and 12 months respectively. Jeanne Legrain was dismissed on the same charge. As the terms were made concurrent, McNulty will only serve two years at Kingston.

Pleading not to be sent to the penitentiary, McNulty told Magistrate Atkinson that he had been on his way to Toronto to enlist when he had been arrested at Sturgeon Falls. "If I go to the pen I can't get in the army when I get out, your honour," he said.

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Naybob Results Now the Best in History of Mine

(From Yesterday's Globe and Mail) President R. J. Naylor of Naybob Gold Mines, Porcupine district, who is now in Timmins, advised us by long-distance phone yesterday that recent milling results and developments have been the best and most important in the history of the company.

Last month 4,124 tons of ore was milled, heads averaging \$8.54 and recovery \$8.017, for total of \$33,064.78, with costs, including development, at \$20,328.76, leaving an operating profit of \$12,736.02. Mining costs were \$3.19 per ton and development costs \$1.73, making total of \$4.92 per ton.

Development on the 500 level during the last month has been most gratifying, drift showing 165 feet of continuous ore, with maximum width of 20 feet, along the upward continuation of No. 2 orebody exposed on the 700 level and there proved by diamond-drilling and box-holing, with widths up to 35 feet.

On the 400 level, drift has reached a point about 70 feet from the upward extension of the orebody and it should be reached within the next two weeks. A sub-level between the 700 and 800 levels, off the winze from the 700, has exposed high-grade in the downward continuation of No.1 shoot.

Toronto Telegram.—Prosperity will be here when the boss begins to practice the improvement of his golf swing in his private office.

Ladies Auxiliary of Legion Entertain at Whist Party

Work Meetings Next Week for the Red Cross.

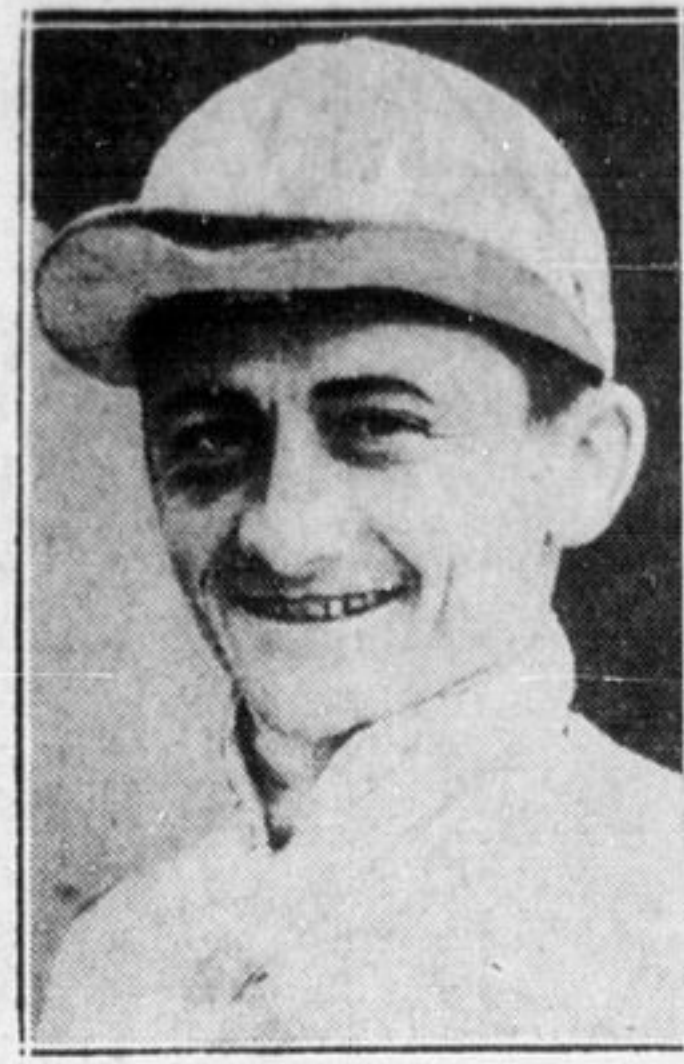
The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion entertained on Tuesday evening at a whist drive in the Legion hall, when seventeen tables of whist were played. Mrs. Ann Harvey and Mrs. W. Wilkinson acted as M.C.'s during the evening, and a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Jean Smith and the kitchen committee.

Winners at whist were as follows—Ladies, 1st, Mrs. E. Montigny; 2nd, Mrs. F. Greve; 3rd, Mrs. Huyton; gentlemen—1st, Mrs. Whittam; 2nd, Mrs. Ormston; 3rd, Mrs. Rainsford (all playing as gentlemen).

On Tuesday evening of next week, the ladies will again entertain at whist, and on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, of each week, the members are asked to remember the work meetings in aid of the Red Cross.

Exchange.—You shouldn't expect a wise answer to a fool question.

Has Busy Day



Jockey Don Meade was kidnapped by two men who threatened his baby's life, but he rode five horses, including one winner, before helping police capture one of the alleged extortionists—all in 20 hours.

Gunman and Sweetheart Receive Jail Terms in Timmins Court

Man Given a Year for Carrying Concealed Revolver and Two Terms of Six Months for Receiving Stolen Goods. He Pleaded Guilty. He was Given Another Term of a Year for Breaking and Entering at South Porcupine.

Paul Daignault and his blonde sweetheart, Betty Leblanc, were both sentenced to jail terms by Magistrate Atkinson in Timmins police court yesterday. Daignault received a year for carrying a concealed revolver and six months each on two counts of receiving stolen goods after he had pleaded guilty to all three charges. Miss Leblanc was given three months when she pleaded guilty to receiving stolen goods. Another charge of receiving against Miss Leblanc was withdrawn by the Crown when Daignault accepted responsibility for a miscellaneous collection of toilet sets, smoking sundries and sox which had been found in her room.

His suitcase was in my room—I didn't know a thing about it, your honour," Miss Leblanc told the court.

As the prisoners were being led from the courtroom Daignault stepped out of line and embraced Miss Leblanc twice. Both were visibly affected by the jail terms as they walked together down the stairs to the cells below.

Daignault was taken into custody after a struggle with Provincial Constable Worrall and Constable Atkinson who found a loaded .25 calibre automatic hidden inside his clothes when they searched him after bringing him in to the police station.

He was charged with receiving the revolver knowing it to be stolen. It belongs to D. W. Bent of 102 Mountjoy street north.

Daignault was convicted of breaking and entering the Marshall-Ecclestone Hardware store at South Porcupine and was sentenced to one year in the reformatory on Tuesday at South Porcupine.

Another Pleads Guilty to Charge of Being "Found in"

As a further sequel to recent police gambling raids, Frank Kurt pleaded guilty and was fined \$20 and costs or 30 days in Timmins court yesterday on a charge of being "found in."

Wedding at Notre Dame des Lourdes Church Yesterday

Miss Anna Spencer and Mr. Rodolphe St. Dennis Married.

The Notre Dame des Lourdes Roman Catholic Church was the scene of a charming wedding on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock, when the Rev. Fr. Roberge united in marriage Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andre Spencer, and Mr. Rodolphe St. Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexandre St. Dennis.

The bride, who was becomingly attired for the occasion, was given in marriage by her father, while the groom was attended by his father.

Mr. and Mrs. St. Dennis will reside in Timmins.

Red Cross Home Nursing Course at Schumacher

All the ladies in Schumacher who are interested in taking the Home Nursing Course for the Red Cross under Miss Wing are asked to hand in their names to Mrs. Sinclair MacMillan, phone McIntyre 26 before the end of this week. All persons interested are requested to register as soon as possible.

Noted Editor Passes After Over Fifty Years' Work

Montreal, Oct. 17.—Death has ended more than a half-century's newspaper work for Albert Richardson Carman, whose writings were known far more widely than was his name.

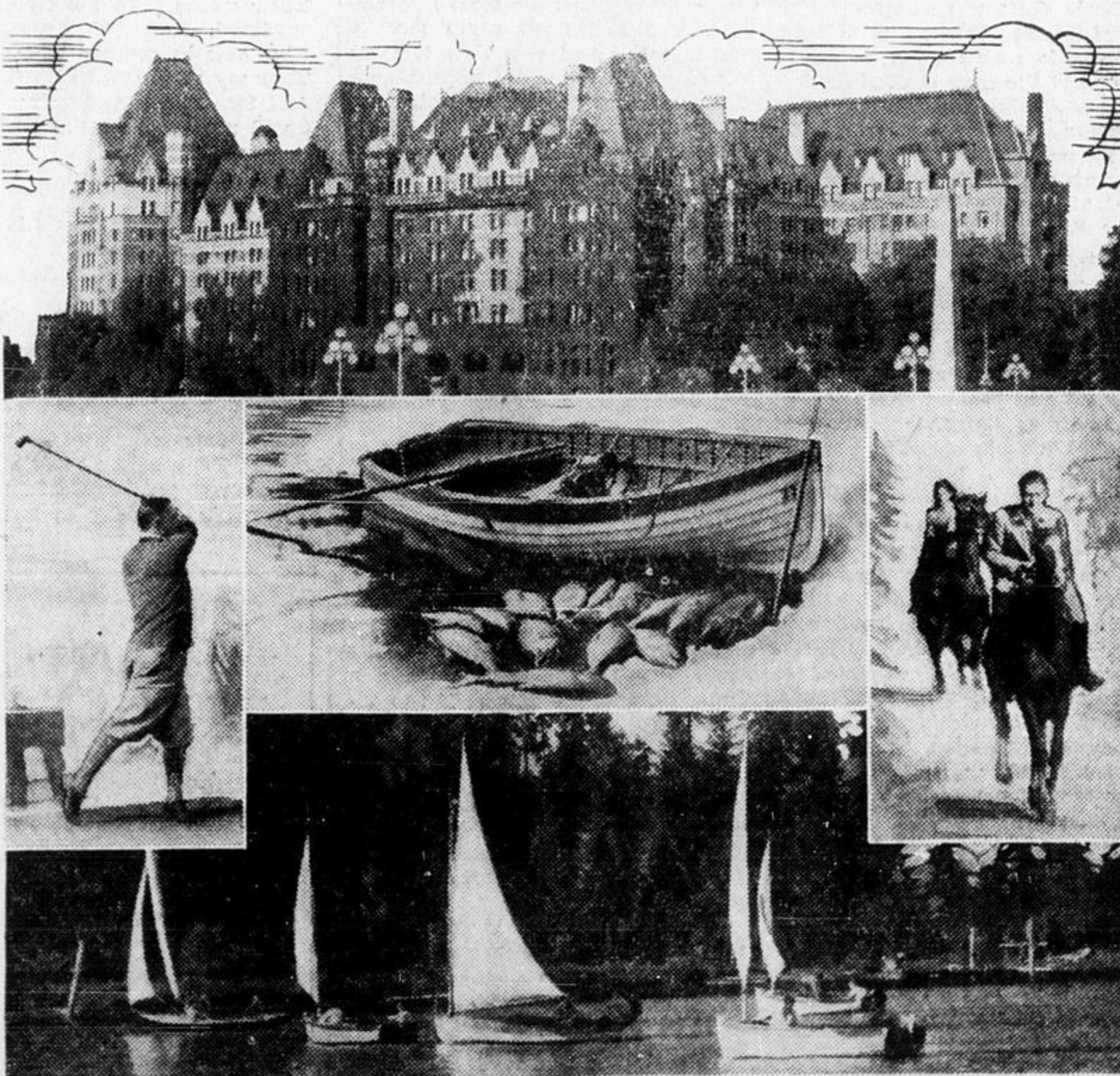
Mr. Carman, editor-in-chief of The Montreal Daily Star, died at his home last night after a brief illness. He was 74 years old, and two years ago "celebrated" the golden jubilee of his entry in the journalistic field.

But so great was his antipathy towards the public limelight that he observed the anniversary in just about the same way as he worked through his long journalistic career—he remained behind the scenes while newspapers throughout Canada paid tribute to him. He did accept an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from McGill University, and he considered that more than sufficient to mark the half-century milestone in his career.

A kindly, quiet man, he seldom appeared in public, and probably wrote as many words anonymously as any newspaperman in Canada.

Son of a Methodist minister, Mr. Carman joined the staff of the old Toronto Globe as a cub reporter in 1887. That was the start of a varied journalistic life that eventually brought him to The Montreal Star, under the late Lord Atholstan, in 1891.

Golf, Tennis, Fishing, Riding, Yachting Victoria Sports During Winter Months



Golf, tennis, lawn bowling, riding, hunting and fishing may be unusual winter sports for most of Canada but not for Victoria, beautiful island capital of British Columbia, where snow is a novelty, flowers bloom throughout the year, and overcoats are excess baggage.

Winter golf is the sport that attracts widest notice to Victoria's wonderful year-round climate, but the West Coast has its pilgrims who are drawn there each winter by the splendid weather and the series of unusual sports and social attractions made possible by the fine weather.

Winter fishing is a major sport in Brantwood Bay where sizeable

grilse and spring salmon are caught by trolling. Fly fishing for steelhead salmon up to 20 pounds is found in east-slope rivers such as the Oyster, Cowichan, Englishman's, Nanaimo, and Big and Little Qualicum.

Best known of the winter attractions is the Mid-Winter Golf Tournament which will be held this year on the Royal Colwood course, March 3-9. Keen competition, a sporty course and good golfing weather, added to the many prizes of which the most important is the trophy presented by Sir Edward Beatty, make the tourney one of the most popular in Canada.

Riding, hiking, lawn bowling, boating are but a few more sports that are as popular in Victoria in winter as in summer. Piestas are arranged from time to time, named after flowers then in bloom. Probably the most picturesque celebration is the Christmas festival in Old English style, complete with boar's head, yule logs, wassail bowl and carols.

Victoria and the Empress Hotel have enjoyed a growing popularity in recent years. A real impetus has been given this season by the fact that foreign exchange under war pressure makes a Canadian dollar worth considerably more in Canada than in the United States.

Schumacher Branch of Red Cross Holds Very Interesting Meeting

Mr. P. A. Boyce, President of the Society, Outlined Aims of Organization and Urged All to Assist. Address by Mr. R. J. Ennis. Other News from Schumacher and District.

Schumacher, Oct. 18.—(Special to The Advance)—The Schumacher Branch of the Red Cross held a community night at the McIntyre Arena on Monday night. The president, Mr. P. A. Boyce, was chairman. The meeting opened with the singing of "O, Canada."

Mr. John Beattie, of the Delmita Mine read the minutes of the previous meeting. Mr. Boyce in a very interesting address outlined the work that had been accomplished in the past by the Red Cross Society and he felt sure that if everyone would come out voluntarily and whole-heartedly, still greater work could be done. It was up to everyone to do their bit in this great cause. Mr. Boyce thanked the McIntyre F.C. Ladies' Auxiliary for their donation to the Red Cross Society.

Mrs. Armitage sang several selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Gabriel.

Mr. Boyce called on Mr. R. J. Ennis to say a few words. Mr. Ennis said it was a pleasure to be there but he would like to see a better attendance, so he thought he would form an attendance committee and he would be chairman. He asked everyone present to bring 10 new members to the next meeting. He said the bigger the crowd the more interesting it would be.

The McIntyre Band under the direction of Mr. Baden played several selections during the evening and was much appreciated. The play put on by the Junior Red Cross was much enjoyed.

The Croatian Orchestra played several selections and won much applause. The hit of the evening was the singing by Ann Marie Miller and Hilda Bugeon.

The singing of the National Anthem brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

McIntyre F.C. Ladies' Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Alex Mair on Tuesday evening. Whist was played and the winners of the nice prizes were—1st, Mrs. Victor Phillips; 2nd, Mrs. Alex Mair; 3rd, Mrs. James Strirat. After the cards an event of special interest took place. Mrs. James Dawson, president of the club, on behalf of the members, presented a lovely cot to Baby Urquhart, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Urquhart in honour of being the first baby born since the club started, almost two years ago.

Mr. Urquhart replied, and on behalf of his wife and young daughter thanked the ladies for their lovely gift. The hostess served a delicious lunch and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all who attended.

Home Nursing Classes Miss L. Wing, convener of the Home Nursing Classes for the Schumacher branch of the Red Cross, announces that the classes will commence shortly. Any ladies wishing to take this course should get in touch with Mrs. Sinclair MacMillan, phone McIntyre 26. Classes will be arranged and graduate nurses will be in charge. This Home Nursing Class will be beneficial to all women and should be taken advantage of. Everyone is asked to register as soon as possible.

Entertained McIntyre F.C. Auxiliary Mrs. T. Rendall, Elm street south, Timmins, entertained the members of the McIntyre F.C. Ladies' Auxiliary to a social evening at her home last Friday evening. During the evening the hostess served a delicious lunch.

Miss Catherine MacKenzie who has spent the summer in Toronto, is visiting for a few days at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Dave Bennett, Fifth Ave., before returning to her home in Alberta. Miss MacKenzie is a graduate of Alberta University.

Miss A. Bugera, Second Ave., returned home Sunday after visiting for the past two weeks at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson, Belle Terre Mines. Miss Bugera attended the opening of the McIntyre's new club house there last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. MacKenzie returned on Sunday from their honeymoon, and have taken up residence in the Korson Block, First Ave.

Mr. Bill Dillon attended the opening of the McIntyre new club house at Mud Lake last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bennett returned on Saturday from their honeymoon and have taken up residence on Fifth Ave.

Mr. C. McDonald, First Ave., attended the opening of the McIntyre new club house at Mud Lake last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. S. Hill, of the Vipond, moved into town Tuesday and have taken up residence at 120 First Ave.

Mr. Stan Blake, principal of the High School, and Miss Evelyn Scully, represented the Schumacher High School at a meeting of the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation held at Sault Ste. Marie, during the week-end.

Mrs. J. R. Todd returned on Monday after spending the past two weeks visiting in Toronto.

Mr. August Bettel was in Mud Lake, for the week-end, attending the opening of the McIntyre new club house.

Mrs. Fred Dwyer returned after spending a holiday in Southern Ontario.

Report Published on Public Health in German Reich

Figures Sent Out Before the War Commenced.

The report on Germany's public health service, prepared by the Division of Public Hygiene of the Reich's Department of the Interior, appeared in Berlin in August. As the information was sent out by the Berlin correspondent of the Journal of the American Medical Association before the war commenced, the figures quoted are believed to be correct. They are of interest to all as bearing on internal conditions in Germany.

The number of marriages in 1938, 644,363 is given as an increase from 9.1 to 9.4 per thousand (Canada's rate is 7.9) and births 1,346,911 an increase from 18.8 to 19.7 per thousand (Canada's rate is 20.5). Families with two and three children appear to be on the increase. The general mortality in Germany has remained unchanged.

The mortality rate for tuberculosis decreased from 69 to 63 per hundred thousand persons as compared with Canada's rate, 54.6. Deaths from influenza receded but more deaths occurred from pneumonia. Poliomyelitis greatly increased and there was a further increase in diphtheria and measles mortality.

The report on conditions of the nation's youth criticizes briefly immoderate cigarette smoking and premature manual labour.

The most unfavourable sections in the report on adults concern farmers' wives. Hard manual labour and birth frequency are assigned as the reasons. Sanitation is not what it should be in many regions, partly because married women are engaged in outside work, partly because of the large size of the families. However, some of this is due to a certain scarcity of water.

Lack of beds and bedding has disappeared. In spite of energetic steps, including the jailing of large numbers of physicians, midwives and persons in ordinary walks of life, the number of abortions is everywhere deplorably high.

Silicosis Was Known and Studied 250 Years Ago

(By J. W. S. McCullough, M.D., D.P.H.)

Silicosis and other occupational hazards to which modern science gives much attention not only existed centuries ago, but they were also recognized then.

Neither is compensation laws for industrial diseases a new idea. They were proposed as far back as 1690 when a Venetian doctor, Bernardino Ramazzini wrote a work on Diseases of Tradesmen ("De Morbis Artificum").

A copy of this book was recently found in the University of Pennsylvania library and its translation brings out facts that are most interesting in view of the period in which it was written.

Ramazzini, it appears, made a practice of leaving the sick bed and going to where the patient worked, to study materials and hygienic conditions as a clue to the illness. In that way he obtained information, which he carefully recorded, on certain occupational diseases known today. He knew about silicosis—the disabling lung disease—which he saw afflicting the dust-breathing workers in the pottery and glass-making industries. Ramazzini anticipated modern sanitation methods by suggesting that materials be wetted to keep dust down and that arrangements be made for adequate ventilation.

Speaking of the occupational hazards of the white collar workers of two and a half centuries ago, he said of scholars, that the sedentary posture and intense concentration were bad for digestion. He even discussed writer's cramp. His prescription for these ills was "Get more of the outdoors into your life."

Huntingdon Gleaner.—Reading that a Japanese farmer had increased the milk yield of his cows by following radio to them, a farmer in Scotland followed the example by placing a new radio set in an empty stall in the cowshed. When jazz began one bossy after another kicked her heels in the air and protested loudly. One kicked the bottom out of the milk pail, another sent the milkmaid flying from the stall. The other milkers fled.