

News From South Porcupine, Dome and the District

Handsome New Buildings Add to the Appearance of South Porcupine

Drug Store Being Opened in New Wilson Block. Imperial Bank Building Nearing Completion. Additional Quarters for Post Office Business for Christmas. Other South Porcupine and Dome News.

South Porcupine, Dec. 6.—(Special to The Advance)—Mr. Ted Liscumb, of Halleybury, has been engaged by Pearce and Cross to take charge of the dispensing department at their drug store on Crawford. Colonel Scobell is superintending the stocking of the new store on Main St. in the W. W. Wilson building, and will be druggist in charge in this store. This store will be open to the public on Friday. Mr. Wilson is also moving into the new building this week, his barber shop we understand being in the basement. Mr. J. D. McCarthy has moved his office from the township building into the new Wilson building; Mrs. Ferguson's beauty parlor is also installed upstairs. Now that—externally—the Imperial

Bank building is finished, these two edifices certainly make a vast improvement in the Main St. business section of our town.

Added Post Office Service

Although the new post office promised to our town is not yet a reality, the Postmaster is doing his best to prepare for the Christmas parcel rush. The building on the corner of Main and Golden Avenue, formerly occupied by D. Cattarello, and at present undergoing alteration and improvement, has been requisitioned by the Post Office staff and as soon as pressure demands it will be used as a parcel depot for sending and receiving parcels, thus relieving congestion in the regular office. Cards for parcels will be placed in the usual boxes, but will be given out at the new building. The building will be ready before the end of the week. Sixteen applicants for naturalization were interviewed today by the R.C.M.P. in the police office—the largest number at one time to be heard for some time here. Only one American made application—the others were European aliens.

The Finnish Lutheran Church on William Avenue is holding an all-day bazaar at the church building on Saturday, commencing at 10 a.m. Besides a sale of work—and some of the fancy work done by the members is beautifully executed—there will also be the famous Finnish coffee bread for sale, and coffee and coffee cake will be served at a special table. The proceeds of the coffee table are to be given to the Red Cross Fund. This little band of workers is deserving of the support of all who wish to develop the best citizenship in our new Canadians.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Borden Lang, and Mr. Ivan Lang left by car on Monday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. James Lang in Campbell's Bay which took place on Wednesday.

The new rink will be the scene of a dance on Friday, sponsored by the Rink Committee. Ken Tomkinson's orchestra will supply the music.

The Connaught Hill Ladies' Guild held a very enjoyable social evening on Thursday, Nov. 30th, at the home of Mrs. A. Walker. Whist was played, and the first prize of a fancy table centre was won by Mrs. E. Pelkie. The second prize (novelty ash tray) was awarded by Mrs. Woodley and consolation won by Mrs. Galbraith. The hostess served a delightful lunch.

Mrs. J. B. McDonald, of the Belvidere Apartments, left on Tuesday for Pembroke upon receipt of the news of her mother's illness in that town.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Hilton H. Miller, of 4 Bruce avenue, on Dec. 5th, in Porcupine General Hospital—a son.

Friends of Mr. Ben Schultz will regret that he has left for the sanitarium at Gravenhurst, being ordered a period of rest by his doctors.

Scarlet fever has two victims in town and whooping cough and other childish ailments seem to be prevalent.

Mrs. Davis, of Golden City, is spending two weeks in the McDonald hospital at Connaught.

Police Court

A very long docket kept Magistrate Atkinson busy on Tuesday till noon. Four paid \$1 and costs for illegal parking. For having no lights on a car, another paid \$5, and for not having a driver's license a fine of \$5 was paid.

N. Roy (not a citizen) was given 60 days in jail for stealing dresses valued at \$48.50 from Feldman's Store in Schumacher. When asked why, Roy replied "Guess I was drunk, your worship."

For reckless driving a fine of \$20 and costs was imposed. In evidence submitted defendant tried to pass a truck on the Rea Hill, on a slippery road. The car swerved and struck another vehicle. Driver's permit was also suspended for 30 days.

A "hit and run" driver, who did not return to scene of accident was fined \$25 and costs or 30 days.

A Schumacher citizen reported number of license to police after seeing this car bump two parked cars in Schumacher. He did this as he considered it his duty and was thanked by the magistrate. Police investigation proved ownership of car.

"Robbery with violence"—the serious charge with which a local young man was faced—was dismissed by his worship. A taxi driver's evidence figured largely in this case and was a factor in the dismissal of the case.

An assault case will be heard next week.

Verbal permission for a minor to buy cigarettes or tobacco given by an older person does not have any weight in law, neither does a written one, decided the magistrate, as he fined a local stockbroker \$5 and costs for "selling tobacco to a minor."

Eli Korri, just out of jail for having a gill net appeared again, most indignant, upon similar charge. It was not his, he said, somebody else had left it in his shack.

"It's getting near Christmas," said his worship, "we'll give you a surprise. We'll seize your net and let you go!" Two cases of assault upon juveniles came up for hearing. A lad of 17 claimed he was kicked by defendant,

Meetings of Clubs and Other Groups at Schumacher

Other News of Schumacher and District.

Schumacher, Dec. 6.—(Special to The Advance)—A meeting of the Schumacher Anglican Ladies' Guild was held on Tuesday evening at 87 Second Ave. Miss Coleman was hostess for the evening. Much business was discussed and the members all agreed the recent bazaar an outstanding success. The members would like to take this opportunity of thanking everyone who by their generous support helped to make the bazaar such a success. Special thanks to Mr. Jack Birkett, of Timmins, for making posters; Mr. Neil Rafuse, for the use of his truck; the Daffodil Restaurant for the use of the hall; also the merchants for their generous donations. Officers of the Guild were elected as follows:—President, Mrs. Dobson; vice-president, Mrs. A. Cook; secretary, Miss Jessie Bell; treasurer, Miss Leach. Executive Committee—Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. Jensen, Mrs. Eyoifson, Mrs. S. Laing. Sick Committee—Mrs. Davies, Mrs. Percival. After the meeting the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 10th, the place to be decided upon at a later date.

The Schumacher Anglican Ladies' Guild held a very successful bazaar in the Daffodil hall, First avenue, on Tuesday. The conveners for the various tables were as follows:—Bake Table, Mrs. Eyoifson assisted by Mrs. Cooke, Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Coulson. Sewing Table, Mrs. Davies, assisted by Mrs. Greer. String Table, Mrs. S. Laing, assisted by Miss Keene. Home Made Candy, Mrs. A. Cooke, assisted by Mrs. Percival, Mrs. Keene, Mrs. Moorish. Afternoon tea, Mrs. Butler assisted by Mrs. Waddle, Mrs. Jacks, Mrs. McMillan and Mrs. Poole, and Mrs. Morgan. Fish Pond, Mrs. Jensen and Mrs. Pennie.

The A.D.S. Club met at the home of Mrs. James Scullion, First Ave., last Thursday evening. Whist was played and the prize winners were:—1st, Mrs. J. Stirrat; 2nd, Mrs. C. Rickard; 3rd, Mrs. P. Hunter. After the cards the hostess served a nice lunch and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

The Consumers Co-operative held their card party on Friday evening in the Daffodil Community hall, First Ave. Whist was played and the winners of the nice prizes were: ladies, 1st, Mrs. J. Griffiths; 2nd, Mrs. R. Hazelwood; gents, 1st, Mrs. J. Stirrat (playing as gent); 2nd, Mrs. Jenkyn (playing as gent); consolation prize, Helen Donovan. After the cards refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed.

The Twenty-fivers Bridge Club met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Walter Craik, Birch St. Bridge was played and the prize winners were: 1st, Mrs. W. Mair; 2nd, Mrs. S. Urquhart. A nice social time was enjoyed. During the evening the hostess served a delicious lunch.

The Men's Club of Trinity United Church will hold its meeting on Sunday afternoon in the church at 3 o'clock. All men are specially invited to this meeting.

The Boys' Club of Trinity United Church met on Tuesday evening in the church hall. Instead of the usual Tuesday night meeting a nice Christmas dinner party was enjoyed. After the dinner a social evening with games and other attractions was enjoyed. The Rev. F. J. Baine assisted by Dr. Stan Gibson and Mr. Dan Fraser had charge of the arrangements.

The 500 Card Club met at the home of Mrs. Norman Tario, Fourth Ave., last Tuesday evening. 500 was played and the winners of the nice prizes were:—1st, Mrs. Fred Webber; 2nd, Mrs. G. Robertson; 3rd, Mrs. Sam Gurevitch; door prize, Mrs. Forsyth. After the cards a nice social time was enjoyed. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

The Woman's Association of Trinity United Church is holding a Christmas tea party in the church hall on Friday afternoon. During the afternoon there will be special Christmas music. There will be a sale of home baking, Christmas cakes and puddings. The ladies are invited to come and enjoy an afternoon cup of tea.

Mrs. Charles Pennie and Mrs. H. James were hostesses at a nicely arranged birthday party held at the home of Mr. John Besley, 99 Third Ave., on Tuesday night. About twenty friends attended. The guests of honour were Mrs. V. Nelly, of the Buffalo Ankerite, and Mr. Charles Pennie, First Ave., who were celebrating their birthdays. Mrs. Pennie's birthday was this week also. White and various other games were enjoyed. The guests of honour received many beautiful gifts. A very delicious lunch was served. Mrs. V. Nelly poured tea.

Mrs. Frank Sopha, who has been visiting friends here, left this week for her home in Havelock, Ontario.

Mrs. White and her son, Eli, left on Tuesday for their home at Sault Ste. Marie, after spending an extended holiday with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Campbell. Miss Marguerite Smith and Mrs. Eddie Smith were guests at the wedding of Joseph Frank Smith, Angliers, Quebec. Mr. and Mrs. C. Butler and family, visited friends in Kirkland Lake, during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Murray, Second Ave., have returned from Angliers, Quebec, where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Murray's brother, Mr. Joseph Frank Smith. Mrs. Ed. Robinson, Coniaurum Property, returned home this week, having spent the past three months visiting friends in Detroit.

Two White Finns Break up Meeting at South Porcupine

Speaker at Finn Club Badly Beaten Up.

South Porcupine, Dec. 6.—(Special to The Advance)—Echoes of the European Russo-Finnish bitter feelings were heard in South Porcupine this week. On Monday night a young people's meeting of the Finn Club was being held in the Finnish hall. Two "White" Finns (rumour has it that these men had lost relatives in the recent bombing at Helsingfors) stormed the hall during the meeting. Seizing a chair one felled the principal speaker, and using a claw hammer left by carpenters in the building, whanged around with good effect beating him up in complete fashion. Police were notified of the fracas and arrested the two Finns and removed the injured man to hospital. He is now suffering from a broken nose, blackened eyes, possible broken ribs and collar-bone. The two men arrested were allowed out on bail (\$100 cash or \$200 property) at Tuesday's police court. They, of course, will have the surprising British law explained to them next Tuesday, which emphasizes the equality of every man by his opinions, red or any other colour, and which, even under these circumstances will punish the aggressor, while those who listen may be a hundred per cent sympathetic towards the breakers of this particular law. Another rather amusing anecdote was given us today. A Finnish lady who has been having milk delivered to her by a Russian driver met him at the door after the news of the Helsingfors bombing, with a stolid mien and menacing gesture—"Don't come here no more"—expressed succinctly the lady's views on this question!

Red Cross Activities Continue to Grow at South Porcupine

South Porcupine, Dec. 6.—(Special to The Advance)—Red Cross activities continue to grow. The Committee ladies are glad to welcome the Finnish ladies who are becoming very interested in working. They prefer to work in the evening twice a week at the rooms.

At the Buffalo-Ankerite the Red Cross Society held its first meeting in the school on Friday, Nov. 3rd, with 38 members present. Mrs. M. Ludgate presided at the meeting. The officers elected were: Hon. Pres. Mrs. R. P. Kinkel; President, Mrs. M. Ludgate; Vice-president, Mrs. R. Vary; Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. D. Scott. Group meetings will be held every Tuesday from 2 to 10 p.m., and business meetings each Tuesday at 4.30 p.m. A room in the school has been re-decorated by Mr. R. P. Kinkel with work tables and a sewing machine donated for the work by Mrs. Kinkel.

A Pause

Before me on the battlefield lay, The sinful deeds of war that day; Where the wheat seeds used to fall, Now the soldiers answer the call. A grim unforgettable scene it was, Yet there for a moment I wished to pause; Never before have I seen such a sight, The dying and wounded left to their plight. They all will die with the setting sun, But God is with them every one; Mourn not ye mourners of the dead, For to peace and happiness they have been led. —Elizabeth Couch South Porcupine, Ontario.

Don't forget the whist drive (prizes hams and chickens) which the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Legion are sponsoring on Monday next at 8 p.m. in the Masonic hall. A meeting of the Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary was held on Wednesday afternoon in the Masonic hall, in charge of Mrs. R. E. Dye, president, and quite a large number of members were present. It was decided to buy another wheel-chair for hospital use out of the funds, one already having been provided by the Auxiliary and proving of great benefit to the patients. The president also expressed the grateful thanks of the organization to the general public, for the success of the Telephone Bridge, held recently, as the amount received from this source made it possible to busy the invalid chair. A month's supply of gauze dressings for hospital use was made at this meeting.

North Bay Nugget: Canada has prepared to feed her soldiers well, a balanced diet of high caloric value having been drafted after approval by the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps. The boys are given all they can consume but they must eat all they take. That is, it is disastrous for a soldier to have eyes which over-estimate the capacity of his stomach.

Results of the Elections for Whitney Township

South Porcupine, Dec. 6th. (Special to The Advance)—Whitney elections resulted in the following councillors being elected:—Mr. Bromley (representing Pamour); Mr. Montrose (councillor for the past two years); Mr. Claude Dillon (representing Lakeview); and Mr. Goudie (new). Mr. I. P. Wilson gained 195 votes and Mr. Lester Ripelle 187. Mr. William Bannerman was elected reeve by acclamation.

Shoplifter Held by Boys Until Police Came Upon Scene

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Schumacher Young Man Married at Angliers, Quebec

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Reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the rooms being nicely decorated for the occasion. Large vases filled with 'mums and carnations were in each room. Later in the day the young couple left by car for Toronto and other points. The bride wore for travelling a blue wool dress, blue hat and black accessories and a black seal coat.

"CHUCK" CONACHER SWEARS BY KRUSCHEN SAYS "IT KEEPS YOU ON YOUR TOES"

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We, the undersigned members of the 1940 Council of this Township, desire to express our appreciation and thanks to our many friends and supporters who have so generously placed us in office this year by acclamation. We trust and hope that this generous tribute on your part will be a further incentive to us in our efforts as individuals and as a body in endeavouring to render you the services required of our respective offices.

- Signed:
- MELVIN CAVANAUGH
 - GEORGE F. HELMER
 - WILLIAM FAIRHURST
 - EMIL HEINO
 - VICTOR H. EVANS

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