

Ski Pictures at the Goldfields Theatre Thursday and Friday

Porcupine Ski Club to Hold Theatre Party on Occasion.

This week ski-ing pictures are to be at the Goldfield's theatre in very special way. The feature picture is "Trapped in the Alps", and there are also three other ski "shorts" on the same bill. Thursday and Friday this week, Feb. 23rd and 23rd is certainly ski day at the Goldfields. In the feature pictures "Trapped in the Alps" much of the interest and action centre round ski scenes. There is a Piste Sm'th specialty "Ski Birds", "Ski Technique" and "Ski Girls". The Porcupine Ski Club intend holding a theatre party to view these pictures Thursday evening.

The feature picture, "Trapped in the Alps", shows the master touch of H. Kelly, the famous producer of "The Hall of Five Gates", and "The Blue Light". The film is an exciting detective story, most of the action of which is set in the Austrian Alps. The climax is a ski chase in which the hero and the heroine are pursued over the snows by a gang of criminals, is undoubtedly one of the most thrilling and magnificently made sequences that has ever been shown in a film. In fact an ingenious plot, polished acting and many scenes of great scenic beauty combine to make "Trapped in the Alps" a most satisfying piece of entertainment. The story is concerned with a gang of forgers whose headquarters are a hotel high up in the Austrian Alps. As a result of their operations England is being flooded with forged banknotes and Detective Inspector Forsyth of Scotland Yard is appointed to enquire into the matter. How he eventually brings the criminals to justice in spite of the fact that he suspects the girl he loves of being involved with them, forms the basis of a really excellent film.

Anthony Bushell plays the detective with Jane Baxter as the girl and Ronald Squire, polished and delightful as ever is the chief suspect. Athole Stewart and Margaret Rutherford, exceptionally good as a woman crook, are other members of the cast.

Give Tacit Consent To Raise Citizens Band Grant to \$500

Will Also Pay Half of Debt Accumulated Last Year. Hear Deputation.

Tacit consent to grant the Timmins Citizens' Band the sum of \$500 this year and to pay half of the band's accumulated debt of \$270 was given by the Council on Friday when it met for an informal session in the committee rooms.

A deputation from the band's financial committee composed of Jim Douglas and W. O. Langdon, appeared before the Council on behalf of the band.

Giving a short history of the band, Mr. Douglas said that it was started here in 1919 when the Town gave \$315.00 with which second hand instruments were purchased. Since that time said Mr. Douglas, all those instruments have been replaced out of band funds.

In 1919 an agreement was made whereby the Hollinger would give dollar for dollar with the Town. If the Town gave \$1,000 the Hollinger would do likewise.

Between 1929 and 1933 the band's funds were not perhaps handled as carefully as they should have been and a committee of men was formed to take care of the financial end of the band's affairs.

Members of the committee were, Councillor Spooner, representative from the Council, Mr. Chatauvert, from the Town, Mr. Douglas, from the Hollinger, Mr. Greaves, from the Legion, Mr. Langdon, from the Kiwanis Club, Dr. Kelly, from the Lions Club, J. R. Walker, from the Board of Trade and Mrs. Parsons, from the band.

In 1933 the band volunteered to accept a reduction in grant from \$1,000 to \$600. In the last two or three years there was no grant however. Last year a small portion of the usual grant was given, \$225.

Labilities at the end of the year were \$270, said Mr. W. O. Langdon. The bandmaster's wages were in arrears and the caretaker at the school where the band practiced had not been paid.

Describing the band as "the town's baby," Mr. Langdon said that it suffered last year from approaches made to the Council by organizations which did not belong to the town.

"The Scotties are all right, but other than them I don't know of any other organization which should get a grant. This Gold Belt Band, for example. What is it or who is in charge of it?" asked Miss Terry.

A consensus of opinion showed that members of Council were agreeable to the suggestion that the band be given \$635. That amount will be included in the estimates.

Councillor Spooner was reappointed the Council's representative on the band committee.

In view of the fact that there was so much business to be dealt with on the agenda and because the Mayor and two of the members of Council had to leave, it was decided to hold another special meeting before the next regular meeting. The special session will be held on the evening of Thursday next.

Try The Advance Want Advertisements

Lost Opportunity to Sell His Photograph for \$250

By not being present at the Palace Theatre's weekly Foto-Nite, Mr. James D. Kelly of 53 Rea Street, North, lost the opportunity to sell his photograph to the management of the theatre for the amount of \$250. The "Foto-Nite" was on Thursday evening, and the sum of \$100 was offered to Mr. F. Boudreau, of 102 Avenue Road, who also was not present in the theatre.

The Palace Theatre makes an offer at each weekly Foto-Nite to some one of the many persons who have registered for Foto-Nite. The offer next Thursday will be the sum of \$250, and \$125.

Noted Play 'Raffles' at the Cartier Four Days This Week

Melodrama from Famous Story of Amateur Cracksman.

Some time ago the Cartier Theatre announced that the noted picture, "Raffles," was coming to that place of entertainment, and this week the picture is at the Cartier. "Raffles" was the feature at the midnight show at the Cartier last night, and will remain at the Cartier to-night and Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday this week Feb. 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd.

"Raffles" is a picture of outstanding interest based on the famous story of the same name by E. W. Hornung. It depicts in dramatic manner the amazing and amusing adventures of the dare-devil gentleman and crook who divides his time between jewel robberies, cricket, romance and deeds of helpfulness and chivalry. In the picture David Niven is starred as "Raffles", while Olivia de Havilland co-stars. The rest of the cast are equally effective, making the picture one to be long remembered.

"This picture "Raffles," gives striking evidence of the progress made by the film industry, many parts of the play tempting the words, "Well, what next won't they be able to do?" One of the "props" in this drama for instance, is a television set used by "Raffles" in the course of his business."

"Raffles" has just about everything in high adventure, mystery, the Robin Hood style of crime, romance, drama, art, skill, interest. The picture has proven unusually popular. It is a Samuel Goldwyn production, which is equivalent to say that it is outstanding.

To be Physician in Charge Class 18 Hospitalization

(By James W. Parton, M. D.)

Searching For Cause of Allergic Symptoms

Official word was received this morning from the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion that Dr. J. E. Barry, of Timmins, has been appointed physician in charge of Class 18 hospitalization. As noted recently in The Advance St. Mary's hospital was made a contract hospital for treatment of returned men under a new plan. North Bay and Sault Ste. Marie are two other similar hospital centres for the North. Previously veterans needing hospital treatment had to go to Christie street, Toronto.

Britain Loses Sixth Destroyer Torpedoed Sunday

Britain lost her sixth destroyer yesterday when the "Daring" was torpedoed. Where the ship went down was not disclosed by the British Admiralty.

One officer and four men were picked up and nine officers and 148 men believed dead. The "Daring" was a member of the seven year old class of destroyers.

Other ships which have been sunk are the Blanche, Gypsy, Duchess, Exmouth, Grenville.

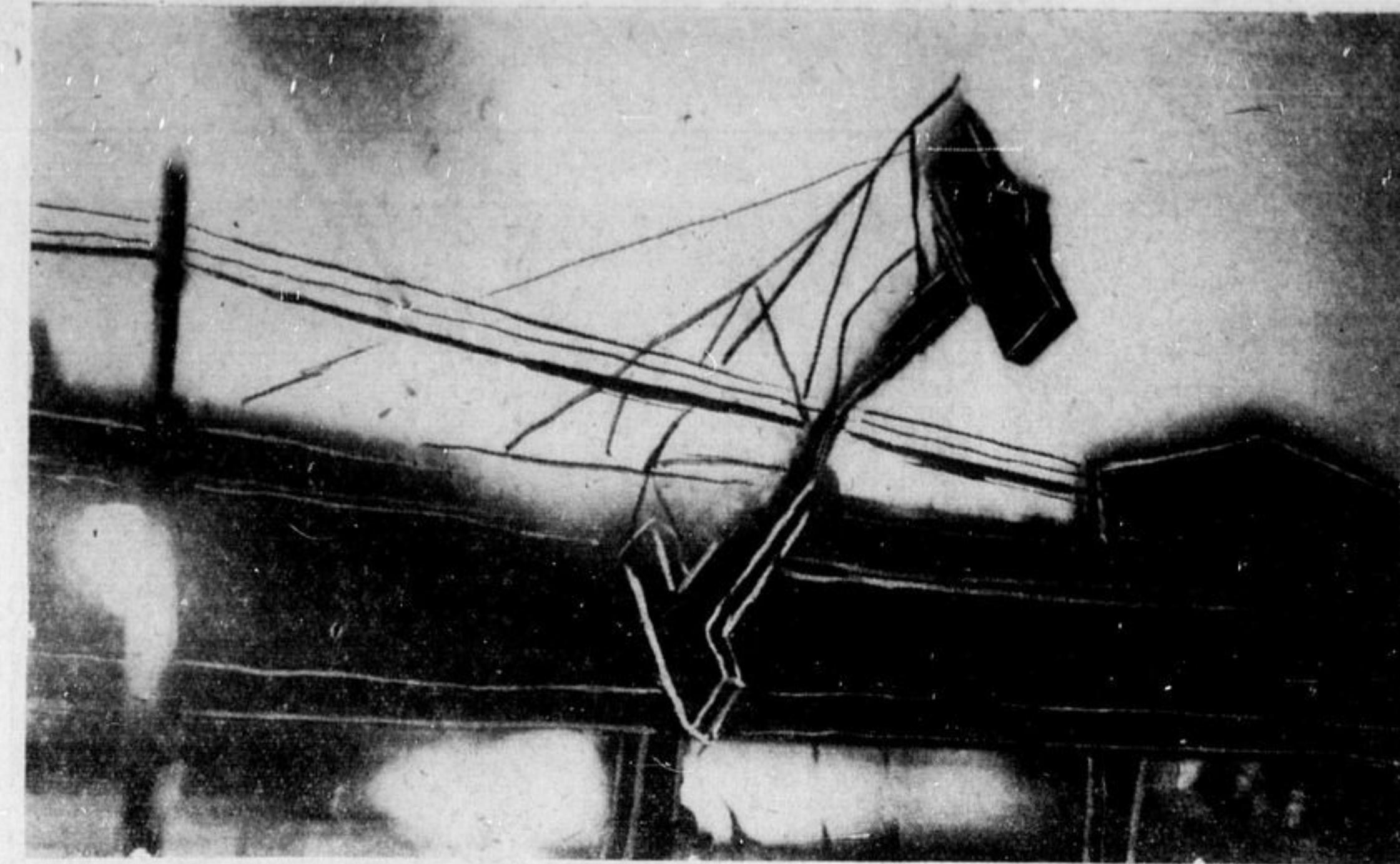
Cobden Sun:—Great Britain said "no" this week to 21 American republics that wanted to stick their noses 300 miles into other people's business.

TWO-DOG-POWER VEHICLE NEEDS NO GASOLINE OR OIL



Saturday night's shopping for Mr. and Mrs. Russell MacMillan of Toronto, and their three-year-old daughter, Mary Gal, is a case of going to the dogs. Here's Mary Gal with Major and Queenie, known in dogdom's best circles as Wallstar English Rover Canadian champion St. Bernard, and Muskoka Queen,

BIG NEON SIGN HELD UP BY WIRES



Regimental Orders for D. Co. Algonquin Regiment

"D" Company, The Algonquin Regiment Company Order issued by Major W. F. Morgan, Officer Commanding. Timmins, February 19th, 1940

Part 1
Saturday, 24th Feb. 0900 hrs — Regimental Sand Table Exercise at Armories in North Bay. Business dress will be worn for the exercise.

Saturday 24th February — 1900 hrs — Regimental Dinner at Empire Hotel in North Bay. Dress for the dinner will be Dinner Jacket or Khaki service.

Part 2

Nil

Sudbury Star:—An authority says women are more fascinated by horrors than men. But some women are able to secure alimony from them.

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