

News From South Porcupine, Dome and the District

Former South Porcupine Man Among Casualties On H.M.C.S. Margaree

Jack Hean Worked for a Year in South Porcupine. Was a Member of the Navy for Seven Years Before His Marriage. Rejoined the Navy in the Spring of 1939.

South Porcupine, Oct. 30th. (Special to The Advance.)

Among the casualties of the "Margaree" Canadian battleship, which was recently in a collision at sea, was the name of Jack Hean. Many in South Porcupine will remember him as he worked here over a year being employed as driver of a coal truck for the Workers' Co-operative Store in South Porcupine. He came north with his bride who was formerly Miss Gilmour, of Gravenhurst and their baby daughter was born in Porcupine General Hospital. He had been in the Navy previously having served seven years, and in the spring of 1939 left here to re-join the Navy in Halifax. Mrs. Hean, who was in Halifax awaiting his return on leave from the ship, was notified by the Admiralty of her husband's death and confirmed it to relatives here who had noticed his name in the casualty list appearing in the newspaper.

Card Party and Other Events at Schumacher

Other Items of Interest from Kirkland and District.

Schumacher, Oct. 30—(Special to The Advance.)—The Schumacher Happy Gang met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lowe, Fourth Ave. Five hundred was played and the prize winners were 1st, Mrs. Finchen; 2nd, Mrs. Balfour; consolation, Mrs. Hazelwood. After the cards a social time was enjoyed. During the evening the hostess served a delicious lunch.

Mrs. James Shirat was hostess at a card party held at her home, 50 Railroad St., last Thursday evening. Whist was played. There were seven tables and the prize winners were: 1st, Mrs. James Dawson; 2nd, Mrs. Alex Welsh; 3rd, Mrs. Sam Hill; consolation, Mrs. Sam Hornell; door prize, Mrs. J. Whitson. After the cards lunch was served, and a social evening was enjoyed. The entire proceeds of the evening will be donated to the Spillfire fund.

The Chicken Stag and bean supper sponsored by the St. Alphonsus Men's Association held Monday evening was a great success. Dr. Stan Gibson held the lucky ticket in the draw for the live sheep.

Mr. Joe Pourier left this week for Ottawa where he will take up residence. Schumacher are losing more esteemed citizens this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Butler and family are moving to Timmins today (Thursday), and are taking up residence at Maple St., South. Mr. Butler is manager of the Bank of Commerce here.

The St. Alphonsus Parish Church Ca-Bo-Gi Club met on Sunday evening in the church hall. Election of officers took place. The following were elected: President, Miss Marguerite Smith; vice-president, Mr. Leo Sviesto; secretary, Miss Ella McKenzie. The St. Alphonsus Ca-Bo-Gi Club will be the guests of the Timmins Ca-Bo-Gi Club this Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. V. Angrignon, Second Ave., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Art Williams, at the Sullivan Mine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross have moved from the Bank of Commerce apt. and the skating teachers, Miss Halstead and Miss Holbrook, are taking up residence in the apartment recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ross.

Mrs. Fred Dwyer, who has been ill in the Toronto General Hospital, was able to come home Monday. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Izatt, Fourth Ave., for the past few weeks, left this week for her home in Kirkland Lake.

The many friends of Mr. Angelo Pabellio, First Ave., will be sorry to hear that he is ill in St. Mary's hospital. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. J. Anderson, spent the week-end visiting his parents in Toronto.

The many friends of Mr. Alex McLean, Fourth Ave., will be sorry to hear he is in St. Mary's hospital suffering from an attack of pleurisy. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus D. Campbell returned Sunday from a motor trip to Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

The Trinity United Church choir members held a very successful afternoon tea and sale of home-baking in the church hall Saturday afternoon. The small tea tables looked very attractive with a nice white cover and a vase of white chrysanthemums, and autumn leaves were on each table. The bake table had a nice selection of cakes to choose from. The day being fine a large number of ladies attended and enjoyed tea. The proceeds will be used to purchase special music.

Miss Betty Briden, of Kirkland Lake, motored up with a number of Kirkland Lake High School students who were attending a rugby game in Timmins on Saturday. Mrs. Douglas Briden accompanied her daughter, and visited her mother, Mrs. E. Watson, Third Ave., and her sister, Mrs. Sinclair MacMillan, Lake Side Drive.

Successful Bridge Party by C.W.L. at South Porcupine

News from South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, Special to The Advance.

The Legion hall was the scene on Tuesday evening of a very nice social function—the Catholic Women's League bridge party.

Several Timmins visitors were present, also some of the delegates from out of town who are in Timmins attending the C.W.L. convention. While the large hall was not filled to capacity nearly twenty tables of bridge-players were completed.

Prizes were out of the ordinary and quite superior as bridge-prizes. The first prize for ladies was a silver water-pitcher and was won by Mrs. McPhaden. Second prize—8 Belgian glass coloured tumblers—was won by Mrs. Osborne Bowers; and third prize of a pair of silver vases went to Mrs. H. M. Turner.

Mr. William Riddell won as first prize for men a book of war saving stamps. Second prize of a man's scarf went to Dr. D. G. Woodie; and third prize of a shirt was won by Mr. Andrew Hart.

Special mention should be made of the lunch (convenor Mrs. Cecil Kavanagh) which was not only colorful and plentiful but delicious.

Two door-prizes were given, that for ladies being won by number 88 held by Mrs. Curwen, of Timmins, (box of toiletries) and Mr. Scott, with ticket 18 won the men's prize—a flashlight. Father Roberge presented all prizes and thanked all present for their attendance.

Ladies of the League assisting were Mrs. J. Cunningham, Mrs. Beauchamp, Miss Anna Sullivan, Mrs. F. Laforest, Mrs. J. Costello, Mrs. D. McEllan, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. LeRoy, Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Kavanagh, assisting at lunch were Misses M. Lynch, R. Donlevy, I. Smith and T. Burns.

Donors of prizes were:—First for ladies, Mrs. W. Atkinson; second—a friend; third, Mrs. D. Eames. First for men, Mrs. D. McEllan; second, Mrs. S. Lloyd; third Mrs. Louis Dagenais. Door prize for ladies, Mrs. Ferguson; door prize for men, Porcupine Hardware.

Frontiersmen Attend Church at South Porcupine

Other News of South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, Oct. 30—(Special to The Advance.)—Over fifty Frontiersmen resplendent in their smart uniforms attended the divine worship in a body at St. Paul's Anglican church on Sunday. They were "piped in" to church by four representatives of Timmins Pipe Band, and before dismissing marched round town to the skirl of the pipes.

Friends of Mrs. Thomas Wilson, of Bruce avenue, will sympathize with her upon hearing of the loss sustained by her in the death of her brother, Alexander Batchelor, at Moline, Illinois, last week.

The South Porcupine Fire Department is holding a Masquerade Halloween dance in the arena on Thursday night of this week. A large crowd is expected, as the Firemen's dances always attract large numbers. Good prizes are offered for costumes.

Mrs. Carl Gilmour, who has been in Toronto for some time has returned to town.

Mrs. Henry Miller is progressing well after slight operation in Porcupine General Hospital.

Mrs. Henry Kaufman, Mrs. Ed. Hanson and Mrs. J. Pera left on Sunday for Toronto, upon receiving news of the sudden death of their brother-in-law, Mr. Arthur D. Hardy. Mr. and Mrs. Hardy, who lived in Kirkland Lake for years, left this spring to take up residence in Toronto. Mrs. Hardy was before her marriage Miss Minnie Schmiedle. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon in Toronto.

or 30 days with permit suspended for 3 months.

Kearney and Wright charged with causing a disturbance in a Chinese cafe and with assault were each fined \$20 and costs and order to pay for damage caused (\$5).

\$5 was a fine paid for riding a bicycle on the sidewalk.



MRS. U. F. SHORT

The London Life Insurance Company announces that Mrs. U. F. Short has won membership in the Company's "24K Club"—an organization composed of the leading producers in the Ordinary branch.

Mrs. L. Hancock of Timmins, is visiting at her parents' home on Crawford street for a few days.

Mrs. James Gibson of New Liskeard, was visiting friends in town this week. Miss Claire Hart is working in the new township office for a time.

Married—On Sunday, Oct. 27th, by Rev. Father A. Roberge in St. Joachim's Church, South Porcupine, Miss Rose Sekula to Mr. Mike Milinkovic.

Mr. M. Gervais, of Rae avenue, was notified this week that his brother, Ambrose Gervais, of Ottawa, had passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Greenacre spent the week-end in North Bay.

Mrs. Dorothy Pierce and baby are spending a few days in Cochrane visiting at the home of Mrs. J. McGuire.

Mr. A. Williams, of Dome Extension, is recuperating at home from slight operation in Porcupine General Hospital.

Wives of members of the Canadian Legion, members of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and their children are to be guests of the Legion on Thursday night in the Legion hall at a grand Halloween party. There will be prizes for costumes, bingo and other games, with prizes, Halloween games (clipping for apples, etc.) and a general good time is promised to all.

The Fireside service held on Sunday night after service in the United Church proved to be more than usual interest. The "Isle of Man" was featured in screen pictures, and Mr. Bill Mylchreest, who was born a Manxman, gave excellent descriptions as the slides were shown. In addition Mr. James Radcliff, whose native place is the beautiful island, gave a fine constitutional and ecclesiastical history of the place which was well received by all present.

Next Wednesday in November, the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hospital is announced to be held in the Masonic hall in the afternoon.

Several "bees" this week of voluntary workers are making the basement of the new United Church building approach completion. All were helping with the insulation.

Mr. S. Pritchard and Mr. A. Pritchard of Newboro, are guests at the home of their cousin, Mrs. B. H. Harper, over the week-end.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Dagenais, of Main st., on October 28th—a son.

Born—In Porcupine General Hospital on Oct. 27th, a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anderson, of 160 Maple St. South, Timmins.

The death occurred on Sunday at his residence 14 Railroad Street, of Onyry Mahenka, a middle-aged man of Polish extraction. He had been sick for some time and was on the township's relief list. He lived alone and had no known relatives in the district.

Service was held at Hunkin's Funeral Parlors on Tuesday morning by Archdeacon Woodhall and interment made in Tisdale cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stringer, of Dome Extension, have moved into town and are now residing on Rae avenue.

North Bay Nugget: Pointing to the free and untrammelled state of journalism in Italy, Mussolini says editors are free to criticize his violin playing. But was betide the poor sap who comes right out and calls the Duce a bum fiddler.

North Bay Nugget: Song leader: "Let's sing 'Little Drops of Water' once more and let's put some spirit into it."

Sixth Annual C.W.L. Diocesan Convention

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The following subdivision presidents read their reports: Mrs. H. A. Dunning, Cobalt; Mrs. B. Mondoux, Halleybury; Mrs. A. Cochrane, Iroquois Falls; Miss Gladys Murphy, New Liskeard; Mrs. Griffiths, Schumacher; Mrs. Mayers, South Porcupine; Miss M. Andrews, Timmins Juniors; Mrs. J. Burns, South Porcupine Juniors.

Mrs. Bureau, in the absence of Mrs. Fox of Noranda, read her report, also Mrs. McLean read the report from Englehart in the absence of Mrs. McGarry.

A very delightful luncheon was served in the main dining-room of the Empire hotel about forty members attending. The guest speakers were the Rev. Father Roney of Nativity Parish who spoke on C. W. L. work particularly with new-comers to the parish, and the Rev. Father Martindale of Schumacher, who gave a very humorous and informative talk on C. W. L. work in dealing with the problems of the day. Business was resumed about two o'clock.

More reports were read and a special Junior session was held with Mrs. M. Cope, Diocesan Convenor of Juniors, in the chair. Problems were discussed and suggestions made to increase membership and to retain the interest of each member. Mrs. Burnett commended the Juniors for their splendid work during the year, stating that they are the women of to-morrow. Mrs. W. McCoy praised the Timmins Juniors for their interest in the Girl Guides.

Mrs. C. J. Munn then read the resolutions. No amendments were made, all resolutions being passed.

On behalf of the Noranda subdivision Mrs. L. Bureau extended an invitation to the League to hold its next annual convention in Noranda. The invitation was accepted and the convention will take place sometime during September, 1941.

The election of officers took place and resulted as follows:

Diocesan President: Mrs. D. E. Burnett of Timmins.

First Vice: Mrs. C. J. Munn of Timmins.

Second Vice: Mrs. H. McLean of Noranda.

Third Vice: Miss Anderson of Iroquois Falls.

Corresponding Secretary: Miss Gladys Murphy of Cobalt.

Recording Secretary: Mrs. J. Martin of Timmins.

Treasurer: Miss A. Sullivan of South Porcupine.

The new executive took their places and expressed their thanks to the members. Mrs. A. F. Carriere moved a vote of thanks to the retiring executive and Miss G. Murphy on behalf of the delegates and visitors thanked the Timmins ladies for their kind hospitality.

A very delicious afternoon tea was served under the convenorship of Mrs. Conway assisted by several members.

The following is a list of delegates and visitors:— Mrs. Murphy, Cobalt; Mrs. Dunning, Cobalt; Mrs. Wilkes, Iroquois Falls; Mrs. Corcoran, Iroquois Falls; Mrs. Goodman, Iroquois Falls; Mrs. Mondoux, Halleybury; Mrs. McLean, Noranda; Mrs. Conlon, Noranda; Mrs. Bureau Noranda; Mrs. Lawrence, Noranda; Miss Sullivan, South Porcupine; Mrs. Mayers, South Porcupine; Mrs. La Forest, South Porcupine; Mrs. Gervais, South Porcupine; Mrs. LeRoy, South Porcupine; Mrs. Burns, South Porcupine; Mrs. Kavanagh, South Porcupine; Mrs. Cahill, South Porcupine; Mrs. Cunningham, South Porcupine; Mrs. Griffiths Schumacher; Mrs. E. Robinson, Schumacher; Mrs. J. Dillon.

ICE SKATING McIntyre Arena

TO-DAY, FRI. & SAT.

AFTERNOONS—2 p.m. to 3.45 p.m. Admission 15c

EVENINGS—8 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission 25c

Come and enjoy the first skating of the season.

South Porcupine Ladies' Curling Club Annual Meet

South Porcupine, Oct. 30th Special to The Advance.

The Ladies' Curling Club held their annual meeting on Wednesday in the club room at the rink. Mrs. Fairhurst was elected chairman of the meeting, and after the minutes of the last meeting had been read a vote of thanks was given to all the outgoing officers. New officers elected were: President, Mrs. R. P. Smith, Vice-pres., Mrs. Wilson Rayner; Secretary, Mrs. H. Turner; treasurer, Mrs. Martin Shaw.

Canvassers Wanted for Sale of Poppies

The Timmins Branch of the Canadian Legion this year again asks for a group of young ladies to sell poppies on Poppy Day, Nov. 9th. In the past Girl Guides and other groups of young ladies have given valuable help, and these are again asked to help in this good work, together with any individual young ladies who will assist in this cause. The sale of poppies is doubly patriotic, helping the disabled veterans who make the flowers and helping the local relief fund. Any young ladies willing to help in the sale of the poppies are asked to call at the Legion hall some time on Friday evening, Nov. 8th.

PORCUPINE ARENA

Public Skating Daily
Afternoons — 2 to 4 p.m.
Admission — 15c
Evenings — 8 to 10 p.m.
Admission — 25c

ATTENTION!

Members Eastern Porcupine District Branch

OF
The Canadian Red Cross Society



In our original campaign made in November 1939, we made a statement that if the majority of the people in this district pledged themselves to make a monthly contribution for the duration of the war we would not bother them further. As far as our members are concerned we have not done so.

The response in this district has been wonderful and our members have reason to be proud of their record contributions and of the work done by the various ladies' groups.

But we know, and many of you know, that there are some in the district who have contributed neither money nor work. The need is great. Great Britain is fighting your battle as well as her own. If we do not back her up in this time of stress we are not worthy of Citizenship in this Country of ours. We call on you to do your part. Contributions—however small—will be gratefully received. They can be paid into the local banks monthly or on any basis you desire.

Some of our ladies are working very hard and are accomplishing great things. But we know from the numbers working that a great many are not working at all. Won't you see if there is not something you can do? The opportunity is there and again I state that the need is great.

On behalf of the Executive Committee.
J. H. STOVEL, President.

By Clifford McBride

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY

