

# Spring Rally of District Young People's Unions

### South Porcupine United Church: Crowded at Event Last Week. District Executive Elected for Ensuing Year. Outstanding Feature of Rally Was Inspiring Address by Rev. E. E. Long, Kirkland Lake.

South Porcupine United Church was filled to capacity on Wednesday evening last week, when members of the Young People's Unions of Timmins and Schumacher joined with those of South Porcupine to participate in the Spring Rally.

As each person arrived at the church, he or she was presented with a pin and a slip of paper on which had been written the name of the person and the Union from which that person came. In this manner a fine air of friendship and cordiality prevailed from the start. Miss Dorothy Taylor, president of the District Executive of the Porcupine Camp, then took charge of the Rally. At the conclusion of the opening hymn "Lord of the Lands," Dorothy Taylor requested Rev. J. A. Lytle to welcome those in attendance. In his short words of welcome Mr. Lytle said that, speaking on behalf of the South Porcupine Young People, he was proud that for the first time the Rally was being held in South Porcupine and that the new church provided such excellent accommodation. Rev. E. E. Long, of Trinity United Church in Kirkland Lake, also received words of greeting from Mr. Lytle.

Dorothy Taylor presided over the one item of business, which was the presentation of the state of officers, nominated by the current District Executive, for the coming year. Mrs. Evelyn Quirt, Acting Secretary-Treasurer, announced the following as the proposed executive:

- President—Gerald Trueblood (South Porcupine).
- Vice-President—Robert Boyce (Schumacher).
- Secretary-Treasurer—Arthur Moyle (South Porcupine).
- Recreation Convener—Peggy Shaw (Timmins).
- Fellowship Convener—Ken Davis (South Porcupine).
- Missions Convener—Ida Williams (Timmins).
- Culture Convener—Gerald Doughty (Timmins).
- Citizenship Convener—Dorothy Taylor (Timmins).

It was moved by Mrs. Quirt and seconded by Bill Mylchreest that the state of officers be accepted; motion carried. Dorothy Taylor expressed her thanks to her assistants during the past year and wished her successor well.

Gerald Trueblood, incoming president, was then called upon for a few remarks. He stressed the fact that the District Executive was more or less in the experimental stage and that he hoped for co-operation from all concerned to endeavour to make the District Executive even more effective than in the past.

When the question arose as to meeting the expenses of the Rally, it was moved by Robert Boyce and seconded by Peggy Shaw that the executive be authorized to meet expenses; motion carried.

The Worship Service was conducted by Gerald Doughty, with Ella Mae White, assisting at the piano. The service opened with hymn No. 356. Gerald Doughty read the Scripture—Mt. Mark 9:34-37. The service closed with hymn No. 378 and prayer.

Rev. W. M. Mustard, Timmins, was called upon to introduce Rev. E. E. Long. Mr. Mustard regretted that Mr. Baine, Schumacher, an old friend of Mr. Long, was unable to be present to welcome him.

It is seldom that a speaker can so closely hold the attention of his audience as did Mr. Long in his inspiring talk—"Youth on the Spot." A gifted speaker, Mr. Long had the undivided attention of his charmed audience. Setting forth the three main issues in his speech—Exposure, Endurance and Competition—with respect to youth, the speaker urged that youth can find a solution to its problems by facing them and surmounting them.

### Platoon from Camp Borden Welcomed at South Porcupine

South Porcupine, June 4th. Special to The Advance. The platoon from Camp Borden was entertained on Sunday to lunch in the Legion Hall in company with some of the Home Guard and the Reeve and some of the Council of Tisdale. This was the gesture of the town to welcome the visitors.

A splendid home cooked dinner served and prepared for the men by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion was thoroughly enjoyed by all—roast beef and pork with apple sauce, mashed potatoes and peas, home baked apple pie and cheese, coffee and tea—and a package of cigarettes apiece afterward.

Reeve Evans addressed the gathering (after he had asked if all had had enough and all had answered "Yes, Sir!") He spoke briefly and said that Tisdale was proud to be host to a special

body of Canada's special men and that the presence of this platoon would be an added stimulus to the 1941 Victory Loan campaign. He hoped the boys would have a good time here and would certainly receive the hospitality for which the North is noted. "Go to it and have as good a time as you can."

Capt. L. C. Botting, O.C., responded for his men. "Up on your feet, boys," he said—and a resounding trio of cheers told the thanks of the boys for a good dinner.

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The ladies of the Legion received a clapping vote of thanks from the boys. Cpl. Harvey led the men in singing the National Anthem.

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Led by the pipers the platoon marched to the High School grounds at 1 p.m. there to head the parade through the town.

Some months ago a lady in the Iroquois Falls Red Cross made a very dainty baby's layette which was sent to England in a refugee box from the Red Cross at that centre. The layette was very dainty and was quite original in blue and white and was not one to be easily mistaken by anyone who had seen it. Word has been received that the layette was received at the No. 1 Capaleau Hospital in England. It was recognized by Miss McCrae who was nursing in the hospital at Iroquois Falls when the layette was on display there and since that time she has joined the nursing division and is now at the No. 1 Capaleau Hospital in England where she is on nursing duty.

### Layette Made at Iroquois Falls in Hospital in England

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# Man Given Three Months on Charge Reckless Driving

### Most of the Traffic Charges are Cleaned Up Before Court Starts.

Convictions were registered in practically all of the traffic cases before the court on Tuesday afternoon, most of them being cleaned up before the court started.

Gillis Villeneuve appeared in court and pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving and after the magistrate heard the evidence he gave the man a sentence of three months, and prohibited him from driving for a year. It appeared that the man had had a spat with his girl friend and was driving around in his car in a state of madness. Deputy-chief Downey said that the man could only remember half of the places that he had visited that night and that when he saw him drive the car he had almost run over a soldier and his girl friend on a sidewalk on one of the side streets. On an additional charge of driving without a driver's license Villeneuve was sentenced to ten days in jail or \$10 fine. The sentences were to run concurrently.

One man paid \$1 and costs for illegal parking and another paid \$5 and costs for driving through a red light. One person paid \$1 and costs for having defective lights and two others were remanded for a week on charges of having defective brakes. One man was charged ten and costs for overloading. Two men were fined \$1 and costs for failing to have their names on their trucks while one man had the same charge against him withdrawn and another was remanded till next week. Charged with speeding, one man paid ten and costs while another was not served yet. One man was remanded till next week on a charge of reckless driving.

For having wine in other than his private residence one man paid ten and costs while two men paid ten and costs for having beer in other than their private residences and on the same charge one woman paid twenty-five and costs. A charge of keeping for sale was laid over till next week.

Six persons paid ten and costs for being drunk while one inebriate was remanded till next week. Two men were given the choice of ten and costs or ten days on charges of disorderly conduct. One man charged with dangerous driving was remanded till next week.

Two persons were charged with failing to have registration cards and one was given a two dollar fine while the other was assessed ten dollars. On a charge of forgery of a police tag one man was bound over to keep the peace for six months. He had to sign a fifty dollar bond and had to pay the court costs as well.

Charged with being drunk in charge of a car one man was given a week's remand.

# St. John Ambulance Brigade to Hold Corps Inspection

### Demonstration of First Aid to the Injured and Home Nursing, June 7th.

Cordial invitations have been issued for attendance at the first annual corps inspection and demonstration of first aid to the injured and home nursing, on Saturday, June 7th, at 6:45 p.m. at the Hollinger ball park, by the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Porcupine Camp. If the weather is unfavourable for outdoor work the demonstration will take place in the Armouries. On this programme of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, Porcupine Corps, the following divisions will take part:

- Timmins Nursing Division No. 80—Home Nursing and Roller Bandages.
- Eastern Porcupine Division No. 108—Artificial Respiration.
- Tisdale Division No. 67—First Aid at an Accident.
- Timmins Division No. 47—Stretcher Drill and Transportation of Injured.
- G. A. Gibson, who for many years has taken a very keen interest in St. John Ambulance work, is acting corps superintendent.

Globe and Mail: Reference is made in cables to the "negotiations" between Admiral Darlan and Hitler. They recall the fabled negotiations between the lion and the lamb.

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# TEN YEARS AGO IN TIMMINS

From data in the Porcupine Advance Files

Business places at Hearst, Kapuskasing and Cochrane were victimized ten years ago by dollar bills that had been "raised" to pass as twenties. The raised bill was cleverly enough done to pass a careless inspection. In passing the bills the old dodge was used—the passer of the fake money buying some small article, tendering the so-called \$20.00 bill and taking the change. By the time the merchant discovered that the money was counterfeit the man who had passed the bill was gone.

Over one hundred members and guests were present at the St. John Ambulance social evening given in the Hollinger hall ten years ago in conjunction with the presentation of certificates to the members of the Timmins Division. In opening the programme Mr. Kitcher made appropriate reference to the fact that T. H. Richards, superintendent of the Timmins Division, had the high honour of going to England this year to captain the Ontario team entered in the Empire-wide competition at London. A fine programme was presented and Dr. H. H. Moore made the presentation of certificates.

Capt. Cumming, of Toronto, was in Timmins ten years ago on the annual tour of inspection of the Cadet corps of this section of the country. Capt. Cumming expressed much pleasure at the excellent way in which the boys went through the drills and physical exercises and their good appearance in their uniforms. Capt. Cumming had special praise for Merton Lake who carried through the duties of captain in very effective way. Owing to the condition of the grounds for some time previously and due to other circumstances beyond control, the Cadets had not been able to put in anything like the usual amount of practice that year, but the boys at the inspection did exceptionally well, and Capt. Cumming pleased the lads by saying so.

There was deep regret here ten years ago when word reached Timmins of the death by drowning of Frank Cook and Anthony Fortier, two fire rangers who had large circles of friends in the district. The two men, with two other fire rangers, W. Leclair and M. O'Grady, had been engaged in cutting out a portage and were on their way back to camp. About half way across

Half Moon Lake, in the Kamiskotia area, they were struck by the storm and the canoe upset. Two of the men were able to get to shore but Cook and Fortier disappeared in the waters. Search for the bodies proved unavailing until the following Friday afternoon when Fortier's body was recovered. On Saturday morning the body of Frank Cook was located. Stretchers were made by the fire rangers who had conducted the search, for the bodies, and the bodies were carried to Kamiskotia Lake, about a mile, between Kamiskotia Lake and Mattagami River a three-mile portage was made and the bodies brought then to Timmins by canoe.

The meeting of the Kiwanis Club ten years ago was a very interesting one. The speaker for the day was C. V. Gallagher, reeve of Tisdale township, and one of the pioneers of the North. He was introduced by Kiwanian R. E. Dye. Mr. Gallagher, who is by profession a land surveyor and engineer, as well as being interested in a number of mining properties in the North, spoke on the new gold camp at Matachewan, his address giving much of interest and information about the area. He reviewed the history of Matachewan with a special reference to the story of mining in this North Land.

Eusebe Laurin, one of the machinists at the McIntyre Mine, met death ten years ago when he was crushed by a fall of loose rock while at work. He was doing some scaling at the time the accident occurred, according to reports of the fatality. As usual with all mining fatalities an inquest was held into the death. As the accident happened in Tisdale township the inquest was conducted in South Porcupine.

Local items in The Advance ten years ago included: "Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Graham, of Montreal, were visitors to town over the week-end." "Mr. and Mrs. Ross, of Orillia, motored up at the week-end to visit Mrs. Ross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Monck." "V. T. Chapple, of Chappleau, Ont., was the guest this week of his son, Delmar Chapple, manager of the Beauty Washers Store, Timmins." "Mr. Jerry Martin, Miss Rosemary Martin and Mrs. James Goulin left on Sunday on a motor trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo." "Mrs. J. Mustato, of Sudbury, is visiting friends in town."

"R. T. Hermanson, of Buffalo, was a Timmins visitor last week." "Dr. E. A. F. Day, Mrs. Day and Mrs. John Watt left on Thursday last on a motor trip to the West." "Horace Brown, for some time past on the staff of the Ottawa Citizen, is spending a couple of weeks' holiday at his home in town." "Mrs. A. W. Carlyle and baby, from South Africa" are visiting at Mrs. Carlyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Marshall, Hemlock street." "Mr. and Mrs. William A. Coolidge, of Boston, Mass., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Coolidge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frederick, 13 Cambrai avenue." "Roy Hamilton returned this week to Timmins after being at Hamilton, Kirkland Lake, and other southern centres where he was in exhibition boxing bouts." "Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Loach and two children, Ronald and Marion, Miss Laura Loach and Miss Florence Pirie, all of Kirkland Lake, were Timmins visitors on Sunday."

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Landlady—Good morning! I hope you slept well?  
New Boarder—Not very. Your cat kept me awake. Can't you—  
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New Boarder—Not at all—but perhaps you could have it tuned!—Exchange.

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The employee's contributions are deducted from his wages by the employer.

Stamps will be affixed to a special book, called the Insurance Book, by the employer. The book is the employee's record of contributions, and when he becomes unemployed it forms the record from which insurance benefits may be paid. Full details will be sent to you when you have returned the postcard attached to a form which is now in the mails.

The plan of procedure has been adopted after consultation with employer and employee associations and is one which has been based upon thirty years' experience in Great Britain.

The Dominion Government adds 20% to the combined employee-employer contributions, and in addition, pays the administration costs which include the operation of a National Employment Service for the convenience of employers and employees.

Contributions are payable by all persons while in employment and by their employers, with the exceptions listed in the panel below.

The first duty of every employer will be to REGISTER WITH THE COMMISSION by completing the postcard attached to a form which is now in the mails, and obtaining and issuing insurance books for all his employees. If there is doubt as to whether your employees, or any of them, are insurable, ask for instructions when you return the postal card. If you do not receive a form through the mail go to the nearest Post Office and ask for one. All employers must complete registration prior to June 14th, 1941.

The Commission feels that it can be assured of the full cooperation of all employers. Nevertheless, attention is drawn to the fact that registration is compulsory and any failure to register is an infraction of the law and is subject to penalties.

HON. NORMAN A. McLARTY,  
Minister of Labour

THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION,  
OTTAWA, CANADA

### Employers, all of Whose Employees are in One or More of the Employments Listed Below, Need Not Register

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3. Lumbering and logging, exclusive of wood-processing mills and plants seasonally continuous in operation.
4. Hunting and trapping.
5. Transportation by water, or by air, and stevedoring.
6. Domestic service in a private home.
7. Employment in a hospital or charitable institution not carried on for gain.
8. Professional nursing for the sick or as a nurse-probationer.
9. Teaching, including teachers of music and dancing.
10. Members of the armed forces or policemen in the public service.
11. Service in the Government of Canada unless brought in by special rulings.
12. Service in a government of any province unless the government of a province agrees to you being insured.
13. Service under any municipal authority if said authority certifies that employment is permanent in character.
14. Agents paid by commission, or fees, or share of profits, if this is not the main means of livelihood and if the employee is not under a contract of service giving the employer control over how and when the service shall be performed.
15. At a rate of remuneration exceeding \$2,000 in a year. (All tradesmen employed in the building construction industry are to be insured).
16. Casual employment, otherwise than for the employee's regular business.
17. Subsidiary employment, not the main means of livelihood.
18. When the employed person is in the service of his or her husband or wife.
19. Where no wages are paid and the employee is the child of the employer.
20. Where wages are paid for playing any game.
21. Any employment where ordinarily employed (a) for less than four hours a day, or (b) by more than one employer but less than four hours a day for any one of them, or (c) if only available for employment in insurable employment for not more than two days in any week.

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