



Throughout the past year we have appreciated your confidence and patronage. We wish you the compliments of the season and hope we may continue to serve you in the New Year.

SOLE BROTHERS

THE NORTH'S LARGEST CREDIT JEWELLERS

38 Third Avenue

Timmins

Branches at Kirkland Lake and Rouyn



We take this opportunity to extend Holiday Greetings and Best Wishes to our many friends. May Joy and Happiness be yours throughout the Coming Year.

TIMMINS DAIRY

PASTEURIZED DAIRY PRODUCTS

Cor. Kirby and Birch Street

Phone 935



SEASON'S GREETINGS

To all we have served during the year and to all who have served us—and to all others of good will—at this season we sincerely wish a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

HERMAN'S

CLEANING PRESSING ALTERATIONS

5 Cedar Street North

Phone 524

Greetings to YOU!



We take this opportunity to thank our friends for their patronage during the year, and to extend a general but sincere wish for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year for all.

Yolles Furniture Company Limited

46 Third Avenue

Phone 370

Porcupine Has Been a Regular Good Old Santa Claus

Last year The Advance suggested that the Porcupine has been a regular Santa Claus for the Dominion of Canada. In addition to supplying the most highly-paid work for thousands of men, in addition to millions a year paid in taxes by the gold mining industry, in addition to millions paid out yearly for supplies and equipment, the Porcupine's gold mining industry has been adding millions of dollars' worth of new wealth to the country. The gold industry has taken a vital part in preserving Canada's stability and holding the exchange at fair balance.

This year the Porcupine Camp completes its thirty-second year of production. During that time close to \$700,000,000 in gold has been shipped from the Porcupine, and close to \$200,000,000 paid out in dividends.

Here is the production record of the Porcupine to Oct. 1st, 1941:—

	Tons	Value
1910		\$ 35,549
1911	432	15,437
1912	139,951	1,740,596
1913	321,305	4,316,807
1914	554,774	5,231,989
1915	857,968	7,605,993
1916	1,327,039	9,494,139
1917	1,179,469	8,345,367
1918	816,754	7,899,381
1919	1,092,744	10,041,580
1920	1,162,065	11,953,906
1921	1,580,460	14,395,815
1922	2,076,989	18,662,724
1923	2,060,721	17,674,549
1924	2,642,502	22,445,680
1925	3,015,607	24,834,794
1926	3,180,903	23,811,304
1927	3,488,972	24,029,244
1928	3,185,604	20,384,903
1929	2,864,820	19,460,413
1930	2,558,385	17,843,392
1931	3,091,946	20,772,501
1932	3,351,263	24,289,974
1933	3,402,632	29,928,849
1934	3,711,714	33,002,770
1935	3,829,279	34,202,950
1936	4,049,786	35,920,945
1937	4,303,047	39,305,160
1938	4,789,094	44,398,609
1939	5,133,186	47,791,659
1940	5,647,214	55,000,954
1941 (9 months)	4,445,745	41,559,509
Total	79,862,411	676,397,472



View of the Interior of the McIntyre Arena

A Christmas Message

(From Canada Lumberman)

Happiness is a state of mind resulting from conditions and circumstances surrounding the individual, family and national life. Measured by such a standard there are very few, if any, countries on the earth's surface where conditions and circumstances so abundantly lend themselves to the enjoyment of Christmas as in Canada. In the war-torn world in which we live happiness must be measured comparatively; and gratitude must seek its source in the contemplation of our freedom from the growing miseries that cast an ever-widening shadow over the lives of millions of our fellowmen.

As individuals, as families or as a nation the grimmer aspects of the war have, as yet, hardly left a mark upon us. While youthful footsteps resounded in thousands of Canadian homes a year or two ago have now gone to swell the marching columns that ultimately will bring us victory, they are still with us, filling our hearts with pride in their willingness to take their places in the great crusade to which they have dedicated their lives. Canadians will measure the happiness and enjoyment of their Christmas of 1941 largely by their contribution to the cheer which they will send to those who represent them in the first line of defence. And the spirit of Christmas, which is the gracious gift of being able and willing to give to others, will be kept alive during 1942 by constantly remembering Canada's fighting forces in our hearts, our prayers and our gifts.

From every material consideration, Canada can exclaim "A Merry Christmas" with an exultant national note. Unemployment has been practically banished from our midst. The national income has reached unprecedented heights. Our homes, our factories, our places of business and recreation have been immune; not a single square foot of our individual, corporate or national physical assets has been destroyed by devastating attacks from the air. Not a single casualty is recorded within the boundaries of this continent as scores of thousands have been snuffed out in that "tight little island." Such perplexities as we have centre around the regulation and management of what we have—and many "have" in greater abundance than they have had for many years—while far less happily circumstanced people have nothing left to create such perplexities.

In the midst of events that, as yet, have cast few of the deeper shadows of war, that have made possible the gratifying of every reasonable personal desire, that have placed within our reach the privilege of ministering, with our gifts, to the needs and comforts of those within our family circle, our friends, our soldiers, sailors and airmen wherever they may be—it is in the contemplation of these conditions and circumstances which surround us that we can extend to each other with every sincerity and with profound gratitude "A Merry Christmas."

NATIONAL REGISTRATION DURING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

E. H. King, postmaster at Timmins sends The Advance the following note:—

Re National Registration During the Christmas Season

The Post Office Dept. advises that owing to the increased work in all post offices at Christmas-time, young persons 16 years of age will not be registered during the week from the 18th to the 26th, inclusive. However, persons who have lost their former National Registration Certificates will be served at any time the wickets are open.



"For little children everywhere
"A joyous season still we make
"We bring our precious gifts to them
"Even for the dear child Jesus' sake."

A Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

MOISLEY & BALL

DRUGGISTS — PHARMACISTS

Timmins

Schumacher



"There are kind words and cheering words
to say.
"Let us be happy on the Christ Child's day."

To One and All, a Happy Christmas and a Glad New Year

TIMMINS BUSINESS COLLEGE

ELLEN M. TERRY

Hamilton Block

Timmins



GREETINGS

With the Season's Best
Greetings
and Health and Happiness to
you for 1942

JOHN W. FOGG LTD.

Phone 117—Timmins

Schumacher—Phone 725



It is a pleasure and a privilege to extend
to all Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas
and a Happy New Year.

FRANK FELDMAN

GROCER — BUTCHER

110 Pine St. South

Phone 130