

News From South Porcupine, Dome and the District

Cadets of South Porcupine High School Inspected

Other Items of Interest from South Porcupine and the Dome.

South Porcupine, June 3rd. (Special to The Advance)—On Wednesday and Thursday of this week the annual meeting of the W.A. of the Diocese of Measeoche is being held in Cochrane. Leaving from South Porcupine on Tuesday to attend were Mrs. W. H. Johns, Mrs. J. E. Woodall, Mrs. Walter Lemmon and Mrs. Wm. Fairhurst; and also members of the Diocesan executive from Schumacher, Mrs. K. Kilborne and Mrs. A. H. Cooke, and from Timmins, Mrs. W. Pritchard.

On Monday afternoon the ladies of St. Paul's Church entertained Mrs. Carruthers (Field Secretary of the W. A. of the M.S.C.C.) from Toronto in the Parish Hall. Miss Carruthers gave a most interesting talk on her work in China where she has spent many years as a missionary, and later spoke to Anglican school girls on the same topic illustrating her talk with lantern slides.

Tea was served later. Miss Carruthers, who is the daughter of Canon Carruthers, of Winnipeg, is also speaking at the Diocesan annual meeting in Cochrane this week. She visited Iroquois Falls on Tuesday and will complete her northern tour at Val D'Or.

Demonstrating Use of Cotton in Fashions at South Porcupine

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No admission charge will be made but admission cards may be obtained from any member of the Auxiliary Executive. Tea will be served, proceeds from this going to the Comfort Fund which sends boxes to boys overseas.

Jury Finds Death of C. Tomlinson Was Accidental

South Porcupine, June 3rd. (Special to The Advance)—An inquiry was held on Saturday in the Township hall in Porcupine into the death of Clifford Tomlinson, the inquest being conducted by Coroner F. C. Evans.

Jury members under the foremanship of Charles Tucker were Russell Carson, George Sawyer, Cecil Herbert and Harold Cummings. Evidence was given by Dr. Paul, Dr. Blaisdell, A. Gatto, J. Spach, C. Penney, J. Sparrow, M. Basic, P. Kosutich, C. Gagnon and F. Allen. Tomlinson was killed by being suffocated when a pile of muck fell upon him as he was setting up a drill in the 425-foot level of the Hoyle Mine.

Evidence given was that necessary precautions after blasting previously, had been taken. A hose caught under a rockfall had been extricated by workmen shortly before the accident, but evidence was not conducive to proving that this had caused the accident. A fellow workman had sprung to safety as the muck pile shifted, but Tomlinson had been caught. Workmen had succeeded in removing the fall from rock pressure on the throat of death had been caused almost immediately. Six hours elapsed before he could be completely extricated.

The jury returned the following verdict: "We find that Clifford Tomlinson came to his death at 8.45 a.m. on May 25th, in the 425 ft. level "D" stope of the Hoyle Gold mine in Township of Whitney, cause of death being suffocation by being buried in muck, death being accidental.

Miss Inspector E. B. Weir and Crown Attorney Caldwell were present at the Enquiry.

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Quesnel first appeared to answer the charge at the Tuesday court and at that time he pleaded not guilty and was prepared to proceed with the case. However, Crown Attorney S. A. Caldwell was out of town and it wasn't deemed advisable to proceed without a crown prosecutor. On Wednesday morning the assistant Crown-Attorney Mr. J. A. Durancueu, of Cochrane, was obtained and the trial was held.

When the defendant pleaded guilty a brief summary of the evidence was presented by Constable Paul Laperriere, of the Provincial Police, and Mrs. Mague, the owner of the barn at Sandy Falls that was demolished by fire.

North Bay Nugget—Theme song for that Australian motor executive who wanted to sacrifice his life by crashing a plane into a Jap aircraft carrier—"Hallelujah, I'm a Bomb!"

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Charlesbois accused of speeding pleaded guilty but demurred when Constable said his car was being driven at 75 to 80 miles per hour. His car he said, could not do 80. He admitted going over the speed limit. A \$25 fine was imposed and his drivers' permit suspended for 30 days.

Pretty Wedding at the United Church at Schumacher

South Porcupine, June 4th. (Special to The Advance)—Trinity United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday afternoon when Miss Joan Huxley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Huxley, first avenue, Schumacher, became the bride of Captain Stanley Hart Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gibson, of Kingston. Miss Marguerite Smith was senior bridesmaid and Mrs. Mary Ann Gibson was junior bridesmaid. Mr. William Laird attended the groom. The ushers were Messrs Charles Kee, Tap, Gilbert and Jim Dutton.

The Ven. Archdeacon Woodall, of South Porcupine Anglican Church, officiated. Mrs. Armitage played the wedding music. Miss Gertrude Bristow sang "O Perfect Love". A full choir sang "The Voice That Breathes, O'er Eden."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a lovely gown of white chenille frosted taffeta, designed with long torso lines, and veil of imported tulle, lavishly embroidered, and simple headress of daisies and bouvardia. Her bouquet was of white Albatros gladiolus, in wedding ring design.

Miss Marguerite Smith was senior bridesmaid. She wore a lovely gown of Wendigo blue taffeta, made on the same lines as the bride's gown. She wore a poke bonnet, and carried a shower bouquet of yellow roses.

Miss Mary Ann Gibson, niece of the groom, was junior bridesmaid. She wore a gown of Wendigo blue taffeta, made on the same lines as the senior bridesmaid. She wore a poke bonnet and carried a nosegay of pansies and yellow roses.

Sudden Passing of Miss Maud Carne, of Dome Extension

South Porcupine, June 3—(Special to The Advance)—The very sudden passing of Miss Maud Carne, of Dome Extension, has saddened us all at this end of the camp this week. After a very short illness at home she was admitted to Porcupine General Hospital on Friday last, and died on Saturday May 30th. The news came as a severe shock to friends and relatives, and she is sincerely mourned.

She was born in Redruth,