

## Large Attendance and Delightful Time at the Algonquin Regt. Dance

"D" Company of the Algonquins Sponsors Pleasing Dance Event at McIntyre Gymnasium Last Week. All Present Had Happy Time Dancing to Music of Henry Keelbeck's Band.

There was a large attendance at the McIntyre Gymnasium on Friday evening, for the Algonquin Regiment, "D" Company (R) dance under the auspices of the N.C.O.'s. Everyone had a grand time dancing to the music of Henry Keelbeck's orchestra. Variety of the evening was a Paul Jones where everybody was able to get acquainted.

Among those who were present were: Corp. and Mrs. C. V. Price; Len Ikonen and Marian Leck; Corp. and Mrs. Mrs. George Hopper; Sergeant and Mrs. Emmett; Corp. George Wallingford; Pte. Danial O'Callaghan and Sadie Todd; Pte. and Mrs. J. H. Felmate; Pte. John Barry and Rae Sutherland; John Amadio, Alfe DeSaverio, Victor Bortolotti, Pte. and Mrs. Welin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Atkinson; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith; Corp. and Mrs. Hardy; Mr. W. Greaves, Mrs. W. Forrester; Mr. and Mrs. Les. Nicholson; Mrs. Taines, Gun, Wilson, Jan Dalpe; Pte. Lemay and Miss Stitt; Corp. and Mrs. Larmer; Don McGillis and Stella McKenna; Eileen Crouch, Jack Crouch, Jean Cowan; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burke; Mr. Karpovitch and Miss Hawes; Ted Vezenia and Marie Tomick; Mr. and Mrs. W. Rheinish; Mr. and Mrs. J. Rheinish; Miss Helen Keenan of New York; L. Guidolin, Mrs. Mustatto; Pte. Bass; Dudley Miller; Pte. Sasiela, H. Clermont; Wm. Morin and Viola Deroser; Clifford Carpenter and Eleanor Todd; Bill Martin and Lillian Charette; Mr. and Mrs. W. Manhire; Eva Manhire; Pte. and Mrs. Fay; Pte. and Mrs. Bill Roberts; Corp. and Mrs. Price; C.Q.M.S. Abrams and Mrs. Abrams; Pte. Spencer; Pte. Craig; Pte. Martin; Sgt.-Major and Mrs. W. Wilkinson; 2nd Lieut. Jerry Evans, R.C.A. and Cisse Blackman; Capt. and Mrs. Countryman; Lt. J. R. Walker.

## Events Planned for Every Day of Army Week in Canada

Week of June 29th to July 5th to be Busy Time.

The following is released jointly by the Director of Public Relations (Army) and the Director of Public Information:

"In the week from June 29 to July 5 the people of Canada are doing honor to their army — the Gentlemen in Khaki who have offered their lives, if need be, in the defense of their country, the men whose presence in United Kingdom for the past two years, like a fist constantly shaken in the face of Hitler, have helped to discourage any attempt to invade those islands.

"The decision to hold Army Week was the result of a demand by the people themselves, a spontaneous urge to do tribute to the service 'second to none.'"

"The program has been so designed that each day emphasizes some phase of army life. Monday, June 29, will be Soldiers' Day. Special entertainments are planned for the soldiers. Gifts parcels and letters will be sent to men in the service.

"Understanding between the army and the civilian population will be fostered on Tuesday, Civilian Day. Attention will be focussed on the question: 'What am I doing as a civilian to support the soldier in this war?' Restaurants will be asked to prepare meals according to army diet sheets.

"Co-operation between the army and the other armed services will be emphasized on Wednesday, United Services Day. Thursday will be devoted to local events. On Friday the important part played in the defense of Canada by the Reserve Army will be spotlighted.

Tribute to our allies will be paid on Saturday, United Nations Day. Detachments of the forces of the United States will be invited to visit Canada and Units of the United Nations training in Canada will take part in special programs.

Sunday will be a day of prayer.

## Special Showing to Legion and Friends of War Films

For Legion Members and Gentlemen Friends on Saturday Evening.

Through the efforts of the President Austin Neame, of Timmins Branch of the Canadian Legion, all members and gentlemen friends will have the privilege of interviewing the special war films which are now touring Northern Ontario. The film show will be held in the Leigon Hall, Cedar St. S. on Saturday evening and should draw a large crowd. The show is scheduled to commence at 8.00 p.m. and the films to Miss Marlen Weaver, of Trenton, Mrs. R. B. Stock, and the hostess, Mrs. Frank Filion.

The showing on Saturday evening at the Legion hall is for the men only and will commence around 8.00 p.m.

## Rouyn Council Adopts Motion Against Conscription

Last week Rouyn town council passed a resolution against conscription. Two members of the council sponsored the motion, while three other councillors opposed it. Then, according to The Rouyn-Noranda Press "Mayor R. Gagne cast the deciding vote in favour of adopting the resolution."

## Schumacher Branch of Canadian Red Cross to Remain Open All Summer

As the Scale of Conflict Increases So Does the Need for Red Cross Supplies. All Asked to Help Maintain High Standing of Schumacher Branch. Ample Supply of Wool for Requested Articles.

The Schumacher Branch of the Red Cross Society will remain open all summer. The need for goods of most kinds is as great as it ever was, then ever before and every cooperation is requested from all who can assist in any way.

Despite rumours to the contrary there will be ample wool and other supplies available for all requested articles. Already this year the Branch has shipped 2288 articles made up of hospital supplies and various articles for the Women's Auxiliary, the Navy Army and Air Force and for British Civilian use. These articles have filled a real need and have brought comfort and satisfaction to many people.

Auxiliary as well as sweaters and socks for British children. New requests for knitted goods include the following: In Khaki — Aero Caps, Alternative Caps, Gloves, Sweaters — Sleeveless. In Grey — Tuck-ins, Socks, Socks — Seaman's 18 in Socks — Seaman's 27". In Navy — Mitts — Whole Pullovers Long sleeved.

A new urgent appeal has just been received for boys' suits and underwear and another for hospital supplies is due to arrive at any time. As the scale of conflict increases so does the need for Red Cross supplies. All requirements in the past have been met both as to quantity and quality and with a little help from everyone the good work can be continued or even increased.

## See This On Army Week Visit To Training Centres



The Canadian Army has had long hard months of training and stands ready for what may come. Above are illustrations showing various types of weapons and the methods of using them. AT TOP is shown an anti-tank gun. (This picture was taken when a group of Canadian editors viewed the proceedings.) CENTRE, a machine gun is being used against air craft; and ON THE LEFT is a mortar. BELOW a Bren gun section is taking up position in the open.

## Sixteen Nurses Receive Diplomas at Annual Graduation Ceremonies

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Louis Rheame is Guest-Speaker at Largest Class to Graduate from St. Mary's Hospital Receives Good Wishes of Large Audience and Speakers.

Diplomas and pins were presented to the 1942 graduating class of St. Mary's Hospital at the annual graduation exercises held on Monday evening in St. Anthony's Cathedral. Sixteen students who have studied diligently for the past three years were given their just award, the designation of "graduate nurse". They were: Bessie Muriel Armstrong, of Schumacher; Evelyn Jane Brightwell, of Shillington, Ont.; Shirley May Coffey, of South Porcupine, Ontario; Wilhelmina Mary Selina Curtis, of South Porcupine, Ontario; Dorothy Mary Davidson, of Kapuskasing, Ontario; Blanche Muriel Donald, of Bardsville, Ontario; Mary Leon Foley, of Timmins; Margaret Theresa Laura Keon, of Saskatchewan, Saskatchewan; Dora Kesnesky, of South Porcupine, Ontario; Olive Estelle Miller, of Schumacher, Ontario; Mary Irene O'Rourke, of Timmins; Anna Mae West, of Timmins; Dorothy Vira Wright, of Bourlaimaque, Quebec.

Dr. J. B. McLinton, as chairman for the evening, introduced the various speakers, among whom were His Worship Mayor Emile Brunette, the Rev. W. M. Mustard, the Rev. Fr. Theriault, the Rev. Fr. Murray, Dr. G. C. Armitage and the Rt. Rev. Bishop Louis Rheame. Dr. McLinton spoke about each member of the class, and said that the 1942 graduating class was the largest that had ever come out of St. Mary's Hospital.

In congratulating the graduates on their three years of work and the success it had brought them, His Worship, Mayor Emile Brunette added his personal congratulations to the Rev. Sister Fidelis for her marvellous work among the nurses. His Worship added that if these graduates carry their profession on to the battlefield, or to the homefront, they will need strength of character and courage besides the knowledge of healing.

The Rev. W. M. Mustard expressed his pleasure in the privilege of being present at this event. He also remarked on the work that was necessary to become a graduate nurse, and mentioned that these young ladies were going into the work at a time of need not only with the art of healing but with the courage to fight off any obstacles.

The Rev. Fr. Theriault in a brief talk, added his congratulations to the graduating class, mentioning that they put their hearts and souls into their work. The Rev. Father also gave a vote of thanks to the Rt. Rev. Bishop Rheame in taking time from his many other duties to come to Timmins for this event.

## Porcupine Male Choir Suspends Summer Rehearsals

To Have Occasional "Get-Together"

As announced in The Advance a couple of weeks ago the Porcupine Male Choir had intended to hold rehearsals only once a week through the summer months. This, however, was found impractical. For the first such rehearsal only a few were able to turn out and for the second the same was true with the additional trouble that the two groups were mainly different members. It was considered that this was not satisfactory or practical and that the best plan would be to suspend practices altogether for the summer months.

Accordingly the Porcupine Male Choir will not hold practices or rehearsals during June, July or August but will resume the regular meetings in the fall. In the meantime, however, it is the intention for the members to keep in touch through the medium of monthly get-together events, chiefly of social nature. Notice of the dates of these socials will be given the members by phone or postcard.

## 40,000 Speckled Trout and 8,000 Lake Trout to be Distributed Here Soon

Any Ready to Help in Work of Distribution Should Get in Touch With Ken Hulme or Don Sylvester. Tex Rickard the Luck Winner of the Rod and Gun Draw.

The last meeting of the Rod and Gun Club had many items of very special importance. One of the outstanding matters, of course, was the drawing of the lucky ticket in the Rod and Gun Draw. The lucky winner was Tex Rickard.

Another special item was the announcement that 40,000 speckled trout and 8,000 lake trout are on order for restocking the waters of the district. These are expected here within a week and anyone who can help in this distribution should get in touch with Ken Hulme or Don Sylvester.

Then, also, there was the announcement at the meeting repeating the fact that this year the Rod and Gun Club is offering good prizes for the largest fish caught in the district.

The meeting of the Rod and Gun Club referred to was held in the Odd-fellows hall, Spruce street, north, on Monday evening, June 15th, with Ken Hulme acting as chairman for the occasion. Many local enthusiasts, members of the organization, were present to witness the drawing of the lucky winning ticket. No. 33 held by Tex Rickard, 152 Mountjoy Street, North. A vote of thanks was extended to Messrs.

## McIntyre Hall Now Gaily Decorated for Legion "V" Celebration Next Week

Programme of Unusual Interest Arranged. C.W.A.C. May Drill Here at Event. Woodhouse and Hawkins, Jeanette Garrette, Bernice McGrath, Margaret Easton's Dancers Among the Artists.

Gaily decorated with red, white and blue streamers and the flags of the United Nations, the McIntyre Arena presents a colourful picture, this being the decoration scheme for the Legion "V" Carnival all next week. Plans are all completed to accommodate the large crowds expected and the special buses of Dalton-Dwyer bus line will take you right to the door. Special admission tickets and reduced return fares are available if this means of travel is taken to the Carnival.

For the early ones the Legion has planned a short programme of music from 8.00 to 8.15 p.m. each evening with the following bands providing the programme:—Monday, Timmins Citizens' Band; Tuesday, Porcupine Pipe Band; Wednesday, McIntyre Concert Band; Thursday, choice left open on account of Army Week parade; Friday, Gold Belt Band; The doors of the arena will be open each evening at 7.30 p.m.

There will also be a great variety of games, with beautiful prizes for the lucky winners. Bingo will hold the spotlight in the games department. The big prizes offered each evening should attract all bingo fans of the district. Display booths will show Army ordnance, Bren guns, modern fighting equipment, with someone on hand to explain the workings of all this.

If anyone feels patriotic over the Legion War Effort, he can enlist right on the floor of the arena, a recruiting booth being provided for the local recruiting staff for this purpose by the Timmins branch of the Canadian Legion.

The Legion information booth should also be the rendezvous for those who wish to know more of what has been accomplished. Other attractive displays will also be on hand.

The stage show of which much has already been said, of course, will be the main attraction. With the very small admission charge no one should miss this great show. The Legion has made it that way so that all will have the opportunity of witnessing the show. The committee who planned this great show wished to give all patrons full value for their support and it is expected that the arena will be packed each evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary will operate the refreshment stand and tea garden. Here one will be able to satisfy the most fastidious appetite and your patronage will help to swell the funds of the Auxiliary Comfort Fund. These energetic ladies knit and sew for the Red Cross; send parcels monthly to lads in England from Timmins and Schumacher, and assist in all branches of Legion work. Visit them at the arena! You'll be more than welcome.

Other attractions will be announced nightly as they are planned. The C. W. A. C. are expected to have a drill team from Thursday to Saturday. A military band is also contemplated. Come each and every night and help the Legion in its work of "helping the lads over there and those they left behind."

## To Observe Army Week June 29th to July 5th to Honour Canada's Army

Event to be Marked in Every City, Town and Village Throughout the Dominion of Canada. Notable Programme Prepared to Carry Through This Dominion-Wide Celebration

Deserved tribute will be paid to Canada's soldier sons during Army Week, June 29th to July 5th, an event that will be suitably marked in every city, town and village from coast to coast.

Judging by the enthusiasm already evinced by citizens throughout the Dominion, Army Week will mark a new high in the outpouring of patriotic feeling among Canadians. It is a week set aside in response to widespread public demand for the purpose of honouring the men in khaki who have offered to give their lives if necessary to defeat the aggressors and to preserve our freedom.

The lads of Canada's Army have sacrificed all the comforts of civilian life and the association with their loved ones in order to serve their country. During Army Week the Canadian people will have an opportunity to show their appreciation of this sacrifice. For weeks now Citizens' Committees have engaged in mapping out programs for entertaining and honouring the troops. Every community, large and small, across Canada will have a part in this spontaneous demonstration. Churches, civic groups, industries, retail stores, service clubs and women's organizations will do their bit to achieve the maximum success.

Dominion Day, July 1st, falls in this week and as it marks the 75th anniversary of Confederation, it is fitting that the majority of towns and villages in Canada are planning a suitable celebration for that day. It will give added impetus to Army Week and to the deep-seated desire to honour the boys in khaki.

This is a citizens' show and every community in the country will want to have a part in it. Not only will it prove to the soldiers that they have not been forgotten by the public, but it will go far towards enlightening Canadians more intimately concerning the role of Canada's Army and the manner in which the troops are cared for and trained. Until the present time the Army has been somewhat overshadowed by the sterling performance of Canada's Air Force and Navy, which have seen action on many fronts while the Army has remained inactive so far as actual combat is concerned. It cannot be forgotten that in the end it will require an invasion of the European continent to ensure the defeat of Hitlerism. Then the Army will be called upon to play its part.

Meanwhile Canadian troops both in England and in the Dominion are training tirelessly to fit themselves for the supreme struggle that lies ahead. In training centres, schools and camps from one end of Canada to the other, they are undergoing strenuous physical training and instruction in modern methods and weapons of war so that they may not be found wanting when the zero hour comes.

Canada has an army of which to be proud and Canadians will have the chance during Army Week to demonstrate their true appreciation of the men who are making the greatest sacrifice in the battle to preserve our liberty. The days from June 29th to July 5th should culminate in the most memorable exhibition of patriotic fervour in Canada's history.

Public and private buildings will fly flags throughout the week. The public will have a chance to attend 'Open House' at military training centres and schools, to hear the inspiring music of military bands and to watch the stirring parades of Canadian soldiers. They will have the chance to entertain men of the Army in their home and at dances and concerts. Service emblems will be displayed in homes, churches and business houses, while Honour Rolls will be prominently exhibited.

Newspapers will publish special Army editions, the radio will carry programs on the Army Week theme, and theatres will present Army films. Hotels and restaurants will serve meals based on Army rations and householders are asked to do likewise on one day of the week. Members of the Reserve Army will take part in parades and will wear their uniform one day in the week. Sports programs, church parades and drumhead services will have their part on the agenda. Tribute will be paid to the next-of-kin of lads on active service. The overseas lads will not be forgotten and citizens are asked to make a point of writing to them and of sending parcels during Army Week.

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WHEN FATHER WAS A BOY

It's the editor of the Atchison Globe who says he's getting so old that he is beginning to believe the lies he tells about what he did when he was a boy. —North Bay Nugget.