



WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

All Timmins Cubs and Scouts will be back to their regular meetings this week, refreshed after a long holiday and an enjoyable holiday season. Many of them no doubt have included in their New Year resolutions plans for even greater progress along the trails of Scouting, both for themselves and their Brother Scouts. It is the spirit of co-operation and helpfulness on the part of the boys toward their fellows that helps make the Scout organization what it is. New members joining the various Troops and Packs look to the other boys for guidance and assistance, and these other boys are duty bound to help them out wherever possible. One way of assuring recruits this valuable assistance is to prepare ourselves by living a real Scout life, and by learning all we can about the game of Scouting. Every boy is anxious to do his bit in making record progress this year within his own Group, and all Groups are out to make this a real Scout year. We wish leaders and boys every success in their efforts, and may 1943 be a year to be long remembered for its Scouting and Cubbing.

Executive Committee to Meet Friday Evening

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Local Association is called for Friday evening of this week, at 7:30 p.m. The council chambers will be the meeting place, and quite a number of important topics will be discussed. Among them will be the appointment of a new District Cubmaster, replacing Scouter A. Wright who enlisted in the R.C.A.P. some weeks ago. All Cub and Scout leaders are being invited to attend the meeting, and a number of badges and certificates will be presented to those who have earned them during the past year. Another matter which will occupy the attention of the meeting will be plans for the coming Boy Scout Week. Every year a week is set aside for national observance of the fine work being done by the Scout movement, and Headquarters have announced that this year the dates will be February 21-27. Local Associations and Groups all over the Dominion will be making special plans for this event, and Timmins will not be found lacking. It is also possible that further plans for a leaders' training course will be discussed, along with a number of routine matters. All members of the Executive Committee are asked to make a special effort to attend this meeting.

Second Timmins Troop Enjoy Christmas Party

Scouts and leaders of the Second Timmins Troop gathered in the basement of St. Mathew's Church on Tuesday of last week for an enjoyable social evening. One of the highlights was the presence of T. L. Bill Southam, who is attending Queen's University, and was home for the Christmas season. Bill fitted right into his old place in the Troop programme, and conducted the opening and closing ceremonies. A sing-song that brought back many pleasant camp memories was entered into by everyone, and refreshments were served during the meeting. However, the boys showed that they were not only thinking of their own pleasure. It was decided unanimously by the Troop that the entire

amount of their portion of Apple Day proceeds be turned over to the B.P. Chins Up Fund, for the assistance of their Brother Scouts. This was a really fine gesture on the part of the boys, and they are to be heartily commended for their generosity and thoughtfulness.

\$24,732. Ontario's Chins Up Donations

Shortly before Christmas, Ontario Provincial Headquarters reported that the total donations received from groups throughout the province amounted to the splendid sum of \$24,732.00. All who co-operated to make this fine showing possible are thanked by H.Q., but we are reminded that the need for assistance still exists, and everyone is asked to do their utmost to at least reach their objective. As yet no Timmins group has reached the mark of one dollar per member, although several are close. Will your Pack or Troop be the one winning this honour?

7th Troop Competition Results in a Tie

The last meeting of the Seventh Troop for 1942 will be remembered by the boys and leaders for several reasons, most outstanding probably being the result of the month's competition. The Eagle Patrol had held a small edge throughout the month, but the fine results of the Wolf Patrol in the collection of books and magazines for the armed forces resulted in the two patrols being tied with 153 points each. Several competitions were held before the tie was broken. In a knot-tying race, points were evenly divided. Then in a compass test, honours were again split. Finally it was decided to settle the issue by a game of "O'Grady Says," and here the Wolf Patrol showed their superiority and captured the Honour Flag for the month. It was well earned, and in spite of the determination of the Eagles to take it away from them this month, the Wolves are out to hold on to it for a while. Everything points to some pretty competition in the months ahead. The books and magazines being collected by the Scouts are being turned over to the Canadian Legion, sponsors of the group, and are forwarded to men in the services both at home and abroad.

Names of Scouts in Armed Forces Requested

A request has come from Provincial Headquarters for the names and addresses of all former Scouts who are now serving in the armed forces, both in Canada and overseas. At the present time we have on record some thirty-odd names, but we feel that there must be many more who are fighting for their country that were members of Troops and Packs in Timmins. All leaders and interested persons are asked to send in all such names as soon as possible, that our records may be complete and that H.Q. will be able to keep in touch with these Scouts. Most Troops keep an up-to-date Honour Roll, and all names on these should be sent in to us to be checked with our present records. Let us make sure that no one is overlooked in this effort.

First Timmins Pack Continue Meetings

Among the groups that did not give up regular meetings during the holiday season was the First Timmins Cub Pack, under the leadership of Scouters Carver and Trevelan. Last week the meeting was held on Tuesday evening in the Hollinger Scout Hall, with a good attendance of Cubs. Book-balancing and other test games were enjoyed by the boys, and an inspection on general tidiness and discipline resulted in the White Six winning 14 points, the Tawny Six took 7 points and the Grey Six won four. The meeting closed with the Grand Hymn and the singing of the National Anthem.

Badge Committee Meets Wednesday

A meeting of the Badge Committee was called for Wednesday evening of this week in the Lions Club Hall. Several changes are under consideration in the set-up of the committee, and it is possible that these will be presented at the Executive Committee meeting on Friday. A keen interest is being shown in badge work at this time, and the wish of the Committee is to make it possible for as many Scouts as possible to earn these badges, and to stimulate still further appreciation of their value. A survey is to be undertaken by the District Leaders to determine definitely how many badges are held in Timmins, and to record the holders. A number of badges have been passed by

the Scouts of the Fifth Troop during the past couple of weeks. Peter Lucciantonio, Ernest Hefferman, R. Clar-rocca have completed the requirements for the Artist Badge. Nick Mores, P. Lucciantonio, E. Hefferman and Stanley Holson have earned the Handyman's Badge, and E. Didone has qualified to wear the Entertainer's Badge. The Fifth Troop has been showing real results in badge work, and the other groups will need to speed up a bit if they are to remain in the picture.

Refugee German Scout Given Bravery Award

Boy Scout Herbert S. Ermann, aged 16, a refugee from Germany and now a member of a British Boy Scout Troop, has been awarded the Scout Certificate of Gallantry for fire-fighting during an enemy raid. An officer of the local Fire Brigade reported the boy's work as reflecting great credit on his training as a Scout.

Scottish Boy Scouts Have Unique Record

Boy Scouts of the 14th Edinburgh Troop had a record of 23,000 hours of national service during the past year. In addition to regular messenger and salvage services they have included Home Guard and Zoo policing duties.

Scrubes are reminded again to send in reports of meetings and special events, and with their co-operation we'll be back again next week with more news of Cubbing and Scouting. —D.S.M.

Yuletide Story of Horse that Refused to Drown

From Bucke township comes the happy Yuletide story of a horse that refused to be drowned. A man driving to a friend's place in North Cobalt had the ill-fortune to have his horse and cutter go through the ice on a creek he was crossing. The man had difficulty getting to shore himself and knew he could do nothing to help his faithful horse. He went to the nearest house for assistance, but returning to the creek it was seen that the horse had disappeared. It seemed beyond question that the animal had been drowned as the water was quite deep at the scene of the accident. The next day the man reached his home in Bucke township, sad and horseless. At home, however, the first thing he noted was his horse. The animal evidently had managed to escape from the water and had promptly and properly made for home, reaching the place hours before its owner. The horse appeared none the worse for its cold water douche nor for its hours of exposure before the return of its owner.

ON BUSINESS BASIS

"You mean thing! You promised me faithfully that you wouldn't give away that secret I told you. But now it's all around town."
"I didn't give it away. I exchanged it for others."—Exchange.

Farewell to the Mines

I've been twenty-five years in the Northland, And to-morrow I'm hittin' the trail Back home to the colourful city, And I ain't coming back here again. I'm fed up with this lousy country And now that I've made enough dough, I'm buyin' a ticket for some place, Where they ain't got no six feet of snow.

I don't want to do no more driftin'; I'm finished with cross-cuts I hope; If I have my way in the future You'll never see me in a stope. I saw my old shift boss this mornin' Told him just where he could go. I said I was finished with mining; I told him, I wanted my dough.

I don't want to see no more winters; I'm tired of life in a shack; I'm going where a full six-course dinner Is meant, when they say, "have a snack." I don't want no more beans and bacon— The thought of them gives me a pain; I've quit them forever, supposin' I never eat nothin' again.

My Gawd! but to think that to-morrow I'm thru' with this life at the mine; It's heart breakin' work with a shovel, And skin never free from its grime; I've worked like a slave for its dollars; I've gave it my brain and my brain; I've worked till the sight of a shovel Is startin' to drive me insane.

I was here and I helped lay the metal That to-morrow is taking me out; And yet,— tho' I'm certain I'm going— At the back of my brain there's a doubt, There's one or two things I'll be missin'; There's some things, I can't take away; For instance, I can't take the sunset I see at the end of the day.

For surely in no other country Can nature display such a view; The big copper sun slowly sinking, In garments of crimson and blue. Then comes the North's crowning glory, The summit of all earthly sights, To see, sweeping down from the heavens The mysterious "Northern Lights."

They'll hover, like pale ghosts of music, Swaying gentle, then fading from view, Then as swiftly they'll change into colours That rival the rainbow in hue; A thing of the Master's creation, Nothing like it has ever been seen; A wonderful preview of heaven, Shown on a Celestial screen.

There's something about this dam country That acts on a guy like cocaine; I've seen people leave it forever, But always, they come back again. Maybe it's the freedom they're missin' Way down in their caste-ridden towns, Where Jack ain't as good as his master And a man is kept down, when he's down.

I'll be missin' the boys at the bunkhouse, With hearts like the gold that they mine; Who'll give you their shirts for the askin'; Tho' maybe they ain't got a dime. I'll be missin' the trout in the river— The sight of a deer in the thicket— The song of the birds in the mornin'— Aw, hell!—can I sell you a ticket?

McIntyre Miners Rout the Ankerite Bisons on Monday Night to the Tune of 7-3

This is the Worst Defeat the Bisons have been Given this Season. The McIntyre Score Four Goals in First Period to Bisons' One. Plenty of Action in This Hockey Match

McIntyre Miners went to the head of the Porcupine Senior hockey league by giving the Ankerite Bisons a bad drubbing Monday night in a first period rout.

Porter and an air tight defence stopped the Bisons in the third period from turning the tables.

Drummond opened the scoring within four minutes of play after working his way around the defence.

Five minutes later, Porter cleared from a scrimmage; Herbie Carnegie got the rubber and gave it to his brother Ossie who evened it up.

The Miners dominated the play, and Baker sent over a pass to Wilson to beat Vezina and in less than a minute Drummond added another on a pass from Baker.

The Bisons put on a power play, but the Miners caught them flat-footed when Drummond, Wilson and Baker only had Vezina in front of them. Baker decided to take the shot. Vezina stopped it and smothered, as Wilson came in for the rebound.

In a couple of forays Porter made some great stops.

Vail was chased, and the Bisons tried hard to cut the lead, but the Mac's put up a stonewall defence. H. Carnegie had tough luck when he hit the post.

Drummond got his second goal by checking O. Carnegie and letting drive. The Bisons bottled up the McIntyre in the dying minutes, but Porter cleared everything shot at him.

In the second stanza the Bisons got settled after the first period rout, and took the play to the Miners, Porter stopped one with his face. Luckily Ossie was being checked when he fired the shot. If it had been one of his sizzlers, Porter might have had to retire for the game or more, instead of being patched up on the ice.

As the Bisons kept up the pressure, Porter tipped another shot over the net. On a break-away Vezina cleared three shots, only to have Drummond and Baker come in on him again, and again he fooled them. Finally Wilson beat him on a pass from Drummond for the only goal of the period.

When McComb was chased, the Bisons bombarded Porter from all angles and he withstood it.

In the third period the Bisons had most of the play, but the Miners chalked up two more to make it 7-1. Baker getting the first, and McComb the second, when Innarelli slipped him the rubber from behind the net.

O. Carnegie got his second goal on a

criss-cross passing by his brother, Herbie, and Morris, in less than a minute. Herbie was going in on Porter, when he was tripped from behind by Colquhoun. A goal resulted at the face-off when Herbie snared Lever's pass.

The Bisons got their first penalty when Romanick was chased for holding.

Vezina pulled off his third great save of the game when he again fooled Drummond and Baker at the gong.

Ankerite — Goal, Vezina; defence, Morris and Belanger; centre, H. Carnegie; wings, O. Carnegie and Defelice; alternates: McCann, Lever, Smith, Romanuk and Prentice.

McIntyre — Goal, Porter; defence, Colquhoun and McComb; centre, Wilson; wings, Baker and Drummond; alternates: Holouka, McCoy, Tomiuk, Innarelli, Caverley and Vail.

Referees — "Buck" Thomas and Bill Arundel.

First Period

- 1. McIntyre, Baker (unassisted) 3:21
- 2. Ankerite, O. Carnegie, (H. Carnegie) 8:07
- 3. McIntyre, Wilson, (Baker) 9:03
- 4. McIntyre, Drummond, (Baker) 9:58

PORCUPINE SENIOR LEAGUE STANDING

Team	P	W	L	T	Pts
McIntyre	7	5	1	1	31
Ankerite	6	3	2	1	7
Hollinger	7	0	5	2	2

Showing of Film Under Auspices of K. C. Big Success

Proceeds Given to Charitable Works of the K. of C.

The showing of the film, "The Perpetual Sacrifice," presented in Timmins and district under the auspices of the Timmins Council of the Knights of Columbus, proved a very decided success. The picture was shown to the Separate Schools of Timmins and to the school children of South Porcupine and Schumacher. Many favourable comments

have been received by the Knights of Columbus for bringing this picture to the Porcupine Camp. The large number of adults who saw the film were very well pleased and impressed with its message and inspiration. Funds obtained from the showing have been used as contributions to the Radio League of St. Michael's and other charitable work of the local Council of the K. of C. Sunday, Jan. 10th is the next regular meeting of the Timmins Council No. 2403 of the K. of C. This is also Communion Sunday for members. At the conclusion of Sunday evening meetings of the K. of C. a light luncheon will be served.

It is planned by the Council to hold a bridge and uche party the end of January, proceeds to go to the purchase of cigarettes for the boys overseas. Members of the local K. of C. are reminded that the following are the officers for the year:—

- Grand Knight — J. W. Spooner.
- Deputy Grand Knight — Giles Reynolds.
- Recording Secretary — J. P. Hanley.
- Financial Secretary — P. N. Dafoe.
- Treasurer — F. J. Murray.
- Warden — G. J. Sullivan.
- Advocate — John A. Walsh.
- Cancellor — Dr. Jos. Martin.
- Trustees — Philip Pay, J. F. Burgoyne, John T. Cuddyhey.

DROP IN FOR A MILK SHAKE
Fern Cottage

Goldfields
TODAY & TOMORROW
JOHN HOWARD in
"Isle of Missing Men"
with
HELEN GILBERT
GILBERT ROLAND
ALLAN MOWBRAY
Men with Records Black as their Hairs. Smashing out in an orgy of Violence and Crime!
ON THE SAME PROGRAMME
"Cat People"
WITH
Simon Simon
Kent Smith
Tom Conway
Jane Randolph
Jack Holt
She was Marked with The Curse of Those Who Slink and Court and Kill By Night
Extra Shorts
"Desert Wonderland"

BROADWAY
A FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRE
To-day — Friday, Friday
Midnite and Saturday
RICHARD GREENE
CARLA LEHMANN
IN
"FLYING FORTRESS"
TO-NITE IS FOTO-NITE
\$175.00
Sunday Midnite, Monday and Tuesday
Two Feature Hits
"STRICTLY IN THE GROOVE"
AND
"Madame Spy"
Coming Soon!
"PRIDE OF THE YANKEES"

PALACE
TELEPHONE 560
Today — Midnight Tonite
Friday and Sat.
JAMES CAGNEY
JOAN LESLIE
IN
"YANKEE DOODLE DANDY"
Friday Nite's Revival
JOAN CRAWFORD
MELVIN DOUGLAS
IN
"A WOMAN'S FACE"
Sun. Midnite to Wednes.
DOUBLE FEATURE
"Nightmare"
AND
"JUNIOR ARMY"

ICE SKATING SCHEDULE
TO-NIGHT (Thursday)
Junior Hockey—7:00 p.m.
Public Skating 8.15 to 10.15 p.m.
FRIDAY—Senior Hockey, 8.15
ANKERITE vs. HOLLINGER
Admission 50c Children 25c
SATURDAY
Junior Hockey—7:00 p.m.
Public Skating—8.15 to 10.15 p.m.
MONDAY—Senior Hockey 8.15
MCINTYRE vs. ANKERITE
TUESDAY
Porcupine Skating Club
WEDNESDAY
Junior Hockey—7:00 p.m.
Public Skating—8.15 to 10.15 p.m.
McINTYRE Community Building

McINTYRE ARENA
HOCKEY
MINES LEAGUE HOCKEY—N.O.H.A.
Ankerite vs. Hollinger
8.15 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 8th
ADULTS 50c CHILDREN 25c

Cartier - House of Fine Hits
Adults 30c Anytime Tax Incl.
To-morrow & Saturday
Radio's Ace Comedian JACK BENNY as
"Charley's Aunt"
PLUS
IRENE MANNING
"SPY SHIP"
Last Time Tonite
"GLASS KEY" — Allan Ladd in **"PRIVATE BUCKAROO"**
Monday & Tuesday
Songs Girls Fun BETTY GRABLE VICTOR MATURE
"FOOTLIGHT SERENADE"
PLUS
"BUSSES ROAR"
Wed. and Thursday
KAY KYSER and ORCH. JANE WYMAN
"MY FAVORITE SPY"
PLUS
"TISH"