

Dropped Between Stitches

By Doris

There's hope in the world for you and me;
There's joy in a thousand things that
are;
There's fruit to gather from every tree.
Look up!
There are bridges to cross, and the way
is long,
But a purpose in life will make you
strong;
Keep e'er on your lips a cheerful song,
Look up!

There are a few words of encouragement
for the depressed in this little
poem, "Look Up", and it would be nice
if some of us would only follow the
advice of the author and keep looking at
the brighter side of things.

A most delightful time was had
on Saturday evening, when the
High School students gathered at
the Auditorium in Schumacher
on Tuesday evening. . . Wives of the
members turned out in great numbers,
many of them wearing lovely evening
gowns, and the men in formal dress. . .
The guest speaker was district gov-
ernor, Mr. Cecil Drummond, of Noranda,
and his address proved both interest-
ing and informative. . . A period of
figure-skating was enjoyed by the mem-
bers, the display being held by the
Porcupine Senior Skating Club. . . And
dancing by many of the members
brought the delightful evening to a
close. . . The evening was voted by all
as one of the most successful to be held
in a long time, and the members de-
parted with the hope of another event
in the near future.

Approximately \$25.00 was raised
at the Rummage Sale held under the
auspices of the Red Shield
and Home League on Saturday after-
noon, at the Salvation Army
hall. . . Clothes sent in by various
people, sold rapidly, and the ladies
followed out their old motto, "New
Clothes for Old," by purchasing
material, with the money raised, to
make clothes for the Bomb Victims
Fund, and to buy wool for the Red
Shield.

At 4 p.m. Wednesday afternoon wed-
ding vows were taken by Mrs. Jen Lang
of Timmins, and Mr. Louis Cameron, of
South Porcupine, at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Jack Fulton, 49 Toker street.
Mr. Fulton being brother of the bride.
Reverend George Aitken officiated
at the ceremony. . . At 5:30 p.m., the
couple left on the Northland train for
Toronto, Windsor, and points south,
and on their return will reside at the
Sky Block. . . Mrs. Cameron the former
Mrs. Jen Lang, is the proprietor of the
Jen Lang Shop, on Pine north, and Mr.
Cameron is employed at the Dome.

The Schubert Choral society will
hold their usual rehearsal on Mon-
day evening at the CKGB rooms,
commencing at 8 p.m. . . A large
attendance is expected in prepara-
tion of the concert the Society will
hold in March.

Through the kindness of the people
attending the bean and sausage supper
of the Ladies' Auxiliary at the Legion
Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, a large
amount was realized, the amount to
be used for the comfort fund to pack
boxes for boys in the armed services.
There was a large crowd in atten-
dance, and throughout the afternoon,
musical numbers were rendered for
the pleasure of the guests. . . A great deal
of credit is due to the Ladies' Auxiliary
for catering such a fine supper, and
for the splendid manner in which
everything was capably handled.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of Dome, Observe Silver Wedding

Many Callers at Home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hall and Many Beautiful Tokens of Esteem.

South Porcupine, Feb. 17th. Special to The Advance.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hall, of the Dome celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday, February 14th. They were married in Toronto at 34 Pauline avenue by Rev. C. W. Watch in 1918 and came to the Porcupine Camp as bride and groom on February 18th and have resided here ever since.

This happy occasion was marked by a gathering of a large number of friends who called in a steady stream to offer good wishes, and also by a very large number of beautiful gifts, bestowed in love and affection upon two of our finest citizens.

The guest-book lists 125 names of callers. The day was extremely cold and stormy or the number might have been doubled. However, the telephone rang constantly conveying messages of felicitation, and telegrams and cards were also received from friends at a distance.

From 3 p.m. on towards midnight the Hall home was open to friends. Mrs. Hall received her guests in a long white gown trimmed with silver sequins, and the house was a bower of flowers, roses having prominence. The mantel was decorated with a cluster of silver leaves and silver candlesticks with white candles on each side. At the corner a silver vase contained the roses sent to the Halls from the minister who married them, and over the archway was a large silver and white marriage bell.

The motif of the decorations was white, blue and silver.

The Past Worthy Matrons' Club of the Eastern Star were there in a body from both South Porcupine and Timmings Chapters, and pouring tea in succession during the day were the two presiding Worthy Matrons of both Chapters—Mrs. Violet Morrow, of the Arbutus Chapter, and Mrs. Lempi Mansfield of the South Porcupine Chapter. Following these ladies came Mrs. Ron Vary and Mrs. K. Kilborn; Mrs. McCaffrey and Mrs. J. Alexander; Mrs. W. Honer and Mrs. A. Stevans; Mrs. J. Armstrong and Mrs. C. H. Libby.

Personal gifts from individual friends were given and group gifts from various societies to which both Mr. and Mrs. Hall belong included beautiful Spode china and sterling silver dishes and other lovely articles.

Roses and other flowers were also sent from friends at home and at a distance.

In speaking of this reception one remark heard was that "This gathering is a grand re-union of old friends."

Mrs. Schultz, of the Buffalo-Ankerite, sang twice during the afternoon "Smiling Through" and "Bless This House." (By special request the words of this latter song are given at the end of this article.)

In the evening Mrs. A. E. Stanlaks sang "The End of a Perfect Day" and "The Great Red Dawn is Shining."

Numerous neighbours and friends at the Dome and South Porcupine assisted Mrs. Hall in entertaining and receiving at the door.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hall thank their friends and appreciate all the lovely thoughts and kindly acts toward them, on this happy occasion. It will be long remembered.

We hope that they may celebrate their golden wedding and most of their friends may be present to greet them then, as now.

"Bless This House"
Bless this house O Lord we pray,
Make it safe by night and day,
Bless these walls so firm and stout,
Keeping want and trouble out,
Bless the roof and chimneys tall,
Let Thy peace lie over all,
Bless this door that it may prove,
Ever open to joy and love,
Bless these windows shining bright,
Letting in God's heavenly light,
Bless the hearth a-blazing there,
With smoke ascending like a prayer,
Bless the people here within,
Keep them pure and free from sin,
Bless us all that we may be,
Fit O Lord to dwell with Thee.

Timmins Jr. C.W.L. Thanked by Queen for Gift of Afghan

Lady-in-Waiting Writes of Appreciation of Gift from Timmins.

In the report of the regular meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League as published in The Advance last week reference was made to the receipt of a letter from the Lady-in-Waiting to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth acknowledging the receipt of the Afghan made and sent last November to be disposed of as the Queen felt best. The following is the letter:
Buckingham Palace,
Dec. 22nd, 1942
Dear Madam: I am commanded by The Queen to thank you and the other members of the Catholic Women's Junior League for the beautiful Afghan, which you have so kindly sent for Her Majesty's disposal in this country. The Queen desires me to assure you that the Afghan will be given where it is most needed and where it will be greatly appreciated.
Her Majesty was much touched by the kind wishes and hopes expressed in your letter, which The Queen reciprocates.

Yours faithfully,
Helen Graham,
Lady-in-Waiting.

St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church
South Porcupine, Ont.
(Missouri Synod)
Rev. E. Roth, Pastor
Divine Service at 8:30 p.m. in the Anglican Church, South Porcupine.
All are welcome.

The Salvation Army
CAPT. and MRS. DOUGLAS CHURCH
Services Sunday—11 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.
Wed. 2:30—Home League
Thurs. 8:00 p.m.—Public Meeting
You are invited to attend these Gospel Services.

Trinity United Church
Schumacher
AND
Porcupine United Church
Minister: Rev. Lers W. Carlson, B.A.
Morning Worship—Schumacher 11 a.m.
Afternoon Services—Delnite 2:30 p.m.
Evening Service—Golden City—7:00 p.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
Golden City—11 a.m.
Delnite—1:30 p.m.
Schumacher—2:00 p.m.
Come to our friendly, inspirational Services
See that your children are at Sunday School

St. Paul's Church
South Porcupine, Ont.
Ven. J. E. Woodall, D.D., Minister
Sunday Services
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
10:15 a.m.—Junior Bible Class
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer
Holy Communion on 1st Sunday at 11 a.m.
2nd and 4th Sunday at 8 a.m.
3rd and 5th Sunday at 7 p.m.
Baptisms and Marriages by arrange-ment.

What Price Gold? After the War is Won

How Things May Develop When Victory Arrives.

(From The Northern Miner)

Once upon a time the only country that was taking in gold was the United States. Its treasury store was climbing by the billions a year. Now the United States is losing gold, and is one of the few countries going behind. Statistics are not very complete and are behind-hand, but neutrals like Switzerland, Sweden, and Turkey are piling up gold. So is South Africa; that country is only shipping a portion of its newly mined metal. It had \$582,000,000 at October 31st compared with \$336,000,000 at January 1st last year.

There are reports that Canada is beginning to accumulate gold on national account. No statistics, no word of any kind is available. Anything done would be through the Exchange Stabilization Board, and that's a very secretive body. Canada is sending so much out of the country that temporarily she may not need all her gold to maintain her exchange position, and can start building for the future when the export business won't be so good, particularly in war goods.

United States gold stock was \$22,663,000,000 at February 3rd, down \$29,000,000 in the week, and against \$22,800,000,000 peak at October 31st, 1941. When the war is over and Europe repatriates its capital the States stands to lose up to seven billions of its gold. It may feel like raising the value of the remainder.

When experts, such as Ruml, suggest that the national income may reach one hundred and eighty billion what they are really saying is that the post-war dollar will be worth about 50c according to Whaley Eaton, which adds: "The pre-war economy was capable of producing a maximum national income of about eighty billions." We fancy the idea behind that 50c dollar statement is that after the war there'll be double the quantity of money required by the business of the country. So the country cuts the money in half. Well, that's one way of looking at the possibilities. (A 50c dollar is \$70 an ounce for gold, by the way).

Actually, the pressures towards deterioration of a currency come from many directions. The Northern Miner continues to insist that the biggest pressure will come from Europe. To illustrate: we will suppose that the United States is a bankrupted war-ravished state, its

Church Directory

First United Church
Timmins
Minister:
REV. W. M. MUSTARD, M.A., B.D.
10:45 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Sunday School
12:15 p.m.—for all 12 and over
2:30 p.m.—for all under 12

Christian Science Society
Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce Street North
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1945
Subject: "MIND"
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Sunday Service
Golden Text—"The Lord of hosts hath sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought, so shall it come to pass; and as I have purposed, so shall it stand." (Isaiah 14:24)
11 a.m.—Morning Worship
Christian Science Reading Room, McGINNIS Block, 18 Pine St. North. Open every weekday, 12 noon to 5 p.m. Friday evening 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Mountjoy United Church
100 Mountjoy Street S.
Minister:
REV. E. GILMOUR-SMITH, B.A.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Ordination of Elders
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. for 9—11 years
12:15—for 12 years and over.
2:00—for 8 years and under.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada
MACKAY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Oddfellows' Hall, Spruce Street
Minister: Rev. Dr. Geo. Aitken, Th.D.
1:00 p.m.—Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—Service.
Oddfellows Hall, Spruce St. N.
You Are Welcome

St. Matthew's Church
Rector: Rev. Canon Cassling, B.A., L.Th.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
3:00 p.m.—Sunday School
4:15 p.m.—Baptisms
7:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer
Holy Communion on 1st Sunday of month, at 11 a.m., on 3rd Sunday, at 7 p.m.; and on the 5th Sunday and Festivals at 8:30 a.m.

Schumacher Anglican Church
McINTYRE AUDITORIUM
Captain Mitchell, C.A.
Assistant Minister St. Matthew's Timmins.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer

United Church
South Porcupine, Ont.
BLOOR AVENUE.
REV. J. C. THOMPSON
11:00 a.m.—Morning Service
Evening Service—7:00 p.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:00 a.m.—For all 12 years and over
11:00 a.m.—Dome Sunday School
2:00 p.m.—For all below 12 years

B'nai Israel Synagogue
Cedar Street North
ISRAEL I. HALPERN, Rabbi
W. LINDER, Cantor

people hungry for a loaf of bread, its government unable to give the masses even the pittance of relief (all the important tax payers have gone broke where they haven't been shot). Such a country, we have no difficulty in supposing, is a country where people at last get down to the essentials, where the old maxim of root, hog or die is the ruling slogan. The people of the country work their heads off, dispose of all the labor and other racketeers, and find themselves able to make goods at about a third of the Canadian cost. Their money is cheap, too, having gone through the wringer of inflation, and American dollars are at a discount of 70% in Canada. The Canadian market is flooded with American goods that there's no work left for Canadian factories or farmers. What do you suppose the Canadian government does? You need only one answer. It drops the Canadian dollar (raising the price of gold automatically).

Another reason for raising the price of gold. A country is loaded up with debt and money-in-circulation. It has a certain amount of gold backing. By raising the price of gold the amount of backing is doubled. What could be easier?

A gold-producing friend sends us a clipping from an American paper. It adds to the evidence that gold is the one best money, especially in times of stress. The paper says:

"According to our army officers, only gold coin of this or some realm 'talks business' in Algeria, Morocco, and other parts of French North Africa. We know that also is true of other parts of Africa and in virtually the whole of South America. It may be only coincidence, but in the past two weeks the Treasury's monetary gold stock has decreased by \$20,000,000. . . Cheap enough, perhaps, if it produced proper results."

After giving Britain a billion dollar gift last year, Canada has gone into the lease-lend business and, like the friendly republic to the south, on the giving end. Only those countries that can't pay will be benefited. Canadian lease-lend will include the whole sterling bloc, "with the possible exception of South Africa who, because of her favorable gold position, might be expected to pay cash." How comforting it is to own gold mines. You pay cash, and are independent. No need to come, hat in hand, cringing before one's creditors, or seeking charity. How foolish Canada was to even think of destroying our gold production and the means of paying cash!

Quilting Bee for Grandmothers on Friday Evening

Mrs. C. Briggs Hostess to Several Ladies at a Quilting Bee.

Mrs. C. Briggs, 19 Commercial avenue, was hostess on Friday evening at "a grandmother's quilting bee", where several grandmothers gathered to make a quilt.

The top for the quilt was donated by Mrs. Isabel MacGregor, of Preston avenue, who is a great-grandmother. Only grandmothers were invited to the quilting bee, though the hostess herself was not a grandmother. Those present were Mrs. H. Brown, of New Liskeard, Mrs. E. Brand, Mrs. T. Marriott, Mrs. J. Kinsey, Mrs. A. Jack, Mrs. W. Doughty, Mrs. MacGregor, and the hostess, Mrs. C. Briggs. Light refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. Briggs. The quilt was completed during the evening and will be donated to the Salvation Army for shipment overseas.

Guest from New Liskeard at Home League Meeting

Mrs. Captain Holman Guest at Regular Meeting of the Home League Wednesday.

The weekly meeting of the Home League was held on Wednesday afternoon at the Salvation Army hall, and opened with prayer and a hymn. Mrs. Captain Holman a guest from New Liskeard opened the meeting. Mrs. A. Cannell, of Pine street, sent in eleven knitted skull caps made by

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IN MEMORIAM

GRAY—In loving memory of a dear Mother, Mary Gray, who passed away, February 18, 1936.
And while she lies in peaceful sleep,
Her memory we shall always keep.
Lovingly remembered by daughter and son-in-law Colina and Jimmy.

IN MEMORIAM

IN LOVING MEMORY of my dear mother, Mrs. R. Gray, who died Feb. 18th, 1936.
"Thy way O Lord, not mine,
However dark it be."
Ever remembered by son, Robert.

IN MEMORIAM

The afternoon was spent with the members knitting for the Red Shield, making a quilt for the Bomb Victims' Fund, and clothes for the children of the Bomb Victims Fund.
Mrs. Lory read the scripture, the 12th Chapter, Luke.
The "thought for the day" was presented by Mrs. W. B. Paterson, who read a poem entitled "Something Good" Mrs. Gridley also read a poem called "Ration."
Mrs. Captain Holman addressed the group on First Air in warfare and illustrated her topic with an article taken from a paper.
Lunch was served at the end of the afternoon by Mrs. W. B. Paterson, assisted by Mrs. A. Dunlop and Mrs. Gridley.
The meeting closed with prayer and a hymn.

Guest from New Liskeard at Home League Meeting

Sudbury Star:—And another thing Rommel left behind him is his reputation.

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IN MEMORIAM

HANEBERRY—In loving memory of Jessie Campbell, beloved wife of James Hanberry, who passed away Feb. 13th, 1937.

Heavy are our hearts today,
Memory brings you back once more,
To the time when you were with us,
To the happy days of yore.
However long our lives may last,
Whatever lands we view,
Whatever joy or grief be ours,
We will always think of you.
Fondly remembered by Mother,
Sisters and Brothers.

Globe and Mail:—Premier Conants says that sport and recreation are needed in wartime. Civilians ought to be willing to go without their share to make sure that the armed forces get all they want.

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