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215 JAP PLANES DESTROYED IN TWO DAYS

Town Council Committee to Conduct Fuel Survey to Ascertain the Needs

Questionaires to be Distributed for Committee by Boy Scouts, Who Will Call for Them When Filled In. Other Business at Meeting of Town Council on Monday.

accuracy at the amount of wood that early date. the town would need to have available from all sources. The questionaire the council meeting and Councillors W. would be distributed by special ar- McDermott, K. A. Eyre, E. W. Gladrangements with the Boy Scouts, and stone and J. W. Spooner were present. a few days afterwards the questionaire would be gathered up and returned by absence of Clerk-Treasurer Shaw on the Boy Scouts. Of course it would holiday. be necessary to estimate a still further amount of wood needed, as in view of the probable shortage of coal there

would be a special run on wood fuel. Councillor Spooner reported that the town had contracted for 4,500 cords of fuel wood for the town. This was little more than a quarter of the estimated needs. Of the 4,500 cords some 2,500 cords had already been cut. He suggested that if the need continued as at present the Government would be asked to provide priorities on both men and equipment for the cutting of the fuel. Also that the Ontario Government should be asked to provide suitable wood lots close to town for local wood dealers.

A letter from Mr. Jos. A. Bradette, M.P., promised that he was personally taking up the letter and resolution from Timmins endorsing the Ottawa Board of Control plan to have the Dominion Government take over the supply and sale of wood in the present emer-

A letter from Prime Minister Mackenzie King acknowledged the receipt of the letter and resolution from Timmins in reference to the wood fuel sit-

uation. Hon. Mr. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supplies told the Timmins Council that the Dominion could not accept the responsibility for local problems in regard to fuel wood. Such matters were for the municipality to deal with. He suggested, however, that the Wood Fuel Controller would cooperate in every possible way.

The Ontario Dept. of Mines acknowledged the receipt of the letter from Timmins council in regard to the completion of the road to Wawaitin Falls, and promised the question would be duly considered.

A letter was received from Mrs. Alex Borland, Sr., thanking council very sincerely for the thoughtful and kindly motion passed at a meeting last week. This resolution praised Mrs. Borland for her wonderful services to the Fire Dept. and to the town, and provided for a \$25.00 a month pension for her. Mrs. Borland's letter said that she would be delighted to do anything she could an advertisement in regard to Ration | 3. Do not detach the card from your in any way in the future for the Fire Book No. 3, showing the places, times ration book. This must be done by a Dept. or the town.

and dates, for Timmins and district official of the local distributing centre The Ontario Dept. of Health sent its | where Ration Book No. 3 will be avail- If this card is already detached, it approval for the town's plan to con- able struct a new town water main.

Monday, Sept. 6th, being Labour Day Porcupine, Dome Mines, Porcupine, centre. and a public holiday a motion was Pamour Mine, Hallnor Mine the dates passed to declare that date a civic holi- are Thursday, Aug. 26 and Friday, Aug. sign their own cards. Cards of persons day. The regular council meeting for 27th, and the hours from 10 a.m. to 6 under 16 years must be signed by parthat week will be held on Tuesday, p.m. In most cases the schools are ents or guardians. Children under 16 Sept. 7th.

H. Belec, secretary and director of books, but detail in this regard may be ration books, either for themselves of the Timmins Boys Bugle Band wrote secured from the advertisement on an- for other members of the family. a warm letter of thanks to the council other page of this issue. for the grant made at a recent meeting Mr. Belec said that the Boys Bugle to ensure speedy distribution, Ration tains coupons yet to be used for meat Band would be even more ready in the Book No. 3 will be issued at the dis- purchases. future to give its services to any worthy civic cause, and that the council's kindness and consideration would be an tion centres are the Central School, Ration Book 2, and properly filled-in inspiration to the band to continue its | Moneta School, Mattagami School and | application cards are presented.

work with renewed interest. Council was asked to endorse an ap- fore the dates are August 26th and 27th, senior or responsible member of plication for a commercial fishing license. The granting of such a license would assure Timmins people of lots of fresh fish. Council did not see its way Mines and Porcupine, the public school No. 2 and properly filled-in application clear to support the application. Councillor Karl Eyre said that while everyone would like to see the town well Hallnor Mines the distribution centres tre of your present ration book, with supplied with fresh fish, he thought it will be the mine offices. was out of the jurisdiction of council to endorse such applications. There is new book:a department of Game and Fisheries and a Game Warden here with the is the first postcard in your present necessary knowledge to consider such ration book. Do this at home. applications, he said.

Council also turned down the applica- information required and sign at the instructions carefully

Probably the most important matter, tion for a tag day from the Czechoat the regular meeting of the town | Slovakian National Society. The ascouncil on Monday was the question sociation asked for Sept. 7th as their of the fuel wood outlook for the coming | tag day. Councillor Spooner expressed winter. Councillor J. W. Spooner, the sincere regret of the council that chairman of the committee in charge | such request could not be granted. He of the matter, said that he regretted pointed out that the council had adto have to state that the fuel wood opted a very definite policy in regard situation to-day is worse than it was a to tag days and he could not see how month ago. He pointed out that this the rules could be broken. Only four condition was due to the labour short- | tag days were now permitted in townage. He thought the best way to meet | for the Canadian National Institute for the situation was first of all to learn | the Blind, Poppy Day for the Legion exactly what was needed. To achieve Apple Day for the Boy Scouts, and this purpose a complete survey had the Community Federation, which inbeen planned. There would be a ques- | cluded eight or ten organizations jointionaire sent out to every business ing together to hold a carnival and place and residence in the town to find raise the funds required for each orthe actual needs. Each residence and ganization. In addition, he pointed out business place would show on the ques- that the rules in regard to tag days in tionaire what wood would be needed, any event required sixty days' notice the amount on hand, and other details. before the tag day. He suggested that With this information on hand it would the Czecho-Slovaks look to next year be possible to arrive with reasonable and have their application in at an

> Mayor J. Emile Brunette presided at V. Salomaa was acting clerk in the

Federation Tag Day on Tuesday

Tuesday next week, Aug, 24th, is Tag Day for the Timmins Welfare Federation. The Federation includes the Bemb Vicims' Fund, I.O.D.E., C.W.L., Russian Canadians, Ladies of the Moose, Ladies of the French Federation, La Lique Feminen Catholique, Women's Institute, Navy League. These organizations have combined in the one drive to do away with tag days for individual

Governor of Kiwanis to Visit Timmins Sept. 1st.

tribution centres given in the adver-

tisement. For Timmins the distribu-

the Holy Family School. As noted be-

tribution centre. At the Pamour and

in each of these centres being the dis- | cards, are presented.

1. Fill in the application card—which returned to you.

and the hours 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Where the New Ration

Books May be Obtained

in Timmins and District

Distribution Centres for the New Ration Books.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found | bottom with your usual signature.

Dates and Places Where Books Will be Available for Cen-

tres in This Area. Schools in Timmins to be Used as

For Timmins, Schumacher, South sent ration book to the distribution

used as the distribution centres for the | will not be allowed to apply for new

For the convenience of the public and away your present ration book; it con-

2. Print clearly — do not write — the centres. Help them by following these

GERMAN PRISONERS AND DEAD, EVIDENCE OF SUCCESS IN SICILY



Smashing successes of the Canadian 1st Division in Sicily are brought home by these "on the spot" pictures just received in Canada. In the TOP view, intelligence officers sort over the equipment of disconsolate German captives who are seen in the background. This picture was taken after the battles which paved the way for the fall of Enna. Captain V. C. G. Thrupp (centre) of the British

Army, and Captain G. M. C. Sprung, of Winnipeg. conduct the examination. At BOTTOM, a dead German soldier sprawls grotesquely as mute evidence of the bitter fighting which took place when Canadians of the Carleton and York Regiment met the Germans south of Enna.

(Canadian Army Overseas Photo)

Twenty-five Entries for Summer Curling Bonspiel at Skating School But More Still Needed

Entries Close To-morrow (Friday) at 6 p.m. At Least Forty Entries Required. Maximum Number of Rinks Set at Forty. Much Enthusiasm Shown for Idea.

Harold Male, K.C., Governor of Ki- curling circles due to the fact that the of 64. To date only 25 rinks have offiwants International for the Ontario- McIntyre Community Building man- cially entered, but several have stated Quebec-Maritimes section, will be a agement has announced a Summer they intend to have entries. Those on visitor to Timmins on Wednesday, Sept. Curling Bonspiel, from Monday August the border line, are advised that the 1st. The meeting for that week will | 23rd to Thursday, August 26th. Last entry list will be closed at 6 p.m. tobe held by the Timmins Kiwanis Club | minute reports, however, show that the | morrow (Friday, August 20th) at the Empire hotel on Wednesday, response of rinks to enter have not Sept. 1st, at noon to meet and greet | been so brisk as anticipated. The manwanis Club will be hosts to Governor building states that before the Bon-Male on Wednesday evening, Sept. 1st. spiel gets under way there must be a

should be brought along with your pre-

4. Persons of 16 years or over must

Do not destroy, surrender, or throw

Residents of rural areas may apply on

Residents of a town or city. Any

behalf of their neighbours, providing

There has been much enthusiasm in minimum of 40 rinks, with a maximum

Two trophies are up for competition' and each rink is guaranteed two games Governor Male. South Porcupine Ki- agement of the McIntyre Community at the least. The weather at the present time is just perfect for curling, with outside evening temperatures of 40 to 45 degrees all this week.

their entries in at once and make this history-making event - The Summer Curling Bonspiel-a huge success.

Another very important thing in con- the students enrolled. nection with the Bonspiel is that all proceeds after expenses will be used to provide cigarettes for the lads now doing such a grand job of beating the Axis. This alone should make for a full entry list?

Anglican Primate of All Canada to be at **Timmins Next Week**

nee will meet in Timmins next week, Secretary of the Missionary Society of

Bronze and Silver Medal Tests

The final sessions of the Summer Skating School are now in progress and since the grand skating display of ures and dance steps. The tests will begin to-day and continue until al seeking honours have been judged. Three judges of the Canadian Figure-Skating Association arrived yesterday in the persons of Dr. A. J. Priestman Toronto;! Mr. Gordon Jeffrey and Mrs. Ivey, of London, Ont.

Tests will be taken for Bronze and Silver figure tests and bars to medals already won, and also Bronze and Silver medal tests and bars in dance tests. A long list of competitors is before these noted judges and it is expected that many will qualify as a result of All curlers are urged therefore to get | their teaching and training at the sammer skating school.

The school closes on Sunday of this Chemistry C. week and has been of great value to

were Miss Madge Austin, Porcupine Lit. C; Sp. Fr. Comp. C. Skating Club: Mr. Fred Mesot, Granite Skating Club, Toronto; Miss Beryl Eng. Lit. II; Chemistry C; Sp. Fr. Lit. Authors III; Fr. Comp. III. Goodman, Kirkland Lake Skating Club | C; Sp. Fr. Comp. C. and Mr. Robert Courter, Oshawa Skating Club.

can Primate of all Canada, the Mos Rev. Derwyn T. Owen, D.D., D.C.L. The opening service will be held in St. Matthew's Church on Tuesday, August 24th, at 8 p.m., when the Synod sermon will be preached by the Rev. Canon L. The Synod of the Diocese of Mooso- A. Dixon, M.A., D.D., O.B.E., General under the chairmanship of the Angli- the Church of England in Canada.

Welfare Federation to Hold Carnival Here All Next Week on Cedar St.

Draw for \$100 Bond Each Night at 11.30. \$50 Bond for Adult Selling the Most Tickets. Games, Bingo, Dancing, Refreshments. Proceeds for Worthy Causes.

household may apply for new ration The same dates and times apply to books on behalf of other members of Schumacher, South Porcupine, Dome the household, providing Ration Book avenue to Fourth. Every night there games, dancing, refreshments. On presentation at a distributing cencarnival will run each night all next week, Monday, Aug. 23rd, to Saturday, properly completed application card, Aug. 28th, from 7.30 to 11.30. One of There are four things to do to get the you will be issued your new Ration No. te special features will be the draws 3; and your present Ration Book will be for \$600.00 in bonds. A hundred dollar bond will be drawn each night at time to serve you at the distribution the adult selling the most tickets.

cludes the Bomb Victims Fund Com-

The Timmins Welfare Federation | mittee, the C.W.L., the I.O.D.E., the will hold a carnival all next week in the Ladies of the French Canadian Federblock on Cedar street north, from Third ation. La Lique Feminen Catholique, will be bingo and all the other popular the Women's Institute, the Navy League, the Russian Canadians, the Ladies Fr. Comp. C. of the Moose. These organizations, Honey, Barabara L-Eng. Comp. III; banded together to reduce the number | Eng. Lit. II; Mod. Hist. C; Trig. O; Boof tag days and similar events, and they | tony C; Zoology III; Fr. Authors C; are putting on this big open air carni- Fr. Comp. C. val as a means of raising money for all the organizations concerned. All who Eng. Lit. I; Alg. I; Geom. I; Trig. I; Volunteer workers are giving their 11.30. There is also a \$50. bond, for patronize the big open air carnival are Physics II; Chem. I; Fr. Authors C; Fr. not only sure of a good time but they Comp. III. The Timmins Welfare Federation in- also are certain that they are supporting worthy causes.

Japanese Air Fleet at Wewak Destroyed by Fliers of Allied Nations

Forty-Five Planes Shot Down Yesterday, Making a Total of 215 Out of 225. Italy Tensely Waiting Invasion. Russians Make Further Gains South of Kharkov. Nazis Ask Invasion of Greece.

Scouts to **Collect Fats** on Saturday

Householders Asked to be Ready for Visit of Scouts on Saturday.

Timmins Boy Scouts are going to make another collection of fats on Saturday of this week, August 21st. The Scouts intend to make a very thorough canvas of the town, and all householders are asked to co-operate as fully as possible. Have all the fats that can be spared ready for the Scouts. Follow the few necessary directions given by the Boy Scouts and make the collection of waste fats as large as possible.

V. H. Longstaffe to be Guest Speaker at Kiwanis

Mr. V. H. Longstaffe, Divisional Engineer for the Ontario Department of will be the guest speaker at the weekly day rejoin the mother country, but luncheon of the Timmins Kiwanis Club | gave no statement of Italy's status in at the Empire hotel on Monday next, the war. August 23rd. His address will be on roads and allied topics, and he will also show a number of films dealing with his Army, stationed at Toronto is spending

Despatches from Melbourne say that Allied fliers yesterday destroyed 45 more Jap planes at Wewak, making a total of 215 in two days. The full fleet of Jap planes at Wewak was only 225. The enemy fleet was practically wiped out in two days with only a small loss to

Italy is said to be tensely awaiting the Allied invasion of the mainland The southern end of Itay is undergoing bombings and shellings from the air and sea. This is described as the "softening-up process" and also the beatingup of Axis remnants that may have slipped across the Messina straits from

Word from Mocow says that the Red army has gained 20 miles in a swing south of Kharkov and has killed another 5,000 Germans. In this 20-mile drive the Russians aimed at one of the two remaining escape railways out of Kharkov. Bitter fighting is raging in the northeast outskirts of Kharkov.

The London (Eng.) Daily Mail says that the Churchill-Roosevelt conference is studying plans for naming a commander-in-chief, probably a Briton German radio says that Rommel is in Greece, and "dares" the Allies to invade Europe by way of Greece. "Good old Rommel is waiting for the invaders." said the announcer.

Marshal Badolgio gave a three-minute "pep" talk to the Italians yester-Highways for this part of the North, day. He said that Sicily would some

> Pte. Russell Bentley of the Canadian a few days in town.

Results of Upper School Examinations at the working very hard to perfect their fig-

Many Students Take Honours in Various Subjects. Sidney W. Helperin Takes Honours in Nine Subjects, Winning Seven First Class Honours and Two Second Class Honours.

The following are the results of the Upper School examinations held in the Timmins High School this June;

Bauman, Heidi P.—Alg. III, Trig, I Brennan, Andrew — Alg. II; Geom. III. Trig. I: Physics, II; Chem. III. Eng. Lit. C: Mod. Hist. C: Physics C: Fr. Authors III; Fr. Comp. I. Fr. Authors C: Fr. Comp. C. Caldbick, George C.—Eng. Comp. III; Hist. C; Alg. C; Chem. C; Fr. Authors

Caron, Lillian R.-Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. III; Geom. C; Trig. C; Geom. III; Physics C; Chem. C. Professional teachers at the school III; Physics C; Chemistry C; Sp. Fr.

Charron, Colin G .- Eng. Comp C;

III; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. I; Geom. III; hors C; Latin Comp. III; Fr. Authors Trig. I; Physics II; Chemistry III; Fr. C; Fr. Comp. III. Authors C.

Costiunk, Agnes-Eng. Lit. C; Latin Fr. Comp. II. Authors II; Latin Comp. C; Fr. Comp C. Daher, Alvin S.-Eng. Comp. C. Fournier, Helene A .- Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit. III; Mod. Hist. C; Geom. C;

Physics C. Galbraith, Dorothy B .- Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit. C; Botony III; Zoology II. Gallino, Ezio-Alg. C; Physics C; sics C; Chemistry III. Chem. III: Fr. Authors C.

Grandbois, Roger A.-Fr. Authors III; Fr. Comp. II. Fr. Comp. I. Hagerman, Reginald C. - Alg. III; Chem. C.

Geom. C; Trig. II; Chem. I. C; Zoology III; Physics C; Chem. III; Auth. C; Fr. Comp. III. Fr. Authors III; Fr. Comp. III.

Haystead, Barbara J. - Eng. Comp. C; Zoology III. III; Eng. Lit. II; Mod. Hist. II; Trig II; Chem. C; Latin Authors I; Latin tony C; Zoology C; Fr. Auth. III Fr. Comp. I; Fr. Authors C; Fr. Comp. I. Helperin, Sidney W .- Eng. Comp. II; Eng. Lit. I; Alg. I; Geom. I; Trig. I; Physics I; Chem. I Fr. Authors II; Fr. Comp. I

Hokkinen, Klaus - Eng. Comp. III; Eng. Lit. III; Alg. III; Geom. III; Trig. Chem. II; Lat. Auth. I; Lat. Comp. II; II; Physics II; Chem. I; Fr. Authors C; Fr. Auth. C; Fr. Comp. II.

Hriskevich, Michael-Eng. Comp. C

Hunt. Viola M.—Eng. Comp. C; Latin Authors C; Latin Comp. C.

Kalliokoski, Jorma O.-Alg. I; Geom. I: Trig. I; Physics II; Chem. I. Keddie, James R.-Trig. III; Physics

Laakso, Irma K .- Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit. II; Mod. Hist. C; Geom. C; Trig. Burritt, Warner J.—Eng. Comp. C; C; Latin Authors II; Latin Comp. II; Lalonde, Joyce M.—Eng. Lit. III: Mod.

> C; Fr. Comp. C. Loubert Yvon A .- Eng. Lit. C; Alg. MacDonald, Kenneth J.—Eng. Comp.

C; Eng. Lit. C; Mod. Hist. I; Alg. II; Geom. II; Physics C; Chem. I; Fr. Mason, Jean C.-Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Clatworthy, James A. - Eng. Comp. Lit. III: Trig. III; Chem. C; Latin Aut-

Menard, Robert P. J.-Fr. Authors C;

Nastasuk, Lido-Mod. Hist. III O'Grady, Irene-Eng. Comp. C; Eng.

Lit. II; Mod. Hist. II; Alg. II; Geom. C: Physics III; Chem. C; Fr. Authors I Fr. Comp. I. Ormston, Cyril—Eng. Comp. II; Eng.

Lit. C; Alg. C; Geom. C; Trig. C; Phy-Paquette, Gerald G.-Fr. Authors C;

Parisi, James J.—Trig. II: Physics C; Patterson, William J.—Eng. Comp. C;

Harkness, Thomas J.—Eng. Comp. II; Eng. Lit. I; Mod. Hist. I; Algebra II; Eng. Lit. C; Geom. II; Trig. I; Botony Geom. II; Physics III; Chem. II; Fr.

Rowe, David A .- Mod. Hist. C; Geom. Ryan, Joyce E. W.; Eng. Lit. II; Bo-

Comp. C. Rymer, Sheila M .- Eng. Comp. C;

Mod. Hist. C. Simpson, Francis C.—Eng. Lit. C;

Physics III; Chem. II; Fr. Comp. C. Soni, Anita H.—Geom. III; Trig. C;

Spada, Peter P.—Eng. Comp. C. Wasyluk, Carl-Trig. C; Physics II; Chem. I.

Won, May L.-Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. C; Trig. II; Chem. C.

Won, Thomas-Eng. Comp. III; Eng. Lit. C; Alg. C; Geom. C; Trig. II; Physics II Chemistry I; Fr. Auth. C; Fr.

Comp. C. Charron, Jean-Noel-Eng. Lit. C.