

TEN YEARS AGO IN TIMMINS

From data in the Porcupine Advance Files

The second annual field day under the auspices of the McIntyre Athletic Association was held at the McIntyre Park on the civic holiday, Monday, August 6th, 1934. A record crowd attending were pleased and thought they received their full money's worth. The sports were run off in perfect order and is such a way that the crowd were able to see every event. It was a great day, especially for the kiddies, over 2000 being present and each being treated to an ice cream cone and a chocolate bar. The Alerts Club of New Liskeard were again well represented here and succeeded in taking all the major women's events. The Marathon Club of Kirkland Lake also sent up a team. The baseball game between Southampton and McIntyre turned out to be a humdinger.

The annual Big Swim at Golden City on August 5th, 1934, sponsored by Col. Scobell of the Goldfield Drug Store, Timmins was a complete success and much enjoyed by the big crowds attending. The weather proved ideal for the event, and about four thousand people attended and watched the contests with much interest. In most of the events there was keen competition, adding to the attraction of the occasion. The Porcupine Pipe Band presented a generous programme of lively music and proved another of the big attractions of the day.

Timmins swept all the major swimming events at Cochrane ten years ago. Four big silver cups were taken by three Timmins boys. "Red" McNulty took first in the 300 yards and half mile. Jack Dewar headed the field in the mile, while Cy Cops sprinted to first place in the 100 yards. The relay race was called off, because there were only two teams. The diving contests were all won by Isobel Hannan, no one being able to come near her in those events. Maurice Vachon, the other man who completed the Timmins team didn't place in any event. In the Advance of August 9th, 1934, the following appeared in part:—"In

the death last night of Angus Campbell, the town of Timmins loses one of its earliest residents and citizens with a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. At the time of death he had reached the great age of eighty years, but until three years ago was steadily employed at the Hollinger Mine, and active and hale and hearty. He was the oldest employee of the Hollinger Mine, having been employed there since May, 1910, when he came to Timmins from Muskoka where he had been previously resident following railroad work. Two or three years ago he failed somewhat in health and in view of his long and faithful service at the Hollinger was retired from active duty on pension. It was only in the last few weeks that he was seriously ill. About three weeks ago he found it necessary to keep to his bed, and last night passed peacefully and quietly away.

Ten years ago there had been a number of complaints in town in regard to the effect of some of the new beverage rooms. It was recognized that some of the beverage rooms were conducted in the most approved way in every particular and seemed to fill a popular need. Others were not so good, and at nights had been a tendency for some of the frequenters to disturb the public by shouting, singing and other disorder on street.

Wide circles of friends is town and district deeply regretted to learn that news came from Red Lake ten years ago of the drowning there of Reg. Dixon, for some years mining recorder for the Porcupine district, and resident of South Porcupine during his holding the office.

The second annual regatta under the auspices of the Timmins Citizens' Band and the Mattagami Aquatic Association was held ten years ago. The event was very successful in every way, the prizes were freely donated and the public contributed a goodly share by the purchase of tags. The weather was perfect for the swimming and canoe events but when the motor boat races started they were spoiled in parts by sudden downpours. A large crowd was on hand, crowding the bridge and shores of the river. Most of the events were well-contested with a number of entries in each class. Music by the Timmins Citizens Band added to the interest of the afternoon.

The annual tournament of the Northern Ontario Ladies' Golf Association concluded on Friday last, Championship was won by Mrs. A. S. Porter, the runner-up being Mrs. Geo. Lake. There was a very interesting and enjoyable dance and social evening at

Father of Mrs. Duff Allen Dies at New Liskeard

The following reference was made last week by The New Liskeard Speaker to the death of William H. Morphy, father of Mrs. Duff Allan, formerly of Timmins:—

"William H. Morphy, father of Mrs. J. Duff Allan, died last Wednesday at the home of his daughter, where he had been living for a month prior to his passing. Mr. Morphy, who was in his 79th year, had been in ill health for some time. He was a former resident of Toronto, and by vocation had been a railwayman, following that occupation for 43 years until he retired in 1931. The body was sent south on Thursday evening's train, following a service held at the house and conducted by the Rev. Dr. D. Bruce Gordon, minister of New Liskeard United Church. The funeral was held to the McKee cemetery, Ferguson, last Friday afternoon. Mr. Morphy, a son of William Morphy, who came to Canada from Ireland, and Jane Pickard, who was a native of Brampton, was born at Catacaat on April 6, 1866. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Allan and Mrs. Evelyn Eastman of Kitchener. He was predeceased by his wife."

Wedding Thursday at Notre Dame de Lourdes Church

Colorful summer flowers decorated Notre Dame de Lourdes Church on Thursday, Aug. 3rd, for the wedding of Miss Lucille Meunier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Meunier, of 11 Yonge St., and Private Guy Chenier, stationed at Camp Borden, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Chenier, of Gracefield, Rev. Father G. Kinlough officiated at the nuptial mass.

Music was provided by Mrs. Germaine Fische, and the J.O.C. choir rendered many hymns.

The bride was very lovely in a street-length frock of olive green crepe. Her brown hat was trimmed with olive green veiling. She also wore brown accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Later the newly-weds left for a wedding trip to Gracefield and Ottawa. The bridegroom's parents came from Gracefield to attend the wedding.

QUICK COMEBACK

One man was buying some meat in the butcher shop when another entered in a great hurry and rudely interrupted.

"Give me some dog meat, quick," he said to the butcher. Then, turning to the other customer: "I hope you don't mind my cutting in."

"Not at all," said the other, acidly. "Not if you're that hungry."—Exchange.

the Hollinger Recreation hall ten years ago, about 150 guests gathering to honour Mr. and Mrs. P. H. O'Gorman, 106 Kirby avenue, on the occasion of their sixteenth wedding anniversary. The event was arranged by Miss Loretta Garvie, sister of Mrs. O'Gorman, and with the assistance of other friends the event was made a very happy success.

Among the local and personal items appearing in The Advance ten years ago were the following:—"Mr. and Mrs. Macmillan, Cambria avenue, Timmins, announce the engagement of their second daughter, Audrey, to Mr. Jack Newell, son of Mrs. Newell, of Timmins, the marriage to take place early next month." "Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Huntley, of New York, were among the visitors to friends in town this week." "Mayor R. Richardson and Mrs. Richardson and family are on a holiday trip to Muskoka and other points south." "Tommy and Harry McPadden are spending the holidays with their uncle J. McPadden, of Heaslip." "Mrs. T. A. Skelly returned last week from a visit to Toronto and other points south." "Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lacasse and daughter, Patricia, of Detroit are visiting Mr. and Mrs. N. Lacasse and other relatives and friends in town." "The first beverage room in Halleybury was opened last week when the Hotel Halleybury used its "authority" for the sale of beer and wine."

How to Choose Ripe Peaches for Table Use or Canning

By AGNES ADAMS

Peaches are a plentiful crop this year—nearly 60 per cent larger in volume than last year. And peaches are an easy fruit to can. Yellow peaches contain more vitamin A than white ones. However, white varieties have a delicate, distinctive flavor very much favored by some tastes.

In selecting peaches either for immediate use or for canning, remember that a rosy cheek doesn't necessarily mean a ripe peach. The background color should also be whitish or yellowish—depending on the fruit's variety. It should never look green. Brown spots on the peach are indications of decay, but a ripe peach can be judged accurately by sight. It need not be pinched for softness.

Peaches that are to be served sliced for dessert always discolor somewhat if they are pared longer than a few minutes before they are to be served. A mixture of one part lemon juice to one part water may be sprinkled over them to avoid this, and a small amount of sugar added. However, it's quite permissible to peel the peaches at the table just when they're to be served.

Cup Cakes

2 eggs
Cream
1 cup sugar
1 cup flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon vanilla
Frosting
4 tablespoons butter or margarine
5 tablespoons brown sugar
2 tablespoons cream
½ cup shredded coconut.

Put eggs into a measuring cup and fill the cup with cream. Put into a bowl and beat sugar in slowly. Sift flour with baking powder and a pinch of salt. Add to sugar and egg mixture. Add vanilla. Butter muffin tins, pour in batter and bake in a moderate oven for 25 minutes. Put all frosting

ingredients into a saucepan and melt but do not let boil. Pour over cakes as soon as they come out of the oven. Put under the broiler to brown frosting slightly. Watch carefully, so they do not burn. Complete broiling time should take 5 minutes or slightly more.

Miniature Meat Pies

½ lb. chopped lean veal
½ lb. chopped pork
½ teaspoon thyme
4 tablespoons boiling water
Salt and Pepper

Pastry

1 cup sifted flour
4 tablespoons lard
1 tablespoon margarine
Salt
2 tablespoons ice water.

Combine pastry ingredients. Work with fingers to consistency of course meal. Add 2 tablespoons ice water. Toss on floured board and roll thin. Line muffin tins or custard cups. Mix meat, thyme, ¼ teaspoon salt, dash of pepper. Divide into 4 parts and place in baking dishes. Add 1 tablespoon boiling water to each. Top with pastry. Bake in a slow oven until top pastry is a rich brown. These pies may be served hot or cold.

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ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

An enjoyable evening was spent recently at the home of Miss Ayotte, of 151 Tamarack, when many of her friends came for the week-end. The evening was spent in dancing, singing and in playing many games.

Among those present were:—Anita Canie, Ray Chenier (Kirkland Lake), Mignonne Cantin, RayCyr (Kirkland Lake), Winnie Pexton, Francois Trudel (Kirkland Lake), Ida Bouchard, John Chenier (Kirkland Lake), Eleanor Cyr, Phillip Lamafche, Lawrence Smith, Yvette Carle, Elmer Smith, Helen Levert, Patrick Savard, Gwen Sweney, Reg. Charbonneau, Fay Ayotte and Ed. Lamarche.

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Honoured on Tenth Anniversary of Wedding Event

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Strong, 106, Hemlock Street, was the scene of a delightful party on Saturday evening in honour of the 10th. Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Jones of 259, Balsam, North.

About 35 guests attended, including a number from Connaught who motored in for the occasion, and a merry time was had by all.

Dancing and singing provided the entertainment for the evening.

A buffet lunch was served at mid-night from a table which was centred with a lovely cake suitably inscribed for the occasion and lighted candles formed the decoration.

A presentation was made to the guests of honour to commemorate the occasion and as a token of the esteem in which they are held by their many friends.

BIGGER JOB

A Nazi was waiting for a train at a Dutch station.

He left to wash his hands and when he returned he found his bag gone.

The Dutch worker to whom he complained replied: "In Cologne I left my bag at the station to wash my hands. When I returned the station was gone."—North Bay Nugget.

South Porcupine Wins McDowell First Aid Trophy

South Porcupine, Aug. 9th. Special to The Advance.

This news item is rather late but has not appeared before, and is considered worthy of note by most South Porcupine fans.

The Annual Competition for the McDowell First Aid Trophy was held at the St. John Ambulance Hall in Timmins on Tuesday, June 6th.

The contesting teams were from Timmins and South Porcupine, respectively.


Dr. J. M. Kelly, Corps Surgeon of the Porcupine Corps of The St. John Ambulance Brigade, was the judge. He was assisted by Corps Superintendent G. Gibson and Corps Officer P. H. Murphy.

In the ensuing competitive work, which consisted of treating a supposed case of apoplexy and fracture of the right collarbone the team representing the Eastern Porcupine Ambulance Division, No. 108 from South Porcupine, won The McDowell Trophy.

The team consisted of John Newman, Ronald Mansfield, Arne Pajunen and George Clifton. Mr. Oswald Bowes was the supposed patient.

At the conclusion of the work, Dr. Kelly summed up the work of the respective teams and his remarks were of great interest and instructional value. The Cup was then presented to the winning team.

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