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Bitter Battle With The Germans in Holland

Workers Urgently Needed to Keep Up Quota in the Timmins Red Cross Work

Chairman of Women's War Work of Local Red Cross Points Out Need of Workers to Keep Up Quotas in Knitting, Sewing and Surgical Supply Departments. Reports at Regular Monthly Executive Meeting

A. W. Pickering conducted the regular, monthly, executive meeting of the Society. H. J. Fuke, treasurer, read a statement of receipts and expenditures for July and August. Subscriptions amounted to \$2,557,10, while expenditures for the time were \$5,325.19. This tures for the time were \$5,325.19. This included a transfer to Headquarters of \$4,958.97. Mrs. I. K. Pierce presented Classes for Flowers, Vegaccounts payable \$563.19.

Mrs. George Gibson was introduced to the other members of the executive Mrs. Gibson was appointed to fill a vacancy as Chairman of Nursing.

A letter was read by the secretary from Mrs. Hugh Campbell of the Emergency Reserve, Toronto, telling of the proposed visit to Timmins on Tuesday, September 19, of Mrs. Campbell and Miss Margaret Dulmage, Supervisor of home nursing and emergency reserve. It was planned to hold this meeting in the Council Chambers Municipal Building. This meeting will be of interest to all nurses whether practising at present or not.

Mrs. J. Kinsey, liason officer to the next-of-kin of prisoners of war, reported that she had made 2 calls on families whose sons had recently been reported as prisoners of the enemy She had also assisted 3 other familie in dispatching the regular parcel permitted.

Report of Chairman of Women's War

Women's War Work, in her report mentioned that the sewing rooms had been closed for the month of August but were now open again and workers the Normal School. were urgently needed again. This applies also to the knitting and surgical supply departments.

Wool Room Report

The Wool Room was open four Thursdays in August so that the workers in this room could enjoy a holiday. One shipment of 167 articles was made to Headquarters which included the following:-

Seamen's Quota-24 pairs Seamen's Alt. Long Stockings, 27 pairs plain socks, 4 pairs gloves, 1 seamen's scarf, 13 sleeveless sweaters, 5 pairs whole mitts, 8 pairs Hurricane mitts, 20 turtleneck sweaters.

Non-Quota—4 pairs seamen's 26-inch stockings, 1 turtleneck tuck-in.

Army and Airforce Quota-1 sleeveless sweater, 7 pairs gloves, 33 pairs plain socks, 6 turtleneck sweaters. Women's Auxiliary Non-Quota - 3 pairs socks.

children's bloomers, 3 boy's suits, 2 by his wide circle of friends here. He a brief but able address on the work

pleted and shipped 25 aviators' belts. | native town.

First Central School Fair

etables and Cooking

On Friday evening, September 22nd (to-morrow), at 8 p.m. the Central Home and School Association are staging, as the opening event of the new term a Fair, in which all pupils of

Central School may participate. There will be classes for fllowers, vegetables and cooking. All exhibits must be the pupil's own work.

As this is the first event of its kind in Central School, all parents are urged to give their suport. Come and see the Fair).

Award Scholarships to Three Students for Normal School

Three students of Timmins High and Vocational School have been awarded Normal School Dominion Student-Aid Mrs. H. W. Brown, Chairman of scholarships for the year 1944. The three are R. Irene Merla, Viola C. War ren and Armandina M. Romualdi. The scholarships are for \$200.00 each for

Committee Organized in Readiness for Armistice

So that victory may be properly and fittingly oberved, and that the people may duly be informed of the armistice when it arrives, Mayor Emile Brunette has organized a comittee to have all arrangements ready for the occasion. When "V" day arrives the town will be all ready to celebrate the occasion in a fitting way.

Flying Officer John Lago

Flying Officer John Lago, son of Mr and Mrs. A. Lago, 11 Lakeshore Road. is home on leave after three years Civilian Knitting Quota-5 pairs overseas, and is being warmly greeted is one of the popular airmen of which of the Kinsmen was given by the Presi- facture of munitions. These waste fats ported Prisoner-of-War (Germany":— Mrs. J. E. Barry reported that the Timmins is especially proud, his ser-Surgical Supply department had com- vice overseas reflecting credit on his

Town Council Pensions Committee Recommends Dominion Annuities Plan

Pension Plan for Town Employees Again Before Council. of the programme encores must be make it clear how urgent is the need 17th, following injuries sustained by Matter Deferred for the Present. Town Willing Pay Part of cost of Hollinger Avenue Bridge on Cert- gathering would not allow Rex Battle Hollinger Directors ain Terms.

The regular meeting of the town verbal agreement proposed by the Min- numbers included; "Bolero Ritimico," council was held on Monday night with ister; said payment to be made from by Frederico Langas; "Rustling Leaves"

sions Committe submitted the recom- of Mines Tax amendment.' mendation that the Dominion Annutime and has been given very careful town engineer. and extended study by the committee (Councillors Ellen M. Terry and K. A. Eyre). Council deferred definite action on the recommendation for the present A resolution on town planning from for Thankgiving Windsor city council was referred to

the Post-War Committee. The report of the town delegates to the Ontario Municipal Association convention (Councillors Spooner and Bonhomme, and Clerk-Treasurer Shaw

proceed with the construction of cross- at the Timmins post office on that ing over T. & N.O. on Wilcox street date will be as follows:-

was received and accepted.

south. A by-law was passed to set dates and places for municipal voting was passed. Council passed a resolution "that the 6 p.m.

Also a by-law to appoint a collector. clerk be instructed to advise the Minister of Highways that the corporation will assume 25 per cent. of the cost of usual. construction of the Hollinger Avenue

bridge (approximately \$28,200.00) as per as usual.

a very small attendance of spectators. funds accuring to the corporation by by Franz Liszt; "Polka," from "Golden

ities plan be adopted to provide pen- ered installed at the inter-section of day, and his talent enabled him dursions for town employees. This matter Hart street and Murdock avenue, the ing the evening to join in the fun with Grand Z. of Royal Arch has been before the council for some exact location to be specified by the Anna Russel and yet not belittle his

Post Office Hours Day Holiday, Oct. 9

Postmaster E. H. King has notified The Advance that Monday, Oct. 9th, having been declared a public holiday, Thanksgiving Day the service given

Letter carrier delivery, none. Parcel post delivery, none.

Wicket service, 8 a.m. to noon. Public lobby will be open, 8 a.m. to Special delivery service, as usual,

Receipt and despatch of mails, as

Collection from street letter boxes, gramme.



Very smartly and proudly they marched these lads of a Canadian Infantry Division, who took Di eppe away from the Germans. Many of them had been in that raid two years ago and all remembered those men of the regiments who died on the beaches and in the town during those nine hours of bitter fighting. Picture shows the formal parade of the victors and liberators as they entered the city, almost two years to the day of the initial raid. Lesson learned in the Dieppe raid played a vital factor in the Allied landings in North Africa, Sicily and Normandy. (Canadian Army Overseas Photo).

Kinsman Artists Event Pleases Large and Very Enthusiastic Audience

Rex Battle, Anna Russel, Helene Morton and William Morton Provide Musical Programme of Much Merit liquor for sale, was driven to Porquis and with Great Popular Appeal. Artists left Here to Junction last week, and after the local Appear at Noranda and Kirkland Lake

There was a large audience at the McIntyre Arena on Friday evening for the Kinsmen Canadian Artists event and to judge by the continued applause ach artist received, the event was one 2 lbs or More each artist received, the event was one of the most appreciated to be given in this district in years. Financially the Waste Fats concert was a success and as a result the funds of the Kinsmen for "Milk for Britain" and other worthy causes Show Saturday for Children mins, were before Magistrate Tucker at will be well sustained.

The artists, all Canadians, were Rex Battle, pianist, Anna Russel, Comediene, Helen Morton, Soprana, and William Morton, tenor, and each of the four of them lived up to the flattering advance notices they hed received on Leave from Overseas from successes at other centres. fact that all four had been heard on radio programmes also added to the

> President S. F. Chapman, of the Kinsmen introduced the programme, while dent for Canada, Hal. Rogers, the founder of the Club, who came here specially for the occasion. President Rogers was banquetted by the Timmins pounds or more of waste fats and at-Kinsmen at the Mcntyre Lounge on tend the show on Saturday. Bring all Saturday evening.

work during the evening highlighted enthusiastic over Mr. Battle's remarkable mastery of the piano and were insistent on encores. It was decided, barred. While the audience was about for waste fats. ideal in its interest and attention, the to go without one encore. For this he gave "Prelude," by Chopin. Others A hundred-watt street light was ord- the top-ranking pianist of Canada to- visiting the town. art as an artist. An outstanding number by Rex Battle was "A Musical Re-Incarnation," in which he took Irving Berlin's "Blue Skies," and gave the

> several of the great masters. Helene Morton's presentation "The Jewel Song" from Faust; "Life, by Pearl Curran; and "Ave Maria," by Bach-Gounod, were much enjoyed, her richly trained saprano voice and her attractive personality adding to the

> number as it would be expected that

it would have been if composed by

effectiveness of the numbers (Meyerbeer) and "The Spirit Flower" house. (Campbell-Tipton).

Anna Russel proved herself not only adian Artists,

Admission

at Palace Theatre

At the Palace Theatre on Saturday Sept. 23rd. at 10.30 a.m., there will be a good show for youngsters, the admission fee to be 2 lbs. of waste fats, or more. The event is part of the boy the plan of admission is possible through the interest and co-operation of the Palace Theatre.

mand, being essential in the manuths and it is desired to gather them in now. So, boys and girls, get that 2 Timmins." you have, cooking grease, etc. The The programme Friday evening was next collection of waste fats by the opened by Rex Battle, whose brilliant Boy Scouts will be announced soon. In the meantime, youngsters, you hove the occasion. The lovers of music were a chance to help, by attending the show Saturday, with 2 lbs. or more of

however, that on account of the length is showing some trailers this week that

Visits Here Last Week

President Jules Timmins and other directors of the Hollinger Consolidated | At this meeting the Council's Pen- way of grant from the Province in lieu Age," by Shostakovitch. In all his Gold Mines Ltd., were in Timmins last numbers he was able to prove himself week-end, inspecting the mine and

on Official Visit Here

Most Ex. Comp. John M. Burden Grand Z. of the Masonic Royal Arch Chapter, paid his official visit to Northern Lights Chapter, R. A. M., last night. He was accompanied by Most of Ex. Comp. Edwin Smith, Grand Scribe. Abitibi Chapter, Iroquois Falls, joined Only One Fire Call Here with the Timmins Chapter in receiving the distinguished visitors. A happy banquet followed the convocation.

a talented comedienne but also a sing-

Charge Local Men With Assault on Special Agent

Romero Perron, who acted recently for town police in liquor cases, and who was understood to be the chief Crown witness in five cases last week where local men pleaded guilty to keeping police left him on Tuesday evening, the 12th, he was beaten up so badly that he had to spend some time in the Iroquois Falls hospital. Perron had his jaw fractured a bad cut over one eye, and a large number of bruises and abrasions on the body. The Provincial Police were notified of the assoult and started an investigation. As a result of the work of the police Howard Brunette and Ivan Duciaume, both of Tim-Iroquois Falls this week charged with assaulting Perron. They were remanded to Oct. 3rd, the case to come up again then at Iroquois Falls. Both accused are out on \$1,000 property bail

Scouts plan to gather waste fats, and Timmins Airman Reported Prisoner-of-war in Germany

The casualty list issued this week at Waste fats are still urgently in de- Ottawa from the R. C. A. F. included the following under the heading, "Rehave been accumulating for some mon- "Patterson, Louis Edward, Sergeant; Next to kin Mrs. L. E. Patterson (wife),

Three-Year Term for Arthur Aubuchon

At the assizes at cochrane this week, Arthur Aubuchon was given three years in penitentiary on a charge of Mr. Colombo, of the Palace Theatre, manslaughter in connection with the death of George Timms here on April Timms on the night of April 12th in front of the St. Charles hotel, Aubuchon was first charged here with murder but at the preliminary hearing this was reduced to manslaughter, on which charge he was committed for trial. At Cochrane the charge was again one of murder, the Crown having new evidence to suggest this. The jury, however, found the accused not guilty of murder but guilty of manslaughter, and recommended leniency Greg. Evans defended the accused man and though practically with no time to prepare the case which was one in which the late Mr. Kester was to appear, Mr. Evans put up a very able defence and apparently did much to save the accused from a more severe

During Past Seven Days

There was only one fire call for the the Timmins branch of Hill-Clark-Timmins Fire Dept. during the past Francis. seven days. That was on Tuesday Mr. Wm. Burnes and family will be and prisons and trying to cheer and William Morton, noted tenor, though er of ability and a pianist of striking afterno n shortly after four o'clock. much missed in town, where they have inspire, and to help in any possible hamperel by a bad cold, thrilled his talent. Her impersonations were clever The call was to 119 Cedar street south taken a helpful part in all good causes. way. audience with his selections, particular- as well as amusing, "The Great Pian- where there was fire in a floor underly "The Lord's Prayer," by Malotte. ist," being a work of art, while her neath a stairway in a shed. The stair-Other numbers included; "O Paradise" "Nevelty Songs" brought down the way in the shed led to the basement and it is thought that children play-The Kinsmen and Mr. Wallace ing in the shed were responsible for Three popular selections given by Young, whose interest and co-operation the small fire. The fire was kept ing a furlough in town with his wife Helene and William Morton as duets helped to make the event so outstand- down until the arrival of the firemen and daughter at the home of Mr. and were delightful numbers on the pro- ing a success, are being complimented by the use of garden hose. The fire- Mrs. R. S. Anderson, 28 Toke Street, be- overseas. on the visit here of the Kinsmen Can- men soon completed the job of stop- fore going to Ottawa to visit with his Rehabilitation work of all lines. ping that fire,

British Second Army Locked in Fierce Battle With Huns in Holland

Boy Scouts Apple Day October 7th

Keep the Date is Mind and has stiffened. Hitler is announced as Help Along a Valuable personally in command of all the German forces. Institution

Saturday, October 7th, will be the weeks ago. is one time during the year when the public has the opportunity to help the Various Committees Boy Scouts in financial way. The the returns going to maintain the work of this helpful organization, The Meeting of Kiwanis value of the Boy Scouts movement has work. The public should remember all son at the piano. this when Apple Day arrives.

Final Date for Securing

for ammuntion is September 30th, for sport purposes. No permits will be issued to sportsmen after the end of this present month. However, it is not necessary for the hunter to purchase his ammunition immediately. He may do his purchasing any time up until December 31 of this year.

Applications must be to Local Ration Board and the applicant must present his gun registration certificate and ration book.

Local Red Cross Appeals for More Women Workers

The Knitting, Sewing and Surgical Supply departments of the Red Cross Society all urgently need volunteer workers to come out and do the work to The Advance. they can do best. The first shipments

Headquarters have written to ask first fall meeting. why this Branch has not been shipping | Present were: -- Mrs. W. H. Johns, Several quotas are away behind. These Cooke, Mrs. K. Kilborn, Mrs. B. H. woman does her share.

British Second Army troops are locked in bitter battle with German forces before the Rhine river in Holland. Late word is that the Germans still have control of the vital mile-and-a-half long area. Allied airborn force landed in the Arnhem sector is completely surrounded by German troops. All along the line the German resistence

Russia is continuing its advance but not at the speed that obtained some

Scouts on these Apple Days sell apples, Report at Monday'S

been sepecially noticeable during the Monday's luncheon of the Timmins trying war days. In addition to being Kiwanis Club in the Empire hotel was a strong counter force to minimize the a busness sesson with no speaker. prevalent "juvenile delinquency," so President Jack Beattie was in the chair. called, the Boy Scouts have been a very Kiwanian O. E. Walli led the communhelpful factor in all sorts of patriotic ity singing, with Secretary W. H. Wil-

Vice-President Frank Bailey read the minutes of the last meeting of the di-

The President read the committee's Permits for Ammunition report on the Air Cadet work and Kiwanian P. T. Moisley added some com-The final date for obtaining permits ments of interest and importance. He said that hereafter P. T. would receive even greater attention than up to the

F. S. Ridyard congratulated the Kiwanis and Timmins on the Timmins "K" squadron of Air Cadets. Referring to physical training he explained that the idea was not so much to build the muscle as to develop perfect co-ordination in air work.

A report on Boy Scout work by Kiwanian H. Fuke was read.

Visitors for the day were F. S. Ridyard, I.T.S., Toronto, and J. A. Mc-Manus, Windsor, Ont.

The war savings draw for the week was won by G. A. Macdonald.

W. A. of South Porcupine Plans for Coming Season

South Porcupine Sept. 20th. Special

At a meeting of the St. Paul's W. A. have already gone to France. Others held on Monday evening at the home must follow and to the other countries of Mrs. Wm. Fairhurst, plans were made as well as they in turn are liberated. for the coming season; this being the

sweaters, gloves and other articles, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Cook, Mrs. A. H. needs cannot be filled unless each Harper, Mrs. Allen Miss B. M. Shaw, Mrs. Courchesne and Mrs. Fairhurst.

Timmins Should Exceed Its Objective for Salvation Army Home Front Drive

Objective for Canada Set at \$1,000,000 for Social Welfare and Uplift Work of Salvation Army. Quota for Timmins and District is \$4,000.00. Campaign Now Well Under Way. Headquarters in Reed Block.

Hill-Clark-Francis and Staff Honour Mr. Wm. Burnes

The Hill-Clark-Francis firm and employees held a dinner and stag party at the Airport Hotel, South Porcupine, last night, in honour of Mr. William Burnes, who is leaving the Timmins branch after 21 years of service as manager. Mr. Burnes and family are going to New Liskeard to take up residence for the winter, after which he will go to the South for the firm. Last night he was presented with a handsome travelling bag as a mark of appreciation and esteem. The entertainment at the dinner and stag was provided by George White of New Liskeard, well known as an expert in this line. Mr. Geo. Knowles is the new manager of

ON FURLOUGH IN TOWN.

P.O. J. E. Ashton, R.C.A.F. is spendfather, Major E. J. Ashton.

The anual campaign for funds to carry on the Home Front work of the Salvation Army is now well under way. A campaign committee for Timmins and district is headed by Mr. J. L. Fulton as chairman, and with Mr. W. Long, manager of the Timmins branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, as treasur-

er. Headquarters for the campaign will be in the office next to Mr. Platus' law office in the Reed block, corner of Pine and Third. Canvassers will be out to gather donations, and these volunteer canvassers will be gladly greeted and all should give to this worthy cause as generously as possible. Anyone missed in the canvassing can hand their contribution to the headquarters office or to the local Salvation Army officers. The objective for the Dominion of Canada is one million dollars and it is hoped to exceed that figure. For Timmins and district the quota is \$4,000.00 and all will wish to see that figure well exceeded. Among the Home Front activities of the Salvation Army

are the following: Visiting the sick and those in jails

Emergency home for women. General and maternity hospitals. Homes for boy and girls. Summer camps for poor children, Sunset lodges for aged ladies. Eventime homes for old men. Caring for the families of the soldiers

Finding missing relatives and friends