

News From SCHUMACHER

A large crowd attended the annual commencement exercises on Wednesday evening in the auditorium of Schumacher High School. A number of selections were played by the school band under the direction of Mr. G. Thompson. Those in the school band are: Roberta Brandes, William Brooks, Donald Church, Allen Clark, Joyce Dupont, William Hannigan, Edward Moscoe, Joyce Olson, John Parfitt, Neil Pooley and Bernard Samson. Following the procession of the students the exercises opened with the singing of O Canada. Mr. E. C. Rodway principal was chairman for this occasion and gave a welcome talk to the friends and parents.

In his short talk Mr. Rodway spoke of the scholarship winners, Reila Kallio now attending Queens University, who won the Gordon Scholarship, and also the Bucovetsky Scholarship, and Robert Beattie, who won the Simpson Co. Scholarship. Mr. Malcolm McMillan who spoke on behalf of the High School Board of the Township of Tisdale and presented proficiency awards to Reila Kallio, Grade XIII, Katy Matesich Grade XIIA, Patricia Barron XIIIB, Edward Guregich Grade XI, Anthea Grade X, Anne Valentich

Grade IXA, Lena Bettio Grade IXB. Honor Graduation Diplomas were then presented by Mr. C. P. Girdwood to: Luigi Battachio, Robert Beattie, Irene Bettio, June Douglas, Mary Hadley, Cecelia Johnson, Reila Kallio, Margo Kirkland, Dorothy McGrath, Nancy McNeil, Veronica Siantz, and Roger Todhunter.

John Kennedy gave the honor award to Robert Beattie. The Glee Club then rendered the selection "At Pierrots Door," followed by "While Shepherds Watched." The Valedictory written by Reila Kallio was delivered by Roger Todhunter. This related the number of advantages and benefits derived from attending Schumacher High School. Taking each letter in the word Schumacher he cited the wonderful school spirit, companionship, art, music, humor sports each student would remember in the years to come and look back its reflections to the days at Schumacher High.

Secondary Graduation diplomas were presented by Mr. H. J. Fisher and Mr. W. E. Honer to Roland Aho, Barbara Barrette, Patricia Barron, Santa Battachio, Allan Clarke, Joyce Elliott, Elizabeth Ellis, Helen Hege-dus, Norma Killens, Charles Kraja-cich, Slavko Kramerich, Edward Lade-nich, Malcolm McMillan, James McQuarrie, George Mangotich, Norma Marchori, Nicolina Marini, Katy Ma-tasich, Mary Miloknay, Joyce Olson, Pauline Perkovich, Teddy Rajovich, Theresa Violini, and Douglas Wherry. Intermediate certificates were presented by Rev. Father Martindale and Rev. J. Breckenridge to Erica Bache-lo, Sheila Brooks, Donald Brown, Jennynan Buckman, Clara Cicci, Patricia Dobson, Lilia Fabello, Marlene Feldman, Douglas Forbes, Bruno Fre-gomese, Gwelda Gannon, Nancy Granko, Evelyn Hall, Stanley Mala-tich, Allan Marshall, Joseph Matesich, John Matthew, Wayne McCar-thy, Nina Phillips, Frank Rendulic, Anthea Platt, Joyce Salo, Alice Sandor, Frances Sheculski, Ronald Smith, Ida Mae Sutherland, Esther Swanson, Taras Tkachuk, Frank Valentich, Elizabeth Wallis, Donald Wills, John Zupanic.

Dr. C. A. Brown speaker of the evening spoke to the students in a humorous way relating some of his own experiences and explaining the benefits of education. His talk was very interesting and informative and was enjoyed by all. The Strathcona Trust Award was then presented by Miss Pearl Kennedy to Wayne McCarthy and the Girl's Good Posture award to Betty Mansfield. A delightful Folk Dance was then presented by Dorothy Belec, Mary Cernik, Joan Grant, Joan Kelly, Dianne Lockey, Lenore Marshall, Alice Scullion, Barbara Selegi, Shirley Monaghan, Ann Relich, Betty Smyth.

Mary Sparks, Marjorie Keller — pianist. Mr. Percy A. Boyce then spoke and presented crests and pic-tures to the Senior Rugby Team. Northern District Senior "B" Champions — 1948: Frederick Mansfield, Donald Church, Allen Clarke, Jack Elliot, William Hannigan, Dale Johnson, John Kennedy, Charles Krajacich, Nick Korcel, Malcolm McMillan, George Mangotich, Allan Marshall, Melville Monaghan, Dick Nugnet, Edward Moscoe, Fred Ovis, Taras Tra-cuk, Ronald Wallace, Donald Wills, Kenny Wilson, Nick Verbanic, and John Zupanic. Cheer leaders were Barbara Barrette, Colombe Lemaire, Beverly Shantz, and Ida Mae Suther-land. Mr. W. H. Hannigan then pre-sented the Track and Field Champ-ionships: Senior boys — Allan Mar-shall; Senior girls, Joyce Elliott; In-termediate boys, Ronald Wallace; Junior girls, Katy Matasich; Junior boys, Vincent Steepe. A short thank you speech was given by Barbara Bar-rette, Studene Captain after which proceedings closed with the National Anthem.

Mrs. H. Dobson entertained at a de-lightful Dinner Party Saturday evening in honor of her daughter Patricia who celebrated her 16th birthday. Patricia received a number of lovely gifts. Following the delicious dinner complete with a beautiful birthday cake they enjoyed a merry sing-song then attended the hockey game. Those attending were: Gwelda Gannon, Betty Bugero, Shirley Moran, Marg-aree O'Leary, Clare Cicci, Mary Stracovic and the guest of honor Pa-tricia.

Wednesday evening "Open House" was held at the Trinity United Church when members and friends gathered in the Church hall for a social evening. The worship service was then held and led by Mrs. Shippam. Entertaining musical numbers were rendered by Mrs. R. Calverly, and Mrs. Tom McKenzie, with Mrs. J. S. Kit-chien as pianist. David Matthews then played a number of selections on the accordion. Carol selections were then sang by all under the leadership of Mrs. T. McKenzie. A delicious lunch was then served by Mrs. D. Killens and Mrs. Peace. A social hour was en-joyed by all following the lunch. Those attending were: Mrs. Shippam, Mrs. Siring, Mrs. Coupe, Mrs. Rob-son, Mrs. Fulton, Mrs. Stoun, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Killens, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. McMullens, Mrs. Peace, Mrs. Christo-pher, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Calverly, Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Kitchen, Mrs. Fraser and David Matthews and Billy Collier.

Miss Laura Small has returned home after spending the weekend visit-ing in Cochrane.

Mrs. Herb Miller has returned home after visiting friends and relatives in Haileybury.

Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair MacMillan have returned home after attending the funeral of Mrs. MacMillan's bro-ther-in-law, Mr. Doug Briden in Kirkland Lake.

The Mission Band of Trinity United Church held their regular meeting on Monday. The meeting was opened with the worship service. They then practised for the Christmas Concert to be held soon. Those present were: Ruth Creed, Diane Hayes, Diane Baker, Marilyn Hayes, Rose Sutton, Betty Radski, Diane Loveless, Sylvia Bruff, Sandra Colquhoun, Shirley Chicione, Alex Yankovich, Shirley Heggert, Connie Boudreau, Elizabeth Sules, Shirley Dick, Fred Creed, Jimmy Sparks, Ian Elliott, Beverly Hawes, Elaine Boudreau, Pat Hay-ward, Judy Beaton, Dian McMillan, Barry Kent, Henrietta Fulton, Mrs. D. I. Fraser, Shirley Monaghan and Jean Fraser.

If you are walking on the street, keep your mind there, too, not some-where else. Don't take needless chances. Cross the street carefully and only at places where motorists may expect you, at intersections, away from parked cars. It's just a few steps to the end of the block; crossing in mid-block is not just lazy; it's dangerous.

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News From SOUTH PORCUPINE

Around seven hundred citizens were taken on a tour of inspection on Thursday evening after the Com-mencement Exercises at our new High School.

In this school, South Porcupine has a building equal to the finest in con-struction and educational equipment. The architect the late Mr. Franklin has left his indelible legend on South Porcupine.

For sheer beauty of architecture it would be hard to beat our Township Building, and now this new High School. And to Mr. Franklin we are eternally indebted.

Strangers coming to the town in-variably comment on the lovely pub-lic buildings—and with perfect jus-tification. We are proud of them and our citizens showed on Thursday that the new High School is another reason for being glad to be a citizen of S. Porcupine.

On the platform were Reeve V. H. Evans, Principal Ralph Ellis, Presi-dent and vice-president of the Stu-dents' Council, Alex Austdal and Nancy Cooper, Mr. McMillan, Chair-man of the High School Board; Mr. C. Girdwood, vice chairman.

Mr. Ellis welcomed the assembly, and in his remarks said that "This school is a great advance in the edu-cational development of the com-munity of which we form a part."

In an interesting address Reeve Evans quoted statistics: The school had cost \$500,000 to build or approxi-mately \$250 per pupil per year. The ground was donated by the late Nes-tor Klinga "for recreational pur-poses."

"The education received here is comparable to that you would receive any where in this community," he said.

"If parents co-operate with pupils, and are interested in encouraging study, and take advantage of the facilities offered, no one in this com-munity will ever regret or think of, the cost of the building and the cost of educating the children who belong here," he remarked.

Mr. W. C. Brown, Registrar of the Ontario Department of Education, whose address was the highlight of the evening, stressed that a fine build-ing does not make a school—the teachers working in co-operation with parents, pupils and School Board make a school what it should be.

He also told the students that the school board, their parents and their teachers were doing a great deal for them and he wanted them to appreciate it!

"We would like you to be good citi-zens," he said.

He brought greetings from the Hon. Dana Porter, Minister of Education, Mr. Drew, and other members of the department congratulated the "school-in-board, parents, teachers and students."

Musical entertainment of a high order (Mr. Holmes, teacher) was provided by the H.S. orchestra and the H.S. Glee Club.

Miss Stella Tonoff in her Valedic-tory address expressed the gratitude of the students for their class, the largest ever entering S. Porcupine High School. Proficiency awards were made by Mr. McMillan and Sec-ondary School honor graduation dip-lomas were awarded by Mr. Fisher.

Students Council Honor Award was given by students to Carrie Ursulak, for her outstanding all around co-operation — always willing to serve on committees and always ready to

help. This will be presented later to Miss Ursulak.

Proficiency prizes went to: Grade 13, Marilyn Cliff; Grade 12 Stella Tonoff; Grade 11, Donald Worth; Grade 10A, Sheila Luoma; Grade 10B, Janet Proulx; Grade A, Donald Paul; Grade 9B, Ann Atkinson and Grade 9C, Maureen McPherson.

After the commencement exercises the members of the board, the parents of graduates and the township coun-cil were guests of the Students Coun-cil for a social time and lunch. Miss Pearl Kennedy (Board member) and Mrs. Ralph Ellis poured tea.

At the meeting of RebeKah Lodge on Friday it was decided to hold the Chilornis Christmas party on Decem-ber 17th.

Anna Sullivan of Main St., is hold-ing an exhibition of her paintings this week in Marshall-Ecclestone's window. This local lady has done some fine work and much favourable comment has been heard concerning the same.

WEDDING: In South Porcupine on December 3rd, Rev. David Mitchell united in marriage Matti Jarvi of Porcupine to Betty Kimberley of Por-cupine, native of Sandwich East.

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BRIDGE PARTY
One of the most enjoyable bridge parties held this season was that of Tuesday last when ladies of the Order of Eastern Star entertained in the Masonic Hall.
Seventeen tables of guests for bridge were filled and Mrs. Gladys Worth and Mrs. Sally Moore were gracious hostesses receiving the patrons.
The affair took the form of a Christmas party, the decorations on the tables being in festive fashion.
Following bridge a dainty lunch was served and Worthy Matron Mrs. Moore and Worthy Patron Jim Brown presented the prizes. Ladies prizes were won by first, Mrs. Sol. Sky; second, Mrs. S. Tessier; and third, Mrs. O. Bowes. Men's prizes went to first, Mr. G. Walker; second, Mr. S. Tessier, and third Mr. Sellar (Timmins).
Ladies assisting at the party were: Mrs. L. Mansfield, Mrs. M. McCaf-frey, Mrs. L. Armstrong, Mrs. F. Weir, Mrs. H. Bawtinheimer, Mrs. Austin and Mrs. Anna Wilson.

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and
Court Stenographer
Application blanks may be secured from the Township Offices at South Porcupine or Schumacher.
P. H. Murphy, Clerk

Thursday 8.30 p.m.
Public Skating
Friday 8 p.m.
Hollinger vs. McIntyre
Saturday
7.30 p.m. Schumacher Lions vs. Timmins Lions
9 p.m. Tee Pees vs. Air Cadets
Sunday 8.30 p.m.
Weekend Skating
Monday 8 p.m.
McIntyre vs. Combines
Tuesday
Skating Club
Wednesday 2 p.m.
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Candidate for 1949 Council
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