

Talk About Timmins

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ANGLICAN LADIES GUILD

The Ladies Guild of St. Matthew's Pro-Cathedral are planning their East tea, to be arranged at a later date. At their business meeting plans were made to hold a rummage sale to be held on February 18. After the business period a social hour was spent. Mrs. T. Glatster was hostess assisted by Mrs. J. Thomas. Ladies attendin were: Mrs. P. Reid, Mrs. R. ackson, Mrs. E. Read, Mrs. J. Maxwell, Mrs. J. Curtis, Mrs. Dupont, Mrs. W. Kerran, Mrs. M.Poyuter, Mrs. J. Thomas, Mrs. J. Welsh, Mrs. H. Gridley, Mrs.B. Richards, Miss Ivy Thomas and Mrs. T. Glatster. Next meeting will be held February 10th, 2.30 p.m.

HOME BAKING AND TEA

The home of M and Mrs. J. Mascioli was the setting of a very delightful tea sponsored by the Registered Nurses on Saturday afternoon. Receiving the guests were Mrs. A. J. Reynolds, Miss Alli Huhta, Mrs. Johnn Mascioli. The rooms were looking lovely with spring flowers, red and yellow tulip and dafodils all about; the tables were decorated with tulips and dafodils on red crepe hearts. Fouring tea wer Mrs. J. Dalton Jr., Mrs. M. J. Kelly, Mrs. Marion Powell, Mr. E. G. Smith, Mrs. J. Giardino, Mrs. E. Dobson. A table, with many tasty baked goods was convened by Mrs. J. Brady, Mrs. J. F. Parker, Mrs. Goodfellow, Mrs. M. Irvine, Mrs. Martin nd Mrs. M. Lavigne. Laura Birse wasn charge of the children in the playroom.

"BON VOYAGE" — MRS. H. KISTEL

Mrs. H. Kistel hs been a visitor in Timmins for the past six months. Mrs. Kistel came from Portreath, Cornwall, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Wales, 29 James Street. When asked if he had enjoyed her stay here, she said: "I've had a wonderful time, everyone has been so grand to me, doing their utmost t make my holiday a pleasant one, I've enjoyed every mome". Mrs. Kistel is preparing for her return to England, she will leave in a coupl of weeks, first to Detroit, and then on to New York for a shot time, then finally on the "Queen Elizabeth" for the last sige of her journey to Cornwall, England. Mrs. Kistel, we wish you a "Bon Voyage" and it's been very nice knowing you.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

The Women's Asociation of the First United Church held their monthly meetng February 3. Mrs. W. Mackey presiding in the chair. Mrs. H. Lillie tok the devotional period. Opened by singing two hymns. Rports were read by the secretary, Mrs. MacCloud; the treasurer's report was read by Mrs. T. Rutherford. Mrs. Mustard then introduced and welcomed the visitors. Roll Call was called and Mrs. Wales gave reports for boxes overseas. She stadd that \$1,000 had been spent for overseas work last year from the church. Sick reports were given, 17 calls were made in ast month. Presbytery metng will be held February 7th and 8th in the church and W.A will cater for dinner on Wednesday, 8th. They appointed a Social Welfare committet, convener, Mrs. M. Williams, ssisted by Mrs. H. Lillie and Mrs. C. D. Johnson. Plans for Springtea will be made next meeting. Ktn CcCleod entertained, playing a saxophone solo, accompanied at the pino by Mrs. P. Carson. Mrs. Ralph the thanked Ken and the meeting closed. The hostesses serve a delicious lunch.

LAWN BOWLING

The Timmins Lawn Bowling Club held their monthly meeting Sunday in he Log Cabin. Mrs. Johnson presided. Mrs. W. Price rad the reports, and financial reports, then an open discussion ook place as to how they wanted to have the club operated t's year. It came down t a decision that they would have a ladies' executive, and a mn's executive, with one president for the two; the ladies in trn operating their own business and the men also operating heirs. The nominatio of officers took place. Officers are as follows: President, J. Sott; Ladies' Chairman, Mrs. K. Johnson; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. R. Jackson; Gentlemens Chairman, Mr. J. Costain; 2nd Vice-President, Mr. O. McCann; Secretary Treasurer, Mrs. J. Saw. Other Committes will be appointed at the next meeting, also installations wll take place, and Les. Nicholson, past president, will install te officers.

WEDDIND IN THE MANSE

Georgia Kathie Mills, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Mills of Norntal, Quebec, married Jene Longstreet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Longstreet, of Matheson, in the manse of First United Church. Rv. William Mustard officiating. The bride wore a grey two-piece street length dress with navy accessories an carrid a bouquet of roses and carnations. The attendants were Miss Helen Mills, sister of the bride, who wore navy creoe with white accessories and carried a bouquet of roses. Jay Jordan of Drmetal, P. Q., acted as best man for the groom. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. L. Mills. A reception washeld at the home of the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs. Ray Eddy. The bride's moher received in mauve crepe with corsage of roses and carnatins. The groom's mcher wore black and crepe with a corsage of roses and carnatns. Out-of-town gsts were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills, Noranda; Mr. and Mrs. Len Mills, Montreal; Mr. Tom Longstreet, Matheson; Mr. Byom Longstreet, Miss Joan Longstreet, Matheson; Dr. J. P. Thompson and Miss Mustard, Matheson.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Congratulations to Thelma Curtis who is wearing a beautiful diamond on that certain finger. The lucky boy is Kenneth Walker Jackson. Wedding plans are indefinite as yet. Mrs. W. Claridge is spending a few days with Mrs. O. McCann, 39 Laurier Avenue. Nellie Jamsa ws crowned "Miss Timmins High of 1950," at the annual Snowball. Miss Jamsa was crowned by "Miss Timmins High School of 1949, Diane Lloyd. The three princesses chosen were Dauere Stephens, Mary Hucerb and Norma Andrightetti. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carver, on the birth of a lovely daughter, "Lesley Ann." Mother and daughter are doing fine. The are at home now. Mrs. Mae McNe, TCAC secretary, recently injured in an automobile accident has almost entirely recuperated. We hope to see her around agin soon. Claude Elliott, who left Timmins and became recreational director of Guelph, has tendered his resignation, which will become effective on April 15. Mr. Elliott is going to England to take up a new carse in recreation; and he will there join his wife, who is completing a scholarship in law.

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News From SCHUMACHER

BY MRS. D. FRASER
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Valentine Party

Please keep in mind the annual Valentine birthday party of the Schumacher Home and School Association which is being held this year on Thursday evening, February 16. This party is open to all members and non-members and everyone is extended a hearty invitation.

As in the past years bridge and whist will be played in the upper halls of the Schumacher Public School beginning at 8.00 p.m.

There will be dancing in the assembly hall to the music of Neil Pooley and his orchestra. Movies will be shown in the library and skating may be enjoyed on the popular school rinks. Refreshments will be served.

Figure Skating Club

The members of the Porcupine Figure Skating Club and guests enjoyed a session of skating, and games, various prizes were given, after the skating the members and guests enjoyed a luncheon served in the McIntyre Auditorium, under the supervision of Miss Kay Curry and the staff of the Coffee Shoppe. After luncheon dancing was enjoyed by all.

J. R. Singleton, youngest son of Mrs. J. Singleton and the late Mr. Singleton, was married to Zena Dobson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dobson of Toronto, in the Church of the Messiah, Toronto. The couple will live in Timmins. They will return to town this week.

LACROSSE

A meeting was held in the town hall to discuss Lacrosse. The people there, were very enthusiastic about adopting this sport. However, the general opinion was that it must be started by the youngsters, and the experienced people do the teaching. It was decided to write to lacrosse firms for further information for equipment and assistance. The next meeting will be Sunday, February 19, at 2.00 p.m.

FOLK DANCING BEGINS

Folk dancing began on Saturday in the Harmony Hall with 40 persons present. This is to be a series of classes, eight in all, and is designed primarily for leaders. Doris Fenner is the instructress. If there are any other persons interested then come along next Saturday evening to Harmony Hall at 7.30 p.m. It will be a repetition of last week's class.

CANADIAN LEGION: LADIES AUXILIARY

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, Comrade Presley presiding. She initiated three new members. They are: Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Desyagies. The officers for 1950 were installed. They are:

Past President—Comrade F. Starling.
President—Comrade A. Pressley.
1st Vice-President—Comrade E. Cunningham.
2nd Vice-President—Comrade Harris.
Secretary—Comrade A. Lariviere.
Treasurer—Comrade P. Jeffreys.
Executive members—Comrades E. Hardy, N. Nickolson, J. Powell, J. Jenkins.
Standard Bearer—Comrade W. Wilkinson.
Comrade J. Powell, social convener, will supervise a Pot Luck supper and social evening, to be held on Thursday, February 21, at 8.00 p.m.

SKATING CARNIVALS

The first skating carnival will be held at Spruce St. South on Saturday afternoon. These events have always been popular. There will be one at each major rink. This year we will have to hold them in the daytime to conserve power. Skating races for children will be held, also novelties. Music will be supplied by a public address system.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

We are terribly sorry to hear Mrs. W. Pennington is very ill again. We hope you will soon be feeling fine again. The friends of Mrs. J. Jones will be sorry to know she is in hospital at Toronto. We wish you a speedy recovery Mrs. Jones. Francesco Monardo arrived at South Porcupine from Italy, came forward on the "S. S. Lamaria," which landed at Halifax on February 7th. He is joining his brother Cesare who is residing at 71 Powell Ave. To Mr. and Mrs. Julian Miner, a baby boy, Brian Miller, was born on Saturday, February 5, at St. Mary's hospital.

SKATING AT NIGHT

Permission has been granted to set up two lights on each rink and in change houses. All major rinks and slides have been wired now. Starting Thursday night rinks and change houses will be open till nine o'clock in the evenings.

SPEED BOX DERBY

It may seem a long way off to the time when the speed box derby will be here. Though to give the kiddies a good chance to work on their speeders, they should be working on them right now. Copies of rules can be had at Mr. Sturgeon's office in the town hall.

THE PORCUPINE SKI CLUB'S VALENTINE DANCE

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Ski Tales and Trails

By LEANA PRINCE

With so much to be said about the forthcoming events of the Porcupine Ski Club we will not dwell too long on ski chatter and the weather, but we have a few little bits of news we would like to relate.

Marg Book and Mary Zudel were both sporting new ski suits of navy gabardine and believe me, they looked smart. They put any ski-bunny to show. Mary was wearing a smart pair of new boots too.

What is this we hear about Jerry Clewworthy shussing the downhill and ending up in the woods?

Instructions and first aid tests were given under the direction of Jule Baderski.

The Junior Team have been very busy practising for the NOSSA downhill and slalom competitions to be held at Halleybury February 25th. Tests are to be run off this weekend and the winners will go to week-end.

Transportation has been arranged for a ski week-end at Iroquois Falls. All those interested are asked to phone President Henry Babin at 2766-M from whom tickets can be procured. As transportation space is limited to 40 people please make early arrangements. Hot dinners can be had at the Chalet so no need to worry about eas. And last but not least, they have a ski tow. Wonderful isn't it, an excellent hill and no climbing. The bus leaves from Dalton's bus stand at 10:00 a.m. sharp. The return ticket is \$1.50. Remember, do not be late.

A two hour ski movie will be shown at the Canadian Legion Hall on Wednesday, February 15th starting at 8:00 p.m. sharp. This movie covers some wonderful ski scenes from the Swiss Alps and the photography and skiing is by Switzerland's foremost artist. A cemetery will be given by Anton Lendi, a traveller and lecturer who is travelling with the film and while in town he is giving lectures at the local schools.

Please purchase your club membership as no one is allowed admission into either Chalet without it. Memberships can be purchased from any member of the executive.

A ROUND-UP: The Ski Club dance,

Friday, February 10th, at the Riverside Pavilion, music by Henry Kelneck and his orchestra. The ski trip to Iroquois Falls on Sunday, February 2th, leaving at 10:00 a.m. where a good time will be had by all. The Ski Movie at the Canadian Legion Hall, Wednesday, February 15th. This movie has much to offer none-skier and skiers alike.

LA BOURRINE; MARCH 10

La Bourrine will be presented to a Timmins audience for the first time on March 10. Rehearsals are comfortably ahead of schedule, says Mrs. J. A. Theriault, director of Le Circle Moliere.

But she is worried about the tough opposition expected to be encountered at Kirkland Lake.

Ninety-seven per cent of Red Cross work is done by volunteer workers, without pay.

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(Providing premium reductions through dividends.)	
TOTAL PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS AND BENEFICIARIES IN 1949	\$ 19,063,436
(Death Claims, Matured Policies, etc.)	
NEW ASSURANCES IN 1949	\$ 120,009,172
(Excluding Reassurance Ceded and Annuities)	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 345,293,359
TOTAL ASSURANCES IN FORCE, DEC. 31, 1949	\$1,068,698,193
(Excluding Reassurance Ceded and Annuities)	

A copy of the complete report of the proceedings at the Company's annual meeting, held at the Head Office on February 2, 1950, will be sent on request.

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