

The Sports Corner

By DOUG McLELLAN

SOFTBALL LOOP GRADUATES: The local softball loop has graduated to the Hollinger Park for the coming year. The Park committee has built a softball diamond out in front of the bleachers in centre field so the fans will be able to sit themselves this year. . . . Another large crowd went away from the boxing card at the McIntyre the other night full of satisfaction that they had just seen another bang-up boxing show under the promotion of Kid Shorty Wolfe. The main bout between Maurice Lavigne and Jim Hayes of North Bay marked another mile-post for Lavigne along the comeback trail as he tackled the hard-slugging kid from the Bay and came up with a K.O. in the fourth round. For Hayes it was a real surprise as he was very confident of a victory as he had just returned from the Dominion boxing finals at Lethbridge, Alberta, where he was Dominion runner-up. Hayes received considerable ink before the fights out west as the sporting poulace of North Bay kicked in the price of a plane trip out and then the North Bay youngster had to come back on his thumb. . . .

TO THE EDITOR

WEANED ON GASOLINE
To The Advance:

Sir: Our Soviet friends have more hands than anybody except the Chinese. They have steel, copper and glass. They've had 25 years to putter around.

How come they haven't been able to turn out a first-rate car? There are not top secrets in a Chevy. How come they have to buy so many cars from us? How come that after a quarter of a century they still have a drosky instead of a four-door sedan in the garage?

Nothing mysterious about making a truck, either. Then why did they have to lend-lease from us practically everything on wheels? When they need big generators and turbines, why do they buy them from Charlie Wilson, who runs General Electric in N.Y.

During the war, America came up with radar, the Norden sight, and DDT. The British chipped in with oil pipe lines under the Channel, artificial harbors, and auto-submarine echo-ranging gear. The Germans nearly stole the war with buzz bombs, V-2's, and jet planes.

What single important new weapon did the Russians think up in five years of warfare? And why didn't they?

I'll tell you why. To make machines work, it takes a race of people who were weaned on gasoline and teathed on piston rings. It takes a bunch of kids who worship the pliers and screw driver, rather than the hammer and sickle. And that's us—not them.

I'm not writing this piece to put our Muscovite pals on the pan. I met a lot of their officers in Vienna last year, and thought them pretty smart fellows. I respect the great Russian contributions to civilization.

But you're not going to scare me by telling me that Ivan has had a peek at the bomb formula. It's like showing a pipe organ to a kazoo player. First they'll have to learn.

1347 Sixth Avenue,
New York City,
11.2.47.

BILLY ROSE.

Grummett Explains Bingo

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Perhaps a system could be worked out whereby the present method of collecting from industrial workers could be left with the Federal authorities but the municipality given the right to check on additional income earned by some of these parties and to search out and tax those who are not now on the lists in the hands of the Federal authorities.

I believe that the Federal government could enter into an agreement with the municipalities whereby the increased tax obtained by the co-operation of the municipal authorities could be split between the municipality and the Federal Government, and that it would be very much to the financial benefit of both parties.

W. J. GRUMMETT

SUSIE ON SUNDAY

She likes to be photographed on the town hall steps.
A great many, men, women and children, are photographed on the town hall steps, every Sunday afternoon.

SPECIAL SPEAKER

Rev. W. H. Moore, a representative of the Upper Canada Bible Society, Toronto, will be guest speaker at the Free Methodist chapel on Sunday, June 11, at 7:00 p.m.

NEW BANK MANAGER

Donald A. Bull is Harry Fukes' successor at the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

SSS FOR ST. MARY'S

St. Mary's Hospital received \$29,946.18 in government grants for the year 1949, according to J. T. Phair, Deputy Minister of Health, in a letter to The Advance.

Will Present King's Colour To R.C.A.F.



The King's Colour of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

The King's Colour, shown here, will be presented on June 5 to the R.C.A.F. by His Excellency the Governor General, at a ceremony on Parliament Hill, in Ottawa. Full ceremonial Trooping of the Colours, performed for the first time by the R.C.A.F., will accompany the presentation.

—S.S.S. Photo.

HIGH LOWDOWN

By D. Hindson

Happenings At T. H. & V. S.

When most of you read this, school will only be one day from dismissal. Regular classes will be discontinued this Friday with the exams commencing on Monday. All forms will be writing from Monday the twelfth to the twenty first or second of the month.

The two remaining school events are the NOSSA track meet to be held Saturday at the Hollinger park and the Cadet inspection to be held at the Hollinger on Wednesday afternoon, June 7th.

The Cadet Corps will be inspected at 1500 hours on Wednesday afternoon by Major J. J. B. Corbett, G.S.O. II, Central Command, and an inspection party consisting of many Timmins dignitaries and officials.

Among those inspecting will be: Lt. M. De Witt, cadet services of Canada; Mr. G. E. Knowles, chairman of the High School Board; Mr. A. A. Rose, High School principal; Major D. T. Clarke, Chief Instructor; Mr. Karl A. Eyre, M.P.; Mayor Philip Fay, Major R. E. Buell, Algonquin Regiment; Lt. Com. Wm. Hitch, O. C. Sea Cadet Corps; Ft. Lt. Wm. Shields, O.C. Air Cadet Squadron; Mr. R. E. Sturgeon, Recreational Director; Mr. B. G. Shellen, Timmins Press; and Mr. W. M. Lake, Porcupine Advance.

Cadet Instructors, Lt. D. W. Carrier, Lt. A. E. Hartman, Lt. J. C. Jury, Mr. W. E. Bartlett, Mr. J. E. Jackson and Mr. J. B. Topper, as well as former cadet officers commanding Jack Gibson, George Harper and Edward Day will also be members of the inspecting party.

Lt. D. W. Carrier will announce the entire programme over the loud speaker system so that those attending may be well informed as to proceedings.

The public are urged to attend this inspection. In it will be the defenders of Canada in case of another war. In it will be your sons and daughters. It will be a most interesting afternoon as you will readily see by the programme listed below. Admission is free and all are welcome.

The inspection will open with the general inspection ceremony which is comprised of three general salutes. Inspection of Ranks. March past in review order.

Following the General Inspection the band, under the direction of Mr. W. Bartlett and command of Cadet Lt. Gerald E. Dillon, will present a display.

Simultaneous displays of signalling, First Aid, Map Reading, and Demonstration of Training aids will then follow. The audience may watch all or concentrate on any one that might happen to catch their particular interest. All displays will be in plain view of the grandstand.

The instructors of the former groups are respectively, Lt. A. E. Hartman, Mr. J. E. Jackson, Mr. J. B. Topper and Lt. J. C. Jury.

The Bren Gun squad composed of Cadet L. T. Barry Brewer, Cadet R.S.M. Richard Nankervis and Cadet Cpt. Gerald MacLean, will go into immediate action on a Bren gun display. This will be most interesting I'm sure.

Miss D. Fenner will then conduct her Girls P. T. group in a display of gymnastics. Following the P.T. demonstration a demonstration of troops in movement under fire will be conducted under the direction of Captain



Here we are again with the happenings in the Legion day by day and the news for the week.

A Celebration
On Friday afternoon there was a little celebration. I don't know how it came about but it was really interesting, a link from old times, when the boys used to get round the old piano and have a real old sing song as they did in the Cantens and Pubs Over-ras.

Comrade Cripps accompanied himself at the piano in several songs ('Gene Antry style) and did a real good job of it and was later joined by Johnnie Williams in duet.

On Saturday we had our usual evening social which was well attended and the winners of the door prizes were Eve Hardy, first; P. J. Dunlop, second.

On Monday, the regular general meeting and a poor attendance which was commented upon by the president, Gig Carswell.

Fifteen applications for membership were read out and accepted. Reports from the different committees were heard; C. Bates reported the work done on Legion plots in the cemetery; W. Greaves on Bingo and would like to have some more volunteers; also Len Spears, chairman of the entertainment committee asks for a few volunteers.

Every Third Monday
There was a motion on the floor to change the night of the General meeting to suit all concerned, every night of the week was mentioned but other events happening on these particular nights prevented us having our general meeting so a motion was passed to hold it on our regular night every three weeks (every third Monday). An open dance was proposed for June 30th.

Following the meeting comrade Frank McDowell showed still pictures of his visit to Scotland, England and Switzerland with the Canadian Curlers which were very interesting.

Barney Back
We were glad to welcome Barney Quinn back again and praised the chairman of the sick committee for their work in looking after the sick in hospital.

It was mentioned at the meeting that those who wished to enter the Billiard tourney had better get their names down now as they propose to start soon, see the Steward at the Bar.

We regret the passing of Comrade Bill Green of Gold Centre who was buried with Legion Honours from Walker's Funeral Parlor on Wednesday afternoon, the service was conducted by the Rev. Scott of South Porcupine.

Gig Carswell and his gang of volunteers with rakes and shovels did a nice evening's work on Tuesday in front of the Hall laying the foundation for a lawn, there is more to be done and if you would like to give a hand some evening, see Gig.

The Dart league are having their Presentation Night on June 23rd in the Legion Memorial Hall when Nine Trophies will be presented to the winning teams by their donors; members are asked to get their tickets as soon as they can from their Captains. Competitions completed to date are: Labatts Trophy League won by White Cross (Dunsmore Legion Shield League won by Moneta (Robutailer) Dorans Five; League Trophy won by Independants (McCann); Russel Knockout Trophy won by White Cross (Dunsmore) Brunette Aggregate Trophy won by White Cross (Dunsmore).

should try it. What have you got to loose?
Good Night.

Best Wishes, Please
To our sick members in hospital in and out of town we send our very best wishes for a speedy recovery. B. Richard, London, Ont.; J. Maxwell, E. Dupuis, W. Gauthier, E. Watson, A. Cannel, L. McGregor, J. Keene and W. F. Houghton all in St. Mary's Hospital, Timmins. To those at home we also send best wishes: R. Wilson and H. Gouk.

To those members late of Branch '88 and now residing overseas: Fred Curtis, K. Hulme, N. Woolcock, J. Fortin, D. Bennett and Ed. Stacey, we send our greetings and wish them well.

A few more copies of Canada Veterans Charter are still available for those who would like a copy, just ask for them, they contain good information for the Veteran.

Great preparations are being made for the First of July which is not very far off and if you want to give it a boost pick up a hamper show car! at the Hall for your car.

Congratulations to Bill Shaw in attaining his degree of D.A.D.
Till next week.
J. GORDON.

SOUTH PORCUPINE Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Curtis of Dome Extension left on Saturday for Toronto to attend the graduation of their son, James, from the University of Toronto. Jim gets his degree in Civil Engineering. Congratulations.

Mrs. Maxwell Smith has returned from a week in Hamilton and Toronto, during which she visited Mrs. Nobles in Hamilton and Mrs. LaForest (formerly of South Porcupine) in Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Somerville have returned from Toronto after attending the graduation of their daughter, Joan, from the Western Hospital.

Mrs. K. Carter who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Pyke, has returned to Toronto.

Born, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. S. Mahan (Ada Curtis) of Hallnor, in Porcupine General Hospital.

Mrs. Don Eames of Dupanquet has been visiting her sister, Mrs. James Fell for some days and left on Tuesday for Kirkland Lake and home. Mrs. Fell accompanied her to Kirkland.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kaura of 73 Bloor Avenue left on Sunday for their native Finland. They are sailing from Montreal on June 7th. Mr. Kaura has operated a barber shop in town for

a number of years and Mrs. Aino Kauna has a beauty parlor. They will return to South Porcupine in October.

Mr. Pat Cunningham and Mr. Emmett Cunningham of Toronto visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham of Golden Avenue, over the week-end.

A baby moose, not more than two weeks old, has been given over to the Game Warden for protection, after visiting South Porcupine over Monday night.

HEALTH FOR HORSES

A veterinarian is expected in Timmins shortly.

We have been trying to get one for a long time, explain both Dr. Lane and Len Masson, and we expect and hope to have one soon.

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is a lot of little things



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It may seem unimportant to you when you hand the storekeeper, the bus driver, or the gas station operator a big bill as you make a purchase. But perhaps several other people before you have done the same thing. As a result those serving you may be short of change. So to avoid delays for yourself and others, make it a habit always to carry some small bills and silver on your person. Those waiting on you will appreciate your thoughtfulness—those next in line will be grateful, too. It's "Good Citizenship".



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