he following letter was received shout me. They can't get me, I am too m his son now on the firing line France:

Feb 1:27y 15, 1915, r Futher-Just a few lines, to let that, only it is very quiet. I will know that I am in good health write again as soon as I can. I will are now in France within sound give you my address, so write as soon the guns at night. We can see the as you get this. Your loving son, h of the guns and shells as they Alex. family are well. Don't worry of Fort William.

Aughs McLerd, 1527 Walsh street, lucky. They put me on head quarters staff now, at the last minute before they satisd. I have a fine little horse, You know the one we had at homethe little bad one-just the same as

st. I hope mother and the rest of P. S .- Good wishes to all the boys

# CITY ITEMS

aptuin Scagle, harbor master, has sed a warting to team owners nting out that there are many holes already formed in the ice n the Kaministiquia river, and t he considers that the ice is now ale for tempte.

leutenant Colonel S. C. Young left t night for "Winnipeg on orders n the army headquarters and n he returns Monday he will bably have definite orders regardthe recruiting of the new 52nd tallon which will be stationed

combiaint has been made by a

in street resident to the effect t the boulevards along that street being tilled in with the most ren-looking type of quicksand n the Ogilvie elevator excavation. ch would never grow green sward eft until doomsday. The cominant goes on to say that not e is insult offered to them in the pe of this infertile soil, but inis added thereto by the whole lot being hadly cut to pieces by teams, as the useless stuff is bebrought in. The complaint may mar not be warranted.

drum head service will be forrow afternoon at three o clock, he armory. Port Arthur, at which chaplain, Rev. Canan Hedley, will All the 96th regimental rds will be in attendance onel Young will bring the whole he 52nd battalion and the army rice corps. The public is invited attend this 'service, and special ts will be reserved in the gallery choristers, so that the music will rendered by trained voices.

ome extremely beautiful plants now on exhibition in the lecture l of the library in the winter bulb w of the bosticultural society. hyacinths are partucularly fine, the date is apparently a little for the narcissi, which are alrt past their best. There are alsome very fine pot plants, and e beautiful geraniums in flower. will well repay anyone to take a

## CLAIMED ONE SPY

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meet the train.

HAD FUSE AND PISTOL.

wearing apparel, a loaded revolver remanded until March 25. and a short piece of fuse such as is used in exploding a charge of dination, they first claimed that they be had borrowed from Fred Adams.

in Detroit and were en route to Winnipeg. They later said, at least the man called Stephen did, that he was usual \$1 and \$2 and costs, comon his way to. Winnipeg to pay a pleted the deaket. friend who was located there, \$28 ion's story by saying that he was ant," was sentenced to serve company.

about his past history, that he had sentenced to serve six months ning out of San Francisco, but had on Wednesday, so that aircady left his ship to travel in the United sentence amounts to one year. States. He claims to have met Ste- has yet to he tried in Sudbury phens in Detroit where the latter Toronto and probably other cities in says he has been living for the past the cust four years and has a wife and family located there. mitted that he at one time belouged. Magistrate Palling yesterday charged to the German navy.

for a hearing probably next week be- of \$130. He was also charged with fore Magistrate Dobie, and will likely forging the name of Mike Mykichak, be sent up for trial before a judge a Winnipeg depositor of the bank's. and jury next month.

LF. J. Mckeown's valuable black water spaniel was so badly injured last night when he was struck by a ;street car, that it was found necessary to shoot him. The dog was a particularly good one of its and was valued very highly by the Simpson street grocer. He said this morning that he had recently refused an offer of \$40 cash for him.

W. J. Hamilton will be host at the "Fireside" for men in the Y.M.

# POLICE COURT

Only two drunks appeared in the

local police court this morning. Wiliram Fox, an old offender, was arrested at an early bour this morn ing when found drink and incapable. He was taken to the station but had been there only a short title when he was seized with convulsion. Doctor McIntosh was called and had him removed to Mckellar hospital

Magistrate Doble had rather a busy morning in the Port Arthur court today, Alired Doran appeared on a behind them after sending a wire to charge of breaking into a warshouse Chief McLennan, of Port Arthur, to at the rear of Smiley's grocery and stealing therefrom about four hundred pounds of butter. The theft was committed last January. A compan-The only luggage carried by the ion in the their has not yet been prisoners, consisted of two small located, but the police expect to lobandbags, which contained, besides cate him shortly so the case was

Danis McCartney was fined \$10 When questioned at the sta. and costs for pawning a violin which were travelers for an automobile firm of Port Arthur.

Five firunks, who were assessed the

dollars which he owed him. Schmidt H. R. Findley, or Gillespie, as he attempted to confirm his compan is also known, the Logus 'lieutenjust traveling with him to keep him months in jail has Magistrate Palling in the local police court yester-Schmidt also said, when asked day afternoon, Gillespie was also been a cook on a tramp steamer run. Magistrate Dobie. of Port Arthur,

Stephens ad- M. Kwiatkowski gopeared before with unlawfully stealing from the The two prisoners will come up Mcrchants' bank, Winnipeg, the sum He was found guilty on both charges and was sentenced to serve two years in jail. He pleaded guilty to the

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