

### Perreault Subjected to Examination

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town. The cheques were produced for which payment had been made according to the payroll, as were the relief orders covering the cheques. Pages 151 and 152 had been inserted in the payroll book after the following page had been filled.

"They are all fictitious names?"

"They seem to be."

"These orders are all yours?"

"They seem to be mine."

Referring to the statement sworn by Perreault concerning his activities the night he said he had first learned of the frauds from DeLuca, the crown reminded him that he had said he had gone to his home for supper and that on the stand the day before he had said he had gone to his father's home for supper. "I'd been eating at my dad's all summer," he said.

"There was no doubt about it yesterday, only when I called attention that in your 'going home' you would have passed Montgomery's place."

"I went to my father's house to tell him about it, naturally."

He could have passed Mr. Montgomery's house by going two and a half blocks out of his way, he admitted.

The Special Account Cheques

Bringing out the cheques that had been deposited in the special account, Perreault ran for the town of money collected in the upstairs office, the crown asked: "You can tell which are

relief cheques and which are salary cheques?"

"Yes."

"Look through them and tell me which are relief and which payroll."

"I find ten salary cheques."

"Ten salary cheques out of how many?"

"Eighteen all told."

"Relief cheques never needed to be in the engineer's office at all?"

"They were left on the desk."

"In your office?"

"Yes."

"How do you explain that they came to pass through your account?"

"It could have been that DeLuca may have brought in a cheque to my office and said 'So and so is in my office and wants the cash for this cheque. I wouldn't go into his office to see if there was anybody there.'"

"Wouldn't it seem strange to you that DeLuca wouldn't just tell them to go into the next office?"

"I don't think so."

Later the crown asked: "Will you swear that that's the way it happened?"

"I can't see how I can swear to that," replied Perreault. "He may have had other means but as far as I can swear, that's the only way."

The Cash Book

A long involved discussion centred around the cash book showing the receipts for February, 1935.

"This shows that at the end of the month the deposits equalled the receipts?"

"Yes."

Later, "Look at the date, February 20th."

"Yes."

There is shown a cheque of \$23 from R. Paul?"

"Yes."

"It was entered in the book on what date?"

"The same day."

"You show it at the end of the month as having been deposited?"

"I showed the total for the receipts. I don't know as far as this is concerned."

"You entered this cheque as of the 20th of February?"

"Yes."

"You show all the items here as including this item of \$23."

"It all depends when I made my deposit."

Judge Caron, somewhat annoyed, asked: "When did you make this deposit?"

"On the 27th."

"So that the amount is shown as a deposit?"

"There may be a mistake in the deposit book."

"This cheque shows it was only deposited on March 15th," said Mr. Caldwell.

Blames Bank Stamp

"How can it be? If the bank makes a mistake on the stamp I'm not liable for that."

"Are you going to make us responsible for the bank's mistakes now?" asked Mr. Schroeder.

The discussion then became further involved when Perreault said it was very easy to explain; he had received an amount of \$40 from A. F. Carriere and had probably used part of that money instead of the Paul cheque to make the deposit balance with the receipts. After another ten minutes' cross examination, the crown asked (re the \$23 Paul cheque): "You don't show this \$23 cheque as a March receipt?"

"Oh, no."

"And yet your books balance?"

"Yes."

Says DeLuca Counted Station's Cash

Witness said that DeLuca had always counted the cash at the service stations but that he himself had checked the cash register and did the banking.

"How often?" asked the crown.

"Many times it was two weeks after," Judge Caron: "Where would you keep the cash?"

"In my pocket."

"One hundred and fifty dollars for ten or fifteen days?"

"Many times I have had as much as \$1000 up to \$1500 in my pocket."

Town Cheques Deposited Same Day

Examination then went on to a falsified cheque in favour of O. Charette for \$365.60. The date of issue was December 31st, 1934. The bank mark showed it as deposited to the credit of the Mattagami Service Station on December 31st. The deposit slip was in Perreault's writing.

"In view of what you have told us (about DeLuca always making up the cash at night) how do you explain that?"

"It won't be cashed at the service station. He may have asked me to cash it."

Judge Caron: "Who?"

"DeLuca. Because that's one of Charette's cheques. He used to make the cash."

Mr. Caldwell: "At night?"

"DeLuca knew I had quite a bit of money in my pocket. He may have asked me to cash it. Sometimes it would apply on the purchase price of the stations and sometimes I would give him part in cash."

The Red Passbook

"Well, if that's what happened it should be in this book," said the crown, producing the red passbook for which DeLuca and Perreault claimed entirely different purposes.

"I don't remember."

Judge Caron: "According to your agreement with DeLuca, it was all to be entered."

"Maybe at the time DeLuca may have kept part of the money."

"You would have credited him with it in the book?"

"Yes. It could have happened that Charette wanted part of the money."

Perreault explained that he kept quite a bit in his pocket.

"Even when you were in partnership with DeLuca?"

"Yes. Because he didn't bother about the books at all."

"Books" of Service Stations

The Mattagami and Sub Way Service Station "books" were produced. All they showed was the cash received and the disbursements made. Judge Caron examined the book. "The entries are all made at the same time—the same day," he said. And later, "There's no use showing it to the jury, there's nothing in it."

"That's just what I wanted to show the jury. There's nothing in it to show the partner."

Mr. Schroeder: "You can't show they're not right." Counsel for the defence also rose to remark: "These are the papers referred to as 'incriminating papers' in a Timmins newspaper. That was very unfair."

In regard to his personal account, through which many of the falsified cheques had passed, Perreault said that he had mixed the service station money up with his own until he made deposits and although the amounts might be right for the service station, he might sometimes deposit a town cheque to his own account.

Says DeLuca Made Erasures

Speaking of the erasures of endorsements from the cheques deposited to the two service station accounts, the crown asked:

"Who would do the erasing do you suppose?"

"Romeo DeLuca."

Of the personal account cheques, the crown asked: "There is nothing on these to show they were deposited in your personal account?"

"No."

Of the cheques cashed by DeLuca, most had his own signature in ink. Only one of those deposited to the

Mattagami Service Station was endorsed in ink.

"From what you told us, DeLuca would appear more anxious to get rid of your endorsements on cheques than to get rid of his own?"

"He may have been."

Always Explains First

After some discussion of the cheque for \$400 in favour of Perreault from the Gonsales account, the red pass book came under fire.

"This book was in your possession all the time?"

"No."

"How did it come into Mr. Sauve's possession?"

Perreault started to answer, but the judge cut him off short.

"Your honour is cutting him off before he has a chance to explain," complained Mr. Schroeder.

"When I ask him a question, he always starts an explanation before he answers it," replied the judge.

After more questions on the passbook from which little information was forthcoming, Mr. Caldwell brought his cross examination to a close with the evidence given at the first of the story.

Other Defence Witnesses

Those who appeared for the defence at the trial in addition to Perreault were Mr. Ince, handwriting expert from Ottawa, who contradicted a great deal of the evidence given by the prosecution's handwriting expert, Mr. Shaw; F. Gervac, manager of the Sub Way Service Station; Emile Letourneau, manager of the Mattagami Service Station; and Hector Chateauvert, chairman of the finance committee of the town council.

Both Mr. Gervac and Mr. Letourneau stated that DeLuca had been around the service stations a great deal of the time and that they understood he had an interest in them.

Mr. Chateauvert testified as to Perreault's character and also to the signing of the payroll book.

Ralph DeLuca's Evidence Important

Ralph DeLuca was the only surprise witness brought in by the prosecution. His testimony proved valuable in the final disposition of the case for he swore that Perreault had taken him over to Schumacher twice to make deposits to the Gonsales account.

Perreault had previously denied that he had ever taken Ralph to Schumacher.

### Wedding on Monday at South Porcupine

Miss Auni Korpi and Eino Kemp United in Marriage Interesting Cases at Police Court.

South Porcupine, Ont., Dec. 4th, 1935. Special To The Advance

We learn that Neil Montrose, who is in the sanatorium at Gravenhurst, was quite sick last week, but his condition today is reported as being much improved. We also have heard of a very nice thought being put into practice at the Electrical Shop at the Dome. Ear-phones for radios are being put into good condition to be sent to Gravenhurst for Christmas to be given to those patients who are well enough to "plug in" on the high powered radio there. Many in the institution are too sick to endure the loud speaker, but there are also many to whom the radio is a blessing helping them to pass many a weary hour pleasantly. Will anybody having old earphones for which they have no further use send them out to Mr. Burton at the Dome? They will then have the satisfaction of doing a good deed, and at the same time find some use for something which almost useless to the owner of a modern radio.

Born—On December 3rd to Mr. and Mrs. H. Ferrigan, of Crawford street—a son.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers (Timmins) in South Porcupine, on December 2nd—a son.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Parker at Porcupine Springs on December 2nd—a son.

Miss Iris Webb, of Dome Extension, was taken to the town hospital on Saturday for emergency appendix operation. Her condition is reported as satisfactory.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Countryman, of Dome Extension, is very ill in hospital here. Her condition is serious.

A visitor in town this week has been renewing many acquaintances—Mr. F. Home, of Toronto—at one time at the Dome Mines. With Mr. W. Nash, of Buffalo, he is here on business connected with the Acadia (Triplex) Mine. Mr. T. Wilson left on Tuesday on a business trip to Toronto.

Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Coffey returned from Renfrew on Tuesday.

Miss Rosamund McCulloch entertained the Junior Bridge Club at her home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Philbin has moved to Golden avenue, her former residence being now occupied by Mrs. J. Huddleston.

Mrs. C. Heath, of Kirkland Lake, spent the week-end at the Empire Hotel, the guest of Miss Shaw.

Mr. James Boyd, of Toronto, is staying at the Empire Hotel. Mr. Boyd will be remembered as being at one time connected with the South Porcupine branch of the C. G. E.

Miss Auni Korpi became the bride of Eino Kemp on Monday afternoon at 3 p.m. The ceremony was per-

### Tea and Sale of Home Baking

Auspices Ladies' Guild of St. Matthew's Church

Wednesday, December 11, from 3 to 6

At the Home of Mrs. S. A. Caldwell, 16 Hemlock Street

formed by Dr. Fraser in the manse. The dainty little bride was attired in blue chiffon velvet, with hat and shoes to match, and carried a shower bouquet of yellow roses. She was attended as bridesmaid by Miss Mariette Kemp, sister of the bridegroom, who wore a gown of blue crepe and carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty roses. Mr. Arvid Korpi acted in the capacity of best man. After the ceremony the young couple repaired to the Finn hall where a reception was held, followed by a dance and attended by many friends of both bride and groom. We wish the young pair the very best of happiness in their life together. They will reside in one of the new houses in the Huot sub-division.

At the local police court on Tuesday, two "drunks" paid \$10 and costs. One man having liquor in other than a private dwelling paid a \$25.00 fine. Bail was renewed for the Schumacher lad who has to face a manslaughter charge. The case was dismissed of the Schumacher boy who was apprehended for theft of a car. The magistrate held that there was no apparent intention of holding the said vehicle and consequently dismissed the "theft" charge. The man may, however, be arrested on the charge of driving without a license.

Is a man drunk when he "was finding his way home all night" although staggering? Magistrate Atkinson held that he was, and he paid a fine.

WHIST DRIVE, DANCE AND DRAW, SATURDAY, DEC. 7TH.

The Cornish Social Club announces a whist drive, dance and lucky number draw for a watch to be held in the Hollinger hall on Saturday, of this week, Dec. 7th. Members are asked to bring refreshments for the occasion. The admission to the whist drive is merely nominal.

COUNCILLORS ELECTED AT KIRKLAND LAKE ELECTION

Les Hornick, druggist, headed the poll for councillor for Teck township on Monday. He is a well-known and popular druggist at Kirkland Lake. The other members of council elected are: E. Danis, N. E. Morrison, M. S. Maguire. There were 36 votes between first and second, Mr. Danis securing 1002 while Mr. Hornick had 1038.

Reeve Carter, who has given such notable service to Teck township, was re-elected reeve for 1936.

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December 5—6—7

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Monday & Tues., Dec. 9-10

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Wed. & Thurs., Dec. 11-12

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Friday & Satur. Dec. 13-14

**MARLENE DIETRICH** IN  
"The Devil Is a  
"Woman"

### Honour Roll of the Mattagami School

Standing of the Pupils in the Various Classes at Mattagami Public School for Three Months.

The following is the honour roll of the Mattagami public school for September, October and November:—

Sr. IV—Ross R. Beattie, principal—Fred Griffin, Hugo Sandino.

Sr. IV—E. M. Blyth, teacher—Joyce Collins.

Jr. IV—Kathleen MacInnis, Clara Taylor.

Jr. IV—A. R. Fisher, teacher—Ada Clark, Annie Getty, Zolton Molnar.

Sr. III—M. Kerr, teacher—Helen Young, Joyce Service, James Welsh, Walter Scott, Anna Middleton, Alma Cripps, Alla Luhtanen, Robert Burton.

Jr. III—Miss Tackaerry, teacher—George Shaw, George Smith, Jack Wilson, Mary Whitlock, Ruth Bailey, Betty Stiby, Alice Rhyno, William Dunstan, Paul Tanner, Vaino Pihlaja, Doris Warren, Marion Bohm, Murray Kaulbeck, Hazel Caron, Oliver Nichols, Weldon Carver, Norma Goodfellow, Nora Paver.

Jr. III—Dorothy Caswell, teacher—Mary Brown and Ida Diamant, equal; Margaret Latham; Beryl Service and Hazel Stevens, equal; Kathleen Farrell, Douglas Bellamy, Ellwood Farrell, Sam Diamant, Ruby Strongman.

Sr. II—Patsy Nelson, Georgina Watts, Audrey Sauve, Evelyn Douglas, Everil Eade, David Robertson, Raymond McDonald, Ralph Doling, Saara Rauhla, Audrey Worthington, Derval Brown, Mattie Luhtanen.

II—Dorothy Taylor, teacher—Leonard Luxmore, Audrey Leach and Fred Wolno, equal; Garnet McJanet, Bernard Toie, Leonard Taylor, Dorothy Dalton, Dores Brown, Nancy Coulson, John Tonkin, Roy Jenkins, Gordon Tucker.

Jr. IIA—M. Thorburn, teacher—Irene Wilkinson, Eskka Jokela, Elizabeth Feltnate, Ronald Whitford, Barbry Cassidy, Philip Melville, Joan Pye, Gloria Trevenna.

IA—Miss C. Dodd, teacher—Blaine Gouette, Reijo Jarvi.

IB—Englea McAr, Josephine Kaulbeck, Marjory Edwards, Albert Galtier, Kathleen Backhouse, Earl Snyder.

I—Miss Dempsey, teacher—Austin Jelbert, Mabel Read and Nora Leach, equal; Joe Nora, Ida Sandino.

Pr.—Gordon Knight, Norman Dalton, Norman Forsley.

Jr. Pr.—W. McKelvie, teacher—Eddie Church, Peggy Harris, Gordon Ferguson, Marie Ryhanen.

K.P.—Ronald Aah, Dickie Wilson, Violet Tonkin, Hilja Ryhanen, Joyce Sauve.

K.P.—E. James, teacher—Muriel Melville, Nancy Bolliger, Dorothy Spence, Ronald Briggs.

Sr. III—Clara G. Young, teacher—Barbara Haystead, Betty Stevens, Audrey Tucker, Peter Harrower, Jack Jelbert, Florence Giedhill, Jean Hill, Jean Sandino.

Jr. III—Ronald Jenkins, Jouki Unsell, Josephine Melville.

TEA AND SALE OF BAKING AUSPICES LADIES' GUILD

A tea and sale of home baking, under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of St. Matthew's Church, will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 11th, at the home of Mrs. S. A. Caldwell, 16 Hemlock street. This will be a pleasing social event and should attract a large attendance.

### To the Electors of the Township of Tisdale

I thank everybody who voted for me and everybody who didn't vote for me.

I thank particularly the good friends who helped me in the election.

To one and all I give the sincerest good wishes.

Geo. F. Helmer

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