

Teachers Convene Here Last Thursday, Friday

North Temiskaming and Cochrane District Teachers Hold Annual Convention. Full Programme Covered in Day and a Half. Detailed Accounts on Other Pages of This Issue.

The teachers of the North Temiskaming and Cochrane districts went to school last week during their annual convention, which was held this year in Timmins. The convention got under way on Thursday and finished Friday noon.

The day and a half was packed with activity for the teachers, and the programme provided for them was rich in information and suggestions for improvement. Coming trends in education were discussed and lectures given by authorities.

At nine o'clock on Thursday morning the teachers met in the Empire theatre. The convention was opened with devotional exercises by Father Theriault. The official address of welcome to the Town of Timmins was responded to by Mr. J. Harkness, of Iroquois Falls.

Community singing was led by Miss Elsie Teskey of Timmins. Pianist was Miss Laura Shaw. A guest speaker gave an address to the teachers and the remainder of the morning was occupied with a business meeting. North Cochrane teachers met in Central School and South Cochrane educators remained in the theatre.

On Thursday afternoon the English teachers met in Birch street school where they enjoyed a physical training demonstration by pupils of Schumacher public and Buffalo-Ankerite schools.

The demonstration was preceded by an address on physical training by Captain J. M. Cummings of Toronto. Sergeant Major John Young, of Toronto, who trained the pupils for the demonstration, spoke briefly at the conclusion.

The rest of Thursday afternoon was taken up with grade conferences. The principals' section was conducted by P. A. Boyce, Schumacher and J. Harkness, Iroquois Falls; fourth class, H. L. Cooper, Kirkland Lake, H. Wilson, Montclair; senior third, Miss Myrtle Harrison, Kirkland Lake; junior third, M. Napper, B.A., Timmins; second class, Miss D. Caswell, Timmins, and Mrs. M. Malowney, Porcupine Junction; first class, Miss C. Peters, Kapuskasing, and Miss C. MacDonald, Iroquois Falls; kindergarten primary, Miss I. Ross, Kirkland Lake and Miss I. Andrews, Timmins; rural section, H. Dukelow, B.S.A., Kapuskasing, Karl Bowman, Clute, and Miss Margaret Kenny, Ansonville.

High spot of the entertainment programme was a dance at the Riverside Pavilion on Thursday night. Teachers were the guests of the Timmins public and separate school boards. A theatre party was arranged for those not wishing to dance.

The next session on Friday morning at the Empire theatre was opened when Rev. Canon Cushing and the Rev. Mr. Mustard conducted devotional exercises. An address by Mr. Thornton Mustard, M.A., B. Paed. of Toronto Normal School, followed.

More detailed accounts of the various convention features will be found on other pages of this issue.

Pretty Wedding at St. Anthony's Church

Miss Florence Flaxman and Mr. Urgel Groulx Married on Saturday.

The St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, at 4.30 p.m., when Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Flaxman, of London, Ontario, became the bride of Mr. Urgel Groulx, of Timmins. Rev. Fr. Proteau officiated.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. Jack Brisbois, was lovely in a gown of orchid georgette, made on fitted lines, with a short train, and wearing a matching turban trimmed in silver, and silver slippers. She carried a bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley.

The groom was attended by Mr. Wm. Spinks.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spinks, 18 Ninth avenue. Mrs. Spinks wore a gown of blue crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of white roses.

In the evening the bride and groom received their friends at a reception in the Hollinger Recreation hall. They were the recipients of many lovely gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Groulx will reside in Timmins.

Quiet Wedding at Notre Dame De Lourdes Church

A quiet wedding took place in the Notre Dame Des Lourdes Roman Catholic church on Monday at 8 a.m., when Miss Florence Benson became the bride of Mr. George Longbré. Rev. Fr. Chapelle officiated.

The bride and groom were attended by their fathers, Mr. Eusebe Longbré and Mr. J. Benson.

North Bay Nugget (Sally's Sallies):—Many men have more money than brains... but not for long.

Mrs. H. Engstrom Dies at Warren, Ont.

Three Sons Live at South Porcupine.

Warren, Oct. 10.—The funeral service for the late Mrs. Hulda Engstrom, of Warren, who died Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, was held this afternoon from her home to the East cemetery of Kipling, Ont. Rev. L. A. Gregory, of First Baptist church, Sudbury, officiated.

The late Mrs. Engstrom was born in Vermland, Sweden, on Sept. 1st, 1881, and immigrated to Menominee, Michigan, in 1899. She was married in Chicago June 17th, 1907, to Rev. Gust Engstrom, and came to Kipling in April, 1910, where she had remained till the time of her death.

Mrs. Engstrom is survived by her husband, former pastor of Kipling Baptist church, two daughters and five sons, Jabez, Paul and Joseph, of South Porcupine, and Gordon, David, Inez and Ernie, at home; three sisters and three brothers in United States.

Floral tributes were from the Buffalo-Ankerite Gold Mines; Buffalo-Ankerite Staff; Mill and Crusher House Employees; Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kinkel; Kipling Baptist Church; Mr. and Mrs. N. Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. F. Rudd; Mr. and Mrs. E. Halvorsen; Mr. and Mrs. H. Halvorsen; Mrs. O. Gregerson, and numerous others.

Timmins Woman Freed on Two Criminal Charges

Not Asked to Present Defence in Charge of Procuring Abortion and Manslaughter. Evidence at Preliminary Hearing Not Admitted by Mr. Justice Meakins.

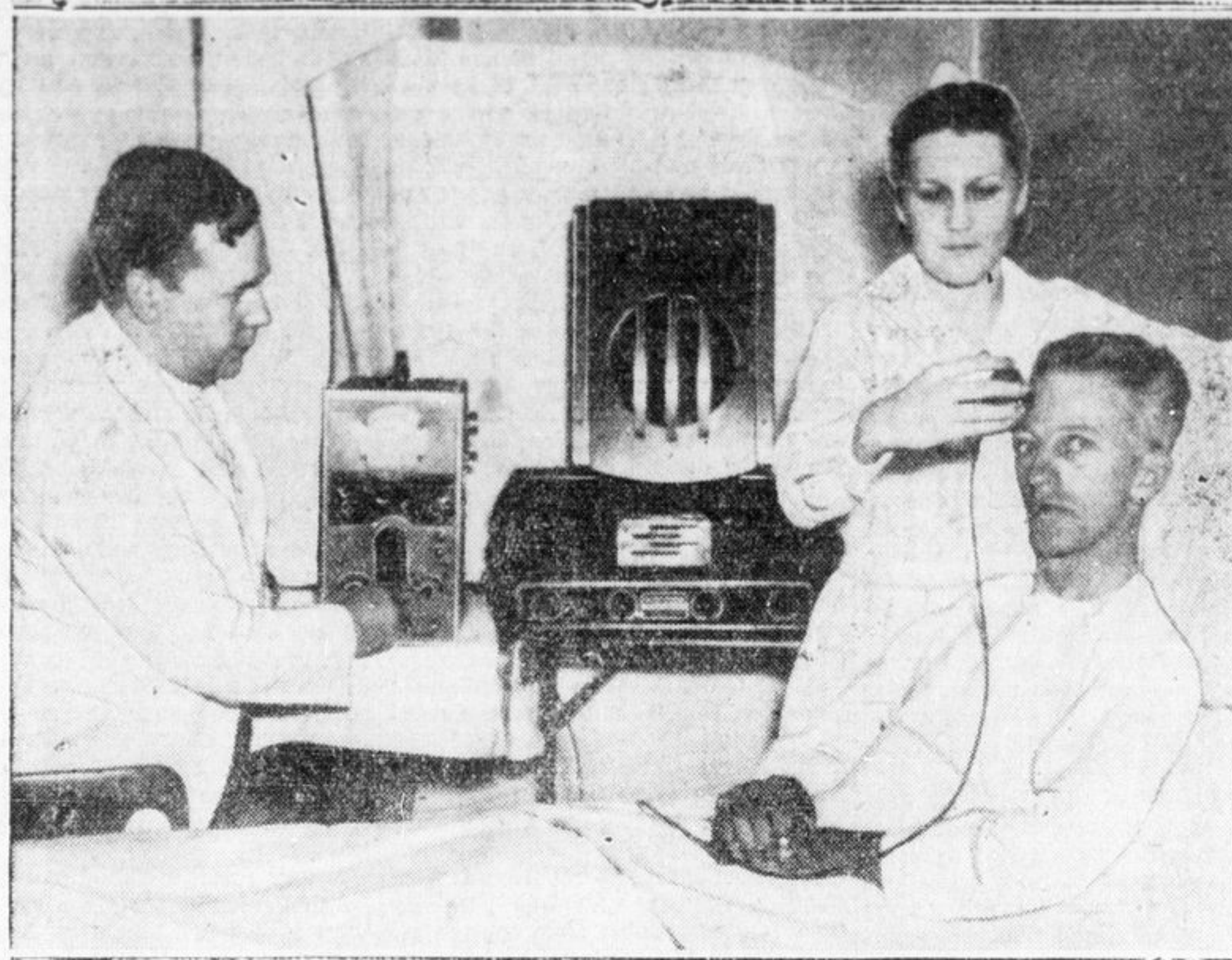
Two charges, one of manslaughter and one of criminal abortion, against Mrs. Emma Beaudoin of Timmins, were dismissed by Mr. Justice Meakins presiding judge at the fall assizes for the District of Cochrane, held in Cochrane last week.

The charges against Mrs. Beaudoin arose out of the death of Miss Evelyn Lepine at St. Mary's Hospital on March 23 of this year.

Principal evidence introduced by the Crown in the manslaughter case was a statement made by Miss Lepine. The statement was made while Miss Lepine was in the hospital. However, after it was made she recovered temporarily and did not die until several months after. Because of that it was not considered by the court as a death bed statement. Also it was not corroborated in any way.

Mr. Justice Meakins would not admit the evidence taken at the preliminary hearing into the charge. Mr. Meakins asked the jury if it considered that there

BROADCASTING NOISES IN HIS HEAD



George Yocum, Pennsylvania coal miner, has been troubled with a whistle and roaring noises in his head since his skull was fractured in a mine accident some time ago. In Philadelphia, his head was wired for sound, and George's whistle and the roaring noise came out of the loud-speaker. Here he is seen broadcasting before doctors and medical students.

True Thanksgiving Spirit Needed Today

Rev. Mr. Mustard Addresses Kiwanis Club at Thanksgiving Dinner on Tuesday

The Rev. W. M. Mustard was the speaker at the Thanksgiving meeting of the Kiwanis Club on Tuesday noon. Club members had a Thanksgiving dinner in the well decorated dining room of the Legion Hall.

The Thanksgiving spirit, said Mr. Mustard, should be a spirit of humility and thankfulness running through out lines rather than a day on which the Almighty was congratulated for having such a fine people as we.

There was a danger, said Rev. Mr. Mustard, that the day would develop into one during which we would think what a fine people we were, how well our country was doing and how we were progressing. If that spirit of selfishness was allowed to prevail the meaning of the day would be lost.

It was difficult for self-centred people to feel a spirit of thanksgiving, Mr. Mustard allied unselfishness with

Kechnie performed the post mortem examination on Miss Lepine's body and Dr. Irvine was her attending physician. Neither were able to say that an abortion had been procured.

Mrs. Beaudoin was not called upon to defend herself, the charges not being sufficiently substantiated to call for a defence.

thanksgiving and selfishness with unthankfulness. In order to appreciate the real meaning of the day unselfishness was a vital necessity.

Proper observance of the spirit of thanksgiving would mean a new world in which every association we would have would come to us with a new spirit of humility and thankfulness.

Mr. Mustard was introduced by the President, Earnie King. William Langdon thanked him for the club.

Lee Honey and Len Hell were responsible for decorating the banquet room. Stocks of wheat, maple branches and beechnut, hawthorne, chestnut and butternut branches bearing fruit, were used.

After some remarks from P. T. Moiseley, formerly Lieutenant-Governor, on the procedure of electing a new executive, three Past Presidents, V. Woodbury, Arch Gillies and W. R. Rinn were appointed a nominating committee to bring in recommendations. Club elections will be held soon, probably this month or early in November.

Semi Annual Rummage Sale Catholic Women's League

Announcement is made this week of the semi-annual rummage sale under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League. The event is to be held on Saturday of this week, Oct. 16th, commencing at 9 a.m. in the basement of the Church of the Nativity. This semi-annual rummage sale is always of special interest, a large variety of excellent articles being on sale, with other attractive features.

Augustine Kader Dead Shot Through the Heart

Seventeen-Year-Old Boy Shot on the Outskirts of the Town. Alleged Shot Fired to Scare. Frank Bucovitch 15 Apprehended by Police. Is Left in Parents' Care Until Inquest.

Mrs. Sarah Turcotte Passes at Sudbury

Funeral Held on Tuesday Afternoon Last Week.

The funeral service for the late Mrs. Sarah Turcotte, of London, formerly of Sudbury, widow of the late William J. Turcotte, who died at London, Saturday, Oct. 2nd, was held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Carmichael, 15 Stanley street, Sudbury. Rev. R. J. Stewart, of Knox Presbyterian church, officiated. Interment was in Eyre cemetery. The pallbearers were William Andrews, Harry Howell, Robert Usher, Wesley Carmichael, Charles Shellswell, Harry Kennedy.

The late Mrs. Turcotte had been a resident for the past eight years but prior to that had made Sudbury her residence for 30 years. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Jack Carmichael, Sudbury, Mrs. Wm. Wardley, Schumacher, Mrs. H. Clements, London, and one son, Herb Turcotte, Schumacher; three sisters, Mrs. John Pabst, Windsor, Mrs. Margaret Carnegie, London, Mrs. Charlotte Smith, Lanark; and three brothers, James Legary, Lanark, Archie Legary, Toronto, and John Legary, Chatham. Attending the funeral from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. William Wardley, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Turcotte, and Mrs. S. Gannon, all of Schumacher.

Young Men Face Charges of Breaking and Entering

Arrested at Webbwood by Provincial Constable Taylor as they were allegedly breaking into a store there, Jerome Levesque, 16, and Leo Latendresse, 17, both of Renfrew, were brought back to Sudbury to face trial. They are also charged with breaking into a grocery store at Sudbury and were suspected as being the two youths who attempted to knock down Miss Jean McDonald and steal her purse, but who fled when Miss McDonald screamed for help. They appeared in police court Monday morning and were remanded while police make further investigations.

An empty shell from the gun was found 114 feet away from where Kader was lying. It was thought at first that he had been shot through the head, but the mark there was made when the boy fell on the rocks. He bled freely from the nose and mouth.

What charges, if any, will be laid is not yet known. Police are awaiting the results of the inquest which will be held sometime this week, possibly tomorrow.

The incident is particularly regrettable in view of the fact that police have so often recently warned of the danger of shooting with .22 rifles. Provincial, Tisdale, Game and Fisheries and Timmins police recently cooperated in a drive to clean up the situation.

Gets Three Months Term on Bootlegging Charge

Mrs. Jean Martin Swears She and Husband Bought Beer at Frank Otonica's House. Paid Twenty Cents a Pint. Magistrate Dismisses Two Traffic Charges.

A sentence of three months hard labour was imposed on Frank Otonica, convicted in police court on Tuesday of illegally keeping liquor for sale. Principal Crown witness was Mrs. Jean Martin, who said that she and her husband went to Otonica's house and bought beer.

First witness was Constable Strickland of the Provincial Police. He told of the search that was made of Otonica's residence. Twenty-six pints of beer were found in a hole in the floor and 120 empty bottles.

Otonica denied that there was anyone in the house on October 3, said Constable Strickland. Later he said that there were two men with him and when confronted by Mrs. Martin in the police office he admitted that she had been there.

Mrs. Martin said that she also was known by the name "Miss Jean Lamotte". She and her husband went to get some beer. They drank many bottles on Otonica's house, she said. She saw her husband pay forty cents for two of the bottles.

Asked if she would recognize some of the people who were at Otonica's while she was there Mrs. Martin said that she would. "There are a couple of them right in this court house", she said.

October 3, the date of the offence, was his birthday, said Otonica. Said His Worship: "Some of you fellows must have birthdays every week."

He knew Martin, said Otonica. He met him five years ago. Martin came to his house and he gave him and his wife a bottle of beer. He persistently denied that he took money for the beer.

Evidence was given by Tony Baitol, who lives with Otonica, and by George Jacovitch. Asked if those in the house drinking beer were drunk and having a good time Jacovitch said, "Well, they weren't crying."

In addition to imposing a three months' sentence Magistrate Atkinson ordered that the residence be made a public place and that the liquor seized be confiscated.

"Not Reckless," Rules Magistrate. Benefit of the doubt went to the accused when Stanley Byeznik was charged with reckless driving. At the conclusion of the case His Worship could not make up his mind so he dismissed the charge.

Leo Perron said that he was driving east on Second avenue between Pine and Cedar streets. About halfway down the block an automobile driven by Byeznik suddenly pulled away from the curb and he was forced to run into it.

Byeznik said that he looked both ways before moving his car out of the space. He saw Perron's car but it was a block away. He must have been coming fast to reach where the impact took place in such a short time. Perron's car hit his, said Byeznik, and forced it over to the side of the road where it hit another parked automobile.

Sam Armour, gasoline station attendant, said Byeznik pulled sharply away from the curb giving no warning of his intention.

Other Traffic Charges
Chaysologue Portelance was charged with failing to remain at the scene of an accident. Magistrate Atkinson dismissed the allegation when no evidence was produced to discredit Portelance's statement that he intended to return.

Provincial Constables Hancock and Strickland said that they saw Portelance, driving a truck, back into a parked car, crushing the fenders. They followed him, stopped him, brought him to the police station and laid a charge.

Howard Robar paid a fine of \$25 and costs and had his driving permit suspended for thirty days when he pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving.

Charges of assaulting Charles Pexton, against Thomas Yantha, Chester O'Smokler, Ted Rewislain, Jack Goldstein and Art Urie were withdrawn.

Charges of violating the Personation Act against Joseph Bussiere, Henry Pelletier, Annette Pordiac and Alphonse Gager were withdrawn.

Sudbury Star—This department is in favour of the man who has proposed that all after-dinner speeches be heard before dinner so that everyone could enjoy the dinner, including the after-dinner speakers.

AMID THE SOLITUDES OF THE SCOTTISH COAST



A beautiful picture, the S. Y. Norseman, the magnificent yacht owned by Sir Charles Gordon, is shown at anchor at Camas a Chois, North Ballachulish, Argyllshire, while on a cruise along the Scottish coast with D. Balantine, of Peebles, and his party. Sir Charles Gordon who recently returned home, is president of the Bank of Montreal and takes the keenest interest in sailing, being a prominent member of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club. He has a house at Torridon, West Ross, Scotland.