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**British Convicts Make  
Demands to be Enlisted**

The desire to take due part in the present war for freedom seems to be very general in the Old Land. Even the convicts, it would appear, are anxious to be of service to their country. Despatches from London, England, this week, say that convicts in Exeter prison kept up a night-long chorus Sunday, crying, "We're Englishmen, and we want to fight." Prisoners were confined to their cells and all guards recalled to duty. About 200 prisoners serving terms of less than three years were involved.

## Farmers' Market Doing Good Business at New Location on Cedar St.

Small Houses at 112 to 118 Cedar Street Being Used to Accommodate Farmers' Products for Sale Here. Market Held Each Tuesday and Saturday.

Seven of the houses which accommodate the Timmins market, were occupied on Tuesday by the farmers of the district, selling meats and dairy products, and a greater sale was made than on any Tuesday during the time the market was at the curling rink. The market is open every Tuesday and Saturday, and sells fine meats, newly laid eggs, and other dairy products. The market is situated at small houses located at 112, 114, 116, and 118 Cedar street south, that is, on the east side of the street. Each day the market is open, farmers from the entire district travel to town with choice meats and other products, and when they leave in the evening, all their wares have been sold. Mr. Laroche, manager of the market, told The Advance on Tuesday, that despite the fact that the market is located some distance from the town's shopping centre, the present location seems to be much more favourable than the original market at the curling rink.

## Drunk Driver is Sent to Jail for Ten Day Sentence

Staggered When Asked to Leave Car and Walk, Say Police. Sick Says Accused.

Jalo Lindquist will serve ten days in jail for driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor. His right to drive was cancelled by Magistrate Atkinson in police court on Tuesday for six months and his car ordered impounded. Constable Albert Lepic said that he saw Lindquist being sick out of the side of his car on November 15 at 1:30 a.m. He told him to get out and walk and as he did he staggered. The man admitted that he had been drinking and said that he was sick. The woman who was with Lindquist said: "I guess he's had a couple too many but please don't arrest him." Constable Thompson told the court.

Sergeant John Downey said that when Lindquist was brought in to the police station his eyes were bloodshot, his breath smelled of liquor and he staggered. He was drunk although he seemed to be clear mentally and replied to questions well enough. Lindquist said that he had three bottles of beer early in the evening. He went to his girl's room and slept for a time. After one o'clock he began to get sick and they went out to drive around the block to get some air. The woman said that her friend was not drunk but sick when they were accosted by police.

"I think he was tight and I think the lady knew it," said the Magistrate. Two charges of careless driving, one against George Lux and another against Garnet Hoffman, were dismissed. In the first case, against Lux, Constable John O'Neil said that he was called to Second avenue and Spruce street as the result of an accident. A truck, driven by Lux, had crashed into the rear of an automobile and turned it over. The accident took place at about the centre of the intersection, the Constable said. Driver of the car, Sam Shelverick, admitted that the charge was not laid until after he twice had tried to collect damages to his car from Lux. He believed that he was into the intersection first and that the truck was travelling faster than he was. Sergeant Downey said that the charge was laid without consulting the car driver. He laid it after reading the accident report. After some very involved evidence from an eyewitness, Bert Ladouceur and after Lux said that he looked before crossing the intersection and saw no car coming, Magistrate Atkinson dismissed the charge. A car driven by Garnet Hoffman struck the police car at the corner of Second avenue and Maple street. Constables Lepic and Hanson said that they were driving behind Hoffman and

## Dismiss Charge Woman "Loose, Idle and Disorderly"

Also Dismiss Charge Man With Whom She Stayed Lived on "Avalis Prostitution."

A charge that she was a "loose, idle and disorderly" woman and a vagrant, against Peggy Turner, alias Eve Drouin, was dismissed as was a charge against Peter Robillard that he lived "on the avails of prostitution." Robillard paid a fine of \$10 and costs for being drunk.

Testifying on the first charge, against the woman, Constable Atkinson said that he saw her on Wilson avenue at 4:30 a.m. on the morning of November 18. He and the officer with him were driving the police car. They asked her where she was going and she said to her home on Spruce street south. She said her name was Peggy Turner. She told them that she had locked her "sick husband" in at home in order that she would be able to "tour" the streets. She accepted no set price for her services, she told officers, but took money as a gift. Giving evidence on the charge against Robillard, Constable Olaf Hanson said that when he visited the house he found Robillard locked in a room. Robillard, a taxi driver, admitted that he was living with "Peggy" and that she paid the rent and general expenses. He also said, however, that during the three weeks he had lived with her he had given her money totalling about \$40.

Magistrate Atkinson dismissed the charge against the woman on the grounds that she apparently was making for home when the officer stopped her and that she did have money with her. The charge against Robillard he dismissed when it was brought out in evidence that Robillard had given the woman money rather than living on what she brought in.

**Terms For Thefts**  
Frank Leon pleaded "not guilty" to the theft of six scarves from the Metropolitan Store, worth \$1 each. He said that he might have taken them and again he might not have. He was too drunk at the time to know what he was doing. Constable William Thompson said that when he apprehended Leon he was in possession of the scarves and that while he had been drinking, he knew quite well what he was doing. Said Magistrate Atkinson: "Thirty days."

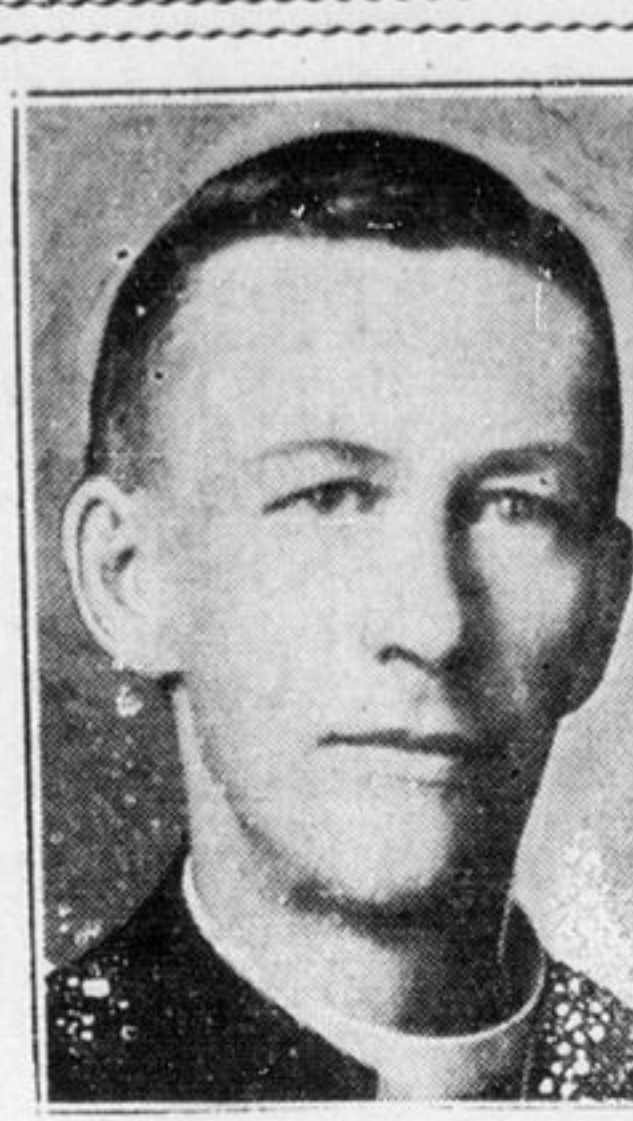
Con McMahon admitted that he stole a pair of socks from Kress's Store and was sent down for thirty days. Leo Albert was convicted of receiving stolen goods—a suit owned by Joseph Lemire, and worth \$31. He was sentenced to serve sixty days to be added concurrently to a sentence of similar length that he was serving at the present time on a vagrancy conviction.

**Drunk Gets Three Months**  
Lawrence Lauzon admitted that he had been drunk many, many times. The fact that he was convicted thrice this year, so far, netted him a jail sentence of three months. Six other men were given the usual alternative of a fine of \$10 and costs or a term of 30 days for being drunk.

**Interticted Person**  
Admitting that she was an interdicted person, Hermeline Chenier denied that she had been drinking wine when police walked into her home. Her story did not gain the credence of the court, however, and she was given the alternative of a fine of \$100 and costs or a jail term of thirty days. Police Sergeant Gilbert DesRoches told the court that when he walked into the Chenier home on Wilson avenue there were four persons there, all that he failed to signal before making a left hand turn.

Hoffman and two men with him, Jack Richards and Grant Aubrey, said that he did signal and so the charge was dismissed. Peterborough Examiner:—If you want to know what the people in London are doing in the evenings stay home, pull the blinds all down and see if you can entertain yourself.

## Called to Montreal



Rev. John Harkness Dixon, rector of Grace Church, Toronto, has been appointed rector of Christ Church, cathedral, Montreal. In his new appointment he will also be Dean of Montreal. Mr. Dixon is a graduate of Trinity College and was ordained in 1913.

wearing hats and coats. One woman was under the influence of liquor. On the table was a bottle of wine.

Mrs. Chenier was not in at the time but soon after she came up from the restaurant below. She was not wearing her coat and was visibly under the influence of liquor. Her breath reeked. Corroboratory evidence was given by Constables Olaf Hanson and William Thompson.

A Mr. Journeau, described by the Magistrate as "an old friend" of the court, said that Mrs. Chenier had not been drinking. Asked who the many empty wine bottles found in the place belonged to, Mrs. Chenier said that her little boy collected them to sell.

## Quebec Mineral Output Increased by New Mines

The development and bringing into production of new mining properties is playing an important part in the steady growth of mining in Western Quebec. Four new mines which came into production in 1938, and are on a steady production basis for 1939, have already made their presence felt in Quebec mining. These mines, listed in alphabetical order together with the dates of their starting, are: East Malartic, November 1938; Francoeur, July, 1938; Lapa Cadillac, July 1938; and Sladen Malartic, January 24th 1938.

In the first nine months of 1939, these new mines have produced \$2,974,133 gold and will materially add to the Province's production figures by the end of the year. In addition to these four which commenced mining operations in 1938, two new mines started in 1939, namely, "Amm Gold" and "Mooshia," and their total production up to September of this year amounted to \$149,196.

These six new mines have treated 536,748 tons of ore for a total recovery of 88,291 ounces of gold with a value of \$3,123,329 for the first nine months of 1939. It is expected that, shortly, these will be joined by three others, Wood Cadillac which is expected to commence immediately, and Malartic Goldfields scheduled to start on or about the fifteenth of December, and Central Cadillac treating their ore at the nearby Thompson Cadillac mill which has been leased for the purpose.

## Profiteering Grocer Had to Return Lady Her Penny

High Wycombe, England.—The ladies in this area do not tolerate any profiteering. When there is a case, the courts at once hear about it. It is not the amount that matters, but the principle of the thing. The first complaint of profiteering here involved only the sum of one penny (the equivalent of two cents). The lady who had been overcharged this amount took the case to court and the profiteering grocer was called upon by the Food Control committee to return the penny to the aggrieved woman.

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## Magistrate Suggests Re-Laying of Morality Charges After Hearing

Suggests Man Convicted of Keeping for Sale be Charged with Keeping Bawdy House. Two Women be Charged as Inmates and a Man With Being Found in. Put "Filthy Class of Women Out of Business," He Says.

## Dismiss Charge of Selling Beer Against Gauthier

Can Hardly Take Word of Man Who Spent Whole Afternoon Drinking, Says Magistrate.

"The word of this man can hardly be taken. He apparently was drunk all afternoon," said Magistrate Atkinson in police court on Tuesday afternoon dismissing a charge of selling liquor, against Eugene Gauthier, of Timmins. Magistrate Atkinson was referring to the star police witness, Wilfred Dodge, who said that he bought beer from Gauthier.

Sergeant Gilbert DesRoches testified that Dodge came into the police office at 3:30 a.m. in the morning complained that he had been robbed of money at Gauthier's home. He went to the house at 54 Bannerman avenue, with Dodge. Gauthier came to the door and admitted them. In the house was a part bottle of wine and in a nearby shed seven cases of empty beer bottles.

"I was in his house drinking beer when I lost the money," Dodge told the court. He said that he asked Gauthier for his \$19 and when he wouldn't give it to him he came to the police. While there, Dodge said, he bought four bottles of beer for \$1. Under cross examination Dodge admitted that he lay down on a couch at Gauthier's house and was sick. He admitted that he had been drinking all that afternoon and evening. Case was dismissed.

## New Fish Hatchery Near Englehart Nearly Complete

Englehart, Nov. 23.—(Special to The Advance)—Within a few days, it is expected that fish will be placed in the new hatchery at Hill's Lake, in Bryce township west of here, and which, when completed, will be the largest plant of its kind operated by the Ontario Department of Game and Fisheries. The contractor, J. A. McLeod of Kingston, expects to finish the job about the end of this month, and he said that the work would have been done before but for changes in the original plans made by the provincial authorities, and the rainy summer experienced this year.

The four rearing ponds are completed, also the "parent" pond, in which mature fish will be kept to provide a supply of spawn for the hatchery, the hatchery building is erected and complete but for the plumbing, the superintendent's residence is almost finished and an ice house and garage are up. Remaining to be done and at present under way, is the work of digging a drainage canal around the upper portion of the lake, in which the springs which feed the hatchery are located. This ditch will carry away surface water and empty it into the lake below the dam ensuring a steady supply of pure spring water and removing the danger of contamination. Original plans had called for the construction of a timber flume to carry the water from the springs to the rearing ponds and hatchery, but these were changed this year to provide for concrete being used in the main section of the flume, 1300 feet in length. Work on the project was started late last year and, after being discontinued over the winter months, was resumed in the spring. The United Church has erected a new church in that section of the district, and this building is about completed. Fish to be placed in the ponds are small fry hatched last spring and will be ready for distribution in northern water next summer.

## Reflection

(From Montreal Star)  
The only people amongst whom there is no unemployment are those who make a business of solving unemployment.

"I suggest you try this man Otis on a charge of keeping a common bawdy house and re-lay all these charges and then we will sort them out one by one. This looks like a dirty den. This filthy class of women should be put out of business. I'm not pre-judging any of these defendants. I'll decide when I hear their cases. In any event I'll re-mend them all." So said Magistrate Atkinson in police court on Tuesday after hearing the evidence in a charge of keeping a bawdy house, against Irene Downey. Prior to the hearing of the bawdy house charge, George Otis, the man mentioned by the Magistrate, had been convicted of keeping liquor for sale and sentenced to three months in jail. On the recommendation of the Magistrate, Otis will probably be charged with keeping a bawdy house, and Irene Downey and Blanche Auger with being inmates. A witness in the liquor charge against Otis and also in the charge against Miss Downey, so far as it progressed, Henry Bouchard, will probably be charged with being found in a common bawdy house. Sergeant DesRoches, testifying in the charge of keeping liquor for sale, against Otis, said that he raided the Otis residence at 131 Poplar avenue at 11:30 p.m. on November 14. In the place were the accused, two women and Henry Bouchard. Ten pints of beer were found and a part bottle of Scotch whiskey. Bouchard admitted that he had given Otis all the change he had in payment for three pints of beer, Sergeant DesRoches said. Later, in the police office he said the same thing in front of the accused. Inspector Arthur Olson said that Otis admitted to him that Bouchard "just gave me" the money. What he told police, Bouchard testified, was that he had given Otis forty or fifty cents in part payment of a debt. Pressed to an exact reckoning of his account with Otis, Bouchard stumbled and said finally, that he guessed he now owed him about \$1.10. Otis denied that he ever sold liquor. Bouchard put "about forty cents" on the table in part payment of a debt owed him for taxis. He didn't remember that he had ever admitted to police that Bouchard gave him the money in payment for beer. In addition to sentencing Otis to spend the next three months at hard labour in jail at Haileybury, Magistrate Atkinson made the house public for a year and ordered the liquor confiscated. Later during the court session the other aspects of the case were considered. In a charge of keeping a common bawdy house, Henry Bouchard, who testified against Otis in the liquor case, was a witness. Bouchard said that he went to the Star Cafe where he met Miss Downey and another woman, Blanche Auger. They took a taxi cab from there to Otis's home—a two-roomed shack. There they had a couple of shots of whiskey and he and Miss Downey went into the bedroom. The arrangement between he and Miss Downey was purely a "party" one he said. It had no commercial angle. Sergeant DesRoches, who kept observation on the house for a time before he and other officers made their raid, told of looking through the window of the bedroom where Bouchard was with the girl. Later, in his evidence, the Sergeant said that both the girl and Bouchard admitted to him in the police station that the girl received \$2. When she was brought in she had \$2.45 in her possession. "No, it was \$2.85," interrupted the girl from the prisoners' bench. At that point Magistrate Atkinson said that he could see no evidence of "keeping" a bawdy house against the girl but that he thought the charges should all be re-laid. Globe and Mail:—By the grapevine news comes that, probably bored with proceedings, what Hitler really said on leaving the famous beer hall was: "I'll be blown if I stay here any longer."

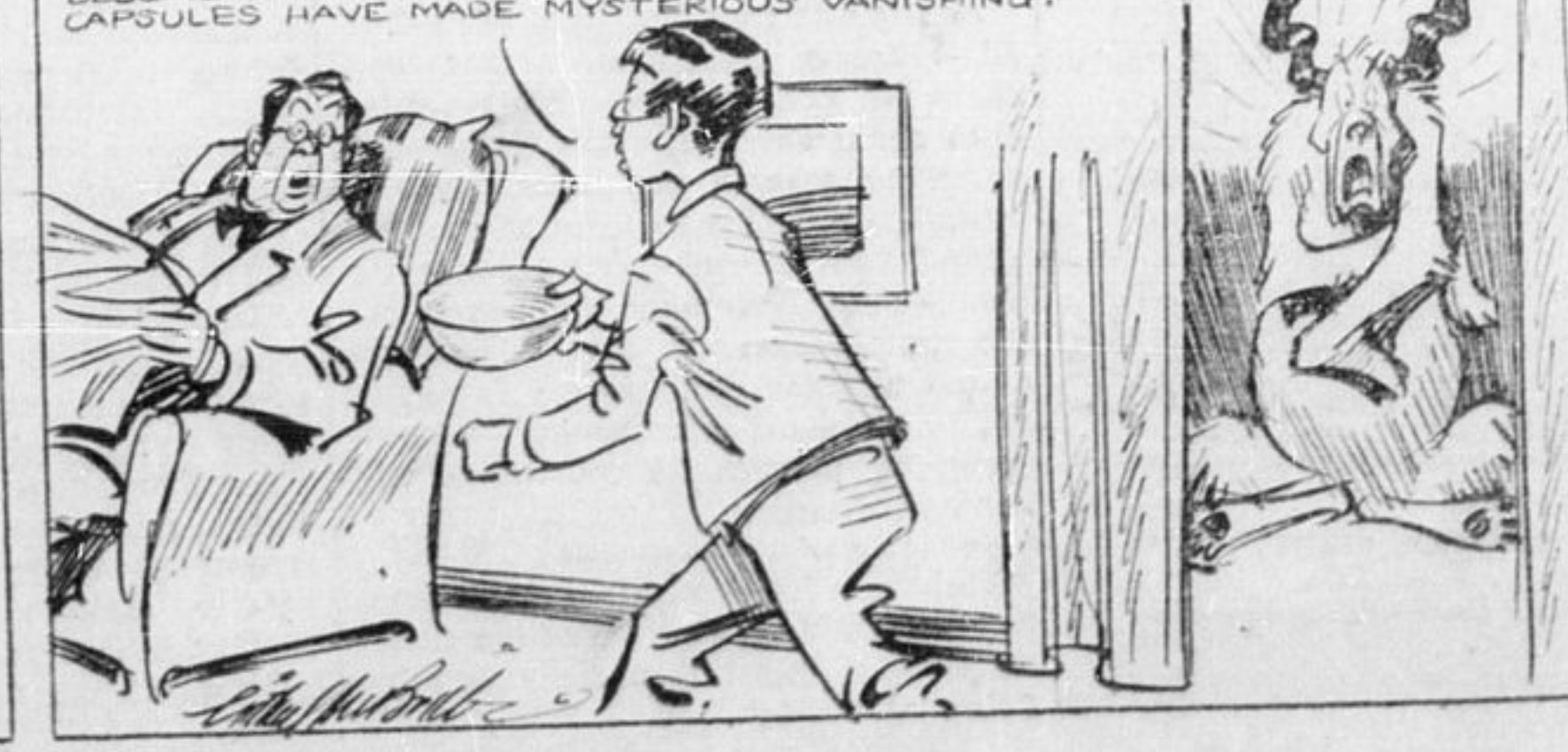
## Over 100 Singers, Dancers and Players in Cast of Revue

"Pirate Gold" to be Presented by H. & V. S. Students in Aid of Red Cross. With dress rehearsal scheduled for next Tuesday morning at the Goldfields Theatre, rehearsals for the musical revue "Pirate Gold," the first annual musical production being staged under the auspices of the High and Vocational School at Timmins in aid of the Red Cross, rehearsals are rapidly nearing completion. More than 100 young Timmins singers, dancers, actors and actresses, are taking part in the show, which will be professional in atmosphere and presentation. Special music, gay costumes, and picturesque scenery will give a really grand background to this clever show. The orchestra of sixteen under the baton of the director, Melburn E. Turner, will play a rather difficult musical score. The first act of the production is a story which is unfolded on the deck of the pirate ship "The Jolly Rover." The cast of nearly fifty taking part in this act provides music and repartee with the characteristic piratical atmosphere surrounding the "deadly deeds" being perpetrated by the pirates. Act Two of the performance is a scene of variety skits, musical numbers and dances of exceptional novelty. The high speed is maintained during the entire production and it is believed that it is the first show of this type to be presented in Timmins. The entire two-hour show will be presented at the Goldfields Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday, November 28-29. Matinees will be presented each day at three o'clock. Evening performances start precisely at 8:30. Admission to Matinees is 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults. Evening performance prices are 50 cents general admission and 50 cents extra for reserved seats.

## Arrested at Geraldton for Alleged Propaganda

Alex Kolzoi is the first man to be arrested at Geraldton, (the new mining camp in the Port Arthur area), for alleged improper propaganda work. Provincial police took him in charge some days ago on the accusation that he was responsible for the distribution under cover of night of pamphlets considered subversive. He was taken to Port Arthur and remained in custody. He may be given trial today. North Bay Nugget.—The Red Cross Society appeals on behalf of those who will suffer in order that you can live in security and comfort.

## NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY



By Clifford McBride

Tonic

(From Montreal Star)

One Sunday morning the pastor of a Negro congregation noticed that an old face had reappeared among his flock, and after the sermon made it a point to welcome the supposedly repentant backslider.

"This is the first time I have seen you at church for a long time," he said. "I'm sho'ly glad to see you here." "Ah done had to come," explained Rastus. "Ah needs strengthenin' I've got a job white-washin' a chicken coop an' building a fence roun' a water-melon patch."