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All Provinces Unite to Curb High-grading Evil

Toronto, March 20. - A Dominionwide drive to stop highgrading is under consideration by every provincial government, Hon. Paul Leduc, minister of mines, announced.

Mr. Leduc met representatives of other provinces in Winnipeg last week. He urged them to adopt mining regulatario, to "make it more difficult to Salvation Army Official highgrade," he said.

At the last session of the Ontario Legislature the Mining Act was amended to make it more strict. If uniform ing will be simplified.

James Parker in a highgrading trial to Russia and Japan. Up until six enormous size and the Brigadier said safer. yesterday that "whoever was respons- years ago there were no fortifications that he had seen pea vines as high as ible in enforcing the act allowed cer- whatever but there now were 3,500 ten feet. tain of them to carry on open house," American airmen permanently station-Mr. Leduc said all reports of traffic in ed on one of the small islands. It Indian curios including blankets, headgold were checked every month by the looked as though the United States dresses and war clubs. In order to department of mines. "I have not seen would soon begin to fortify the whole make his description of Indian customs the judgment handed down by Judge coast. care to say."

highgrading conspiracy case, the judge annual gold production was enormous, ing and quiet. said it had been intimated the firm's It was one of the greatest commercial George Ross thanked the Brigadier citizenship so that their work as enemy week, the sittings have been postponed license under the Unwrought Metal fishing areas in the world and millions for his fine address. He was introduced agents may be facilitated. Sales Act had not been checked by the of pounds of salmon and other fish to the club by Major Cornthwaite. mines department, and that "this made were shipped out yearly. possible the disposal of gold brick and metal coin."

Premier Hepburn Offers to Settle Finns in the North

Offer Has Been Forwarded to Finland.

Toronto, March 20.-Kingsley Graham, the Finnish consul in Toronto, said that an offer by Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario to aid in settling 100,000 Finnish refugees on the arable clay belt in Northern Ontario has been communicated to the Finnish consul

general at Montreal. "I know that he will be very interested and will relay the message to the Finnish government," said the consul. "It is a matter for the governments to decide. It is a very cordial offer on Premier Hepburn's part and one which must be carefully worked out,"

Young Girls Going to Beer Rooms is Serious Thing Magistrate Says

Convicts Nineteen Year Old Girl of Theft of Watch and Places Her Under Bond. Girl Says She Doesn't Remember Taking Watch. Drank Until Midnight in Beverage Room With Two Men and Then Went to Blind Pigs.

Chinese Rally to

Support of Member

of Race in Trouble

Found Not "Public."

Release Man on Ascertain-

ing Fact Part of His

House in Which Beer

It is very rarely that a Chinese gets

countrymen able and willing to help.

Drunks

Four drunks were given the time-

honoured alternative of a fine of \$10

and costs or the prospect of 30 days in

the environs of Haileybury. |As usual

most of them did not have the neces-

A Technicality

or required to spend a month in jail.

30 days.

sary lucre to pay the fine.

"binge" during the past year.

"The most serious thing about this case is that it shows that young girls of her age are going around beer parlours," said Magistrate Atkınson, convicting a local young woman of theft. Because of her age, 19 years, the

Magistrate said that he would give her "one more chance." She was required to sign a bond for \$100 that she would keep out of trouble and out of beer parlours in the next year. She also was required to pay the court costs of

Blonde Paulette was convicted of stealing a watch worth \$37.50, from into trouble. When he does he finds his

Savage said that the girl came to Joseph Wen faced a charge of vagrancy his home with two men. She was look- in police court on Tuesday. His friends ing for another address. When she supplied his bail and assured the authasked to use the bathroom he directed orities that if he was allowed to go they her to it. After the trio left his wife would supply him with a job and see asked him to get her watch which she that he was taken care of. That soluhad left in the bathroom. He looked tion was satisfactory to police and and it was gone.

Police Constable Guolla said that he was withdrawn. went to where Paulette was staying with her sister and asked her for the watch. She said that her sister had it and went n and got it.

She didn't know Savage said the girl. She had been out drinking with her two male escorts until twelve o'clock. After that they went to another blind pig on Way Street and drank more. From there they went to another one in the Tuesday afternoon matinee. address on Elm Street and had still He won't be there for the next three

she got home, the girl said that she awakened next morning and found a watch in her purse. She did not recall going to Savage's house.

She stopped a friend of her's on the jail term of 30 days. street that morning, she said, and asked him to accompany her to Way Street and Elm Street in order to find out if she could find the owner of the watch. They were unable to do so.

The girl denied that she had offered Savage \$50 to withdraw the charge against her.

Bill Olle said that he was the man stopped to look for the owner of the watch.

Testifying again Sayage said that Miss Bisson came to his house three times after the charge was laid. been acquired in the legal manner. said that if he would withdraw the charge she would pay the costs even if they amounted to \$50.

no reason why drunk people should beer in his room. One, they discovered, in people's houses."

Alaska Important Strategic Point for Russia, Japan

Spent Many Years in Alaska. Tells of Indians.

Alaska, said Salvation Army Brigadier costs or ten days. legislation is obtained throughout Can- | Acton to the Kiwanis Club on Monday ada the task, of checking on highgrad- is a great and important country for Referring to the statement of Judge of considerable importance with regard sive growth. Strawberries grew to an in the interests of making our highways

Parker yet," he said. "Until I have had | Speaking with the experience of a through the antics of a witch doctor. time to study the evidence and the great many years spent as representajudgment, there is nothing further I tive of the Salvation Army there, Bri- converted now, said the Brigadier. month. This is particularly necessary arraigned. gadier Acton said there were great de- They were making fine citizens, doctors, in view of Mr. Lapointe's statement The Assizes, with Mr. Justice E. R. E. In sentencing six men in a \$1,000,000 posits of free gold there and that the nurses, teachers. They were peace lov- that some countries are urging their Chevrier presiding, are scheduled to

Two-thirds of the country was in the Guests were Falkner Gauthier, Wind- Cromwell, new United States Minister temperate zone and although generally sor, Harry T. Pomeroy, formerly of to Canada, is an author, sportsman, exlooked upon as a cold country it was Timmins, Major Cornthwaite, Captain plorer, world traveller, philonthropist has been fought—as wars must be—to hands is to lock them in the pantry peace treaty with Russia, reports reachagriculturally productive. The short Pinrod and Brigadier Acton, all of the and husband of the world's richest girl. establish a great truth, viz., that there and hide the key under the soap on the ing London today suggest the question summers were very hot and the damp, Salvation Army.



hurband, Lew Ayres, culminated in desertion. Married in 1934, the separated in 1936. Miss Rogers is shown in a Los Angleles

Makes the Plea:-"Please Don't Hurt Magistrate Atkinson and the charge

Contributed by Col. A. ice Commissioner.

Nelson Decorrey's face is a familian months though. That was the jail Admitting that she was drunk when term he received for one too many wore blue gloves. Her cocker-spaniel, Charles Ellison was drunk for the second time within a year and he was given the choice of a fine of \$50 or a

Peter Sowchuk admitted that part of of her-the girl with yellow curls-and wronged than the plaintiff, Felix Mahis house had been declared a public the boy across the aisle who makes zeppa who was sporting two discolored place, but he asserted that it was not funny faces. She told me about her eyes and a long strip of adhesive tape the part in which he had four cases of teacher who has eyes in the back of on his face. beer. Police admitted that the declaration which forbade the presence of olcohol in Sowchuk's place did specify who doesn't believe in Santa Claus. We "rear." The accused was given the benefit of the doubt and allowed to go. John Rojowski was not so fortunate.

The charge against him was that he metic-and then to bed. had beer in his possesion which had not Police Sergeant Gilbert DesRoches Elizabeth" (that's a doll) cuddled in her said that Rojowski lived in a rooming arm. You guys wouldn't hurt her, "She must have been drunk all right," house at 108 Sixth Avenue. When they would you? You see, I'm her daddy. said the Magistrate. "However, I see paid a visit they found two cases of When her doll is broken or her finger is They ordered him out but he would not wander around town picking things up had been bought legally. There were fix it-but when she starts to school,

> She's a nice kid. She can run like of Foster and the charges were disly, the accused was fined \$25 and costs a deer and darts about like a chip- missed. Hector Marcott pleaded guilty to munk. She likes to ride horses and having a half a gallon of wine in his afternoons. But I can't be with her all To be Tried Next possession. Penalty, \$25 and costs or afternoons. But I can't be with her all the time-I have to work to pay for her clothes and her education. So please Oliva Gagne, police said, would not co-operate with them. When they help me look out for her. Please drive carefully, please drive slowly past the found him arguing with a man on the street, they told him to "move on." He schools and intersections—and please did not do so and so was charged with disorderly conduct. Penalty was \$5 and

Please don't hurt my little girl.

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APPLICATIONS AT RATE OF The speaker showed a number of

London Free Press:-James H. R.

Ginger Wins Divorce



My Little Girl!"

Kirkpatrick, Toronto Pol-

Dear Driver:

Today my daughter, who is 7 years old, started to school as usual. She wore a dark blue dress with a white miner, was working, authorities said collar. She had on black shoes and porch and whined his canine belief in shoes were recovered. the folly of education as she waved "good-bye" and started off to the halls

told me about the girl who sits in front her head—and about the trees in the school yard—and about the big girl went upstairs to the private apartment talked about a lot of things tremend bathroom. The two men in the store ously vital unimportant things; then jumped on him even though he offered we studied spelling, reading and arith-

She's back there now-back in the nursery-sound asleep, with "Princess cut, or her head gets bumped, I can not the necessary permits for the other when she walks across the street, then at the brewery warehouse. According- she's in your hands.

hind parked cars.

Phil Braniff.

2000 A MONTH COMING IN

(Brockville Recorder and Times)

well to make close scrutiny of all appli- if a true bill is returned, will conduct more realistic, he costumed and went cations for naturalization, now coming the prosecution before the petit jury The Indians were, to a large extent, forward at the rate of about 2000 a before whom Holowicz then will be

Guess what title he is best known by. | are more Russians.

Five Youths Go to Jail For Theft of Auto Tires Receiver Down for Three

Youths Admit Breaking and Entering Warehouse of the Imperial Oil Company on Two Occasions. Steal Close to \$300 Worth of Tires. A. Lariviere Bought Four Tires from Boys for \$5. Beat Them Down in Price.

Grins as He Gets Three Months for **Keeping for Sale**

Dismiss Assault Charges against Ansara Brothers. Remand Charge Supplying Liquor to Minors.

Morris Mandel grinningly admitted hat he had been keeping liquor for sale. He continued to grin even when the Magistrate handed him a sentence of three months in jail.

Mandel, police said, had 415 pints of beer in his place when police paid their visit. Provincial police laid the charge. Remand Charge Supplying

A young woman pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk. Out of the charge arose another, one of supplying liquor to girls under the age of twentyone years. Accused was Jack Burtoff He is alleged to have supplied the young woman who was convicted and also to have given it to her younger sister.

Inasmuch as the girls' parents were not present to testify to their ages nor was there a birth certificate produced, the Crown decided to remand the charge for a week.

Paul Boisvert, described as a Sudbury and so the Magistrate gave him another chance. He was alleged to have stolen whose name is Scoot, sat on the front a pair of shoes in a local store. The for a time and, finally, they lowered

Accuser in Wrong

Charges of assault occasioning actua bodily harm against Nacer and William Tonight we talked about school. She Ansara, were dismissed when it was found that the Ansaras were more

Mazeppa said that he inadvertently labove Ansaras' store in search of to have either them or police officers search him.

Story of police and defence witnesse was somewhat different. G. Foster, who was in the store

the time, said that the Ansaras refused to serve Mazeppa because he was drunk. go. He grabbed Nacer Ansara by the tie and ripped his shirt. Mazeppa struck the first blow and the battle was on. Police evidence was similar to that

Week at Haileybury on Murder Charge

Haileybury, March 20.-When Mike Holowicz, former employee of the Miller Lake-O'Brien mine, goes on trial at the Temiskaming Spring Assizes later -A contribution by the agents of the this month on a charge of murdering Mrs. Annie Zuk at the woman's home in Gowganda five months ago, the case for the Crown will be in the hands of W. B. Common, K.C., it was announced this week at the office of Crown Attorney J. B. Robinson here. Mr. Common, who is counsel for the Attorney-General's Department at Toronto, will The authorities at Ottawa are doing present the case to the grand jury and,

> with the Dominion general election, set for March 26.

Five of six youths who pleaded guilty

to breaking and entering the warehous

of the Imperial Oil Company received séntences ranging from three to six months, in police court on Tuesday. The other lad was placed on suspended sentence and required to sign a bond There were two charges one that

William Forbes, Anthony Hoff, George and Paul Timm broke and entered the warehouse and stole tires valued a \$120. The other was that William Bolduc, Anthony Hoff, William Forbes, George Timm and Emanuel Grenier entered the warehouse on February 13 and stole tires to the value of \$160. Hoff and the Timm brothers, Paul

and George, each received sentences of six months in jail on the charges against them. Forbes and Grenier each were sentenced to three months and Bolduc was placed on suspended sen

Hoff, Forbes, George Timm and Grenier all had previous police court convictions. All three had been charged with breaking and entering.

Albert Lariviere, who bought four tires from the boys, was sent to jail for

three months. Constable Angelo Guolla said tha Lariviere admitted to him that bought four tires for \$5 knowing they were stolen. In a statement which was read out in police court Lariviere said that the boys came to him and told him that they had four tires. They asked \$10 for them. He "stalled" them off his car and went to a local brick yard. One of the boys got out of the car and

the money as "they wanted to go to the midnight show." Lariviere pleaded "not guilty" in coubut when asked if the statement was correct, he said that it was. At that Magistrate Atkinson rapped

returned with the tires. He gave them

out sentence. "Three months," he said. Dismiss Fraud Charge A charge that he committed fraud by obtaining a suit of clothes on the understanding that he was working at a time when he was unemployed, against Fred Groves, was dismissed.

Joe Winton, proprietor of the Esquir Shop, where Groves got the suit, said that the accused chose a suit sample He paid a deposit of \$15 and agreed to pay two-thirds of the amount of the suit, \$35, before he took it. When the suit arrived Groves asked to take it on payment of \$5 more. Mr. Winton said that he allowed him to do so when Groves told him that he was employed at the Windsor Hotel. It was only on that understanding that he allowed him to have the suit. Had he known at the time that Groves was not working he

would have retained the suit. Magistrate Atkinson dismissed the harge. He said that so far as he could see it was a matter for division court. Groves had at least paid \$20.

THREE NEW JOBS GIVEN TO FIRE CHIEF AT COCHRANE

Cochrane.-When it comes to economizing Cochrane has a running start over many another community.

Burdened with a \$3,000 deficit from last year and the prospect of pluging deep into the red again during 1940, council advanced the mill rate one, to 49; cut the fire chief's salary 50 per cent, and saddled him with the extra duties of weed inspector, cemetery keeper and assistant sanitary inspector. In another effort to head off an expected deficit again this year, council lopped \$2,000 off road and sidewalk expenditures.

Repairs to the sewage disposal plant accounted for the municipal financial stringency, and as there is still further Secure Control of work to be done on the plant, th town expects another financially difficult year during '40.

By Clifford McBride

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY



A. F. McDowell was in the chair,



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London.-While a Finnish delegation Hartney Star:-Another way to keep headed by Juhu Paasikivi is flying to Sudbury Star: - One more bloody war cookies and candies safe from juvenile Moscow to clear up final details of the cessions in Northern Finland is likely to be raised at the Kremlin.

A Rome propaganda broadcast heard here said the subject will be one of the most important to be discussed before final ratification of the treaty.

The German newspaper Deusche Allgemeine Zeitung was quoted as saying Germany is paying close attention to the question of utilization of the mines and that "Russia is not prepared to tolerate any British privileges in these important mines."

that both Germany and Russia will attempt to prevent Britain profiting from the concessions, hitherto held by The International Nickel Company of Canada.

The broadcaster took this to mean

Globe and Mail:-Victims of dictatorship: Ethiopia, Albania, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, Poland and now Finland, Where is this business to end?