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Pleading guilty to a charge of keep-

in a common gaming house, Walter

Dolecki, Fourth avenue, was fined \$200

including costs, when he appeared be-

fore Magistrate Atkinson in weekly

court. The charge followed a raid by Timmins police on February 25. The

sum of \$16.50 which was picked up off

the table by the raiding officers, was

ordered confiscated. Stanley Pietzrik

who was orginally held on the gaming

house charge as proprietor, had the

Eleven men, charged as found-ins

were each assessed twenty dollars and

costs. Two men, who pleaded not

guilty, were apparently under the im-

pression that Dolecki had a "gamb-

ling license." Both admitted they were

vised to cough up twenty and costs or

take a thirty-day jaunt to the Hailey-

A charge of keeping a common gam-

ing house against Oscar Karppinen,

was adjourned for a week at the re-

quest of the Crown. One of six found-

ins has already pleaded guilty to illegal

gaming but the Magistrate refused to

disclose the name to Sol Platus, K.C.,

who is appearing as counsel for Karp-

Dismiss Health Act Charges

Charges under the public health act

against Albert Belanger and Henri

Morin concerning the possession of the

carcass of a calf under three weeks old

were dismissed. Belanger, who but-

chered the calf and sold it to Morin.

Wilson avenue merchant, testified that

the calf was from his pure bred and

proof of this he produced a certificate

that was made out in accordance with

Charge is Remanded

William Merinchuk, of South Porcu-

Kapuskasing Backs

Cochrane Proposal

Cochrane, March 5- Full support

of the Cochrane Board of Trade re-

connections with Western Canada at

The Kapuskasing Board has taken

action similar to the Cochrane Board

and in a letter to the board stated that

it wishes to commend the Cochrane

Board for its action and that it is

forwarding similar requests to the rail-

way officials. The adoption of the

resolution by Kapuskasing is the first

response that has been received but

it is expected that further approval

will be secured this week form Tim-

District Board of Trade.

pine, was remaned for a week.

A charge of drunk driving against

Mine Employees Blamed In Accident At Delnite

Coroner's Jury Probing Mishap That Took Life of Gerald T. West, Find Machine Runner and Helper Should Have Warned Victim of Danger. Claim Warning Signs Used Too Small.

A coroners jury here Monday afternoon returned a verdict of accidental Beautiful Sewing death after probing the circumstances surrounding the fatal accident at Delnite Gold Mine on February 24 that claimed the life of Gerald T. West, to Ladies' Auxiliary employed there as a sampler. West died from suffocation, medical evidence showed, after he fell into a chute from which "muck" was being drawn on the next level below the stope in which he had been working.

In returning their verdict however, the jury found that a machine man, and his helper, O. Stewart, working in the same stope where the fatality occurred, had been lax is not advising West of the dangerous conditions that existed. Stewart was also criticised for moving a warning sign that had been fastened to a conduct the whist drives for the mont tre of the stope to advise employees that the chute was being "pulled." too small and of poor colour.

apparent that the chute in which West of which were for the Comfort Fund met his death had been "hung up" but of the Auxiliary. this condition did not exist when A beautiful sewing cabinet was prethe night shift completed their work, sented to the Ladies' Auxiliary by Mr. R. Moore, mine captain testified. Pre- R. Backhouse for the purpose of raisof the 24th, eleven cars of muck had will be drawn for in the near future. been pulled from the chute and the The cabinet is a very clever piece of rock in the top level of the stope had workmanship and is the work of the hung up. The chute puller, W. Burey donor. told the inquiry that before starting to load cars from the chute he had gone into the stope and erected a warning Mines Vital to British sign, which he had fastened to a loading stick.

Stewart, the machine helper, who had been working in the stope, testi- minister of resources, T. A. Crerer, befied that he and his partner had been lieves Canada's huge mineral deposits talking to West between 10.30 and 11 may be the most important element of o'clock that morning. The three men victory. talked and smoked for a few minutes twenty-five feet past the danger sign. those of Great Britain." I didn't say anything to him about the chute and I don't know whether he Quebec Canadian Club. saw the sign or not," Stewart related. Stewart had admitted previously that he had taken the warning sign off the loading stick and placed it on the centre of a muck pile in plain view.

Fugina, the machine runner, corroborated the evidence given by Stewart says that Farmer John Swanson Frick and testified that in his opinion any- died Tuesday night because of a rupone would have seen the warning sign tured heart ventrical. An autopsy lying on top of the muck pile. "I just was conducted. And Dr. A. E. Merkel happened to turn around after he left found that Frick had two hearts-both us and I saw him fall into the collaps- fully developed. The normal heart ing muck," Fugina told the inquest. | was located in the usual place.

Caddy and R. E. Wales.

Cabinet Presented

To Be Used to Raise Money for the Comfort Fund.

Mrs. R. Hardy was in the chair at the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion which was held on Monday evening in the Legion hall. A fairly good attendance of members was present.

Mrs. P. Harvey resigned from the convenership of the social committee and two members were appointed to "leading stick" and placed in the cen- of March. They are Mrs. W. Mackie and Mrs. Pennington.

It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's The verdict further stated that the Day social, and plans will be made for warning signs in use at the Delnite are the event. A vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. J. Shaw, who was host-From the evidence presented it was ess at a five hundred party, proceeds

vious to the accident on the morning ing money for the Comfort Fund. This

Victory Says T. A. Crerai

Quebec City, March 5-The federal

He points out that machines play and West then gave them a hand to first part in this conflict. He adds: put a bar up for a machine. "A short | "Canada produces all basic metals in time later I saw West sampling about sufficient quantity for its needs and

Mr. Crerar spoke at a meeting of the

Authenticated Case of Two Hearts that Beat as One

A despatch from Ashland, Oregon James Meehan was the foreman of other was below the first, and it was the jury, which also included Frank in the "extra" heart that the rupture McCharles, Joseph Gauthier, J. J. occurred. Frick was 78 years old at the time of his death.

Value of Auxiliary War Services to Soldiers At Home and Overseas

More Than 8,200,000 Free Baths Last Year For Men in ily harm, Omer Swain was fined \$25 "I ask," says Morris, "how is Uniform. Personal Services Important. Recreation Huts. Entertainment, Sports, Special Services to Men. tion during a hockey match at Tim- okay. But then I go to buy junk and broke Grove. Religious Services.

In Monday's issue of The Advance, was so valuable and contributed so there was an article giving some of much to the comfort of the troops, that the background of the organizations we felt that anything we could ever known as the Auxiliary War Services. do to repay them would be totally in-This month these organizations (the adequate." Salvation Army, the Canadian Legion, the I.O.D.E., the Y.M.C.A., the K. of C. Huts, and the Y.W.C.A.) are making helps to relieve sailors, soldiers and a joint appeal for the necessary funds airmen of worries that might otherwise to carry on the work.

For the benefit of any who are not ficiency. fully acquainted with the work being | Perplexing home problems are addone by these organizations for the justed with the minimum of delay; soldiers here and overseas, the follow- fighting men are advised on financial ing summary of the auxiliary war ser- obligations, and they find answers to vices performed by the anadian Legion, a hundred and one vexing and anxious the Salvation Army, the Y.M.C.A., the personal problems. Y.W.C.A., the Knights of Columbus | A particularly outstanding service is and the I.O.D.E., respectively, or in that which helps the men to obtain common, has been prepared by Vernon adjustment of dependents' allowances Knowles, Publicity Director for the and pensions claims. It is fully expect-Canadian War Services Fund;

Just as An Instance

More than 8,200,000 free baths were portant in the months that lie ahead. provided for men in uniform during last year alone, by just ONE of the six | Everywhere throughout Canada where organizations now jointly appealing there are concentrations of troops in for funds. Every Canadian will realize training or on active service, are to be the value of such a contribution to found well-equipped recreation huts the comfort of our sailors, soldiers, and where the men may relax in comfort-

ing in magnitude. Yet figures equally write letter home, read, play games, remarkable could be cited in respect listen to radios or join in sing-songs, of each and every form of service ren- impromptu concerts and, in many dered by each one of the six organi- cases, purchase light refreshments and zations.

France and England on November 30, of free note paper and envelopes as 1940, told what these services mean to well as pens and ink supplied free of the troops thus:-

times when, under very peculiar cir- to encourage the men to keep in concumstances, the work of these services

Personal Services

The rendering of personal services tend to detract from their fighting ef-

ed that this phase of personal services work will become even more im-

Recreation Huts able, homelike surroundings, enjoy the The figures are significant-surpris- good fellowship of their comrades,

other articles at adjoining canteens. Brigadier Eric W. Haldenby, M.C., of A big attraction offered by the re-Toronto, returning from service in creation huts is the abundant supply charge. Millions of such articles are "I could tell of dozen and dozens of provided, as they are in England also,

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WORKING FOR THE VICTIMS OF BOMBINGS FROM THE AIR



Given Thirty-Day Term For Forging "Mine Card"

Phillip Lefebvre, of Sudbury, Convicted Here Tuesday. Claims Friend Signed Doctor's Name. Two Men Fined and Another Jailed on Assault Charges. Men Pay Parking Fines.

underground, was convicted and sen- magistrate. tenced to thirty days in jail when he here Tuesday afternoon.

Ray centre here, told the court that Lefebvre, who has been employed at ined for four years previously by Dr. fence drunk. A. E. Morgan, of Sudbury. The final signature on the card for 1940 aroused munication with Dr. Morgan bore out Three others were adjourned for this belief. Lefebvre was instructed to week call back to Dr. Taylor's office in a few days and at that time the accused told the doctor that a friend of his had signed the certificate for him.

Delbert Murphy, supervisor of the local Government Employment Office told the court that it was on the strength of the card that Lefebvre produced that he had given him a slip to report for work at the Paymaster.

Lefebyre, taking the stand in his own defence, testified that Mr. Murphy first told him that his card was not up to date. After leaving the employment office he met a friend whom he claimed had told him that he would get his card fixed up for him. He returned a short time later and the card was signed. "I didn't realize what he had done and wasn't aware that he had signed Dr. Morgan's signature to the card," Lefebvre testified.

In answer to several questions by the Magistrate, Lefebvre again declared that he didn't realize what his friend had done. Crown Attorney Caldbick insisted that the accused must have known that the card had been forged New York Junkman Sees and would not agree to a suspended Nothing but Relief for Him sentence. Accordingly the magistrate imposed a thirty-day term. Assault Charges

Eino Bandiere occasioning actual bod- a Brooklyn junkman. mins arena, blacking one eye, cutting bang-the anti-noise ordinance". to strike him. Both youths are about wagon the fact he buys junk. sixteen years of age.

Sam Miron pleaded guilty to assault- go on relief.

Phillip Lefebvre, charged with using ing Harry Cheu, Chinese Cafe propriea forged X-ray card issued to miners, tor, and was sentenced to sixty days in granting the permission of the Work- jail. A long previous record that the men's Compensation Board to work accused admitted, was read by the

Nick Platus, charged with assaulting appeared before Magistrate Atkinson George Bacon at a wedding party here recently, was ordered to pay a fine Dr. W. Taylor, in charge of the X- of five dollars and costs.

Given Three Months. "I don't know what I am going to do

the Paymaster mine for seven month, with you; you are going to drink yourhad been sent to him for re-examin- self to death," said Magistrate Atkination by the mine on January 17. His son as he sentenced James P. McDonald card showed that he had been exam- to three months in jail as a third-of-

Parking Charges Heavy

Twenty-three motorists, including that it was a forgery. Subsequent com- costs on charges of overtime parking

Threat of Bread Famine Menaces Unoccupied France

Vichy. March 5-The threat of major bread famine still menaces unoccupied France The afready skimpy rations were cu another 20 per cent Monday, And a government spokesman says the un occupied zone has only half the wnear needed to carry the people over until

Furthermore, the prospects for t 1941 harvest are dark. There's been 50 per cent. drop in the crop, and there's a shortage of fuel needed for threshing

A propaganda office statement denounces the British blockade as 1esponsible for many of France's troubles. blockade" against the nations aiding in the British blockade is being or

New York, March 5 - Mayor La-Guardia's anti-noise ordinance is mak-Convicted on a charge of assaulting ing it plenty tough on Morris Friedman

put his hands up as if he were going him into court for shouting from the for bravery.

present when the photo was taken are:-Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Jones, J. P. Bartleman, J. Waiter, E. Finchen and W. A. Jenkins.

Gives Encouragement

Toronto, March 5-Diamond drill the song." hole No. 30 at Orpit Mines' McCauleycut two feet of yellow ankerite at wrote an accompaniment. the doctor's suspicion and he believed three doctors, were fined one dollar and depth of 528 feet yesterday afternoon. officials advise. Assays have not been in other intersections.

being rushed through in an effort to From this Mr. Duncan filled in the tion of the carcass, which was seized contact the greenstone.

This is the third hole in the current griffing programme which is testing Sound about nine years ago, was born at about two weeks. a theory that the contact of the greenstone and the sediments folds back on in 1900. He has relatives in most parts nself and the three holes to date indis of the Empire, in England, India, and cate this to be so. The first two holes, Australia. He has not heard from re-Nos. 26 and 27, gave \$9 over eight feet latives in England for a long time, and for the former and two sections in the as yet has no idea whether they are latter ran \$5.30 over eleven teet and safe or not. \$3.90 over fifteen feet.

Plans for the future are to fan out other holes, gradually working from reporter, Mr. Fry played his composdue west to north to see if the centact ition. The words are inspiring and for Train Service can be outlined. Warren Emmens has the tune is a stirring one which should been retained as consultant and will prove popular. It warns that a so-called "continental spend the next two weeks at the property correlating results of previous drilling carried out by Pioneer and the by any pianist. The more talented current drilling. Officials state that rechecks of the pulps from the holes accompaniment if they wish." drilled by Pioneer have shown values

Extinguishes Incendiary

day, Mrs. Lillian Halle heard an incenand costs. Bandiera claimed that fellow going to make a living. First I diary bomb crash through the roof of position is as follows. Swain attacked him without provoca- pay 10 bucks for a license. That's her house in Chesterton Road, Lad- "Ye gallant lads of the R. A. F.,

She at once carried sand and water To meet the enemy of the air, his lip and knocking out a front tooth. Last week the police made Morris to the top of the house and put out the Swain admitted striking the other take the bell off his wagon. Too much bomb. The mayor of Kensington is youth but claimed that Bandiera first noise, they said. This week they hauled recommending her for a civilian award

"Oh. well", says Morris, "I guess I'll effectively dealt with the fire did Mrs. Fly on, fly on, Halle call for help."

For months past a local committee here has been working earnestly and effectively to help the people in Britain left homeless by the savage bombing from the air by the Hun forces. Two cheques of \$1,000 each have already been forwarded to the Old Country, and a third similar one is now being collected to help the bombed victims overseas. Those in the back row of the picture are:- from left to right, J. Griffin, F. Kitcher (president), K. Cambridge, E. Tomlinson (secretary-treasurer). Front row, left to right, Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Park, Mrs. Johnstone, Mrs. Lory. Others of the committee not

Orpit Mines Drilling

much better than previously reported.

London, March 5-On her 99th birth- Gallant Men of the R. A. F."

Gaming House Operator Assessed Fine of \$200 Raid by Timmins Police Proves Costly to Walter Dolecki. Eleven "Found-ins" Each Pay \$20 and Costs. Charge

Against Oscar Karppinen Remanded at Weekly Court Session.

Sudbury Engineer **Composes Song for** the Royal Air Force

Words and Music Alike Said to Make Popular Appeal.

According to a recent issue of The case withdrawn against him. Sudbury Star a C.N.R. engineer in that city has composed the words and music for a song that promises to achieve special popularity. The Star makes the following reference to the song:

"Ye Gallant Men of the R.A.F." When the stirring strains of "Ye playing poker and were promptly ad-

Gallant Lads of the R. A. F.," are heard Sudbury residents have reason to be proud of the talent shown by a local musician, R. G. Fry, of 382 Agnes St., who write the words and the lyric. "I go to work in the late afternoon,'

explained Mr. Fry, who is an engineer on the C. N. R. "and one night was listening to the London broadcast on my short wave radio. It was at the time of the big German push when the R. A. F. brought down so many pinen planes. As I was sitting there, full of admiration for the work of the men of the R.A.R., the words came to me. "I do not read music, so had to feel my way through the lyric, which took me about a week. My original plan was just to make copies for my friends but they suggested that I copyright

When Mr. Fry was in Toronto last tested herd and had been born on Brydge property in Bristol Township, fall a friend, J. M. Duncan of the January 27. He told the court that he western end of the Porcupine camp, R. C. A. F. became interested and had killed the calf on February 18, In

Copied Down Notes

"My wife and Mr. Duncan deserve a the regulations covering pure bred catmade yet, but it is claimed that this great deal of credit for the completion the showing the date of birth of the has always been a favourable host rock of the composition," affirmed Mr. Fry. calf as January 27. In view of these "As I said, I cannot read a note of statements the Magistrate withdrew Hole No. 30 gave an average of \$7.25 music, and play entirely by ear. So the charges against both Belanger and feet across a width of seventeen feet at Mrs. Fry had to hear the piece over Morin. Dr. Durkin, local veterinary, a depth of around 287 feet and it is and over, copying down the notes. told the court that from his examinaby Sanitary Inspector James Meehan, accompaniment"

Mr. Fry who came from Parry he would estimate the age of the calf in England and travelled to Canada

Words Are Inspiring At the request of the Sudbury Star

"The song is printed in simple form", Other Centres Expected to Mr. Fry affirmed, "and can be played Add Their Voices. artists can fill in a more complicated

According to Mr. Fry, this is the first solution for additional tarin services piece of music he ever composed. He between Timmins and Nakina daily, in explained that, while in Parry Sound, order to allow Northern towns to make he started a waltz but never completed it, finding that his lack of Nakina and with the Northland leaving Bomb on 99th Birthday musical knowledge handicapped him. Timmins daily except Saturday has The lack does not show in his "Ye been received from the Kapuskasing

The first verse of Mr. Fry's com-

On whom we all depend, An Britain's skies defend. Fly on, fly on, ye gallant lads, The enemy rough may be,

But show that tyrant overe there A neighbor said: "Not until she had That Britons shall be free. Fly on to victory".

mins, South Porcupine, Iroquois Falls, Smooth Rock and Hearst. Successful Whist Drive In Aid of War Victims

A very successful whist drive was held on Tuesday evening in the Hollinger hall in aid of the War Victims. The event was sponsored by Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. Walkley, with Mr. Albert Atkinson acting as M.C.

During the evening, Mr. Atkinson thanked all who attended to make the event a success, and prize winners were announced as follows: Ladies --1st. Mrs. Trevenna, 2nd, Mrs. A. Roberts, 3rd, Mrs. Hawse, 4th, Mrs. Bezanson, 5th, Mrs. R. Lortie, and 6th, Mrs. Welsh; Gentlemen-1st, Mr. Bezanson; 2nd, Mr. R. Jackson; 3rd, Mrs. J. Park (playing as a gentleman); 4th, Mrs. Masson (playing as a gentleman); 5th. Mr. C. Horner; and 6th, Mrs. Partridge (playing as a gentleman).

Travelling prizes were won by Mrs. Drew and Mrs. F. Walkley, and Mr. Bannerman was the winner of the door

A draw for a large box of chocolates resulted with Mrs. R. Backhouse as winner.

Prizes for the drive were donated by Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Walkley, Mrs. Cassidy, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Curnow, Valey, Yolles, Harvey, Halperin, Ostrosser, Burke, White Eagle, a friend, Steinburg and Mann, Moisley and Ball and Goldfield, Theatre.

HUNDREDS HONOUR MEMORY OF ST. DAVID



Above is a view of a part of the

Hollinger hall last Saturday night

when about two hundred Welsh people and their friends gathered

to do honour to the memory of St. David, the patron saint of Wales.

A full report of the event was given in The Advance on Menaly.