

L. PRYOR WINS ANOTHER \$5.00 IN "SAVE-A-LIFE LINE" CONTEST

In the monthly contest L. Pryor, 5th hand, in the machine room previously won \$5.00 from the National Safety Council. Now he has gone and done it again. So Les is ten bucks to the good. Here is a facsimilie of the letter for the recent win of Les Pryor.

"Mr. L. Pryor,
476 Superior Avenue,
Terrace Bay, Ontario.

Dear Mr. Pryor:

You are in a rut!

For again you have won \$5.00 prize in the "Save-a-Life Line" Contest! This time the award was made for your line:

"On the driver in front, don't rely."

Congratulations, again---and we hope this is only the start toward future prizes which may be even bigger.

We are glad to have you in the contest and hope you can keep right on sending in your very excellent entries.

Sincerely,

Paul Jones,
Director of Public
Information,
National Safety Council.

So come on folks let's more of us try for this green stuff the NSC are giving away.

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MAY ASK FIRMS TO PRODUCE SELF EXTINGUISHING CIGARETTES - Ottawa, March 16, 1954.

"Hon. Stuart Garson, minister of Justice, told the House of Commons yesterday he was prepared to consider the suggestion that tobacco companies be compelled to manufacture cigarettes which would burn out soon after they were discarded.

The proposal was made once again by Stanley Knowles (CCF, Winnipeg North Centre), who contended the time had arrived when some measure should be adopted to reduce the number of fires caused by burning cigarettes.

Mr. Knowles said it had been established that cigarettes could be made to extinguish themselves quickly when no longer being smoked by the application of chemicals to

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the paper. It had also been found that cigarettes with cork or filter tips seldom started fires, he added.

The member said that as a non-smoker he "would hate to be regarded as a person advocating something in the nature of a blue law," since he recognized that manufacturers would not regard a cigarette as a "saleable product" if it burned out too easily while being smoked.

Nevertheless, he continued, it was imperative that some step should be taken to reduce the fire hazard from discarded cigarettes. "The possibility that tobacco people will do this on their own, let us admit, is very slim," Mr. Knowles added. "I would hopethat, if necessary, they could be persuaded to put up some money for research into this question of some really effective way in which to minimize the loss of life and property in fires started from cigarettes." - Toronto Daily Star.

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SALE! SALE!

LAST CHANCE - Friday, April 30th

Fridays Special - 1949 Ford Convertible
\$895.00

Radio, heater, overdrive, - can be financed
First one to me gets it.

Also left - floor lamp, bamboo type living room blinds, studio couch, refrigerator, drop leaf table.

A. Lindskoog,
135 Poplar Crescent.

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