

Sont Matches in Mail.—On Satur-  
day John Wylyezku was arraigned in

the Transcona police court before Police Magistrate Andrew for mailing, on April 1, a packet containing tobacco and matches to Einzig Wylczyk, a prisoner of war, 16 company, Lancaster, England. Amos Hicks, post office inspector of Winnipeg, prosecuted on behalf of the government, and stated that it was a serious offence, and contrary to section 124 of the Post Office act, and that strong measures must be enacted as a warning to others, for if such articles as matches were allowed to be carried in the mails, not only lives were endangered, but thousands of dollars' worth of property. He asked for a penalty as a warning to others. The prisoner pleading guilty Magistrate Andrew said that it was imperative that the section of the act should be rigorously maintained, and as a warning to others imposed a fine of \$20, and costs \$4.50, or three months in jail.