

## FINDS WAY TO GIVE CHAUFFEUR LESSON

### MAGISTRATE BRUNTON DID NOT ACCEPT THE OBJECTION OF MUNITIONS BOARD.

In consequence of a chauffeur in the employ of the Imperial Munitions Board speeding on Yonge street at thirty-three miles per hour the board was summoned in the County Court. The defendants claimed that there was no case against them, on the ground that the Crown cannot prosecute the Crown. The Magistrate, Major Brunton, solved the problem by eliminating the name of the Imperial Munitions Board and substituting the name of the chauffeur, who was fined \$5.

John Beeton was charged with reckless driving on Yonge street on the night of September 30, and with doing damage to the extent of \$59 to a car with which he collided. The evidence of both sides was so conflicting and unsupported that the case was dismissed.

## ALIEN ENEMY GIVEN TWENTY DAYS IN JAIL

### PRISONER SEEMED TO HAVE HAD A LOT OF GOOD INTENTIONS.

Although he visited police headquarters to make amends for his ignorance of the law by offering to comply with the alien enemies act and register as such, and claiming that he subscribed to the British Red Cross, John Kuzacko, an Austrian, was yesterday sent to jail for twenty days on a charge of omitting to register during 1916-1917.

Mr. T. O'Connor, the prisoner's counsel, explained to the Magistrate that Kuzacko had been working at Fort William, where he suffered a serious injury, following which he remained in the Toronto General Hospital for some weeks. He learned of his mistake through some boarders, and then appeared in the police offices at the City Hall.

Crown Attorney Corley said that we should not be "mealy-mouthed with our enemies," who were flying over Italian cities dropping murderous bombs on inoffensive women and children.

### NATIONAL Y.M.C.A. CONVENTION

The second national convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of Canada will be held in Ottawa November 2-5, when the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, Dr. John R. Mott and Robert P. Miller of New York, Prof. H. M. Tory of the University of Alberta, Hon. Newton Rowell, and a number of other prominent men will speak. Military railroad, industrial, general association, religious and foreign work will be discussed; the report of the National Council will be presented by the Chairman, Mr. G. H. Wood, and Dr. Geo. L. Palmer, leader of the Alexander Choir, will conduct the music program. Special rates on all the railroads have been obtained, an adequate hotel accommodation has been arranged for the delegates who attend the convention.