

Keep checking for the chest was carried out by... We must not stop in our... We do not subscribe to the... the old concept of individualism. We must acknowledge that our government has a vital role in co-ordinating the efforts of the citizens and groups.

He said that the national council of the party which will meet in Ottawa in May will be asked by the Quebec group to make a special study of ill structures. This was a direct allusion to the relationships which now exist between the provincial and the federal groups.

He announced that the QLP executive committee which met in Montreal last week and yesterday had decided to absorb the party's weekly paper, La Reforme. It had been owned until now by a private group.

He also revealed that the next QLP convention which will meet in Montreal next Sept. 18-20 will have as its theme "The Youth of Quebec." Details would be announced later.

Jury Finds Man's Death Justified

A coroner's jury ruled today a 14-year-old boy committed "justifiable homicide" in killing his father to end the latter's attack on his family early Saturday.

Coroner Marcel Trahan concurred with the verdict. He said it was appropriate in view of "the fear that permeated the house as a result of the victim's sadistic, morose tendencies."

Victim was Clément Dubreuil, 37. Evidence at the hearing today showed Dubreuil was inflicting severe punishment on his family when his son decided to stop him. The boy took a .22-calibre shotgun from a closet and knocked his father down with a shot that creased his head.

Dubreuil got up again and went after the boy, who ran back to the closet and got a .303 calibre rifle. He shot his father four times in the chest.

Best Daughter
Dubreuil ended a 40-day sentence at Montreal Jail seven months ago for what was described as a vicious beating of his 15-year-old daughter.

His wife testified in the inquest today that she'd had him arrested a number of times for assault and for nonsupport. "My life with him was 17 years of hell," she said.

The boy said his earliest recollections were of being thrown up in the air and bounced off the ceiling by his father.

"Several times," he mourned, "my father punched my nine-month-old sister in her crib to make her stop crying."

The jury rendered its verdict without leaving their seats to deliberate.

QPP source says the method of investigation to date, "is an... The RCMP, the Army Provost Corps and the Montreal Police Department's special anti-terror squad are also interested in the investigation.

Novak's police said they were of the opinion the theft was "a prank."

The robbery was at the armory of the 8th Field Squadron, Royal Canadian Engineers. Nine automatic rifles, carbines and machine guns were taken. They were recovered soon afterwards by a Toronto police man, who found them hidden in a basement.

QPP spokesman said this afternoon the arms had been placed in dummy bags before being hidden in the snow, which means it was possible the thieves hid them there until they could come back for them later.

The youths were arrested less than an hour after the arms were found. Police also recovered a number of newspapers and compasses stolen from the armory.

Pinball Game Non-gambling

A pinball game should not be labelled as a gambling device, simply because it is difficult to win, the Quebec Court of Appeal ruled today.

Justice Paul Casey said Pierre Bédard maintained his conviction of Rita Toupin against a gaming house at 303 St. Clement street, in September, 1963. The alleged offence took place in December, 1962. Mr. Justice Antoine Rivard, in a dissenting opinion, ruled that the appeal should be rejected.

The same in question, the judges said, was operated by a mechanical device.

Mr. Justice Casey said: "What the prosecution had to establish was not merely as a probability but beyond a reasonable doubt was that in the operation of this particular machine the skill and experience of the player was of all practical purposes, of little or no importance."

"It was not sufficient to show that the machine was a difficult one on which to score, nor could the prosecution draw the deduction from the fact that some experts had played the machine a relatively small number of times and had failed to win."

Police Lieutenant Steve Olynyk said at Miss Toupin's trial in Municipal Court the machine was a game of chance. He said that the electric trips and bumpers which sent the ball in

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