



Dynamite cache . . . found in open on unoccupied premises.

Decide Dynamite, Poison Meant for Lawful Uses

Having satisfied themselves that a man who owned 22 sticks of dynamite and a can of deadly poison intended them for lawful uses, police today dropped their investigation.

Thomas J. Lombard, at whose former home, 2516 North Seventeenth street, East Omaha, the dynamite and poison were found, told police the dynamite was given him by a relative a year ago and he hoped to sell it. The relative had bought it for blowing stumps, he said. The poison is used in welding. Lombard made the explanation at the Douglas county jail, where he is serving a 30-day term.

Floyd Happy, 2008 Ohio street, a former policeman, found the dynamite when he went to the East Omaha address to get a bed he had lent Roy Galwood, 2813 North Nineteenth avenue, who had lived until recently at the Lombard home. Galwood accompanied Happy to the house. The two turned the dynamite over to police.

They said they found the dynamite and poison in a five-gallon can standing in the open near the house.

Lombard was sentenced October 10 on an assault and battery charge.

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