

REID DUNHAM CASE BEGUN IN CIRCUIT COURT

Forgery Count In Indictment
Taken Up Before Judge
Barry

CASE IS OUTCOME OF CIVIL ACTION

Receipt For Account Inspect-
ed—Jury Selected At
Morning Session

The case of the King vs. Reid Dunham, charged with forgery, was commenced this morning in the Circuit Court before Chief Justice Barry and Jury. It arose out of a civil suit at the last term of the County Court in which the General Electric Company brought action against Dunham for recovery of money alleged to be owing them.

RECEIPT DISPUTED.

The amount of the claim was \$112 and Dunham counter-claimed for \$410.18, contending that he had over-paid the company this amount and producing a receipt for \$352.18, which he maintained he received from them. The company disputed this receipt, and it was set up that it was a forgery, having been raised from \$50 to \$352.18. County Court Judge J. A. Barry rendered a judgment in favor of the plaintiff company for the full amount claimed and disallowed the counter-claim, stating also in his judgment that, from the nature of the evidence adduced, he felt that it was his duty to lay the facts before the Crown officer to take any steps he saw fit.

The result was that Dunham was indicted before the Supreme Court on counts of forgery, uttering a forged document and perjury. At the request of defence counsel, only the first count in the indictment was taken up this morning.

JURY SELECTED

The greater part of the morning was occupied with the selection of a jury, the following being eventually chosen: C. H. Ramsey, J. Charlton Berrie, Isaac Webber, James Kirk, Robert Jenkins, C. W. Smith, George Carvill, Alfred Baker, Frank Kinners, S. H. Taylor, F. W. Dean and H. C. Vanwart.

F. A. Pumble, manager of the General Electric Company here, was called by the Crown and he was on the stand under cross-examination when court took recess at noon. His evidence had to do with the accounts between the defendant and the company for several years, the amounts owing at different times, amounts paid and statements sent out.

J. Starr Tait appears for the Crown and E. J. Henneberry for the defence.

COSTLY POSITION IS THAT OF LORD MAYOR

London Seeks to Ease Strain on
Chief Magistrate's
Purse

LONDON, May 4.—The Lord Mayor of London, receives an official salary for his year of office of over £10,000. He lives at the Mansion House, and the corporation makes allowances amounting to another £10,000. Even so it sometimes costs a lord mayor, who happens to have an exceptionally important year of office, another £50,000 out of his private purse.

The corporation is wondering whether they cannot do something to lighten the burden of holders of this august but expensive position. Suggestions have been made that the Mansion House is old-fashioned, unfit for the work it was designed to perform, and at the moment unsuitable as a residence for the Lord Mayor. It is further suggested as an alternative to reconstruction that, as the house occupies one of the most important and valuable sites in the city, it should be demolished and the site sold.

In this event the Lord Mayor could be provided with an official residence at Guildhall, a scheme for the reconstruction of which was only stopped by the war. This suggestion, however, is little likely to meet with approval, and the alternative reconstruction plan will undoubtedly have to be undertaken sooner or later.

One of the privileges of being Lord Mayor of London is that if you die in your year of office you are entitled to be buried in St. Paul's Cathedral. Some sixty years ago a lord mayor did avail himself of this distinction.

Immigrant Train Passes Moncton

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES-STAR.

MONCTON, May 5.—A special train composed of six cars carrying prospective settlers for Upper Canada, who arrived yesterday on the French River Roussillon, which docked at Halifax, passed through the city about 1:30 o'clock this morning. The new comers were almost entirely of Italian nationality, although a number of other Europeans were included. From Moncton the train was in charge of Conductor Howard, with Alvin Breaux as travelling passenger agent.

Henry Bassett

CRATHAM, May 4.—The death of Henry Bassett occurred at his home here on Sunday. He was over 80 years of age and is survived by one brother, John, who resides in Winnipeg. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted at St. Mary's church by Rev. Archdeacon Forsythe and interment was made in St. Paul's cemetery, Cratham Road.

The steamer *Albion*, of the Anchor-Dunlop Line, is expected to dock at Moncton next Sunday from Glasgow, Belfast and Liverpool.

Gasoline Price Up Cent And Tax Goes Into Effect Tomorrow

Tomorrow, it was said today, a jump in the price of gasoline is scheduled to take place. Not only will the provincial tax of three cents a gallon go into effect, but also an increase of one cent in the price of gasoline. A rise of one cent a gallon in the various brands of gas was reported from Moncton today. Gasoline was selling to-

Y. W. C. A. SECRETARY HEARD IN MONCTON

Mrs. Percival Foster Speaks on
Foreign Element in
Canada

SPECIAL TO THE TIMES-STAR.

MONCTON, May 5.—Mrs. Percival Foster, international field secretary of the Y. W. C. A., addressed the Other Y's Men's Club at their weekly luncheon last night in the Y. M. C. A. social hall.

Mrs. Foster chose as her subject, "Canadian Ali, or What?" She dealt with the problems arising in our country due to the large number of foreigners in the foreign element.

She said of the 3,000,000 people in Canada about 1,000,000 were of foreign birth. In British Columbia there were 38,000 Chinese and 19,000 Japanese. In Alberta and Saskatchewan, Mrs. Foster said, a large percentage of foreigners are of Slavie origin; in Manitoba the Scandinavians and Dutch predominate, while in Ontario, Italians, Hungarians and Poles form a majority of the foreign element.

EDUCATION URGED.

"We are confronted," said Mrs. Foster, "with the problem of having foreigners growing up in our country with their inherent hates and dislikes, and it is our duty to educate them and make them Canadian citizens in the true sense of the word."

She said it was remarkable how children of foreign-born parents desired to be Canadian.

Gordon Malcolm presided. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Foster.

ASK \$2,500 BALM

Plaintiff Injured by Auto:
King's Bench Divi-
sion Sits

FREDERICTON, May 4.—William P. Grace, barber of this city has brought action against John O'Connor and George B. Moore for damages to the amount of \$2,500 for injuries sustained when he was struck by an automobile driven by O'Connor, as he alighted from a bus near the end of the highway bridge in Devon. The case is entered for trial at the sitting of the court of King's Bench, which opened here today. Mr. Justice Crockett presided. Winalow McKay appeared for the plaintiff, and McLellan and Hughes for the defendants.

The defence of O'Connor disclaims any negligence, and states that the negligence was on the part of the plaintiff. He further alleges that O'Connor was not a servant or employee of Moore at the time of the accident. The defence of Moore makes a like statement with regard to O'Connor, and states that the negligence was on the part of the plaintiff.

Other actions entered for this sitting are: John S. Scott vs. George J. Donahoe, an action for ejectment from property located in the parish of Prince William; and Jeremiah Holland vs. J. A. Murray, an action for alleged trespass in the parish of Manners Sutton.

Valley Railway President In City

The Quebec and Saint John Railway has made a very satisfactory settlement with the Northern N. B. and Seaboard Railway Company in regard to the taking of rails owned by the latter company and used in construction of the Valley Railway, it was said today by W. D. Holt, M. L. A., stock, president of the Valley Railway, who is at the Admiral Beatty Hotel.

SAINT JOHN ELECTION

It was said today that the by-election in Saint John county, made necessary by the death of F. L. Potts, M. L. A., would not likely take place until next Fall.

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ICE JAMS GIVE C. P. R. TROUBLE ON ARCOSTOOK

Track Flooded and Moved
From Roadbed—Trouble
Overcome

Ice jams on the Arcoostook river in Maine caused considerable interruption to traffic on the Canadian Pacific Railway between Montreal and Quebec on last Saturday and Monday, it was learned here today. There were jams on the river, one above the dam of the Maine and New Brunswick Power Company and the other above the dam at Caribou, Me.

The jam on Saturday above the power company dam caused a flood of the railway tracks for about one-eight of a mile. Train service was held up about eight hours, the power company having to dynamite the jam to get the ice moving.

The ice jam on Monday was more serious. It was above the dam at Caribou, flooded the tracks to a depth of from one to three feet, piled ice on the tracks from two to ten feet high, and also moved the track off the roadbed along a distance of three-quarters of a mile. The jam broke about 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon and traffic on the road was not resumed until about 5 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

There had been no trouble as yet from high water on any other part of the system, it was said today at local headquarters of the company, and none was anticipated. The rain yesterday was local.

PARLEY DENIED WHILE GENERAL STRIKE LASTS

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telegraphed from London to the secretaries of affiliated federations, asking them to hold themselves in readiness for any eventuality.

Mr. Hodges also has written M. Vigne, secretary of the French Miners' Federation.

An international strike is regarded in Labor circles here as unlikely, although M. Vigne says it is quite possible. He says Mr. Hodges will call a meeting of the international committee either in Brussels or London, in a few days, at which grave decisions may be taken. In this respect he recalls that at the last meeting of the committee at Geneva it was decided that the declaration of an international strike must be envisaged in support of a national strike of the importance of that which has now been called in Great Britain.

LONDON, May 5.—Denial of the report that negotiations for a strike settlement had been resumed was also made by Premier Baldwin's secretary.

LEEDS, Eng., May 5.—With the assistance of a volunteer staff, the Yorkshire Evening News is continuing to publish all editions.

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., May 5.—Fifty per cent. of the tramway employees who were on strike yesterday, returned to work this morning, when it was announced they would be dismissed if they failed to report for duty.

RUGBY, Eng., May 5.—The newspaper composers here returned to work today, declaring their strike unconstitutional.

SEE GOOD MANY WILL JOIN TRADE BOARD

Canvassers in Membership Campaign Report Successful

An encouraging report was given by canvassers on the Board of Trade membership campaign this morning, and it was said at the office of the board that it was felt when the campaign was completed the objective would have been passed.

F. Maclure Selanders, commissioner of the board, said the canvassers had met with a most cordial reception from those called on and nearly all interviewed had taken out membership.

The people of Saint John, he said, had faith in their city and were willing to show that faith by works when given the right opportunity.

The schooner M. J. Taylor arrived at Tenby, N. S., on May 1 and is loading for New York.

Card of Thanks

John A. V. Smith and sisters wish to thank their friends for sympathy extended and flowers sent during their recent bereavement.

FUNERAL NOTICE

MASONIC NOTICE

The members of The New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22, F. & A. M., are requested to meet at the St. James' church, broad street, on Thursday afternoon, at 4 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother.

JOHN WILSON

Members of the Worshipful Master, Ordinary degree, are invited to attend.

FREDERICK GREEN, Secretary.

Dr. H. B. NASE

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Dr. FRANK C. THOMAS
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Attended Meeting of Girl Guide Council

Mrs. W. S. Allison, Rotheray, returned today from Toronto, where she attended the annual meeting of the Girl Guides Association of Canada. The sessions were enthusiastically conducted, showing a marked advance in the progress of the work. It was with delight the convention greeted the world's Chief Guide, Lady Baden-Powell, who having arrived in New York with her illustrious husband, hurried to Toronto to be present at the gathering.

Dame Katherine Furze, O. B. E., was also present. The general meetings were held in the ballroom suite of Government House, residence of Lieut. Governor Henry Cockshutt. Nearly all the provinces were represented by their commissioners.

DIES IN BROOKLYN

Mrs. R. J. Mullaney Was Former
Resident of Loch
Lomond

The death of Mrs. Alice Marion, wife of Russell J. Mullaney, occurred in Brooklyn, N. Y., on May 3. She was a daughter of Mrs. and the late Thomas P. Jordan, of Loch Lomond, and died following a brief illness of pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, mother, four brothers and two sisters. The brothers are John N. Mullaney, of the Massey-Harris Company at Saskatoon, Sask.; Thomas J. Mullaney, of the Massey-Harris Company at London, Ont.; William P. Mullaney, of the Massey-Harris Company at St. Paul, Minn.; and Charles Mullaney, of the Massey-Harris Company at St. Paul, Minn. The sisters are Misses Beale A. and Margarette, at home, St. John's, N. B., and Misses Beale A. and Margarette, at home, St. John's, N. B.

PERSONALS

W. Arthur I. Anglin, Orange street, moved home from Montreal and Co., P. Q., today. He attended the funeral of his wife, Scott E. Ives, dental surgeon, Montreal.

Mrs. Charles Israel, of Danvers, Mass., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Israel, of St. John's, N. B., left for home this evening on the Boston train.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Malcolm MacKay, who have been enjoying at St. Peterburg, Florida, since last December, arrived home today.

G. W. C. Oland, Douglas avenue, returned after a West Indies trip via Boston, by today's express.

Everett T. McAllister left last evening for Montreal to join the staff of the G. M. Co. for the summer.

Mrs. Alfred Shanks and daughter, Phyllis, left last evening for Boston to visit relatives.

Local News

ADDRESS OF Y. P. S.

Rev. Harry Rice of Queen Square United church, spoke on "Beauty and Strength" before the Young People's Society of the Fairview United church on Monday evening, M. C. I. Sweet, president, Mrs. H. H. McCumber was accompanist for the singing of hymns.

MOTOR 'BUS SHIPPED BACK

The large motor 'bus, one of this intended for the Rotheray, Westfield and St. Stephen's routes this summer, was shipped back to the Upper Canadian manufacturers during last week-end. It will be replaced by the same model in lighter weight, so as to conform to the provincial traffic-way regulations.

Prince's Visit Makes Fortune For Climber

LONDON, May 5.—Hubert Kirkland, a South African, found his profession of steeplejack at a discount when the Prince of Wales decided to visit South Africa in 1924.

Kirkland seized the idea of touring the provinces, repairing flagpoles, adjusting pulleys, threading new ropes and mending lightning rods. He kept a good three months' advance of the Prince and returned to Durban with a small fortune.

ICE IN THE STRAITS

SYDNEY, May 5.—Upon arrival here today from St. John's, Nfld., the steamer Caribou reported sailing through 45 miles of ice in Cabot Strait. The edges of the ice pack are about 15 miles from the Cape Breton and Newfoundland coasts.

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Shipping

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MARINE NOTES

The Hesione sailed this morning for Montevideo and Buenos Aires via New York with refined sugar and general cargo.

The Hesione is due to leave Halifax for this port to load refined sugar for either the United Kingdom or the continent.

The West Nosaka will arrive tomorrow afternoon from Norfolk to load cattle and general cargo for Liverpool. The Hesione is due to leave Halifax for this port to load refined sugar for either the United Kingdom or the continent.

Funerals

Mrs. Mary Hebert.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hebert took place this morning from the residence of her niece, Mrs. Albert Brennan, Station street, Fairville, to St. Rose's church for requiem high mass by Rev. Wilfred Mallette. There were numerous spiritual and floral offerings. Interment was in the old Catholic cemetery.

SPRING TOPCOATS

You can see bigger and better signs of spring every day now, and we can think of no better place to see them than in our clothing sections. Our Men's Topcoats for this season are more smartly styled than ever and the varieties in patterns are unusually generous.

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TENDERS CALLED

FREDERICTON, May 5.—The Provincial Department of Public Works is calling for tenders for the construction of Queens Brook concrete arch culvert and roadway embankment, parish of Petersville, Queens county.

AT CHURCH MEETING

Rev. R. G. Fulton of Canterbury church returned today from Fredericton, where he had been attending an executive session of the Settlement Committee of the United presbytery in organization for the general meeting.

Shippers' Local, last meeting of season tonight. Payment of summer dues, cancelled, but previously rented, William Boaz Macgregor, pastor.

Rummage sale, Canterbury school room, Thursday afternoon at 2:30.

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