



L-R Carl Sterrett, C/Supt. T. A. Farr, S/Sgt. W. C. Sturgeon, Wally Millman.

RCMP as we are an incentive for other groups to try and knock off the Detachment hold on the trophy.

No one knows just how valuable a small pint of blood can be until you have visited an accident scene. Members who visit blood donor clinics must feel a great satisfaction to play such a valuable part in the saving of lives. For those members who have not donated blood, I must say that this is one way to become famous, if you have not already had this distinction.

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Traffic Supervisor Arrested On June 19 at 8:51 a.m., the security at RCMP "B" Division H.Q. Building, St. John's, was breached by Carl Sterrett and Wally Millman, two popular radio personalities of Radio Station VOCM at St. John's, a station well known for promoting highway safety. Aided by inside contacts, the two forced their way past the Commissionnaire on the first floor and the Sergeant Major's office on the second floor, knowing exactly where to find their man, Staff Sergeant W. C. (Bill) Sturgeon. They entered the C.O.'s office and executed an arrest warrant, sworn to by the management of Radio Station VOCM.

The warrant charged that "during the past 25 years, W. C. Sturgeon, Traffic Supervisor, in the Province of Newfoundland, did willfully neglect his own recreation, his hobbies, his leisure and indeed his family in pursuance of highway safety for others and, furthermore, had carefully and stealthily planned to leave the Province of Newfoundland without answering these charges to the people of the province."

Carl Sterrett and Wally Millman who made the citizen's arrest were required to take Bill before the people of Newfoundland and Labrador via VOCM's Action Line to answer the said charges. In the meantime, this whole episode was being broadcast to thousands of Newfoundland residents and visitors.

Arriving at the radio station, Bill's case was heard by the people through the Action Line programme. Many well wishers from different parts of the province called, including well known government and Nfld. Safety Council personalities. Bill was convicted (without a shadow of a doubt) and sentenced to serve the next several years in Fredericton, to carry on the good work. Following his trial, Bill was the proud recipient of the first 590/VOCM Community Service Award.