

Judgment Reserved In Goldenberg Liquor Case After Action Challenged

"FAG" SENTENCE COMES WEDNESDAY

Goldenberg Denies Having Liquor For Sale, Admits Possession of Smokes.

LAWYERS CLASH

A battle of the "ins and outs" of the law was waged in police court this morning between Crown Attorney Albert M. Judd and Howland Cluff, defending Morris Goldenberg on a charge of selling whiskey. Magistrate Graydon also had something to say about the act and reserved judgment on the case till Wednesday morning and in the meantime will consult authorities mentioned by Mr. Cluff.

Goldenberg pleaded guilty on Saturday to having 50,000 American cigarettes in his possession without the government stamp. He will be sentenced on this charge Wednesday.

The crown proved through three witnesses, License Inspector Bolton, Provincial Constable T. Y. Stratton and High Constable Wharton, that Goldenberg had 11 bottles of 1921 Seagram's Three-Star whiskey in a cupboard, with a big sofa in front of the door, when he was raided. Goldenberg's home on the third concession of London Township Saturday morning at 8 o'clock on a search warrant.

Would Name Owner.

The license inspector stated Goldenberg had evidence was done to him he would tell who the whiskey belonged to, to which the inspector replied he could tell that to the magistrate.

Constable Stratton said three bottles were found beneath a pile of three or four dozen whiskey wrappers in the cupboard. Goldenberg said the stuff hadn't been there long. He knew who owned it, but wouldn't tell unless it did him some good.

High Constable Wharton stated the prisoner told him the whiskey belonged to another man and he (Goldenberg) got \$2 for storing it for the night. Mr. Cluff stated he would not put his client in the witness box.

"They went there on a search warrant, you must remember," advised the court.

Onus on Crown.

Mr. Cluff maintained that the onus was now on the crown to prove Goldenberg guilty of selling. There had been no evidence to prove that he had sold liquor. The whiskey was in a private dwelling, as the police had admitted the place was Goldenberg's own home.

"There is no actual evidence of sale, but it was found in his home on a search warrant," replied the court.

His statement is that the liquor was left there for him as a present," argued Mr. Cluff.

"Why not put him in the witness box to say so?" said Mr. Judd. "I'd like to see him in the box and have an opportunity of cross-examining him."

"No, thank you," replied Mr. Cluff. "It is 1921 vintage and importation ceased in 1920," the crown attorney pointed out to the witness.

Mr. Cluff then quoted cases to show why his client should not be convicted and the court promised to reserve judgment till Wednesday morning on the liquor case, but the cigarette charge was well.

MARRIED MAN PLEADS GUILTY TO CHARGE

Fred Simms, 59 Years Old, Is Remanded For Two Days.

Fred Simms, a married man of 59 years of age, pleaded guilty in police court this morning to having had carnal knowledge on or about Jan. 5 last of a young girl being under 14 and 16 years. He was remanded till Wednesday for sentence by Magistrate Graydon.

"I want your mercy, sir. I am guilty to a certain extent," said Simms, who held trembling hands on the prisoner's box.

"You must plead in a definite way," returned the court. "You know whether you are guilty or not."

"I've signed papers to take the child. I didn't act just right towards her," said the prisoner. "I've got a sick wife at home, and this will break her heart."

"You should have thought of her then instead of now," declared the magistrate.

"I'll lose my job and my furniture," almost sobbed the man.

"I can promise you much less, but I will remand you a couple of days," was the final statement of the magistrate.

NEW ADJUTANT GREETED AT SPECIAL SERVICES

Welcome meetings for Adjutant and Mrs. Ursaki, the officers who will be in charge of No. 1 Corps of the Salvation Army were held at Clarence street club, yesterday.

Secretary Charles Fry tendered the official welcome on behalf of the corps. Treasurer Frank Russell of No. 1 Corps also gave an address of welcome to the new officers.

Adjutant and Mrs. Ursaki replied expressing appreciation for the way in which they had been received into the London corps. They outlined their work in Montreal, and spoke of their plans for the London corps.

NO LONDONERS SEEKING POSITION AS HANGMAN

Governor Byron Dawson of the county jail states he has yet to receive an application from any Midsex or city man for the position of assistant to Hangman Arthur Ellis, as quoted in the Free Press.

"There has been no application here, persons of other trades state to the jail governor. 'I did not let the turnkeys to forward a letter to Montreal, sent here for Mr. Ellis, but of course I don't know the letter contained. The whole thing is absolutely false.'"

BITTER ALOES IN PERFUME WOULD NOT HALT DRINKING

Druggists Believe Craving For "Kick" Would Overrule Handicap.

POLICE CYNICAL

People Drink To Get Effect, Not For Pleasure, Social Worker Asserts.

A proposal to incorporate bitter aloes with all perfumes in order to discourage the libations of the would-be pleasantly inebriated is not viewed seriously in the city either by druggists or police officers. The druggists maintain that to use it in sufficient quantity would affect the delicate bouquet of the perfumes and that it is in itself an expensive ingredient and the police officers believe that it would take more than bitter aloes to prevent a determined man, looking for the necessary "kick" from drinking eau de cologne or any of the other much-sought-after substitutes for whiskey.

The majority of the druggists regard it as a reflection on the acumen of the average bootlegger to suggest that whiskey is so scarce that one must fall back on perfume and do not think that there is much perfume consumed by addicts to such an extent as to make it a serious problem.

The police and prohibition officers are confirmed cynics where their victims are concerned and look with a smile of superiority on the suggestion.

Won't Stop Drinking.

"Bitter aloes isn't going to stop some of those chaps from drinking perfume," said one of them. "At least not unless they put it in such large quantities that it would cease to be perfume. The chap who suggested the idea evidently either a doctor or a man with a good cellar of his own. He doesn't know the strength of the desire for a shot of something that these addicts feel when they can't get some form of real drinking spirit. Bitter aloes. Why if bitter aloes alone would give him the kick, they would drink that."

Another gentleman in blue remarked, "Well I never tried bitter aloes myself. They say it has a pretty taste, but I don't like it. The stuff that men drink it couldn't be any worse than what is being taken every day. I don't understand how the drinker wants to get the effect of the drink in the mind of the man who drinks is not to get a pleasant taste or to get the drink as a drink. The whole scheme is to get the kick, and that means the reaction to alcohol."

Trouble Fades Away.

When under the influence of whatever they drink, all the world's little troubles fade away and disappear. It's like the drugs that are used in the Orient to get the effect of being absolutely without any troubles or responsibilities or having to face the facts of everyday life is what the drinker wants. When the world looks particularly blue, mere bitter aloes isn't going to stop him getting it done."

Several elderly Londoners have registered complaints with the assessment commission this year that they are rated too high on the assessment on their houses. Their argument is that at their late time of life their incomes are growing less and less each year, and that they cannot afford to pay the taxes.

In many of these cases the commission has been able to show that their investment returns are growing each year faster than their incomes are being reduced, and they do not seem to appreciate this fact.

One surgeon in the city explained that, owing to increasing age he was not able to do as many other delicate operations, requiring great skill and steadiness of hand, that therefore his income was decreasing year by year, and that he was less able to pay taxes than in the fat years gone by. He was shown that his investment returns were larger than they had been in any other year, and appeared rather disgruntled that this was given so much prominence. There seems to be a general opinion among many of these complainants that they should not be taxed on investment returns.

SCHEME OF DOUGLASS WOULD COST \$500

Alderman Proposes Income Tax Reforms Be Sent Out by Mail.

If, as Ald. Douglass proposes and will support in the council tonight, the income tax forms sent out by the assessment commissioner are in the future sent by mail, the cost to the city will be about \$500.

The alderman says that he has received some complaints of the fact that the income tax forms are merely folded over and left in the houses where the taxpayers live. This, he says, is not conducive to the confidential nature of the forms as should be maintained, and he will move that they be sent out in envelopes either by mail or delivered by the department.

At present the forms are left by the assessors when calling at the houses. Assessment Commissioner Bennett says that the practice of folding the forms and leaving them at the houses is followed in every other large city in the province.

LIEUT.-COL. TAYLOR WILL LEAD RESERVE BATTALION

Lieut.-Col. J. S. Taylor, commanding officer of the Wellington Rifles, will upon completion of command be transferred to the Second Reserve Battalion of the Wellington Rifles of Guelpich, it was announced by headquarters today.

Major D. M. Foster has been promoted to the command of the Wellington Rifles with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

James Porter Anderson, of Kincardine, has been appointed provisional lieutenant in the 16th Battalion, C. E. F., with headquarters at Walkerton.

BIKE THIEF SENTENCED TO ONT. REFORMATORY

Joe Williamson, 23, Severely Reprimanded by the Magistrate.

Joe Williamson, 23, who has slept night after night at the police station, will sleep at the Ontario Reformatory for three months to come and possibly longer. Williamson was sentenced for the theft of a bicycle on Saturday morning owned by John Liddle and valued at \$35. Williamson was arrested by Detective George E. Walsh before the owner had discovered his loss. The detective caught Williamson trying to dispose of the bike.

The prisoner pleaded guilty without a murmur and the court lost no time in imposing sentence.

"You are a man who persists in evil-doing," stated the court. "You have been convicted before and are a perfect nuisance to the community."

PICKS UP DOGS.

Inspector Tustin reports a busy day and having picked up five dogs and three cats. These animals were all found wandering about the city streets and were taken by the inspector to the humane shelter.

He also inspected 110 head of cattle in the county this morning that were being shipped to outside points. He said that all were in good condition and that no complaint could be made.

CHINAMEN COMPLY WITH REGULATIONS

Trouble Avoided in London When All Register According to Law.

That London Chinamen raised no particular disturbance last week by way of protest against the law requiring them to register with the local immigration inspector, lies in the fact that they had each and all as far as can be ascertained, taken the precaution to register, thus avoiding the penalty for failing to comply with the regulations.

The following word of explanation to the inspectors making out the registration forms speaks for itself and in doing so reveals the purpose of the government in requiring the Chinese to register. "In filling out the registration papers the class is important, since many Chinese entered the country as merchants, but changed their occupations to restaurant proprietors, laundry men or laborers. Such Chinese are required to pay the sum of \$500 to the consolidation revenue fund or be deported."

Three photographs are filed of the applicant, being placed on the registration form. The latter also includes a description of the applicant as to age, height, weight, hair, eyes, nose, mouth, ears, and other features. In the case of Canadian-born Chinese the date and place of birth are noted. In registering persons of mixed race no person is classified as Chinese unless the father or male ancestors are of Chinese origin or descent.

ELDERLY LONDONERS COMPLAIN OF TAXES

Claim Incomes Decreasing As They Gradually Near Life's Sunset.

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CLASSICS GIVE NO THRILL NOW

Only Eight From County Try Examinations in Greek Today.

Classic languages give London secondary school students no great thrill nowadays. Today the final departmental examinations in Greek were written off and there were only eight pupils from the entire city and county present to participate in the tests.

Five were upper school students writing off their departmentals in Greek authors and composition, and three were trying lower school Greek authors and composition.

Departmental tests in Spanish authors and composition were slated for today, but no language students registered for these tests.

There were not 40 pupils in the entire city and county to try the various departmentals in Latin. About ten pupils, including two from county continuation schools, engaged in the lower school Canadian history tests today.

Today saw the completion of all educational tests for the year, and all except the examining officers themselves breathed sighs of temporary relief. Public and separate school examinations have been written off and reported on next week.

The entrance examination board meets on Tuesday evening to further business of examining papers of Grade VIII students. It is expected that this work will be completed early next week.

Once results of Grade VIII pupils' examinations are known, and following the board of education meeting of this week, and the co-incident registration of county pupils, much headway is expected on the registration scheme. At present no actual progress in the scheme is being made outside of the call for county pupils to register.

Final Results At St. Georges

Grade VII to VIII—Fred Webster, Olive Hiron, Doris Chappell. Recommended—R. Youton, Jack Tanton. Promotion class VII to VIII—H. Jones—Billy Robinson. Pass—Geo. Boam.

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Grade VI to VII—John Weekes, Doris Hodges, Jack Ward, Charles Towle, John Green, Florence Pether. Recommended—Lawrence Gerrard.

Grade V to VI—Lenore Gerrard, Thelma Hopper, Lenore McLaren, Harvey Paul.

Grade IV to V—Shirley Coleridge, Florence Peters, Lenore Compton, Isabel Teifer, Lena Burnett, Alex. Johnston.

Grade III to IV—H. Tack, E. Earl, F. Taylor, D. Hiron, A. Solleux, H. McDougall, K. Tavin, E. Elford, Vivian Teifer, Lenore McLaren, Barrett, W. Kay, C. Eddy, Arthur Moren, M. Shannon, J. Bullard, J. Lullard, Simpson, J. Teifer, H. McNicol, Leroy Gorman, D. Hignam, V. Pollex, D. Pollex.

CITY HOSPITALS LAUDED BY SOCIETY OFFICIAL

Dr. A. Cassidy Conducts Tour On Behalf of American Association.

The annual inspection of the city hospitals by the American Hospital Association was made by Dr. A. Cassidy of Montreal today. He reported that all the city hospitals were in the best of condition, both in equipment and in the manner of handling patients. He was at Victoria Hospital this morning, and made a thorough inspection of the buildings and especially of the children's hospital. He said that the equipment in the children's hospital was of the best, and that it could be classed among the leaders in the children's hospitals of the Dominion.

As these hospitals are standard, he paid special attention that the rules laid down by the American College of Surgeons were respected.

Particular attention was given to the records of cases and he reports that not a flaw was found in any of the department standards.

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NINTH NEW FIREMAN ACCEPTED BY CHIEF

Number nine of the ten new men who are to be appointed to the city fire fighting force started to work on Saturday. He is Stephen Eddie, and he has been appointed by Chief Atkinson because he has measured up to department standards.

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TWO THOUSAND MAPS RECEIVED BY CLUB

The London Motor Club has just received a shipment of 2,000 maps, showing the trails and highways of Ontario, with parts of the states of Michigan and New York. On the reverse side of the maps is the map of Quebec.

A feature of the maps is the mileage from one point to another. As well as giving the mileage from one town to another, the distance of different logs in the roads is also given. The mileage is marked on the road itself, and saves a further reference for information. The population of each town is also given.

KNOCKS DOWN BANDSMAN.

Canadian Press Despatch.

St. Catharines, July 7.—While the Salvation Army band was on parade last night one of the players, William Hunt, was knocked down by an automobile driven by Charles Lembe, Buffalo. The bandsman was not seriously hurt.

The World At Its Worst. Reading The Newspaper At Home

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS
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ADJUSTS THE LIGHT, ADJUSTS HIS CHAIR, ADJUSTS HIS GLASSES AND SETTLES TO A COMFORTABLE READING OF THE PAPER.

WIFE ASKS WOULD HE MIND HOLDING IT ROUND JUST A SECOND—SHE WANTS TO SEE WHAT THAT HEADLINE IS.

RETURNS TO READING UNTIL HE BECOMES UNEASILY CONSCIOUS THAT SOMEONE IS READING OVER HIS SHOULDER.

GETS A LITTLE DIZZY DODGING THE PAPER BACK AND FORTH TO KEEP IT OUT OF ALFRED'S SHADOW, WHO DODGES BACK AND FORTH BEHIND TRYING TO READ THE RADIO PROGRAM.

ALFRED FINISHES RADIO PROGRAM JUST AS GRANDMA ASKS WOULD HE MIND FINDING THE WEATHER FORECAST, BECAUSE LOTTIE WAS GOING TO BRING THE CHILDREN TO.

ASSURES GRANDMA THERE'LL BE NO STORM TO PREVENT LOTTIE'S BRINGING THE CHILDREN AND RESUMES READING.

TRIES TO TURN PAGE BUT IS STOPPED BY SQUEAL FROM MILLY THAT JUST A MINUTE HERE ARE DRESSES MARKED DOWN TO 15.50—SHE'S GOT TO READ THIS AD.

DECIDES TO PLAY SOLITAIRE INSTEAD. WONDER WHY AS SOON AS HE PUTS THE PAPER DOWN THE FAMILY SHOWS NO FURTHER INTEREST IN THE DAY'S NEWS.

EXPERTS OUTLINING CANADA'S RESOURCES

Unique World Power Conference Is Being Held in London, Eng.

For the first time in the history of the world there has been convened at London, June 13 to July 12, a group of experts representing twenty-four countries where the world's power resources, their development and utilization, are being fully discussed.

The Engineering Institute of Canada, devoted the entire issue of July to Canada's presentation at the conference, the papers representing the work of the highest authorities in the Dominion on the various phases of the situation.

The papers are introduced by a foreword by Doctor Charles Campbell, M. E. I. C. deputy minister, department of mines, Ottawa, chairman of the Canadian management committee of the world power conference, in which he points out that the conference affords the Dominion of Canada a unique opportunity to present to the world its magnificent power resources, both water and fuel, and the efficient and economic manner in which they have so far been developed.

The citizens of Canada may well be proud of the magnificent presentation which is being made by the Dominion at this conference, which is historic, as being the first of its kind, and at which about thirty of Canada's engineers will participate. Possessing some of the world's greatest natural resources, possibly no country of the twenty-four taking part will receive greater benefit from this conference than the Dominion of Canada.

NO WORD IS RECEIVED ON CROW'S NEST RATES

Railroad Officials Await Result of Recent Action at Ottawa.

No official word had been received by the local C. P. R. freight office this morning regarding the coming into effect again of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement.

Since the cabinet, sitting as a privy council, took no action in the matter of the appeal before them, regarding a further suspension of the terms of the act automatically went into effect again at midnight on Sunday.

According to the terms of the agreement made by the C. P. R. Company with the British Columbia government in 1907, certain rates were to be granted by the company on transportation of goods west of Port Williams in return for certain concessions. The reductions were to be of 25 per cent. on all goods, 30 per cent. on coal, 20 per cent. on binder twine, agricultural implements, iron, wire, window glass and paper for building and roofing purposes, 10 per cent. reduction. The agreement was suspended in 1922 and 1923.

Though the agreement was made by the C. P. R. Company, the C. N. R. is directly affected to the extent that it, of necessity, has to place its freight rates on a competitive basis. The two companies have been joining forces, therefore, in pressing for a further suspension of the agreement as originally made.

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20 Years Ago In The Advertiser.

Trippers, returning from Port Stanley, jam railway conveyances and hundreds of disgruntled Londoners forced to ride in Pere Marquette freight cars.

Contractors on new Chelsea Green bridge over Thames at Adelaide street make slow progress owing to scarcity of labor.

Applicants flood trustees for vacant principalship of Simcoe Street Public School, which offers \$1,200 salary, including duties as Normal School headmaster.

All talk of the Grand Trunk Railway removing its terminal offices from this city to any other point is given quietus by the announcement today of the company's decision to build a new \$75,000 roundhouse in East London, the biggest structure of the sort in Canada.

"Our mixed word is good quality and real dry. Good to light the fire and cook the dinner; only \$1.60 per load."—Advt.

"See our \$22 parlor suites."—Another advertisement.

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