

BELGIAN YOUTH ADMITS CHARGE IN MINTO COURT

Confesses He Broke into House There and is Remanded to Gaol

LEG AMPUTATED AT VICTORIA HOSPITAL

Handsome Club Bag for Lady Transferred to Parrsboro, N. S., Bank

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Jan. 11.—Adolphe Stone, a Belgian lad, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering the house of a family named Rheinhardt, at Minto recently when he appeared before Magistrate Scott McLeod at Minto yesterday. He was sent up for trial and passed through here en route to Queens county jail at Gagetown this morning.

From Edward Oudvalder, who has been ill at his home with pneumonia, is much better today. Very little change is reported in the condition of Dr. W. W. Coffin or George Kilburn, who are also ill with pneumonia.

Miss Leona Seelye of the staff of the British Bank of Commerce in Devon, has been transferred to Parrsboro, Nova Scotia, and last evening she was presented with a club bag by a number of friends who gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robertson for the presentation.

Greeks Win First Battles in Drive in Asia Minor

Enemy Fled in Disorder Says Report Received from Athens and Enemy Driven Back

London, Jan. 11.—The Greek offensive in Asia Minor, the beginning of which was reported in despatches on Monday, resulted in important successes for the Greeks, according to the communique of the Greek general staff in Asia Minor, dated Sunday, and received by the Greek legation here today.

"In the Ushak section," the communique says, "the Greeks dispersed the enemy at Dams and Shashik. Pursuing their advance, the Greeks caused the enemy to retreat in disorder on Katsikheir (the important Bagdad Railway junction leading to Ankara, situated eight miles southeast of Iznik). Katsikheir, on the Bagdad Railway, was occupied in the afternoon."

Honey From Canada Liked in England

Splendid Opportunity for Canadian Honey Producers to Capture Market There.

By E. C. LONGWORTH. (Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.) London, Jan. 11.—A wide demand for Canadian honey has developed in England owing to the complete failure of the English honey crop. Mr. Percival, assistant agent general for Ontario, believes that quantities of Canadian comb-honey can be put on the market now, the Dominion product, being superior in quality to English honey, can permanently hold the market here.

PROSPECTORS POURING IN. Clinton, B. C., Jan. 11.—More than one hundred claims have recently been staked in the Clinton and Lillooet district along the Cariboo road in the direction of Society Creek. As yet, it is stated, show a high percentage of gold. A large body of prospectors are carrying gold values has been located about fifteen miles from here.

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Blizzard Blocks Newfoundland Rails

Took One Train Ninety Hours to Make Trip of Less Than 500 Miles.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 11.—Passengers who arrived in North Sydney late last night from Port Aux Basques on the steamer Sagona told of having experienced one of the worst snow storms in the recent history of Newfoundland. For days the railway line through the interior of the country has been piled high with huge drifts of snow, which so completely blocked the track that it took the express, which left St. John's, Thursday afternoon, over ninety hours to make the trip across the country, a distance of 500 miles.

Canadian Major Claims Reward For Inventions

Desires Compensation for Improvements to Lewis and Colt Guns.

(Copyright, 1921, by Cross-Atlantic.) London, Jan. 11.—Major Northover, of Winnipeg, an officer in the Canadian army, is claiming compensation from the Royal Commission on Awards to Inventors in respect to a firing machine for Lewis gun magazines, food belt boxes for machine guns, and improvements in Colt machine guns.

Major Northover, who before the war was a gunsmith in Winnipeg, said the Colt gun would have been hopeless without his improvements. Expert evidence was given by several military officers, who testified to the value of the major's inventions.

KILLED WIFE—THEN SUICIDED. Matavia, N. Y., Jan. 11.—Frank Ellis, a gypsum mine employe, shot his wife dead and committed suicide at Deuham's Corner, three miles from here, early today. The couple quarreled and when Mrs. Ellis threatened to call a state police officer Ellis picked up his rifle and shot her. He killed himself with the same weapon.

LATE SHIPPING. The Marlow from St. John arrived safely at Leith yesterday. The Holbrook sailed from London for this port yesterday and the Christian from London.

NEW HOSPITAL FOR BONGTON. Moncton, N. B., Jan. 11.—Rev. H. N. Cormier, pastor of St. Assomption church, announced that his leadership, Bishop LeBlond, St. John, has given him permission to erect a hospital in the parish. The matter will be taken up at once. A religious community of nuns, which, it is stated, will be up to date an order.

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Ferry Estimates Were Before City Council

The city council yesterday morning took up the estimates of the ferry department, which this year are \$2,578 less than for last year when they amounted to an assessment of \$97,104.50 against \$94,526.50 for the present year and heard a delegation from the Board of Trade who advocated the city setting aside a sum for publicity.

Commissioner Bullock presented his estimates for the ferry for the coming year and after discussion and explanation by the ferry superintendent they were laid on the table to be dealt with later, when fuller details of the salary and auditing fees will be presented. The estimates were as follows:

| Ferry Estimates. | | |
|---|----------------|--------------|
| St. John, N. B., Dec. 31st, 1920. | | |
| To the Comptroller: | | |
| Find below expenditures to date from appropriations and revenue, and also estimates asked for to carry on the work of 1921. | | |
| Work. | 1920. Approps. | Expended |
| "Ludlow" propeller and shaft..... | \$ 600.00 | \$ 250.00 |
| "Ludlow" boilers and machinery..... | 5,000.00 | 4,441.23 |
| "Ludlow" hull, deck, rudder, etc..... | 3,000.00 | 2,500.00 |
| "Gov. Carleton" propellers and shaft..... | 600.00 | 250.00 |
| "Gov. Carleton" water and air pumps..... | 1,100.00 | 13.40 |
| "Gov. Carleton" boilers and machinery..... | 2,200.00 | 5,679.63 |
| "Gov. Carleton" hull repairs..... | 2,000.00 | 1,913.65 |
| East toll house repairs..... | 1,050.00 | 1,369.00 |
| West toll house repairs..... | 1,500.00 | 1,389.03 |
| Piling and docks, east side repairs..... | 1,900.00 | 2,885.89 |
| Piling and docks, west side repairs..... | 800.00 | 625.62 |
| East floats repairs..... | 1,400.00 | 1,329.39 |
| West floats repairs..... | 2,100.00 | 2,206.56 |
| Lighting, east and west sides..... | 900.00 | 664.99 |
| Lighting, east and west floats..... | 2,000.00 | 1,664.15 |
| Coal—season and housing..... | 26,000.00 | 26,225.03 |
| Salaries—12 months..... | 31,000.00 | 38,640.44 |
| Oils and waste..... | 850.00 | 837.28 |
| Sundry supplies..... | 300.00 | 3,764.78 |
| Uniforms..... | 800.00 | 696.10 |
| Insurance..... | 3,300.00 | 2,898.30 |
| Printing and tickets..... | 900.00 | 995.93 |
| 24 pay roll wages..... | 7,000.00 | 7,824.74 |
| Prov. composition assessment..... | 950.00 | 875.64 |
| Increase in salaries..... | 6,000.00 | |
| | \$116,150.00 | \$111,624.75 |
| Less revenue estimated..... | 45,000.00 | 46,406.00 |
| | \$ 65,150.00 | \$ 65,218.75 |
| Fine collecting 3 per cent..... | 1,954.50 | 2125 |
| | \$ 67,104.50 | \$ 65,150.00 |

| 1920 Salaries. | | |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Per Mth. | Per Day. | Per Hour. |
| 2 Captains..... | \$145.00 | \$4.30 |
| 3 Mates..... | 130.00 | 3.90 |
| 3 Deckhands..... | 120.00 | 3.60 |
| 3 Engineers..... | 150.00 | 4.50 |
| 3 Oilers..... | 120.00 | 3.60 |
| 3 Firemen..... | 120.00 | 3.60 |
| 1 Watchman..... | 120.00 | 3.60 |
| 4 Collectors..... | 125.00 | 3.75 |
| 4 Gatemen..... | 120.00 | 3.60 |
| 1 Foreman Carpenter..... | 4.30 | |
| 1 Assistant Carpenter..... | 4.25 | |
| 1 Shore Watchman..... | 3.70 | |
| 1 Machinist..... | 3.50 | |
| 1 Ohar Woman..... | 2.25 | |
| 1 Typist..... | 2.10 | |

True Bills Found in Circuit Court

Lottie Golding, Richard Kane and James Covey on Trial for Theft.

In the January Circuit Court yesterday afternoon, His Honor Judge Chandler presiding, true bills were brought in by the grand jury against Lottie Golding, charged with theft from Miss Frances Britain, and against Clarence Whipple, charged with theft of goods from the C. P. R. John Lane, charged with the theft of \$40 from Mike Stogrick, an Indian, was allowed to go on his own recognizance, the amount being fixed at \$500.

The case against him had previously been tried in the November sitting and was thrown out by a disagreement of the jury. In the morning a true bill was brought in against Richard Kane and James Covey, charged with the theft of some \$350 from His Majesty's Royal Mail. This case will be taken up by the court on its opening this morning.

The docket is as follows: The King vs. Clarence Whipple, charged with theft of goods from the C. P. R. The King vs. Arthur Merritt, at ready tried twice on a charge of stabbing. The King vs. Donnelly and Thomas, charged with a statutory offence. The King vs. John Lane, an application for discharge. The King vs. Richard Kane and James Covey, charged with theft from Miss Frances Britain. The King vs. Lottie Golding, charged with theft from Miss Frances Britain.

Civil Docket With Jury Knox vs. Smith, D. Mellin, K.C. Shorron vs. Tennant, H. A. Porter. Tibbotts vs. Cameron, Inches, Weyman and Hazzan. Hazzan vs. Cameron, Inches, Weyman and Hazzan.

Non-jury Taylor et al vs. McKnight. The case of Knox vs. Smith, relative to the prohibition campaign and arises from the publication of a picture of children. The plaintiff says they were his children and that the subject matter of an advertisement in which they were used in the interest of prohibition was not true.

The petit jury summoned is composed of A. A. Miles, John B. O'Connor, Robt. Barton, Robt. Currie, C. W. Goodwin, R. F. Wood, M. L. Day, E. P. Stephenson, M. T. Morrice, E. Dymally, J. T. Blyth, G. Peckers, R. Ingleton, W. M. Barlow, Wm. Gaskin, J. H. Noble, A. W. Frazer, F. V. Hannu, M. J. Silvey, G. F. Doherty and F. H. Johnston.

The grand jury summoned are: H. H. Murray, A. McInnes, A. H. Farrell, H. H. Darnham, P. R. Hunter, A. S. Bowman, M. E. Wade, P. H. Comman, A. C. Gandy, F. J. Lussier, A. James and H. H. Soward.

THREE ARRESTS. Three drunks and two protectionists were quarantined in the police station last evening.

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History of The World's Alphabet

Most Interesting Discourse On Evolution of Present Day Alphabet by Mrs. Fitch.

As plain as A, B, C is a saying often used, but it was shown to those who attended an illustrated lecture delivered by Miss Adelaide Fitch at the Natural History Society rooms last evening, that A, B, and C were not always plain and that they have come to us in their present form through many ages and changes. To make an ordinary topic as the alphabet interesting would not have been possible for every speaker, but Miss Fitch has given her subject years of study and has a wealth of facts which held the attention of her audience, and caused them to regret the brevity of the address.

World's Alphabet "The world's alphabet or alphabetical system is a science of hoary antiquity," she said, "Every nation and language of any prominence has contributed its quota of letters to the general scheme. From this forest of letters, 400 alphabets have sprung into being. The majority of these have had their day and vanished into obscurity. Fifty alphabets are now in existence. The last word in alphabets is the Roman—the link to bind us to the fettered past as well as to continue our understanding of, let us say our friends with other nations, whose servant it is.

The Phoenicians bequeathed to their descendants the glorious heritage of an alphabet of twenty-two letters. The Greeks constructed the alphabetic fabric. From the Greek five Italian alphabets came into being chief among them the Roman.

Curious Pronunciation Miss Fitch referred to the curious pronunciation of "Z" the double "z" used in a surname, to the origin of "ye" as found in Anglo Saxon and Icelandic writings, and told of the many curious ways in which twenty-six letters came to stand as they do today.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Association of the Natural History Society whose president, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, was in the chair. Mrs. George F. Matthews, Honorary President, moved a vote of thanks saying how much pleasure and instruction the lecture had given. Miss Geese Lovitt seconded this vote which was spoken to by Mrs. Robert Bankin and tendered Miss Fitch by the President.

WILL NOT ACCEPT. Clarence McNaughton Steeves, Asst. Superintendent of the Engineer Branch, D. B. O. R. B. and K. Unit, has decided not to accept the position of assistant engineer, department of railways and canals at Cornwall, Ont., offered him by the Civil Service Commission.

Lenine Is Very Sick At Moscow

New York, Jan. 11.—Nikolai Lenine, premier of the Soviet government of Russia, is dangerously ill at Moscow, according to a wireless dispatch from Berlin to the Jewish News Bureau here made public today. The message sent by the bureau's correspondent, said three German specialists are now on their way to Moscow, for consultation.

Patrol Forests in Airships

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 11.—Major Gordon of the Canadian Air Force, Ottawa, has been here conferring with the officials of the department of lands and mines. It is proposed to inaugurate an aerial patrol of New Brunswick forests next season during the peak of the danger period from forest fires.

IMPERIAL LEAGUE

A meeting of the Imperial League was held last night at the office of the President, Charles Robinson. Business for the year was transacted and plans made for a busy season for the league.

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Trees Show Signs Of Buds Start

Snakes and Robins Common Usual in All Parts of ern Ontario. Simcoe, Ont., Jan. 11.—Rob not plentiful as yet throughout Ontario, but robins are getting on well, and if there are without ice for hockey getting even with the weather by playing baseball on the lawns of the Norfolk Golf and Clubs are playing their game. A large snake was reported near the town, and the buds varieties of trees give evidence their readiness to swell and

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Sensational Tale from Denied When Balloon Arrive at Mattice.

BALLOON DESTROYED BY HITTING A

Trip Across Ocean in Not Nearly So Hazardous as Balloon Voyage.

Mattice, Ont., Jan. 11.—The American balloons, who arrived at Mattice, are in excellent condition. At this place they met by Lewis McLaughlin, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, handed them a bundle of despatches from Government headquarters at Washington.

There is no truth in the story that Lieut. Farrell had offered life in an effort to save his own. Lieut. Kloor, however, the pilot of this report on arrival day. He said it was absolutely true to the fact.

Balloon MR Tree They were wandering in the near Moose Factory for three or four days. The balloon was stuck in the northwest of the Hudson Bay there, and their only food during time was carrier pigeons.

There were three of them attached to the party, and two were eaten by the officers. It was dead, but was not eaten. It was sent out by the same Moose Factory with a near Rockaway Point, Lieut. Kloor reaching here.

Biggest Adventure Yet "The N. C. 4 adventure was the longest of this trip," Lieut. Hinton today, and Lieut. Kloor said it had been the greatest adventure of his life this voyage through the Arctic.

Lieut. Hinton declared he would cross the Atlantic on a small boat to make another journey as the one which terminated Lieut. Kloor told of his adventures in the Arctic. He was attached during the year for the America's Cup last when he fell into New York he said his experience had infinitely greater.

Took Turns in Riding The three toboggans and left Moose Factory at ten of the morning of December 26, earlier than had been expected. Officers took turns in riding Lieut. Farrell favored in this.

The balloon was driven to the afternoon after Rockaway had been left, which was Tuesday, January 14, and it was the Friday afternoon when they brought into Mattice. Lieut. Kloor believes me, a lot of experience in those three days Lieut. Kloor, speaking to the paper-men this afternoon.

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