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INTERESTING CASES AT SUPREME COURT

Daniel McAllister and Others
Defendants in Four Cases.

The Restigouche Supreme Court met at Dalhousie Wednesday, His Honor Judge Crockett presiding. The first case tried was that of Wm. Rinsler vs Daniel McAllister and Archibald Murchie. This was for the illegal taking of a mare by the defendants. Mr. A. T. LeBlanc appeared for the Plaintiff and Messrs J. B. Baxter, H. A. Carr and E. B. Richard for defendants.

After the plaintiff's case was closed the defendants asked for a settlement and also for the withdrawal of two other cases against McAllister in one of which, Cook was a joint defendant.

The defendants offered Mr. Rinsler a substantial sum to settle which was accepted.

The other case was that of William Botham vs Daniel McAllister and Mary Foley for the illegal taking of a mare from Mrs. Christie. The case was tried, before Judge and jury and the plaintiff was awarded \$100.00 damages. As the mare had been taken by Mrs. Christie the Judge sent the jury back to their room with instructions to find damages for a sentimental amount and the jury returned with a verdict of \$1.00. Under the circumstances the Judge allowed Supreme Court costs. Mr. A. T. LeBlanc for plaintiff and Messrs Baxter, Carr and Richard for defendants.

LABOR DAY RACES DREW FAIR CROWD

Two Horse Races Had Three Entries in Each—Motor and Auto Races.

Monday, Labor Day was beautiful and clear and a large number of townspeople attended the races at the Trotting Park. The attendance from outside the town was very small, the affair not being well advertised and many knew nothing of the event until after it was over.

The following were the entries:

2.50 CLASS.
J. W. (Pawnee) 1-1-1
King Brasilia (Gardner) 2-2-2
Lucky Jack (Lapierre) 3-3-3
Time: 2:22 1/4, 2:23 1/4, 2:23 1/4.

3 MINUTE CLASS.
Patsy B. (Scott) 1-1-1
Ellen Kitchen (LeGoff) 2-2-2
B. P. O'Ryan (Gardner) 3-3-3

There were three entries in the five mile Motor Cycle Race:
Edward Hobart, Fong Sing, Edward Hobart in ten minutes and twenty-three seconds.

The Auto Race was hard to fill. Some who entered were not present and to fill, Gordon Wallace against Frank Ward. Ward won in 5 minutes, three seconds, seven three miles.

The officials were:
Starter, D. A. Stewart,
Judges, C. Bennett, Robt. St. Onge, Allan Wharton.
Time Keepers, Geo. St. Onge, P. M. Anderson, Fred Melvin.

MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL

Held Tuesday Evening—Ten-dera Called for the Two Old Boilers.

A meeting of the town council was held last evening in the town council chamber, His Worship Mayor Andrew in the chair, with Councillors Champoux, Quinn, Patterson, Miller, Harquail and Alexander present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

A communication was read from Henry LeBlanc claiming \$30 damages on account of his breaking through the plank sidewalk on Water street, opposite the Lounsbury building by reason of which he was slightly injured and had the clothes he was wearing damaged. This communication was referred to the Public Property and Streets Committee.

A communication was read from the McLennan Foundry and Machine Works offering the town \$200 for the two old boilers and fittings which were in the old electric lighting plant, providing the tubes in the boilers were in fair condition. Considerable discussion took place over this communication.

Councillor Champoux held that if the tubes were in good shape the boilers were worth far more money. He thought an inspector should be put on the boilers to have them examined.

Councillor Miller was of the opinion that tenders should be called for before any sale of the boilers took place, and then it would be up to the tenderers to have the boilers inspected.

Councillor Harquail said he had spoken to the Manager of the Electric Lighting System in reference to these boilers. His opinion was that the small boiler was practically useless. Regarding the larger one the value of it would depend upon the condition of the tubes. Councillor Harquail suggested that a committee be appointed to look into the matter, or put the boilers up to tender.

On motion of Councillor Miller tenders were ordered to be called for the boilers, tenders to close on Tuesday next.

Councillor Champoux from the Assessment and Appeals Committee reported recommending a reduction of \$2000 in the assessment of Robt. J. Hamilton for the year 1916 as he was assessed for property on Gerard street belonging to J. R. Hamilton and that J. R. Hamilton be assessed for the \$2000 on that property. Carried.

Councillor Miller from the Water and Sewerage Committee reported recommending that W. J. S. Welsh's pay be increased from 30 cents to 35 cents per hour, dating from Sept. 1st Carried.

The following accounts were then ordered paid:—
WATER AND SEWERAGE DEPT.
Thos. Robertson Co., 147.68
FINANCE DEPT.
Graphic Tribune, 19.32
J. T. Reid, Assessor and Stamps, \$1.00
P. Jamieson, Assessor, 60.00
John L. LeBlanc, Assessor, 60.00
ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPT.
Dominion Express Co., \$1.15
Canadian Express Co., .45
Bank of Nova Scotia, 2.72
Canadian Oil Co., 25.16
Canadian General Electric Co., 77.75
Shives Lumber Co., 6.45
R. K. Shives, 1897.57
McAvity & Sons, 175.16
Canadian Government Railway 203.45

Councillor Alexander brought to the attention of the Council the importance of having the new Street Traffic By-Laws printed. On motion the By-Laws and Legislation Committee were authorized to have 100 copies of same printed.

Considerable discussion took place over having large signs posted at all entrances to our town, notifying automobile drivers of the speed limit and other important sections of the Traffic By-Laws. This matter was left in the hands of the By-Laws and Legislation Committee to look into and report at next meeting of the Council.

The Council then received and read a letter from the Hon. Mr. Justice of the Peace, Mr. Alexander in the chair to con-

GREAT WAR VETERANS ASSOCIATION HERE

Organization Completed at Meeting Held Here Sunday Evening.

Mr. Tippet, Provincial Organizer, Member of the National Executive of the G. W. V. A. of Canada with headquarters in the Citizen Building, Ottawa, arrived in Campbellton last week to organize the G. W. V. A. of Restigouche with headquarters at Campbellton.

A largely attended meeting was held here Sunday evening at which Mr. Tippet presided and completed the work of organization.

The following officers were elected: President, Lieut. O. J. Larsen, Vice President, Lieut. G. A. Mowat, Secretary, Corp. H. R. Murray, Secretary Treasurer, Corp. A. Cabot.

Trustees, Lieut. O. J. Larsen, Serg. Major Pincombe, Corp. H. McNeil, Executive, Lieut. G. A. Mowat, Serg. Major Pincombe, R. Senette. Thirty of the returned veterans have signed the roll and others are expected to enroll at the next meeting.

The following are the aims and objects of the organization:
To perpetuate the close and kindly ties of mutual service in the Great War, the recollections and associations of that experience, and to maintain proper standards of dignity and honour between all returned soldiers.
To preserve the memory and records of those who suffered and died for the Nation. To see to the erection of monuments to their valor, the provision of suitable burial places, and the establishment of an annual Memorial Day.
To insure proper provision is made for the due care of the sick, wounded and needy among those who have served, including reasonable pensions, employment for such as are capable, soldiers' homes, medical care and equitable provision for dependent families of enlisted men.
To constantly inculcate loyalty to Canada and the Empire in their interests.

The Town Council has placed one of the stores in the Town building at the disposal of the society, which will meet each Wednesday evening. The boys are hard at work setting their quarters to rights and for this purpose they need a considerable quantity of furniture. The Graphic would suggest that citizens supply the interior fittings. A number of chairs, tables, electric lights, pictures, curtains, floor rugs, etc., are needed. After the citizens supply what is required perhaps a committee of ladies would take charge and make the rooms homelike.

Any person wishing to contribute any of the above may communicate with the President, Vice-President or Secretary of the Association and arrangements will be made to have the goods called for.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS HELD TUESDAY

Quiet Polling in All Parishes—Seven of Old Council Again Chosen.

The Municipal election was held in the different parishes Tuesday. On the whole the elections were conducted in a most orderly manner, and there was a conspicuous absence of liquor. The polls were as follows:

PARISH OF DURHAM
John Lawlor 254
Archibald Murchie 251
John Kerr 224

PARISH OF COLBORNE
John McLean 168
W. G. Mawhinney 156
Louis Giroux 126

PARISH OF BALMORAL
Henry Diotte 171
Narcisse Levesque 109
Edward Bernard 89

PARISH OF DALHOUSIE
John Dickie 197
Polydore Dugas 172
Peter J. Golden 69
Thos. Dundon 109

PARISH OF ADDINGTON
John Harquail
Harvey Gillis

PARISH OF ELDON
Murdock Firth 57
James Chesser 43
Wm. Copeland 42
Geo. Thomas 39

PARISH OF GRIMMER
B. F. Peters
Alex Levesque

The first two in each parish are elected. Former councillors are designated.

FORESTRY COMPANY FOR GASPE COAST

Captain Mills of New Carlisle Now Recruiting for Such Utlie.

The counties of Bonaventure and Gaspé are to have an Overseas unite of their own.

Capt. Mills of New Carlisle is hard at work recruiting for a Forestry company. The officers of the company will all be from this district and the Battalion will be commanded by Major Belford, ex-chaplain of the 171st Battalion, and so well known along the Gaspé coast.

This is a very attractive unite and our Forestry boys have been doing a good work in England and France.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Henry Harris.
Broadlands has lost a highly respected resident in the death of Mr. Henry Harris which occurred on Thursday last, August 30th, at the age of sixty years.

Besides his wife he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Angus Dobson and Mrs. Vincent Duthie of Campbellton, Miss Etta and Miss Frances at home and three sons, John and Harvey at home and James now serving his country in France. Also his sisters, Miss Katherine Harris and Miss Janie Harris of Campbellton and four brothers, David of Flat Lands, William of Sellarville and James and John of Upsalquitch and Robert in British Columbia.

The funeral which was held on Saturday was largely attended, the Rev. J. R. McKay of Tide Head officiating. The pall bearers were Messrs. Joe Harvey, Frank Harris, Wm. Harvey, Chas. Dobson, Mitchell Harvey and Wm. Harris of Campbellton.

OBITUARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Maheson have the sympathy of all in the death of their six year old daughter Jolly which occurred at the Hotel Dieu Hospital, Sunday morning following an operation for appendicitis. The little girl was unusually bright and beloved by all.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Hugh Miller conducted the service at the house and grave.

JACK MALCOLM IN FLYING CORP

Popular Campbellton Boy Now Full Fledged Observer—Away to Egypt.

Mrs. Malcolm received word that her youngest son Jack, who was wounded last April, had joined the Royal Flying Corps upon being discharged from hospital in June and had left for Egypt on August 10th.

He is a full fledged observer and Jack's many friends in Campbellton trust that he will have good luck.

LETTER OF CONDOLENCE.

Campbellton, N. B. Sept. 5th, 1917.
To Mrs. Andrew Connell and family:
At a regular meeting of Snowdrift Division, 185 B. of L. E. the following resolution was unanimously passed:
That, Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father in his great wisdom to remove from among us your beloved husband, we hereby extend to you our heartfelt sympathy in this your great loss. Bro. A. Connell has been one of our most faithful members for many years, and in future we will miss him much and the Canadian Government Railway will miss a good employee.


Committee.
E. B. Price,
C. A. Killam,
Thos. M. Doherty.

BOY IN LOCKUP.

The town lock-up is not a fit place in which to place a human being for safe keeping and the action of Police-man Lawson in placing a little boy of 12 years of age and very small for his years, in a cell Wednesday afternoon and keeping him there until Thursday morning without any serious charge against him, is being severely criticized. The little boy was guilty of paying 10 cents to another for a pocket knife and must needs be used like a desperate criminal, while the boys who really stole the goods remained at liberty.

FLOURE DROPS

FIFTY A BARREL.
(By Louis White.)
Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—Flour took a drop of fifty cents a barrel yesterday. It has for a month sold at twenty dollars.



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