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ARNOLD LOSES CASE

At Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Friday, Mr. Justice Lennox, dismissed with costs the writ of habeas corpus of Alexander Arnold, farmer of Arthur township, in which Arnold claimed his wife, Mrs. Azelia Edna Moore Arnold, seventeen years of age, of Teviotdale, was restrained by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore of Teviotdale. Mrs. Arnold, her mother and father expressed themselves as well pleased with the verdict and the girl wife left with her parents for their home at Teviotdale where she will reside. Mr. Justice Lennox in delivering judgment said there was a preponderance of evidence in favor of the father and mother. "I presume they are respectable people who understand the necessity of truth in making an affidavit. The girl confirms and more than confirms what is in the affidavit. I asked her if her father and mother died if she would go back to her husband and quite understand how this man of experience influenced her and used it upon her."

"She was badly treated by this man who I can term aged," he continued, "who is the father of a family, and who should know the rights of fathers and mothers and respect other people's children. He did not do so. I have no doubt as to the facts of the case and if my mind was in the balance as to the truth of the affidavits I would not support the application made here."

Mr. Justice Lennox, in reply to Mr. Clarke, who acted for the appellant, said even if the matter hung in the balance he could not take the girl from the custody of her parents.

Mr. Justice Lennox: "If some blackguard captures a man's wife on the streets of Toronto, then the husband is entitled to proceedings. Take this case, it is doubtful at the beginning if this woman wishes to return with her husband. If the affidavits can be depended upon there has been no restraint."

New material denying Arnold's allegations that his bride was being kept from him had been filed by William Moore and Mrs. Azelia Edna Moore Arnold.

Moore's affidavit stated that Arnold, farmer and highway foreman, came to board with the Moore's in November, 1921. On January 4th, 1922, the daughter left home about 1.20 in the afternoon, saying that she was going to a neighbor's house. Arnold had not been seen around since the afternoon before.

On January 24th, Arnold was in the hospital in Mount Forest and Azelia was alone in the farm house with no threats.

On January 27, Azelia returned home with her mother and Mrs. Hollingshead. There has been no restraint.

In her sworn statement the young wife said:

"I didn't say I was eighteen. I said I was seventeen past. My husband did not tell me not to go home, but requested me in case I should go home not to make my physical condition known to my parents. I went home with my mother entirely of my own volition. I wish to remain at my parents' home, but am not compelled to stay."

Arnold produced the certificate which reads: "On the fourth of January 1922, were married Alexander Arnold of the township of Arthur, and Azelia Edna Moore of the township of Minto, by me, Ernest A. Slack, rector of St. Paul's, Mount Forest." Witnesses were R. N. Craig and Edna May Slack. The couple were married at four o'clock in the afternoon in St. Paul's church and four persons were present at the ceremony.

About twenty-two years ago Arnold married Mary Racher of Arthur Township. By the marriage there were three children, Ira, aged about 21, Hilda aged about 18, and Lloyd aged 15. His first wife died two years ago in March of pneumonia.

REPORT OF P.S.S. NO. 6, CARRICK

For January and February

Sr. IV—Nellie Schaus 66; Arthur Jaergens 63; Orlando Schmidt 59.

Jr. IV—Adeline Kreuger 67; Arthur Losch 51; Rueber Russell 50.

Sr. III—Alfred Eickmeier 61.

Jr. III—Caroline Russell 56; Edgar Russwurm 55.

Jr. II B.—Garfield Reuber 66.

Jr. II B.—Elmer Losch 90; Norman Russwurm 76.

E. A. Bilger, teacher

While watching a hockey match in the home town, Geo. Morrison, K'n-car's postmaster, was unfortunately enough to be hit on the nose with the puck, resulting in his nose being broken.

A ROMANCE OF BIRD LIFE

When one day, several years ago, a pair of wild geese halted on their way north at a small farm in Essex County, Ontario, the farmer did not seize his gun, rush out and blaze away at his rare visitors, but watched them, gaining their confidence and encouraged them to call again. The response to this unusual treatment at the hands of man was remarkable. By means of wild goose language, strange bits of which we overhear as they fly high overhead on unexpected nights in spring and autumn, the birds who had received protection and kindness instead of the customary hostile reception through the bore of a rifle, old their brothers and sisters of the sanctuary they had found.

Next season the number of callers multiplied; the next they multiplied again, until now thousands call every year and the farmer has to spend hundreds of dollars in boarding his feathered guests during their sojourn here.

The farmer in this history is Jack Miner. The fame of this bird sanctuary has spread, until to-day it is the mecca of innumerable sightseers who go to witness the scenes on the farm when the geese pause in their long flight and pay Jack a neighborly visit.

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PEEL FARMER HAS PECULIAR TROUBLE

There is much interest in Peel township in the case of Mr. Bartholemew Farrell, a native of the township and widely known there, who is in the hands of an expert masseur in Syracuse, New York, who is endeavoring to restore to him his speech, lost two years ago when he was struck on the head by a pan of dough. The injury practically paralyzed the vocal chords and his tongue and affected his jaws so that he could not speak a word. He was taken to three hospitals in Syracuse, where he was working at the time, for treatment, but all methods used to restore speech failed and he was then taken to New York where two specialists worked on him, also without success. He has been drawing compensation of \$15 weekly and on this he and his wife and two children have to get along. All his bills for hospital and medical treatment have been met by his former employer, Mr. Farrell can not use his jaws and when he makes an effort a slight hissing sound comes from him as a result of his treatments. Since he lost his speech he has learned the sign language. The circumstances of the injury were peculiar. He was at work piling trays on dough carriers. A pan of dough weighing 30 pounds slipped off the top shelf of one of the carriers and fell 15 inches, striking him squarely on the head. He has never spoken since. The masseur is hopeful that methods being used will effect a cure.

A TOBOGGAN ACCIDENT

A company of young people were enjoying a toboggan party on the hill west of the Agricultural ground Saturday night when an unfortunate accident occurred. A toboggan containing Eric Ramsay, Irene Moore and Hilda McNamara got off to a bad start and ran into a tree root on the side of the hill, the occupants being thrown in all directions. Hilda McNamara was launched violently against a tree and painfully injured. Her forehead was cut across, requiring several stitches to close the wound, one of her eyes hurt, some teeth broken and her hip and body met severely. While it is thought her injuries will not prove serious they are very painful and will keep her in bed for some weeks. Irene Moore escaped with a slightly injured ankle, and Eric Ramsay was bruised and shaken up.—TeleScope.

REPORT OF S.S. NO. 10, CARRICK

For February

Sr. IV—Laurette Hoelzie, Eleanor Schwehr, Mary Schneid.

Jr. IV—Frank Schnurr, Tony Scheffter, George Reinhart, (Gertrude Hoelzie and Oswald Schwehr) equal, Adeline Huber, Barney Hundt, Alphonsus Kempel.

Jr. III—Marie Schumacher, Albinus Schnurr, Lauretta Hundt, Margare Hoelzie, Vena Huber, Harry Weiler, Sam Schneider, Joseph Schwehr, John Kuenzig.

Jr. II—Hilda Schnurr, Sibylla Kempel, Elizabeth Weiler, Madeline Reinhart, Evelyn Schumacher, Johanna Becker, Mary Kuenzig, Rose Becker.

Jr.—Clarence Hoelzie, Norman Hurd, Josephine Schneider, Magnus Scheffter, Simon Huber.

Primer—Corinna Weiler, Gertrude Becker, Margaret Schumacher, Norman Hoelzie.

Average Attendance 3.

G. Siegner, teacher

A man living in a shack out at St. Vital, a suburb of Winnipeg, was lately advised he was heir to 96,000 pounds in Wales by the death of a relative. Besides the money there are one or two villas and farms. Quite a change to go from a "shack" to a palace. The lawyers had to hunt all over Canada to find him.

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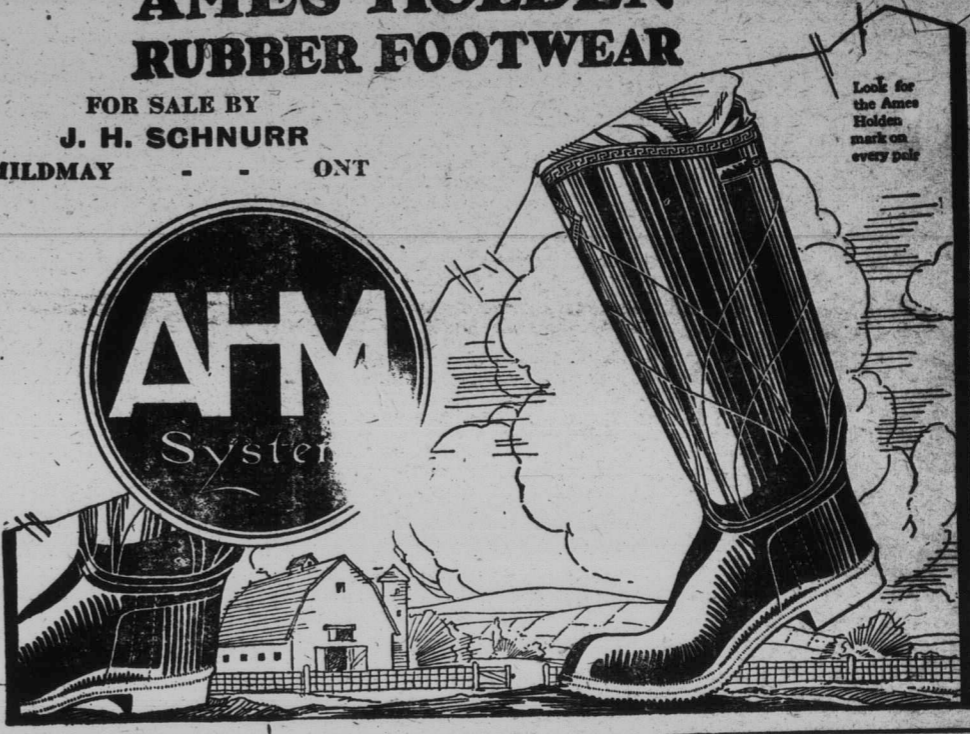
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FINED \$20 FOR ASSAULT

Alvin Racher, a local youth who visited the Family Theatre on Thursday evening last and started in to beat up the manager, Fred Jewell, was mulcted \$20 and costs by Magistrate McNab at the Town Hall here on Monday afternoon on a charge of assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm. Jewell, who is an ex-soldier, was carrying peacefully on at the ticket selling wicket, when Racher came in, and picking a quarrel, threatened to throw Fred through the window. On the latter resenting this, Racher grabbed the ex-warrior and was apparently proceeding to make good his threat, when, becoming inconced during the tussle, he hit Jewell a smashing blow over the eye, which blackened and almost closed the optic. Just how far the pommelling process would have gone is not known, but his aggressiveness was brought to a sudden close when Jewell grabbed up a hammer and tapped him on the head in a manner that sent him staggering to the doctor's for repairs. Lawyer Klein, who prosecuted at the trial, urged that Racher be given a prison term as he had been fined already several times for different offences. Herb Henderson, who defended the accused, pulled a pitiful tale in the Court about making a jail-bird of so young a man, and thought that this might be the turning point of the ways, and prayed that another chance be given him. Nor were Herbie's cries in vain, for the Magistrate decided to give him the chance asked for, and passed out a fine of \$20 and costs, or a total assessment of \$29, which the defendant promptly paid. On a charge of being disorderly in the Hartley House on the same day as he pulled off the picture show attack, Racher, who pleaded guilty to the affair, was mulcted \$1.00 and costs by the Magistrate on Tuesday. Herald & Times.

These galoshes look like a girl can't buckle down to anything.

One night lately, eight sheep belonging to Jas. Thompson of the cMAlpine farm, con. 12, Elderslie, were worried by dogs and half of them are dead. This will reduce the Elderslie sheep fund considerably unless the owners of the wolf-dogs are found. The ears of the worried sheep were chewed off.

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