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Indian Freed In Murder Case Is Back in Jail

London, Ont., May 12 (CP).—Samuel Dodge, 41-year-old Clendeboye Indian, acquitted on a murder charge last fall, was given a thirty-day jail term today for drunken driving. He pleaded guilty.

Smiling and flippant, he said a lawyer could be of no use to him when Magistrate Ian MacRae asked if he wished a remand to obtain counsel.

"Are you prepared to proceed?" Dodge was asked.

"Go ahead, that's what I'm here for," the Indian replied.

Magistrate MacRae recalled he had acted for the Department of Indian Affairs at Dodge's murder trial, and commented: "I thought you would have learned your lesson."

"It's about time," Dodge agreed.

"What are you doing now?" inquired the magistrate.

"Well, doing time, I guess," wisecracked the Indian.

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