

DENNISON SENT UP FOR TRIAL IN JANUARY

SENTENCE ON KITCHEN FURTHER POSTPONED

Evidence Against Dennison was Completed Yesterday—Prosecution Strongly Urged Commitment.

Blair Dennison charged with stealing supplies from the Fredericton Hospital D. S. C. R. on October 31st was sent up for trial before the York County Court in January. He was sent up Friday afternoon by Police Magistrate Limerick. The latter convicted Elwood Kitchen on a similar charge and remanded him until this morning when he further remanded him until the 29th.

The case against Dennison was continued Friday afternoon. Kitchen was placed on the stand.

He said he did not know now where the missing goods are. Edward Larin called for the prosecution said he was chief engineer of heating system of the D. S. C. R. Hospital. He stated that at about 8.30 p. m. on Nov. 1st two persons approached the back door of B Ward of the Hospital carrying bundles. One person appeared taller than the second. Ray Brewer called to them. One person came up. It was Elwood Kitchen.

C. L. Dougherty for the defence waived cross examination.

Mr. Dougherty in addressing the court urged that nothing was shown in evidence which merited further consideration of the charge against the prisoner and asked his discharge.

Mr. Gale in summing up pointed out that there had been a theft at the D. S. C. R. Hospital. He thought it incredible if Dennison were innocent that he should meet Brewer and act as spokesman for the two. He believed that in the interests of the D. S. C. R. and the public he should be sent up for trial.

Judgment then was given.

Full Strength.

The permanent machine gun brigade with headquarters at Toronto is up to full establishment strength and no more recruits are required for that unit. Owing to the numbers of men desiring to enlist in this popular branch many have had to be turned away.

Concert at Prince William

The choir of Christchurch Cathedral went to Prince William last evening by C. N. R. and gave a very enjoyable and successful concert for the benefit of the Prince William Church. About \$130 was realized. The choir about twenty five strong returned this morning.

Going to Rome.

At a meeting of Redemptorist Rectors in Montreal a few days ago, it was decided to send a delegation to Rome in connection with the business of the Order. It is understood that Very Rev. Wm. Hogan, C.S.S.R., rector of St. Peter's Church, St. John, is one of the priests chosen. Rev. Father Hogan conducted a mission at St. Anthony's Church, Devon, some years ago.

Arrested at McAdam

George Clifford appeared before the police court here this morning on the charge of violating the Intoxicating Liquor Act 1916 by having liquor on his person. The informant is Sub-Inspector Fraser Saunders. This is a second offense. He was remanded to jail. Clifford was arrested on a warrant. Several months ago he was arrested here charged with a first offence under the same act. He belongs to McAdam where he was arrested.

To Boom the Province

Mr. W. H. Allen, president of the New Brunswick Guides Association will leave the end of this month for Ohio, where he exhibits motion pictures of game scenes taken in New Brunswick wilds. He will address meetings under the auspices of game associations at Columbus and other cities. Mr. Allen has some splendid reels of film which he will show and he will also give a talk on the game resources of the province, which he is well qualified to do.

Old Service Roll.

The new form of attestation paper adopted last spring has been discontinued, as it was found to be too complicated for use in the militia units where there are now no adjutants and permanent staffs with these units. The old form of service roll which was in use prior to the war will be again continued in use. With this form the recruit merely takes the oath of allegiance and signs the roll.

Registered Nurses

The results of the recent examination for the registration of nurses in the province of New Brunswick were announced at the meeting of the examining board held in St. John yesterday. Twenty one nurses wrote the examinations. Thirteen passed them successfully, and will be entitled to the official title of "registered nurse" in the province. The successful candidates were as follows: from St. John, Miss Annie Leckie, Miss Mary Downing, Miss Eva Craig, Miss Lily Simpson, Miss Kathleen Williams, Miss Louise Graham, Miss Rita Foley and Miss Elva Stairs; from Fredericton, Miss Anna Hallett and Miss Annie Brogan; from Moncton, Miss Grace Rogers; from Chatham, Miss Frances Shanagan and Miss Kathleen Hay. Dr. G. C. VanWart and Miss Elizabeth Sansom of Fredericton were members of the Board.

REV. G. M. YOUNG ASKED TO REMAIN FOR FIFTH YEAR

CONFERENCE WILL DECIDE ON REQUEST

Rev. H. A. Goodwin Relieved of His Acceptance of Call to Fredericton Methodist Church.

The Fredericton Methodist Church at a meeting held Friday night relieved Rev. H. A. Goodwin of his acceptance of a call to that church. Rev. Mr. Goodwin who is pastor of the Centenary Church, St. John, accepted appointment to the Department of Evangelism and Social Service for the Methodist Church in the Maritime Provinces subsequent to accepting a call to the Fredericton church.

Want a Fifth Year

Rev. George M. Young who will have completed four years as pastor of the Fredericton Church in June next, was pressed by the congregation to remain in the pastorate for a fifth year. Rev. Mr. Young is willing to stay but the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Methodist Conference must decide upon the matter of an extra year.

Itinerant System Retained

The itinerant system of pastorates in the Methodist Church which has been a portion of the church system since its inception, is still retained by the conference of which the Fredericton church is a member. The Canadian General Conference passed a resolution in favor of indefinite terms of pastorates but the resolution was not endorsed by a number of the subordinate conferences.

While a resident of Fredericton Rev. Mr. Young has made friends for himself among people of all creeds and classes and it is generally hoped that he will be able to continue here for another year.

Drive to Springhill.

The Sophomore class of U. N. B. drove to Springhill last night and had a "Hobo" dance in the hall there. Everything went according to schedule until they got ready to return home. It was then found that one of their horses had run away. This made a trip to the city for another horse necessary. The "Hoboes" were chaperoned by Professor and Mrs. Harvey.

Income Tax Cases

The first prosecutions under the law providing punishment for failure to file statements required under the new federal tax on incomes, etc., will come up in the St. John police court next week. A. W. Sharpe war tax inspector, advises. The cases have to do with 1919 statements. An officer of Ottawa headquarters is in St. John in connection with the matter and has made his reports to the chief of police. There are thirty-two ratepayers who will be proceeded against there and there is one in Moncton. The penalty for failure to file a statement is \$100.

WILL FILE CLAIM AGAINST THE RAILWAY

CRYSTAL STREAM S.S. CO. PUT TO MUCH EXPENSE

Majestic Towed D. J. Purdy Off Nashwaak Bar Friday Afternoon—Another Trip Monday.

The Crystal Stream Steamship Company is to enter a claim against the Canadian National Railways for damages due to the draw-span of the bridge across the St. John River here being out of order Wednesday night compelling the steamer D. J. Purdy to anchor below the bridge from which position of anchorage she drifted upon the Nashwaak Bar. The transfer of the passengers and freight and the towing of the steamer off the bar put the steamship company to expense for which recompense is demanded of the railway.

Pulled Off Friday Evening.

The Purdy was pulled off the Nashwaak bar at about five o'clock Friday afternoon. The Majestic succeeded in freeing her after many efforts during which the steel hawser was broken three times. The first efforts were unsuccessful but the Majestic finally was able to swing the Purdy's stern some yards. The Majestic then was able to lie alongside and transfer freight. After practically all the cargo was removed the Majestic again pulled and brought the other steamer into deep water. Both steamers then came up and lay at the company's wharf where freight was discharged and coal taken aboard. At about nine o'clock last night both steamers left lying at Oromocto for the night. This morning the Purdy proceeded to St. John and the Majestic to Cole's Island.

There is much freight offering and the Purdy will arrive here Saturday night on another trip. She may make more trips after that if the weather remains mild.

No Sign of Closing.

So far there is no sign of the river closing for the winter. There is much light ice running but the temperature has not been low enough to seal the river over.

Dancing Class.

The junior dancing class of Miss Jean VanBuskirk and Miss Margaret Jack was held last night in the G. W. V. A. hall. Music for the programme of dances was furnished by Miss Frances Coleman.

Propose Basket Ball League

Keen interest is being evinced in basket ball at present. Several organizations have been training for more than a month and it is proposed to organize at least one league to consist of teams from P. N. S., Business College, F. H. S. and the U. N. B. Freshmen. Bert Cochrane Physical Director of the local Y. M. C. A. is at present working to make the league a fact.

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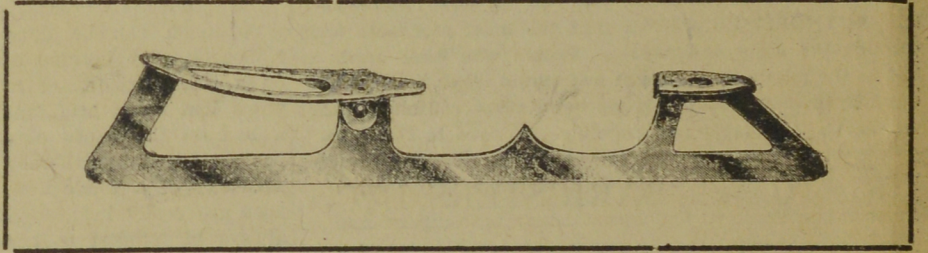
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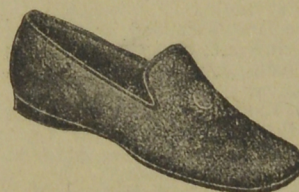
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