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Would Square Account With Bogus Check

A man who tried to square an old debt and obtain more goods from a city merchant with a bogus check was fined \$50 and costs yesterday afternoon in police court by Magistrate W. D. Vance.

Mitchell Caudwell of Smithers Tuesday afternoon offered J. W. O'Dowes a check of \$125 to pay off an old account of \$100 and to purchase goods worth \$22.45. Accused received \$2.55 in change, M. O'Dowes said in court.

Account number on the personal check, however, did not satisfy him, Mr. O'Dowes said. It was drawn on a Smithers bank. Investigation through the bank disclosed there was no such account at Smithers, said Mr. C'Dowes.

Caudwell was arrested after a short chase by police and the merchant.

Accused told Magistrate Vance the account was in a different name. Also the account was too small to cover the check, he admitted.

He really had a Ukrainian name, accused said, but because of discrimination where he worked, he used his present name. For that reason his Smithers account was in another name.

"You have the wrong attitude," Magistrate Vance told accused. "You should live such a life so you can be proud of your name."

Rod MacLeod, counsel for accused, said Caudwell had deposited \$22.45 at the law office to make restitution to Mr. C'Dowes for obtained goods. Caudwell said he would make arrangement with Mr. O'Dowes to pay on a monthly plan the debt he still owes.

Cpl. A. S. Wellens conducted the crown's case.

Personals

• S.O.N. picnic, Digby Island, Sunday, August 12. Boats leave Imperial Oil dock 10 o'clock. Sonja Ladies invited. (187c)

Mrs. Ralph Morin is leaving on the Prince Rupert tonight for Vancouver enroute to St. Catharines, Ontario, to visit with her daughter.

M. W. Gormely and J. P. MacDonald, of Prince Rupert forestry division, left today by plane for an official business trip to Queen Charlotte Islands.

Mrs. N. Carey left by plane today to return to Vancouver with her two children. Mr. Carey is co-pilot for Canadian Pacific Airlines Prince Rupert-Sandspit run. The Careys are making their home here.

Miss Marie Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robinson, will be returning home by the Prince Rupert this evening to Vancouver. Niece of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Judge, Taylor Street, she has been visiting here for the past few weeks.

Mrs. E. T. Applewhite, who has been visiting in the south while Mr. Applewhite was touring the northern part of the riding following the session of Parliament at Ottawa, is returning to the city from Vancouver on the Coquitlam tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lennox, New York and Los Angeles, are passengers on Prince George which docked here this morning on her Vancouver-Skagway cruise. Mr. Lennox is a well-known photographer and lecturer and is taking a series of color scenic photographs of his west coast cruise.

William Davies of Queen Charlotte City returned from a trip to the interior a few days ago enroute to his home. Mr. Davies, who was formerly in charge of CN Telegraphs here, is in business at Queen Charlotte. He has been at Houston, as well as in adjacent points in the south of there, where he at one time was engaged in ranching.

New Public Health Unit Staff Here

It is expected an entirely new staff will carry out the work of Prince Rupert's public health unit when staff changeovers have been completed. New arrivals include Sanitary Inspector Edward Bradley and Miss Phyllis Bourton, temporary public health nurse.

Two nurses have taken positions in other parts of the province. Miss Shirley Main will continue her work at Kimberley, while Miss Margaret Steeves goes to Dawson Creek. Miss Freda Hilton is slated to go to Vancouver, pending arrival of her relief.

Miss Bourton, who is doing her first stint of field work in public health nursing, is here for only two months before beginning her public health course at the University of British Columbia. A registered nurse, she graduated from Vancouver General Hospital in 1946, doing specialty work there for six months. Since then, Miss Bourton spent a year at Bralorne Mines Hospital, a year with social services in Vancouver and two years as nursing sister in the RCAF from which she recently took her discharge. She is bound on a career of public health nursing, she says, for there is her "main interest."

NEW SANITARIAN

Mr. Bradley has been working with the Public Health Department since 1946, but not until two years ago did he enter sanitation.

From Victoria originally, Mr. Bradley spent a year with the Saanich Health Unit, served some time with the Surrey unit and was stationed last at Cloverdale. He arrived yesterday on the steamer Prince Rupert and says "this is my first trip north."

"It was a grand trip. This country appeals to me already," Mr. Bradley will be in charge of sanitation in Prince Rupert, its suburban area and in the Queen Charlotte Islands area. He takes office today.



FIRST HOME OF 20 to be built by Celco Co-operative Housing Association, Port Edward, is getting its concrete foundation laid and further work is well under way. Here President Len Loucks and Secretary-Treasurer Fred Gray are handing bags of cement to the mixer. Mr. Loucks is electrical superintendent for Columbia Cellulose Co. Ltd.; Mr. Gray, an engineer.

Celco Housing Proceeding

Next week Celco Co-operative Housing Association, Port Edward, will meet to iron out remaining wrinkles of an application for incorporation as a village.

While most of Columbia Cellulose Co. Ltd. workers have been busy with overtime work for the past weeks, work on the housing project of the association is progressing, however, slowly.

Fred Gray, secretary-treasurer of the association, said today there had been a slight delay in erecting the first unit but the concrete foundation now has been poured and further work will continue.

Next home, that of President

Len Loucks, will have a foundation and basement of concrete blocks, instead of poured cement. Mr. Gray, engineering and designing the homes, says this method will be less costly in the long run and more efficient building will result.

The democratic one-member-one-vote co-operative intends to have 20 homes completed by Christmas this year.

Following approval of incorporation, the association will throw open a slate for candidates to be elected as village commissioners.

One of the main immediate benefits of incorporation, says

Scottish Nurse Pretty Bride

United in Marriage To Pulp Mill Engineer

A popular Miller Bay Hospital nurse and an engineer of Columbia Cellulose were married last night at First United Church, Prince Rupert in an impressive ceremony, conducted by Rev. Lawrence G. Steber, Miss Mary Middleton and James Henry Gertwell exchanged wedding vows.

The bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hiddleston, live in Mount Grange, Lockevire, Island. She is a graduate of a one Old Country hospital. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cartwell of Chilliwack.

Wearing nylon lace covered with taffeta with train of nylon net the bride was given in marriage by Peter Peterson of Miller Bay. Bride's apparel included an ornate blossom halo headpiece, which held the floor-length wedding veil in place. Flowers were mixed carnations with sprays of white heather flown from Scotland. A Royal Stuart sash ribbon adorned the bouquet.

Bride's attendant was Mrs. Inge Davis, R.N., who acted as maid of honor. Mrs. Davis wore a pink taffeta covered with nylon lace and a flowered coronet. She carried a bouquet of carnations.

Groomsmen were Robert McEwen and Ernest Turued was best man.

Reception was held at the dining hall and lounge of the Prince Rupert Hotel.

The bride has been with the Indian Health Services since her arrival in Canada four years ago, three years of which she spent on the nursing staff of Miller Bay Hospital. The groom is a graduate in engineering of University of British Columbia and for the past 18 months has been on the engineering staff of Columbia Cellulose.

There were no relatives of the couple present at the ceremony but many cables and telegrams were received. The bride's relatives all are in Scotland while the groom's parents from Chilliwack were unable to attend. The young couple were recipients of many beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cartwell left today on the Prince George for Alaska. Following their return they will motor to Vancouver. Bride's travelling costume is a three-piece Glen check ensemble with navy accessories. Future dwelling place of the couple will be at Edmonton.

Thirty-six guests attended the reception.

Mrs. Peterson and Mrs. Abbott assisted in receiving.

Band Concert At City Park

The Prince Rupert Civic Band is looking for a permanent place to hold its summer open air concerts and its conductor, Peter Lien, has two places in mind which he thinks are "very well suited" for such occasions.

Last night, at McClymont Park, the band held its second concert of the season but, because of the small attendance, Mr. Lien said the band felt "a bit disheartened."

However Mr. Lien and his band members did have an appreciative audience of children, even though only a few adults came to listen. From the playground the young music lovers came forward up the hillside where the band played on the parking lot.

At first a little shy, soon they were brave enough to take ringside seats on logs not five feet from the band to listen gape-mouthed to the fine styling of the music. Some of the youngsters came right up to their favorite musicians to examine more closely the mechanics of the instruments.

Of the adults who were there, some sitting on the grass, others in parked autos, all appeared to enjoy the performance of marches, overtures, and especially a waltz medley of old-time hits, an arrangement by Walters, called "Showboat Souvenirs" which contained such old-timers as "Daisy, Daisy," "A Thousand Times, No!" and "The Band Played On," and listeners reminiscently joined in to hum or sing the choruses.

NEXT CONCERT

Mr. Lien doesn't know where the next concert will be staged but feels that the Canadian National Park—near or on the former lawn bowling green—would be suitable.

"In fact, I think that is really the best spot in town," the conductor says. "And it wouldn't take much to erect a permanent stand in either of the two parks. We should be playing at the same place all the time!"

Next concert, before some of the band members take leave on holidays, is scheduled for next week, perhaps Thursday night, said Mr. Lien. Place, date and time will be announced later.

Last night's performance, of an hour's duration, featured the following program:

- "Sound Off—March—by Holmstedt.
- "Electric Park"—Overture, by Southwell.
- "El Charro"—March, by Tarver.
- "Bower of Beauty"—Waltz, by Brooks.
- "Stouthearted Men"—March, by Romberg.
- "Legionnaires on Parade"—March, by Kieffmann.
- "Invercargill"—March, by Lithgow.
- "Showboat Souvenirs"—Waltz medley, by Walters.
- "The Golden Sceptre"—Overture, by Schlegel.
- "Abide With Me"—Hymn, by Monk.
- "The Street King"—March, by Ribble.
- "The King."

Half Million Dollar School

Education of natives of the Yukon and far northern British Columbia will be centralized at Lower Post on the Liard River where a \$500,000 Indian residential school is nearing completion. Hope is that it will be ready for opening by next month so that 104 children may take up residence there before their parents leave for their trappings to spend the winter.

The school, a modern and well equipped structure, typical of the new style of educational institutions that are being provided for the native children has been built by the federal Indian Affairs Branch and will be operated by the Oblate Fathers of the Roman Catholic Church. There will be a staff of 17.

The school is located right on the Alaska Highway.

Announcements

- Women's Coordinating Tea, Sept. 20.
- Catholic Fall Bazaar, October 3 and 4.
- Rebekah Bazaar, October 20.
- LO.B.A. Fall Bazaar, October 20.
- Sonja Bazaar, November 2.
- Legion Auxiliary Bazaar, November 7.
- The Women of the Moose Fall Bazaar, November 16.
- I.O.G.E. Fall Bazaar November 21.
- St. Peter's Fall Bazaar, November 29.
- March, by Kieffmann.
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- "Showboat Souvenirs"—Waltz medley, by Walters.
- "The Golden Sceptre"—Overture, by Schlegel.
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