

Reid's Awarded Damages In Action Against City

Plaintiffs in the Supreme Court yesterday received a nominal award of damages in the suit of John Reid and Elizabeth Reid against the City of Charlottetown, Police Chief Sterns Webster and Police Sergeant Charles Ready. In a 19-page judgement, Chief Justice Thane A. Campbell awarded John Reid \$2,600 and Elizabeth Reid \$1,050 against the defendants jointly and severally with the City to indemnify defendants Webster and Ready against any recovery from them personally. The plaintiffs had sued for \$142,000 as a result of the closing of the restaurant known as Johnny's Fish and Chips following a series of court appearances which started in late 1964. In his judgment, the Chief Justice stated John Reid had testified that, at the time his sister closed the restaurant, it would have cost \$2,000 in advertising and promotional work to get the business going again. Noting the amount was just an estimate and possibly exaggerated, it had not been disputed and he therefore allowed the plaintiff \$1,500, plus loss of four months rental, or \$1,000. "I would allow him \$100 general damages, making a total of \$2,600". The Chief Justice continued: "I would allow the female plaintiff (four months' loss of profit (not after payment of rental) or, say, \$800 and two months' diminution of net profits from 19th November 1964 to 17th January 1965 or, say, \$250". The judgment also said the plaintiffs will also recover one bill of costs against the defendants. Chief Justice Campbell found no cause for an action for false arrest because according to precedent "the opinion and judgment of a judicial officer are interposed between the charge and the imprisonment". He noted whatever remedy Reid may have had for his improper incarceration, it clearly was not by way of action for false imprisonment. Remarkably the difficulty in apportioning the respective liabilities among the defendants the Justice said "there is no evidence which would lead me to believe that either Webster or Ready acted from any personal malice or improper motive" as they appeared to be acting on instructions from city officials on which they were entitled to rely.



SIGNING CONTRACTS

Contracts for the building of two steel trawlers scheduled to join the Souris fishing fleet were signed in Pictou, N.S. yesterday. The ships are being built by Ferguson Ind., Pictou, N.S. and will be operated by Usen Fisheries. Shown here are: (FROM THE LEFT, Jim Ferguson, vice-president, Ferguson Ind.; Premier Alex B. Campbell; Allan A. Ferguson, president Ferguson Ind.

(STANDING) Hon Cecil Miller, minister of fisheries and Roy Lambie, general manager of Usen Fisheries, Souris. Premier Campbell witnessed the signing.

Furrow Contest Goes At Dundas

The Queen of the Furrow competition will be repeated this year as a part of the Dundas Plowing Match competition. The Guardian learned yesterday from chairman of the Queen committee. Entries received to date include Ethel MacLean, St. George's who is sponsored by the St. George's CWL. The second contestant is Dotie Hunter, Strathcona who is sponsored by Matthew and MacLean Ltd. of Bridgetown. The third contestant Jean MacKay is sponsored by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Moitague.

Miss MacLean is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. MacLean; Miss Hunter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Borden Hunter and Miss MacKay is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover MacKay of Strathcona. The Queen will be crowned at 1:30 on Wednesday prior to the official opening ceremonies. The crowning will be performed by Caroline Campbell, Whim Road Cross who was the 1965 Queen. The coronation dance will be held in the Souris Regional High School auditorium. Music will be supplied by the Royal Swingers.

Steel Trawler Is Due To Visit

The brand new steel trawler Gulf Gunn, pride of the Georgetown Fishing Fleet, is due in Charlottetown today and is scheduled to hold open house for the thousands of visitors expected abroad during a three day visit to the city.

Gulf Gunn, latest vessel to go to sea from the Bathurst Marine plant, recently completed sea trials at Georgetown, and is making the courtesy call to Charlottetown and Summerside prior to her first trip to the fishing grounds. Purpose of the visit is to stimulate public interest in the Georgetown development and to interest Island labor in the job opportunities available at the shipyard and processing plant.

Bathurst Marine and Gulf Garden management say that expansion plans indicate a doubling of the present labor force over the next two years to meet production quotas. Approximately 450 people are now employed in the shipyard, on the fishing vessels, and in the processing plant itself.

Activities during the Charlottetown visit will begin at noon today with a lunch hour cruise for a party of education and government officials. Later in the afternoon a group of sixty students from the Vocational Institute will be taken on a special tour of the vessel. The group will represent welding, drafting, electronics and electrical classes at the school.

The ship will be open to the general public on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Sunday from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. A second group will also be taken on a cruise on Sunday morning. Sunday evening the vessel will proceed to Summerside to host an official party at luncheon on Monday.

GENERAL PUBLIC During the visit to Charlottetown and Summerside the general public will have the opportunity of touring the vessel to new Central Street High School will not be officially opened until late October. Parkside enrolled 840 pupils this year, with 540 attending the Elm Street School, 640 to the junior high and 485 attending the senior high. The system contains two elementary schools with grades one to five inclusive. At present, grades 6 and 8 are housed in the junior high school building, and grade 7 students are in the new high school building.

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Winners Are Announced In Western Exhibition

In the swine Yorkshire class at the Egmont Bay - Mt. Carmel exhibition Wednesday, Sylvère J.F. Arsenault, Peter J. Gallant and Alfred Arsenault were top winners.

In the sheep judging competition, David Gallant, Leonard LeClair and Alcide Bernard were top winners. In sheep exhibits, Edmond Bernard of St. Philip's led the list, with fine exhibits from Sylvère J.F. Arsenault and Henry W. Wedge.

Herman Smallman of O'Leary showed some top Herefords while the Holstein class had strong competition in Cormier Brothers of Egmont Bay, Erskine Forbes and Son, Lot 16. Edmond C. Gallant of Egmont Bay took top honors with his Scotch Shorthorns, while Herman Smallman of O'Leary was runner-up.

In the Avshire entry list, Edmond Bernard of Egmont Bay was top exhibitor, and Sylvère J.F. Arsenault of Egmont Bay came in second. Sanford Phillips' Guernseys took top honors in that classification, and he also drew a lot of attention with his prize Jerseys.

Sylvère Arsenault was also near top in this category. Edmond C. Gallant paraded the grand champion dual purpose Shorthorn, while reserve grand champion was led by Roy Gallant. The ladies were active in the exhibition as well with the following leading in the domestic science exhibits: Mrs. George P. Arsenault, Abrams Village; Mrs. Sylvère DesRoche, Abrams Village; Mrs. Harry Adams, O'Leary Station; Mrs. John L. Arsenault, Abrams Village; Mrs. G.P. Arsenault of

Abrams Village proved she was one of the best cooks in the area with the best loaf of bread using Island flour. A special prize was also given to Mrs. Len MacNeill of Richmond for the best chocolate cake exhibit. In another exhibit, Mrs. John Babour of Alberton, Mrs. George Arsenault of Mt. Carmel and Mrs. George P. Arsenault of Abrams Village placed more than one winner in the bottled meats, fish, and vegetable competition. Entertainment was provided during the day, with the Acadian music being enjoyed by the large crowd.

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Commissioners Investigating Inconvenience A meeting of the Water and Sewer Commissioners of Charlottetown took place last evening in the new water department building on Kirkwood Drive. At the meeting it was reported that since the erection of the new water department building, many citizens, particularly those who live in the vicinity of city hall where it was convenient to pay water and sewer bills have been put to extra expense and inconvenience to reach the new location on Kirkwood Drive. The chairman of the water commission, Sidney Green, and water commissioners, J. W. MacKenna and R. E. Taylor reported that the problem of inconvenience caused by the new location has been under careful consideration and it has been found feasible to have the water and sewer accounts to be paid through the chartered banks in the city. This would be more appropriate for those living in the center of the city. Mr. Green also stated that as soon as arrangements can be made with the chartered banks in Charlottetown to accept payments of water and sewer accounts the public will be advised through the press.

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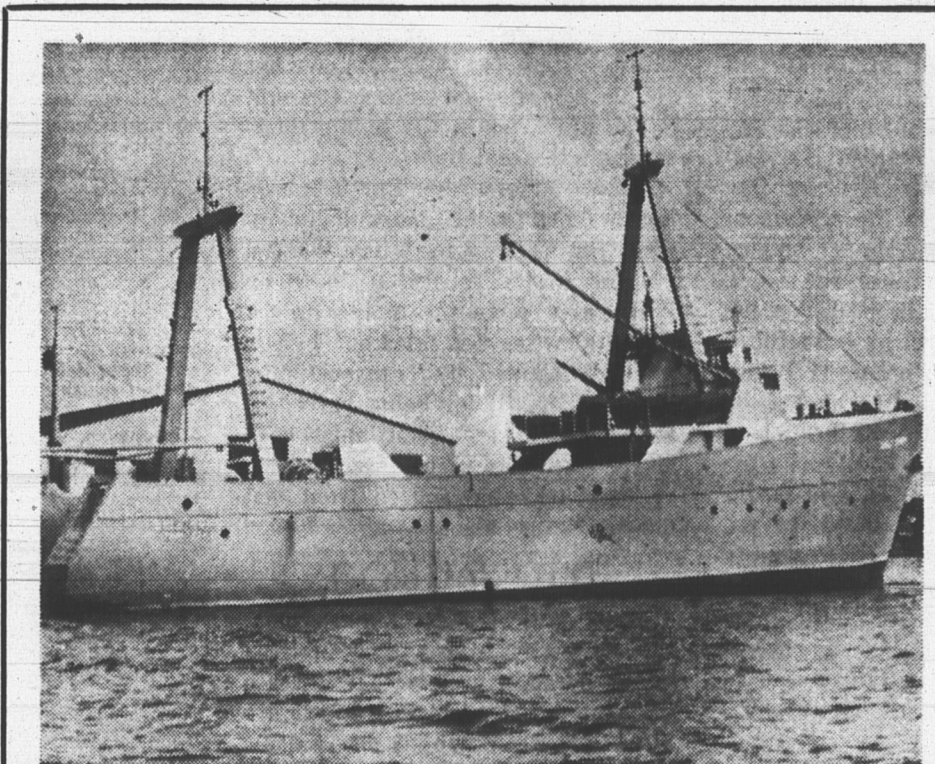
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Welcome Aboard "GULF GUNN"



This ultra modern fishing vessel will be open for inspection by the public in two Island centres.

Charlottetown -- The Railway Wharf
SATURDAY, SUNDAY SEPT 10, 11
Hours: Saturday 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sunday 1.00 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Summerside -- The Railway Wharf
Hours: Monday, Sept. 12—10 a.m. — 7.00 p.m.

Conducted tours will explain the many modern features and the new techniques used by the Georgetown fishing fleet in its operations.

EVERYONE WELCOME!!
Courtesy: Bathurst Marine Ltd. and Gulf Garden Foods