

Alleged Slayer Faces 13 Counts

MONTREAL, July 5 — (AP) — Ernest Thomas Rossler, 45, appeared in Arrignment Court Monday afternoon on 13 charges including murder and attempted murder after a coroner's court jury had found him criminally responsible for the death on May 25 of R.C.M.P. Constable Alexander Gamman following an attempted bank hold-up.

Dorcas Bolduc, 28, the taxi driver who drove Rossler out of town after the shooting followed Rossler into the prisoners' dock and was charged with being an accessory after the fact of murder.

Preliminary inquiry was set by Judge Rene Theberge for July 6 in all cases.

Rossler was charged with the murder of Stanley G. Bickley, 41-year-old manager of the Beaver Hill branch of the Bank of Toronto, who was shot when he chased the hold-up man out of the bank; assault on Miss Doris Paris, 21, a teller, and 10 armed robberies in various parts of the city.

The robberies took place at 2051 St. Catherine street west, 180 St. Catherine street west, 3058 Park avenue, 3637 Notre Dame street west, 1851 St. Catherine street east, two at 857 Mount Royal avenue east, 740 St. Hubert street, 1037 Mount Royal avenue east, and 7413 St. Hubert street. These crimes netted \$1,501.

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Bickley, the branch manager, said he was sitting in his office about noon interviewing two clients when he heard Douglas Duran, a bank accountant, shout.

"I knew there was something wrong because Mr. Duran had yelled exactly the same way when the bank was robbed on Jan. 9," said Mr. Bickley.

Witness testified he went out of his office and saw a man wave a gun at him. The man, he said, ran out of a door leading into the corridor of the building in which the bank is located.

He said he chased the man into the street and upon reaching the sidewalk saw the scarlet tunic of a mountie. He shouted something, he said, and then he was shot. As he lay on the pavement he heard more shots.

"I managed to get myself up to a sitting position, and it was then that I saw the Mountie fall to the ground and heard him groan."

Asked if he could identify the man who shot him, Mr. Bickley pointed to Rossler who was seated in the front of the courtroom, handcuffed to a policeman.

Mr. Duran said he was at the rear of the office eating his lunch when he heard a ledger keeper shout. He rushed to the front to see a man running towards a door. He moved towards the man, and shouted at him. When the man leaved a gun at him, he stated, he stopped.

Miss Victoria James, a supervisor at the Bell Telephone Company, said she was going into the building when she saw a man rush by. He was followed by another man.

"I thought that the two men had had an argument and were going outside to settle their differences," she said. "It looked as if there was going to be a fist fight."

She heard shots and went outside to see Mr. Bickley lying on the sidewalk. She identified Rossler as the first man to run out.

Bolduc who appeared in court with handcuffs on told her he had picked up a man on Craig street. He said he noticed nothing in particular about his client.

The fare, he said, was at first undecided where to go. They went to Decarie boulevard and up the boulevard to about Blue Bonnets race track.

When they reached there, he said, the customer asked him if he knew of a bridge in the north of the island. Bolduc said he then drove to Pont Viau and over the bridge. When they got across the bridge Bolduc said the man told him he would like to go to Lachenaie which is opposite Bout de l'île.

"When we reached St. Vincent de Paul the man asked me what the big building was," he said.

"That's the penitentiary where they put all the bad boys," Bolduc said he replied.

"I certainly wouldn't like to be there," he quoted his client as saying.

When they reached Terrebonne, Bolduc said, the fare gave him some money and sent him into a store to purchase overalls and a towel. They then went to a point near Lachenaie where the man gave him \$10 and told him to keep the change.

At this point, Chief Crown Prosecutor John Bumbrey asked Bolduc looked around the court room for several minutes before identifying Rossler. It was hard to identify the man, he said, because he was wearing a hat at the time.

Det.-Lt. Russell Senecal, head of the city homicide squad who went to Regina, Sask., to bring Rossler to Montreal, said that on the trip here Rossler had freely admitted to him the attempted hold-up and the shooting of Gamman.

Rossler was not represented by counsel.

Scotland's Dead Whales Renew Old Question

By Arthur W. White
LONDON, July 5 — (AP) — Do whales commit suicide? or was the weird agonized death of 274 of them recently on Scottish beaches just plain accidental death?

Amazed fishermen at Dunbar, on the North Sea, and in the Orkney Islands, 200 miles farther north, had ringside seats when the sleek three to 20-footers — all pilot whales — charged full steam ahead at the beach and piled up in shallow water. They gasped out their lives, thrashing wildly with their tails and trumpeting eerie cries. Children wept at their death throes.

Eyewitnesses said some of the whales seemed deliberately to commit suicide. A dozen or more six-foot baby whales returned to die even after fishermen dragged them into deeper water.

But marine experts discount the theory the adult whales went willingly to death. London's Natural History Museum surmised the big 12-ton bull whales, leading the pack, accidentally ran aground and as others plowed ashore blindly following the leaders.

The whales didn't "drown" in free air as fish do, gasping to take oxygen-bearing water into their gills. Whales are not fish. They breathe the same air as humans, through similar lungs. The whales were killed by their own massive frames.

Their great weight, normally supported by water, was too much for their bone structure and their breathing apparatus was crushed.

ENTRIES AND POSITIONS FOR SATURDAY NIGHT RACES JULY 8th.

10 DASHES 8.30 p.m.

NO. 1 — ONE DASH — PURSE \$200.00

1—HARBROAD BILL
2—JOANDALE
3—LADY ABNER
4—MARY T. CLEGG

5—MASON'S 49
6—YANKEE DALE
7—JUST NELLIE C
8—NOREEN GRATTAN

NO. 2 — ONE DASH — PURSE \$200.00

1—BOB CANUCK
2—MA CHERIE
3—ROSALIE HOOPER
4—CARL AUBREY

5—DOROTHY WON'T TELL
6—JUST BRENDA
7—LILLIAN BUDLONG
8—SHY ANN 2ND

NO'S 3 & 7 — TWO DASHES—PURSE \$175.00 per dash

1—JOHNNY KALMUCK
2—JEAN HENLEY
3—BILLY CONN

4—DALE B.
5—O. U. VOLO
6—BEE BUDLONG

NO'S 4 & 8 — TWO DASHES — \$175.00 A DASH

1—WAIT 'N SEE
2—FEATHER DUSTER
3—JOLLY HARVEST
4—FAST TRAIN

5—MISS ELOISE
6—BONNIE DALE
7—BUDDY BUDLONG
8—BARON

NO'S 5 & 9 — TWO DASHES — \$225.00 A DASH

1—YANKEE GIRL
2—BABE BRITTON
3—ELEANOR G.

4—LUCKY NUMBER
5—NEW LOOK
6—QUICK LICK

NO'S 6 & 10 — TWO DASHES FOR TROTTERS AND PACERS — \$300.00 A DASH

1—MISS KNOX
2—WORTHY FERMINE
3—NELL KALMUCK
4—RHODOLA D.

5—LEE BREWER C.
6—JOSEDALE CLIPPER
7—FILBERT

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Because of the fact that some of those wishing to enter the swimming events are anxious to retain their amateur standing it has been decided to offer merchandise rather than cash to the winners of several classes. Place your entries before 11 A.M. on July 12th.

Swimming Classes A Big Attraction At North Rustico

Youth was rampant for a short time yesterday in North Rustico until Rev. Father Robin, Parish Priest, came to the aid of Patrick Gauthier and managed to get him assistance.

The occasion was the opening of the Red Cross Swimming and Water Safety program, and 123 youngsters of all ages proved too much for the unsuspecting instructor, Mr. Gauthier, as they swarmed over the shore in all stages of dishevelment, bubbling with enthusiasm, and eager to get in the swim.

Enthusiasm in the Red Cross classes this year is at an all time high all over the Province, and the vital interest of the parents reminds one of the sad story told by an elderly lady as she sat watching one of the classes last year. She pointed with pride to one participant, and said, "That's my daughter." To another, "That's my son," and to a third, "That's my grandchild."

Then she declared that she thanked God for the opportunity the children were receiving of learning how to conduct themselves in the water. She finished by pointing a finger across the water to the far shore, and said "I had two sons taken out of the water there, a year apart, both of them drowned."

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Preparing Scottish Dialect Dictionary

ABERDEEN, July 5 — (Reuters) — Playwrights and movie producers the world over soon will be able to discard such worn-out Scottish clichés as "hoot morn" "hoo's a'w' ye? because a really up-to-the-minute Scottish dialect dictionary is almost ready for publication.

The Scottish National Dictionary Association reports having reached the proof stage on part three, volume three, of its dictionary.

The dictionary is expected to give a wealth of new knowledge even to Scots themselves because of the diversity in regional specialities.

Aberdeen, where lasses are "cooinies" and lads are "loonies," should have some signal contributions to make to the dialect dictionary.

And rival Dundee, to the south, can weigh in with a wealth of local terms, ranging from "a couthie bairn" (affectionate child) to "a muckle gomerell" (free rendering: A big and gangling adolescent).

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Campbell May Give Up Try For Speedboat Record

(By The Associated Press)
CONISTON, Lancashire, England, July 5 — Donald Campbell of England said that he may give up all attempts for the present to set a world speedboat record.

The reason? The 160,323-mile-an-hour mark set earlier today by Stanley S. Sayres in his boat "Slo-Mo-Shun IV" over Lake Washington, Seattle.

"If this is official then our job is defeated for the time being," Campbell said. "This speed is out of range of our present boat and is five miles per hour faster than the speed at which the Bluebird is known to stay on the water."

Bluebird is the name of Campbell's boat, the same one used by his father, the late Sir Malcolm Campbell, who set the former mark of 141.74 in 1939.

OUT OUR WAY BY J. R. WILLIAMS

YES, I'M ALL RIGHT, WES, BUT SOMETHIN' ELSE AIN'T— CAUSE THIS HOSS AIN'T GOIN' TH' WAY HE'S GALLOPIN'!

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