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I—ARBITRATION CASES ON OCTOBER 31, 1949

Employer	Affiliation of the Labour Group	President of the Council of Arbitration
City of Verdun — Firemen	T.L.C.	Me André Montpetit
City of Verdun — Policemen	C.B.F.	Me André Montpetit
Dominion Tar & Chemicals, Co.	C.C.L.	Justice Herman Barrette
M. E. Binz Co. Montmagny	C.C.C.L.	Justice Achille Pettigrew
St-Maurice Furniture	C.C.C.L.	Justice C.E. Guérin
Barry & Staines Linoleum Ltd.	C.C.C.L.	Justice T.A. Fontaine
General Cigar, Co. Ltd.	A.F.L.	Justice Jules Poisson
Asbestos Corporation Ltd., Johnson's Co. Ltd.	C.C.C.L.	Justice Thomas Tremblay
Flinkote Mines (Amiante Thetford-Mines)	C.C.C.L.	Justice Thomas Tremblay
Montreal Upholstering Co. Ltd.		Justice Herman Barrette
Singer Manufacturing Co.	C.I.O.	Justice Armand Cloutier
Classon Knitting Mills Ltd.	C.C.C.L.	C.D. Laviolette
S. Goldstein & Sons	C.I.O.	H. Carl Goldenberg
Standard Shirt Co.	C.C.C.L.	Justice Armand Cloutier
American Can. Co.	C.C.L.	Justice C.E. Guérin
Fonderie Légaré	C.C.C.L.	Justice Edouard Boisvert
Coyle Tanning-Bonner Leather	C.I.O.	Justice C.E. Guérin
City of Quebec — Bakerie	C.C.C.L.	Jean-Yves Gosselin
Matthew Moody & Sons Ltd.	C.C.L.	Justice Armand Cloutier
Federal Electric Manufacturing Co.	C.I.O.	Me Ulric Laurencelle
E. J. Maxwell Ltd.	C.L.A.	Me Roger Brossard
Canadian Industries Ltd. (Bronsbury)	C.C.L.	Justice Alphonse Caron
Drummondville and Victoriaville — Construction	C.C.C.L.	Justice T.A. Fontaine
City Furniture & Frame Co.	A.F.L.	Me André Montpetit
Paramount Leather Goods	A.F.L.	Justice T.A. Fontaine
Empire Shirt, Louiseville	C.C.C.L.	Me Jean Gagné
Eastern Furniture Co. Ltd.	C.C.C.L.	Me Gilles DeBilly
Atlas Bedding Ltd.	A.F.L.	Justice Irénée Lagarde

II—AWARDS BETWEEN OCTOBER 1 AND 31, 1949

Employer	Affiliation of the Labour Group	Date of the Award
Canadair Ltd.	T.L.C.	3-10-49
Leathercraft Manufacturing Co.	A.F.L.	13-10-49
Megantic Manufacturing Co.	C.C.C.L.	7-10-49
Back River Power Co.	C.C.C.L.	12-10-49
Metalcraft Manufacturing Co.	C.I.O.	13-10-49
Holtite Rubber Co. of Canada	C.C.C.L.	21-10-49
S. Rubin Ltd, Rubin Bros., Fashion Craft, J. Elkin E.T. Coulombe, Raoul Garneau, Samuel Dorfman, Gardner Clothing	C.C.C.L.	24-10-49

LABOUR JURISPRUDENCE

In order to keep the readers of the Bulletin up-to-date, the Research Service is undertaking a monthly report of Labour Jurisprudence. In principle, this report will bear on current cases of jurisprudence whether in the Civil Courts, as the Superior Court or the Court of King's Bench, or in the arbitration courts, or again on the interesting decisions of the different Provincial and Federal administrative Commissions. We might even deal with particular decisions of the courts of other countries. Although our special aim will be to stick to current cases it will frequently happen that the report will refer to the past in order to present the reader with an analysis of cases which remain, in spite of the passage of time, of great current interest. We are very well aware that jurisprudence has its most solid sources in decisions which go a long way back.

Effect of changes in the legal status of the parties to an agreement

J. L. Vachon & Fils signs a collective agreement with the representatives of its employees grouped in a non-incorporated association. After the signing J. L. Vachon & Fils becomes J. L. Vachon & Fils Ltd., by an act of sale, changing completely the legal entity of the employer.

Also, as well, the non-incorporated association becomes the « Syndicat du Bâtiment et Bois ouvré de Beauce », incorporated according to the Professional Syndicates' Act of Quebec. There again there is a change in the legal entity.

Wherefore, the employer claims that the parties being no longer the same, the collective agreement in effect between the old parties is now of no value. This claim