The Richmond County Record

"PLEDGED BUT TO TRUTH TO LIBERTY AND LAW: NO FAVOR WINS US AND NO FEAR SHALL AWE"

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"The moving finger writes; and having writ
Moves on; nor all your piety nor wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a line,
Nor all your tears wash out a word of it."

ARICHAT NEWS 1925

Remi Bourque, teller in the Royal Bank in Petit's, is spending his holidays at his home here.

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W. L. Hall K. C. has resigned the leadership of the provincial Conservative party. The Record foreshadowed Mr. Hall's retirement a few weeks ago.

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Contractor Latimer has a highway contract in Soldier's Cove and left for there on Wednesday with a gang of men to commence work. He has another contract between Port Hood and Mabou.

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A nice concrete fence is being erected in front of the property of Contractor Latimer and a verandah will also be built in front of his residence. This will improve the appearance of his property very much.

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Rev. Father Noel of Louisdale, and Rev. Father Robitaille of River Bourgeois, were in town on Saturday and the Record was pleased to have a visit from these two worthy clergymen whose piety and popularity are their outstanding virtues.

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John Goyetche arrived home from Boston on Sunday, stopping off enroute at Afton Station from which he came by auto, being accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pitts the latter of whom is his daughter. Mr. Goyetche went to Boston last September and his relatives and friends made his visit one of the most enjoyable events in his long life.

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Two vessels came into port this week with P. E. Island potatoes which were sold for 65 cts. a bushel.

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The lobstermen are continuing to do well. The price is encouraging.

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A meeting was held on Wednesday for the purpose of organizing a baseball team and raising funds to buy an outfit. Morton Pinet was appointed manager and the team will likely be captained by C. A. Herbin who has just received the degree of M. D. from the Halifax Medical College. When the team is organized, a game will likely be played here with the St. Peter's team on Monday, 25 inst. A basket social and dance will be held in the town hall the same evening.

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ARICHAT PEOPLE IN BOSTON

Mrs. Rose LeBlanc, Arichat came up from Cape Breton about a month ago. She has been the guest of her sister Mrs William Forgeron, Malden and of another sister in Danvers. A brother, Andrew Belfontaine resides in Salem, where he does a large business. Mrs. LeBlanc intends spending a fortnight or more in New York visiting friends and relatives.

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Bart LeBlanc, son of Capt. Edward LeBlanc and Mrs. LeBlanc, Arichat, a nephew of Dr. B. A. LeBlanc recently arrived in Boston.

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GRAND ANSE NEWS 1924

John K. Hill, Renfrew agent, St. Peter's, was at Grand Anse last week calling on his patrons.

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Willie Urquhart has purchased a new coupe.

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Miss Daisy Mauger, teacher, and her pupils had a day's outing by a rippling stream that flows by the home of H. V. MacDonald. They spent the afternoon in play and amusement. Lunch was served by the elder ones.

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McDonald Bros. are busy sawing their lumber.

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Murdoch McInnis, St. George's Channel, was at Stewart's Corner last week.

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Mrs. J. A. Stewart, organist, held choir practice at her home on Friday last.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. MacDonald D'Escousse, and family were here last week.

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Mrs. Mauger Poirierville, was visiting her daughter Daisy, teacher at the Brae school.

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MAN WHO INSTALLED FIRST AIRPLANE BEACON RETIRES

Halifax, May 18—A Haligonian who has won considerable fame in Canada and the United States for his early electrical engineering feats, John E. Newbery, chief engineer of the Nova Scotian Hotel, has ended a long career. His retirement from the Canadian National Hotel service was announced here today by H. W. Aslin, Manager of the Nova Scotian.

Newbery was the man who installed the first neon airplane beacon. On the towering Woolworth Building in New York, it was officially turned on by Clarence D. Chamberlin of the famous Chamberlin-Levine team who flew from New York to Germany in 1927. Among other big projects he has handled were the electrical installations for the Nova Scotian Hotel and the conversion of the industrial centre of New York City from DC to three-phase AC back in the 1920's.

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LARGEST SHIPMENT ACROSS CONTINENT

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Montreal, May 15—One of the largest shipments to be handled by the Canadian National Railways left here recently loaded on eight flat and gondola cars. A huge rotary lime kiln, on its way to a pulp plant 2,300 miles away on Vancouver Island, it weighed 175 tons.

The Conservative Convention

(Sydney Post-Record)

ST. PETER'S, May 12—At a convention representing every district of Richmond County Dan W. Morrison village blacksmith of St. Peter's, was unanimously chosen Progressive-Conservative candidate for the June 9th election. Mr. Morrison is a well-known and life-long resident of his native county of Richmond.

Councillor Philip Poirier of D'Escousse moved the nomination, seconded by Councillor Byron Langley of Point Tupper.

The main speaker, Mr. Robert Stanfield, in an able address criticized the Macdonald government for its "defeatist attitude" and requested Nova Scotians to do all in their power to elect a Progressive Conservative government which would do all in its power to further develop the main industries in the province.

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FISHING INDUSTRY

He laid particular stress on the fishing industry promising fish and bait freezers where needed and that if elected that a definite plan would be worked out to develop suitable markets for fish and fish products all over the world.

The next speaker was Mr. Dan Lewis Macdonald, brother of the Premier of Nova Scotia and likely Federal candidate for Inverness- Richmond condemned the present Federal government for departing from the true principles of Liberalism and for creating bureaucratic forms of government.

The record of the government supporters from Nova Scotia was criticized for their failure to protect Nova Sotian interests in the matter of transportation, freight rates and the basic industries of the province. Other speakers included Councillor Langley, Douglas Kemp and F. A. Thurgood Ll. B.

Votes of confidence in the leadership of George Drew and Robert Stanfield were unanimously endorsed by the meeting.

The convention was probably the largest ever held in the county by either of the two major parties. Several were unable to enter the hall on account of the crowd.

Liberals Hold Big Meetings

St. Peters, N. S., May 17 Hon. L. Currie, Provincial Liberal candidate opened the election campaign by holding several meetings on the mainland of the County. The first meeting was held at French Cove and was largely attended. Other meetings during the latter part of the week were held in Framboise and Fourchu, which were also well attended.

Mr. Currie outlined the achievements of the Macdonald government and the many social services offered the people of the province and the benefits derived from these services. He stated that $527,000 more would be expended on welfare resulting in more for the aged up to a maximum of $40.00 per month, also more for mothers. The government has planned and the House has enacted Free Medical Care for all Old Age Pensioners, Blind Pensioners and Mothers' Allowances beneficiaries. Mr. Currie claimed that at one stroke the Liberals have put into effect a Great Social Reform, that even Socialist England has only adopted very recently, and it came to that country only after the most bitter community strife of a generation.

Said Mr. Currie it would require a book to list all the services of one kind and another that has been brought about by the Macdonald government in the past 15 years.

After completing a series of meetings on the mainland, Mr. Currie will hold meetings on Isle Madame.

Other speakers were: Earl Urquhart, Mr. Dubinsky, barrister, of Glace Bay and Mr. Michael MacNeil.

Tales From Otisville N. Y.

Shades of Samuel Johnson, Noah Wronser, Fraux Vantelly et al! Why couldn't someone write a dictionary and define words in language that we poor mortals with two by twice brains can understand? Words of more than one or two syllables "discombobulate" me. Only a day or two ago I was put to rout by the word "allergy". I thought I had a working knowledge of the word, and tried to look intelligent when people said they were allergic to something real or imaginary, but on reading a magazine article I collided with the word being used in such a way that the impact almost knocked me "goofy". Naturally my recourse was to the dictionary. First I consulted Fraux and Wagnalls and found: "Allergy—1. A condition of heightened susceptibility to a substance that when taken in similar amounts is innocious to a majority of the same group. 2. A reaction to a second injection or inoculation by a specific agent that differs from the reaction to a first. See Anaphylaxis."

So after shaving I visited Aunty Phylaxis and asked her about her consanguity and this is what she handed me: Anaphylaxis—Increased susceptibility to toxic or remedial agents after a primary dose has been received into the blood; especially increased susceptibility to protein injections. See ALLERGY." I said; I already saw 'Al' and he sent me to you." I saw I was handed a runaround so called on Noah Webster next, but with the same result. Now I am allergic to booktionaries.

Among college men perhaps I am the only one who can bring back vividly everything taught them in college. It may come as a surprise to my old friends that I am both a Harvard and a Columbia man. I worked in the printing departments of both institutions. While in Harvard in 1908 a Boston Irishman and his son worked with me, and young Gallagher and I became quite friendly. At noon the three of us would sit on the bank of the Charles River and eat our lunch. While enjoying an after-lunch pipe the elder Gallagher, who we recognized as a man of experience and far-seeing wisdom and prudence, would take upon himself the task of propounding some of the intricacies of life , but only to the extent of confounding them. On one such occasion he enlightened us about the flotsare on the river. Flotsam, he defined as goods cast from a vessel and found floating at sea. Jetsam as goods cast from a vessel in distress and which would sink. So much for Harvard. You see I matriculated and graduated at the same time.

While working at Columbia College Press in 1918, another printer and I were talking about a certain face of printing type when I spoke about one of its characteristics, to which he replied: "That is one of the 'idiosyncasies' of the letter." "So that's what it is," I said, "I often wondered about it." Did I make a bee-line for a dictionary when I got clear of him! Now I have demonstrated that I have not forgotten what I learned in college. This will also explain why the end of a college year is called the commencement. I finished when I commenced.

On this matter of words, I have heard people speak about words being derived from roots or having a root meaning. Now how is a fellow who knows nothing about horticulture, agriculture, or any other culture expected to know anything about roots? Perhaps this explains why so many farm boys make good in college and surpass the city flame. They know how to get to the root of the matter Should make good dentists—extracting old roots.

Have been studying science lately. So far I have only read the column on science in the New York Times a couple of times. Last week the Science editor said that Dr. John Field of Stanford University is going to drop codfish taken from the icy waters of the Far North into the warm waters of the Pacific. As this is hot water to the Arctic cod they will probably die, but Dr. Field hopes not. If they live they may be adapted to the warmer waters by slow degrees. After reading about this I thought of all the potential scientists there are in Richmond County, men who have caught cod winter and summer and could tell in the 'steenth part of a second what degree of heat a cold codfish can endure. Science is not as deep as I thought it was. Codfish often go deeper, and if they are transferred to the Pacific, which I understand is deeper than the Atlantic or the Arctic may descend to depths to which scientists have not yet reached.

But science is a wonderful study I am anxiously awaiting the next issue containing the Science editor's column. Perhaps he will have something on the Nova Scotia herring. What a wonderful advance would be made if this piscatorial denizen of the North Atlantic should be transferred to Pennsylvania when the adults on being exposed to the Pittsburg smog would be automatically smoked. The young could be sent on to New York where after a ride or two on the subway would be ready for canning as sardines. By now you should be convinced that I am a natural born scientist, and with the reading of a few more articles on the subject should become quite efficient. Perhaps I better get away from matters educational and return to my story about the canal. That will be deep enough for me.

You were very kind, Mr. Editor, in including me in the same breath with MacTavish under the caption "Popular Features" and then thanking us both or our "much appreciated contributions". This is richly deserved praise for MacTavish, but I have felt that I have been a bore to your readers. However here I am back again and they can blame you for this further infliction. You asked for it!

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Otisville, N. Y.
May 9, 1949

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A YOUTHFUL HEART

Though your body may grow feeble,
You can keep a youthful heart;
Every day may glow with pleasure
If you rightly do your part.

Gloom and worry are twin brothers
Not of any worth to you,
Since the sun shines always somewhere,
Know that you can smile on, too.

—Elizabeth Kleiser

Tales, Tidings and Tidbits from Montreal



Baptiste is back from the country. He looks well and the twinkle in his eye might lead us to believe he has something to say to us.

"Well, Baptiste, what did you find?"

"Ah, mon ami—I'lin' de countree vaire nice. All de tree making wid de bud and de feel get greener all de time."

"No — no, Baptiste — the election; St. Laurent; Drew — what do the good people of Quebec say?"

"Dey are vaire quiet—mon ami, an' not say too mooch. There is no what you say exal-e-ment."

"But are they not afraid that the liberals will steal their autonomy?"

"Non—non, not at all. Dey say Duplessis dans Kebec. For why should dey worry?"

"You mean to say that Drew has not aroused them?"

"Well, you see, de habitant is vaire gentle fellow w'en no-body step on heen toe."

"But I should think that Ottawa has tramped on their toes. Provincial rights—and they did force an additional form of conscription on them. Didn't they?"

"Bah! Conscription she's pass now an' wid dat grand Canadien Duplessis in Kebec—why dey not worry at all."

"You mean that they are waiting for Duplessis to wave them on?"

"Oui, mon ami. But for me he's going to play de cards close to heen chest."

"What about Camillien Houde?"

"Ba'gosh, it ees difficile for he to play de card to de chew, heen stomach is trea grand. De people in de countree do not care too mooch for Mons. Houde. Dey say he's vaire dro'l fellow. Dat's all, an' dis Houde, heen going to fin' it trea hard to get to Ottawa."

"How Baptiste?"

"Well mon ami, all de tame Camillien Houde heen pick on de poor people in de city an' pound de desk and make de wise crack about all de langouch dat hav' so mooch monee, but now it's pretty hard to fin' too many poor people in de city—an' de man is stay plaintee in de taverne and de femme she's go all de tame to de bingo game—an' plaintee little garcon an' girl stay at home and eat de ice cream dat dey buy wid dat money from Ottawa. Every week de leetle habitant get full stomach too —For me dey are scare' to loose all dat."

"So you think, Baptiste, that there will be no great change in Quebec?"

"Exactement, mon ami, I tele you w'at I see."

"What about the axe you were going to grind and sharpen?"

"For sure, MacTavish—vaire often I sharpen de axe and make ready for de bush. You teenk I'm going to wait for de government to greeve me dat pension. Ba'gosh no, dat's better I work hard sometame so I greve to de government some money to run all dat election campaign."

Bon jour,
MACTAVISH

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URGES COURTESY TO TOURISTS

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Moncton, May 18—"There are millions of American tourists who are interested in Canada," J. S MacDonald general tourist agent, Canadian National Railways, Montreal, told the Danville, Que., Chamber of Commerce recently. "They will come to this country this summer and will continue to come in the following years if we do our part. We must treat them courteously, send them away happy and they will be dividend producers for us for many years to come."

Candor will lose you some friends, but not so many as deceit.—Young.

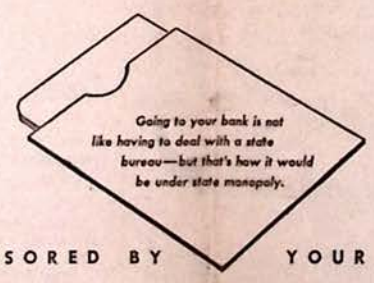


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Letter From Red Cross

M. J. Bourinot, Publisher,
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Arichat, N. S.

Dear Editor:—I have very much pleasure in advising you that the 1949 Red Cross Appeal is progressing well, with the major part of the total already subscribed and additional returns expected shortly from many localities where campaigns were unavoidably late in starting.

At this time we would like to say once again how deeply grateful we are to the press of Canada for the cooperation and strong support they have given the Society in this campaign and which, without doubt, played a major part in the success of the appeal.

For your own personal help and that of your paper—MANY THANKS.

Yours sincerely,

C. P. Johnston,
National Publicity Director
Toronto, Ont.,
May 9, 1949

L'ARDOISE

Mr. Hugh Pottie arrived from Halifax on Saturday to spend his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pottie, West L'Ardoise.

Mrs Russell McFhee, organizer of the CWL Glace Bay, held a meeting in the parish on May 8th The organization recently established has 28 members with Mrs. Joseph Gracie as President, Mrs. Malcolm McNeil, Vice President, Mrs. Leonard Sampson Lower L'Ardoise secretary and Mrs. Fred Pottie, Rockdale, Treasurer.

Miss Blanche Marteil, County Health Nurse, accompanied by her sister Mrs. Charles Cameron, St. Peter's left for Montreal on Monday to spend two weeks' holiday.

D. D. Boyd, LL B., Halifax, was the guest of his brother-in-law and sister on Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Roscoe, representing the Poet Record was soliciting subscriptions throughout the various districts the past week.

The Local Branch of the Canadian Legion held a clam chowder supper and card party on Saturday evening the 14th; a substantial amount was realized.

Mr. Maxwell Pottie has recently arrived from Halifax to spend the summer months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pottie, West L'Ardoise.

Mr. Jack Forrest student at Dalhousie University, accompanied by his mother Mrs. Flora Forrest, Arichat, his sister Mrs. Peter O'Hearn, Pondville and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boudreau, Petit de Grat were motor visitors to Lower L'Ardoise on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Sampson and Mr. and Mrs. George A Mcbourquette.

A motor party comprising of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter M. Campbell, Mrs Neil Campbell, Sydney and Mr. Martin Sampson, were motor visitors to Lower L'Ardoise on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Cameron.

Mr. H. F. Sampson, supervisor of Fisheries, accompnied by Mrs. Sampson, son John, and daughter Sylvia and Mr. Douglas MacMillan were recent motor visitors here, guests at the homes of Counsellor and Mrs. A. U. Sampson and Mr. and Mrs James Hanlon.

Hon. L. D. Currie, Minister of Labor Halifax was a motor visitor here on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Morrow, of Sydney accompanied by Mr. and Mrs Leonard MacGillivary and Mr. William MacGillivary were motor visitors to Point Michaud beach on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chappell and grandson Noel MacDonald were week end visitors to Point Michaud.

The High Note of Quality!

KING COLE TEA

NEW TIMETABLE ISSUED BY CNR

Moncton, May 19—The first timetable to be issued by the Canadian National Railways covering its Newfoundland district services has been distributed, reports J. A. Ryder, traffic manager for the Atlantic Region of the company, here.

On the cover of the two-color folder appears the C. N. R. Maple Leaf crest at the top with the words "Lines in Newfoundland" below. The back page includes a map showing the railway and steamship routes in Newfoundland and their connections with North Sydney and Halifax

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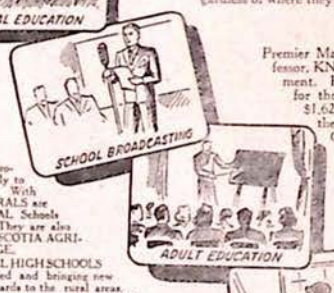
TEACHERS' SALARIES DOUBLED!

Premier Macdonald, a former school teacher and college professor, KNEW HOW to tackle the problems facing his government. He realized the needs of FREE SCHOOL BOOKS for those who could not afford them and to date over $1,623,000 has been spent for this purpose. He stressed the need for QUALIFIED TEACHERS with ADEQUATE SALARIES and REASONABLE PENSIONS. Teachers' salaries have MORE THAN DOUBLED in the past eight years and the Liberals' basic teachers' salary of $1020 is believed to be the first such attempt of its kind anywhere in Canada.

New Hope for Rural Areas!

And this sweeping program doesn't only apply to academic learning. With equal vigor the LIBERALS are building VOCATIONAL Schools to teach the trades. They are also rebuilding the NOVA SCOTIA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

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More Help For MUNICIPALITIES!

In 1933, the Tory Government spent $1,190,000 on education. The LIBERALS now spend $5,200,000 AND PLAN TO SPEND MORE. They pay 51% of the education bill for municipalities; they've encouraged Home and School Associations, Regional Libraries, Correspondence Study and Technical Training, plus the other services illustrated.



AND IN THE DAYS AHEAD . . .

Plans for the future call for a complete overhaul of the curriculum and a new TEACHER TRAINING SCHEME to provide for the tremendous increases in school enrolment. The EQUALIZATION FUND to help municipalities and the SCHOOL LOAN BUILDING FUND will continue to function and expand, and there are many more improvements on the LIBERAL schedule.

So when you cast your ballot on June 9th., KEEP YOUR CHILDREN IN MIND. You may be deciding their future—the chance they have—that perhaps you didn't get—to make the most of their lives.



All's Well With Angus L.

Vote LIBERAL

AND KEEP NOVA SCOTIA EDUCATED!

VOTE FOR L. D. CURRIE Vote Liberal

The Angus L. Macdonald Candidate For Richmond

FRIENDSHIP

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It is my joy in life to find
At every turning of the road,
The strong arms of some comrade kind
To help me onward with my load;

And since I have no gold to give,
And love alone must make amends,
My only prayer is, while I live
God make me worthy of my friends.

—Anon.

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Leaves Arichat ..... 8.30 a. m
Leaves West Arichat ..... 8.45 a. m
Arrives McIntyre Lake ..... 10.00 a.m

Sydney-Arichat Bus connects with McIntyre Lake Bus at Grand Anse at 9.30 a.m.

Connections with Sydney-Arichat Bus made also on return trip.

Leaves McIntyre Lake on arrival of Express from Halifax.

Watch this SIGN WHEN IN THE WOODS!

DEAR NOVA SCOTIANS:

I hope you enjoy yourselves while in the beautiful woods of our Province over the Holiday. Your best assurance of a good time on EVERY holiday is to read this sign and remember its message.

Whether fishing or picnicking or just rambling through the woods, whatever you do, think first of the danger of FIRE -- and thus make it a happy holiday for everyone.

Minister of Lands & Forests

PREVENT

Don't smoke while on the trail. Wait until you reach a safe spot. Then carefully smother and stub out all cigarette stubs, matches, pipe and cigar ends.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Presides at Supreme Court

Mr. Justice W. L. Hall, of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, presided at the May session of Court, here on Tuesday. No cases being on the dockets, his Lordship left in the afternoon for other parts of Cape Breton.

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Recent Visitors

Robert Morrison, of St. George's Channel, accompanied by J. Scott Nelson, of Dundee, were recent visitors to Arichat. Mr. Nelson's sight is much improved we are pleased to report. While in town both these old friends called on the Record.

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Grand Anse Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacDonald, accompanied by Jerome Keating, station agent at Grand Anse were motor visitors to Arichat on Monday.

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Minstrel Show

A Minstrel Show sponsored by the Arichat Red Cross Auxiliary was presented in the County Hall here on Tuesday night, to a capacity audience All the performers treated their parts well and received much applause from the audience. Rev. G. H. B. Rutter presided at the piano and rendered some very appropriate selections.

On Monday afternoon the show was presented at O. L. A. Convent where a large audience was also in attendance.

A considerable sum of money was realized and credit goes to the members of the Auxiliary and the performers.

On Friday May 26th the show will be put on in St. Joseph's Parish Hall Petit de Grat.

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Death of Albert Babineau

The death of Albert Babineau occurred at the Isle Madame Hospital, on Friday of the past week, at the age of 72 years. The late Mr. Babineau was residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. DeCoste, Head of Harbor

For the greater part of his life Mr. Babineau was employed with the lateA. D. Sampson and later with Raymond Sampson. He leaves no immediate relatives to mourn his death. A brother Joseph Babineau predeceased him a few years ago.

Funeral took place on Saturday from Notre Dame Church with Rev. Fr. A. P. Poirier officiating.

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James A. Shaw

The death of James A. Shaw, occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Edwards on Tuesday, May 17 at 6 p.m. in the 84th year of his age.

Mr. Shaw was a successful business man and operated the general store of his late uncle, Geo. A. Andrew. Several years ago he retired from business and for some time resided in Hingham, Mass. with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wall of that city.

For the past few years he had been residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Edwards, where he was tenderly cared for. Mr. Shaw, was a devout Anglican and on many occasions donated generously to the parish of St. John's, Arichat. His grandfather the late, Rev. James Allan Shaw was the first rector of St. John's and in late years his cousin Archdeacon Andrew, D. D., was in charge of the same parish. For many years the late Mr. Shaw was senior warden of the Church and up to ten years ago was quite active in his duties.

He was a man who was held in high regard by his many friends throughout the province and news of his death will be received with deep regret.

During his early life, Mr. Shaw was employed at Glace Bay with the Dominion Coal Co., and later with C. H. Whidden, of Antigonish from the latter town he came to Arichat to operate the business of G. A. Andrew

His wife predeceased him 11 years ago. Other relatives surviving are: Ven. Archdeacon George Andrew D. D., of Toronto; Mrs. Ethel LeVesconte St Peter's; James and Clyde Shaw, Lochside.

Funeral took place on Thursday afternoon with the service being conducted by the rector of St. John's Parish, Rev. G. H. B. Rutter officiating and assisted by Rev. A. E. Kingsbury of Mulgrave, who delivered a very impressive address.

Funeral arrangements were under the direction of C. A. Boucher, of this town.

Back From U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs Chas P. Latimer have arrived from the land of the stars and stripes and are receiving a warm welcome from their neighbours and friends in Arichat where they have re-opened their home. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan D. Morrison, St. Peter's for several days before returning to Arichat. While in the U. S. A. they visited many points of interest and report a very pleasant trip

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Visiting in Town

Rev. A. E. Kingsbury, rector of St. Alexius Parish, Mulgrave, accompanied by P. J. LeVesconte, accountant for the Kirk Co., Antigonish were visitors to town during the week to attend the funeral of the late James A. Shaw. The latter being a cousin of the deceased.

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Cannes Visitor

W. F. Boyd, general merchant of Cannes, accompanied by his son Fraser, were motor visitors to town during the past week. We received a friendly call from Mr. Boyd and his son and we were indeed pleased to see them.

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Sydney Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anthony and family accompanied by Everett Burton all of Sydney were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Burton.

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New Command

Capt. John Dicks of Georgetown, P. E. I. is in command of the M. V. Arev on the Arichat-Mulgrave Service.

From West Bay

Gordon Latimer, Points, West Bay was a recent visitor here guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Latimer

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More than four and half miles of copper tubing is being installed in the University of Chicago's synchrocyclotron used in atomic energy research.

Well Boat

The M V. Chester Marshall owned and operated by the Consolidated Lobster Co. Inc. of Gloucester, Mass. was in port recently. The Chester Marshall is equipped to convey live lobsters to Gloucester.

Visiting His Brother

Dave Macneill of Halifax was visiting his brother Dr. F. N. Macneill during the past week Mr. Macneill holds a responsible position in Halifax

Zoos in Japan now are placing many orders for wild animals to replace those that were killed during the war because it was feared bombing raids might set them loose upon the people.

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More people are working than in any previous peacetime period — nearly a million more than in 1939. National income is *three times* as high as in 1939, is more widely distributed than ever before.



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People have nearly 2½ million more bank accounts than before the war. They have put aside more than 4 billion dollars in personal bank savings.



More Production and Trade
The products of our farms and forests, factories and mines and fisheries are worth twice as much as ten years ago. And Canada's exports are more than four times greater. Canada is the world's third largest trading nation.



More Family Allowances
The federal government has, since 1945, invested *one billion* dollars in Canada's children. Four million boys and girls in 1½ million families are receiving a better start in life. Benefits are being extended this year.



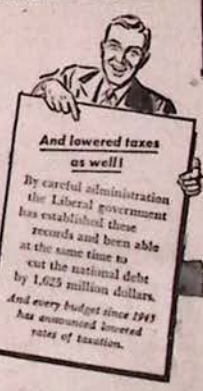
More Old Age Pensions
Federal payments have been twice increased since 1945. The new pension basis is now increased to $40.00 a month, providing greater comfort and security for the aged and blind.



National Health
Health grants to provinces are helping to build a stronger nation. Many projects are already under way; nine province-wide health surveys; 15,000 additional hospital beds; training for health specialists; increased health services and research.



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Close to 300,000 dwellings have been built since the war. More homes have been built in Canada, in proportion to population, than in any other country, and more were built last year than any time in our history.



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Petit De Grat

The past week brought fair results to the fishermen of this port. Lobster bait was scarce but some herring were caught in the fish traps and relieved the situation. Small catches of cod were sold to the buyers. Gaspereaux should strike any time now. The large fish traps have not made any big hauls yet, but the coming week will show better results.

Miss Germaine Samson accompanied by Emma Boudreau, were guests of the former's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey H. Boudreau Arichat on Saturday.

Cecil Briand truck driver for A. & B. Loggie's Mulgrave plant was here on Saturday for herring for the firm.

The M. V. Arev. Capt. John Dicks was in port over the week-end and took on live lobsters for Mulgrave and furtherance to the U. S. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon DeWolfe newlyweds, now on honeymoon in Arichat South Side, visited his aunt, Mrs. Mary Boudreau, Boudreauville recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Samson and members of their family attended the funeral of the late Albert Babineau in Arichat on Saturday.

R. P. Sampson, supervisor of fisheries Sydney, was on official business here during the week.

Miss Aline Boudreau of Louisdale school staff spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Boudreau, North Side.

The M. V. Josephine K. Capt. H. M. O'Hara, was in port on Monday from Halifax with freight for local merchants She sailed for other Cape Breton ports.

Mrs. Francis H. Boudreau, her son Vernon and baby Pilla spent Monday at Arichat with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. DeCoste. They returned home in the evening

Mrs Andrew Goyetche, the former Martha Pougere and Mrs. Bertie LeBlanc, the former Claudia Samson were visiting in Arichat on Tuesday guests of Capt. and Mrs. Alcide Goyetche and family.

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Sporting Mountain Echoes

Through the courtesy of our intelligent neighbour, Thomas Morrison, we were in attendance at the big Liberal Convention in St. Peter's on the 9th inst., which was diplomatically piloted by the proficient chairman, M. J. Bourinot. Knowing the respective speakers by reputation as top-level parliamentary debaters, we anticipated much, but their able presentations exceeded our most sanguine expectations.

A surprise feature of the occasion was the inimitable speech of Earle Urquhart, and everybody was proud of this native son of Richmond County who is obviously destined to fill a conspicuous place in the councils of our nation.

Thomas Morrison has sold his famous farm at Sporting Mountain Station preparatory to assuming a less strenuous life.

Herb McKinnon, a veteran of World War I, and a military pensioner returned Thursday from an extended visit in Amherst, N. S.

Louise McNeil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. McNeil (Laura Boyd) L'Ardoise, is spending a few days with her cousin, Patricia Morrison.

Bert Buchanan, Grand Anse, was a motor visitor to Beaview Friday.

Cusilda Poirier of Sydney spent the week-end as the guest of her sister Patsy.

James Smith motored his father and mother (Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith) to Grand Anse Sunday. They were accompanied by Lloyd MacRae

"The village blacksmith has turned to politics

"Dan W. Morrison, St. Peter's blacksmith last night was named Progressive Conservative candidate to contest Richmond County in the June 9th Provincial election."—Post-Record.

There is more in life than politics and the candidature of the popular and neighbourly "D. W." will inevitably modify the political pulse beat of an indefinite arear contiguous to his native St. Peter's.

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The British Government has launched a "don't-lose-your-temper" drive because too many telephones were being put out of order by people slamming receivers.



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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Coal for Maritime Provinces" will be received until 3 p.m. (E.D.S.T.) Wednesday, June 1, 1949, for the supply of coal and coke for the Dominion Buildings in the Provinces of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Specifications and forms of tender can be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, the Resident Architect at Halifax N. S. and the Resident Architect at Saint John, N. B.

Tenders should be made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with departmental specifications and conditions attached thereto. Coal dealers' license number must be given when tendering.

The Department reserves the right to demand from any successful tenderer, before awarding the order, a security deposit in the form of a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, or Bearer Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

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Having got $10,627,000 and having parted with less than a tenth of that, THE MACDONALD GOVERNMENT REPORTED A SURPLUS OF $4,875,000.

In December, 1947, the municipal governments submitted to the Macdonald regime A SET OF PROPOSALS SUGGESTING REVISION OF TAX REVENUES AND GOVERNMENT RESPONSIBILITIES.

YOUR COMMUNITY — AND ALL THE COMMUNITIES IN NOVA SCOTIA — HAVEN'T YET HAD THE COURTESY OF A REPLY FROM THE MACDONALD REGIME! SEVENTEEN MONTHS IS A LONG TIME, EVEN FOR A GOVERNMENT, TO ANSWER A SERIOUS QUESTION.

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