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Radio Broadcast By Premier Macdonald

"Progressive policies" and "courageous action" have been the record of Liberal government in the past four years, as in all the years since the party went into office, in 1933, Premier Angus L. Macdonald said as he opened a series of election campaign broadcasts over a CBC Nova Scotia network. More than that, every Liberal pledge to the people had been fulfilled.

"Anybody can write glowing manifestos and make glib promises," he said, "but you must look at what a party has done in other days for an indication of whether it is likely to carry out these promises."

The premier pointed to the four new major developments undertaken by his government within the last four years:

1. The Strait of Canso causeway.

2. The Halifax-Dartmouth bridge

3. The Yarmouth-New England ferry steamer.

4. Construction of the Trans-Canada highway.

"These four great projects," he said, "are proof that this government is alive to the transportation problems of this province. These four are sufficient in themselves to justify this government in asking for the support of the people of Nova Scotia."

But these were not alone the record of the party. The government had other great achievements to its credit in the fields of highway construction, rural electrification, education, public health, welfare and other fields.

Said Mr. Macdonald: "Every pledge made in the Liberal manifesto of 1933 has been fulfilled. No one can point to a promise that was not carried out. We have kept faith with the people."

He outlined some aspects of the transformation wrought in the field of education -- larger units of school administration, teachers' salaries more than doubled, rural high schools constructed and more to be built, $1,500,000 in loans to school sections for construction of local schools, regional library services established, Nova Scotia Technical College expanded, free school books.

In the field of public health the government had opened two new tuberculosis hospitals, instituted free treatment for this dread disease, built the new Victoria General Hospital as the most modern medical centetr in the east, provided free treatment for mental patients at the Nova Scotia Hospital, opened clinics for the treatment of polio and cancer, and granted thousands and thousands of dollars for local hospital construction and expansion.

The government's rural electrification policy had brought the benefits of electric power and light to 25,000 Nova Scotia rural homes and farms at a cost of $8,000,000 for construction of lines and $2,000,000 to cover operating expenses not met by the low rates at which power is sold to consumers.

He recalled the Liberal policy of loans to aid fruit growers, fishermen and new industries, the help given cities, towns and rural municipalities in building necessary public works, together with the Liberal financial record of fifteen surpluses and only five deficits in 20 years.

"I leave this record with you," Mr. Macdonald concluded, "as an indication of what you may expect from future Liberal administrations."



Recognized as an authority on cooking, Mrs. Frank Good, of Stanley, N.B., gets top results with Fleischmann's Yeast.

Winner of 25 Cooking Prizes at 1952 Stanley Fair

Over the years at Stanley's century-old fair, a goodly crop of top awards for baking has come to **Mrs. Frank Good**, of Stanley, N.B.

At the most recent exhibition Mrs. Good's rolls, bread, cakes, cookies, pies and preserves won no less than 25 awards — an enviable record in a county where home cooking is a fine art.

"Certainly it takes experience to be a good cook," says Mrs. Good, "but it also takes the best ingredients. For example, you have to use a good reliable yeast to get top results for rolls and bread. I myself use Fleischmann's Yeast . . . Fleischmann's is so active and dependable."

That's where they all agree! Prize-winning cooks say that Fleischmann's Yeast simply has what it takes to give you perfect risings each time. No wonder it's been the favorite with Maritime women for over 80 years!

Arichat Home And School Hold Monthly Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Arichat Home and School Association took place on Friday April 24th at the OLA Convent Hall. After the usual opening and a short business section, the Health Convener, Mrs. J. E. Benoit gave an interesting talk on "Children Have Fears". Circulars on Flour and Bread regulations were distributed to the members.

The Secretary, Mr. J. H. LeBrun read a clipping by Mr. Wylie from a Montreal newspaper, giving nine reasons why students become delinquents. These reasons are as follows: the breaking down of morale in the home, parental irresponsibility, unsuitable companions, bad environment, lack of supervision, broken homes, no leisure time opportunities, lack of recreational facilities and a poor example set by the adult population. To a large degree, the blame for delinquency can be placed on adults becausse they have placed too little emphasis on assuming responsibility.

A tape recording of a speech by Dr. Laycock was then given. The main topic of the speech was how to develop wholesome personalities in boys and girls. The child has four sets of teachers, the parents, playmates, community and school teachers. The job of building wholesale personalities in boys and girls is that of all these teachers especially the home and school.

After this interesting talk lunch was served, songs were sung and the meeting adjourned with "God Save the Queen".

BLACK RIVER

During the past several days our local men were employed gravelling the Black River - West Bay highway and have much improved it. We understand that other road improvements are to be made in the near future.

Mr. J. J. Russo, USA, is at present visiting his son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Russo, Dundee. Mrs. Russo will join her husband shortly.

We are sorry to learn that Irvin Smith, young son of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith is on the sick list, also Viola MacRae, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. MacRae. We trust that they will soon recover.

Gerald MacIntosh The Points, visited his parents here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil MacInnes accompanied by the former's uncle Malcolm MacInnes, were recent visitors to New Glasgow.

FROST — GRANT

On Saturday, April 18th, a quiet marriage was solemnized at Black River United Church, when Ruth Ida Grant R. N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grant, Glace Bay, became the bride of Allan Cameron Frost son of George Frost, Balmoral. Rev. R. Humby performed the ceremony in the presence of friends and relatives. The nuptial music was played by Miss Beverley Stewart, St. Peter's.

The bride, given away in marriage by her father was attired in a grey suit with white accessories. She wore a corsage of roses. Her sister, Harriet, was bridesmaid, while Harold Frost, brother of the groom was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents following the marriage. The popular ccuple spent their honeymoon touring the province after which the groom resumed employment with the Gordon Bus Lines.

We wish the newlyweds much happiness in their married life.

GILBERT

WEST BAY

We wish to most sincerely thank our genial friend and resourceful contributor of "Sporting Mountain Echoes" for his kindly reference to our contributions to the weekly "Home Paper" and an expressed desire for a continuation of material along similar lines.

We certainly would be remiss in our duty and obligation if we over looked making special reference to the recent passing away of an eminent and distinguished clergyman in the person of the late lamented Rev. Doctor L. H. MacLean M.A., a native of Strathlorne in the County of Inverness. His career as a pastor, a preacher and a noted scholar together with possessing the admirable qualities of a kindly cultured Christian gentle man formed the subject of very favorable comments wherever he was known. Furthermore in this connection it may be stated that he was a near relative of the popular and favourably well known MacLean family at the "Carding Mill" Thibeauville, Richmond County.

Also we could vividly recall that in the autumn of 1919 we have had the privilege and the pleasure of Rev. Dr. MacLean's winning companionship in a railway train from Sydney to Ottawa Brook. After his many years of faithful and devoted service he finally "entered into that rest prepared for the people of God"

Miss Anna MacInnis who for several years past taught successfully in one of the public schools in the city of Halifax is spending a portion of the Easter holidays at her home in West Bay. However owing to the fact that she became ill with a type of "flu" so prevalent at present made her stay at home shorter than expected. Her many friends here and elsewhere are pleased to know she is back to normal health again.

Miss Dorothy Cameron of Princeville, N. S., took over the school here, at the beginning of the second half year. She succeeded Mrs. Robert Skiner who resigned after giving good service the previous school term and a portion of the present term.

Before coming to take charge of the West Bay School Miss Cameron was engaged teaching at Pleasant Hill in the vicinity of the village of Port Hastings.

Coming now to the epidemics of "Lagrippe" "Influenza" and an abreviated "Flu" which swept over the various continents of the world for over a period of three score years and took a heavy toll of human lives in its fatal and destructive paths. We can recall from memory that a few scattered cases of an illness apperared in Cape Breton in the autumn of 1889, which in some cases proved fatal but we cannot say definitely what was its proper name. However in the following winter of 1889 and 1890 the so called old "Lagrippe" or' Infuenza' appeared in its intensity. First in the Republic across the border and followed in subsequent years, till another type of illness called "Spanish Flu" made its appearance in 1918 shortly after the terminaton of World War I.

In the cases of the old "Lagrippe" whole communities became ill at the same time regardless of whether or not they were prevously exposed to the atmosphere of those who became afflicted, hence this presented a most difficult task for neighbours and friends to render assistance to each other when they themselves were so helpless in their own homes.

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West Arichat

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Dugas left for Harbor Boucher where he will engage in fishing during the summer months.

Mrs. Edmund Hollar arrived from Halifax to visit relatives and friends.

Lorman Fougere and a friend, Elmer Joyce were recent visitors from Halifax to visit their parents. The latter's parents resides in D'Escousse.

Miss Estelle Doiron was a weekend visitor to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dorion. Her mother returned with her to enter the V. G. Hospital.

Cyril Babin of the Royal Canadian Regiment, stationed in British Columbia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Babin at Port Royal. He will be leaving for Germany shortly. His friends will wish him every success for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bourgeois left for Cheticamp where Mrs. Bourgeois will take up residence for summer months.

The many friends of Arthur Rogers, Port Royal will be glad to hear that he is recuperating after being a patient at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish for some time. We hope he will soon be around again.

We congratulate Zita Doiron on being a prize winner in English Prose at the recent Speech Festival held in St. Peter's and sponsored by the Richmond County Council of the Home and School Association.

Albert Meunier arrived from Halifax accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Meunier and two children to spend a week visting his parents.

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Credit Unions In Nova Scotia

HALIFAX. — The tremendous growth of credit unions in Nova Scotia is reflected in figures provided here by Provincial Secretary Alfred B. DeWolfe whose department maintains an active interest in such organizations and inspects the affars of each union annually.

In 1952, he reported, 218 credit union societies were operating in the province compared with only 71 in 1936. Almost 48,000 Nova Scotians are now members of credit unions which have total assets of more than $6,290,000. Over the years they have loaned to members a total of $29,960,000.

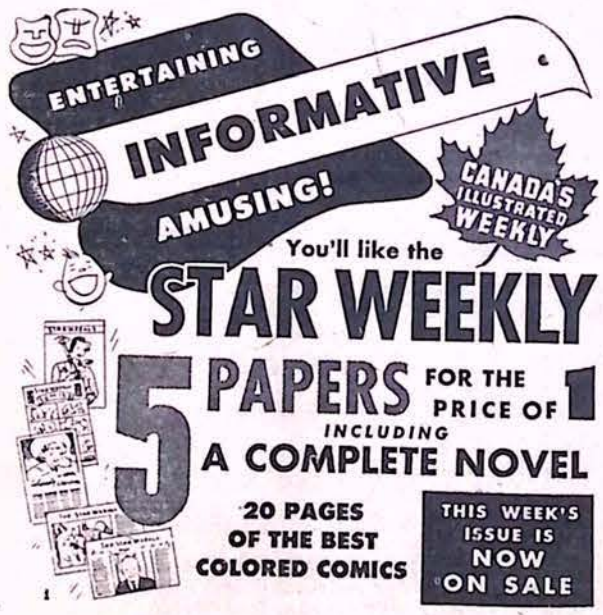
"Virtually every county has credit unions in operation." Mr. DeWolfe said. "These societies greatly encourage thrift among the people of the rural and urban communities and at the same time provide financial assistance at very low rates.

"Besides carrying out the inspection duties required by law, our inspectors give valuable assistance in promoting sound credit union procedure."

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ASSISTS RURAL TELEPHONE LINES

The provincial government has provided subsidies totalling $89,500 and loans of $30,000 to Nova Scotia's rural telepone companies, Provincial Secretary Alfred DeWolfe reports. The money was used for maintenance of existing lines and expansion of services.





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MRS. M. P. MacRAE

The death occurred on Monday at the Victoria General Hospital, Halifax, of Mrs. Murdock P. MacRae of Kempt Road. Mrs. MacRae in her 42nd year had been in ill health the past year.

She is survived by her husband, four daughters, Murdena (Mrs. Robert Skinner) and Sadie at home, Bernie, Truro; Emmeline, school teacher at Englishtown; three sons, Andrew and Hugh at home; George in Toronto, her mother, Mrs. Mary A. MacRae; three brothers, John and Angus of Grand Anse, Dougal Kempt Road; two sister, Mabel (Mrs. John MacDonnell) Kempt Road and Catherine (Mrs. Hugh MacDonnell) Sydney.

Mrs. MacRae was a valued member of Cleveland United Church where the funeral took place on Thursday afternoon with Rev. R C. Humby officiating.

Mrs. MacRae was greatly interested in education and this could be seen in her own family with two daughters graduating from Provincial Normal College, Truro.

A good neighbour, wife and mother, Mrs. MacRae will be missed by all.

We extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband and family.

EDWIN T. McCARTHY

The death of Edwin T. McCarthy occurred at Camp Hill Hospital, Halifax on Wednesday at the age of 84 years.

Mr. McCarthy was a native of England and served in the Imperial Army in South Africa and the Indian Frontier. He could relate many interesting stories of his army life of the early days when a soldier had to march from place to place and at times under a bistering tropical sun.

Prior to coming to Canada before World War I Mr. McCarthy was in the teaching profession. At Halifax he again joined the forces and for some years was stationed in that city.

Coming to Cape Breton he was employed by the Cape Breton Tramways Company, Sydney, later moving to Point Tupper where he was employed by the C.N. Railway.

Married twice his first wife predeceased him some years ago.

His second wife, the former Martha Richard of this place survives.

Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy took up residence in Arichat about fifteen years ago.

Teddy McCarthy was a good citizen and his interest in the Canadian Legion was outstanding. He was a member of the Arichat local branch when it was formed after the last war.

We extend our sympathy to Mrs. McCarthy.

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Poulamon News

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News was received in Poulamon that Henry and Arthur Pottle sons of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pottle Sydney, will arrive home from Korea in the near future. These two boys are well known here and their many friends wish them a pleasant furlough.

Mrs. Walter Fougere and children who are staying with her mother, Mrs. Clancy Poirier will return home soon.

Fred Pottie of Sydney was visiting his brother and sister-in-law Postmaster and Mrs. J. A. Pottie here recently.

Wallace Ranson and Homer White were recent visitors of their families here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leander Boudreau at the Isle Madame Hospital, a girl. A sister for Doreen and Anne. Congratulations.

Visitors at School

On Thursday, April 23rd, Inspector Chiasson and Mr. S. Edwards, of the Normal College staff, visited the Senior High School. Mr. Edwards, who is a former graduate of Arichat High School gave a talk on the teaching profession—admission requirements, salary schedule and opportunity for personality development. Inspector Chiasson showed a film on "teachers on the job". Pupils and teachers appreciated the visit.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

New Pontiac

Fishery Officer Edwin Power has traded in his Chevrolet for a new Pontiac.

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Crowded Out

Due to a heavy run of advertising we are obliged to crowd out some news intended for this issue.

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MARY ADELÆ BOUDREAU

The passing recently at Petit de Grat of Mrs. Mary Adele Boudreau in her 76th year has removed from that community a highly respected and beloved lady.

Her husband, the late Thomas Boudreau, predeceased her several years ago.

Funeral took place from St. Joseph's Church of which she was a devout member. Celebrant at the Mass, was her pastor Rev. Father Boudreau.

We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

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Leonard Doyle Drowned At Rocky Bay

The community of Rocky Bay and surrounding districts on Isle Madame were saddened by the news of the drowning of Leonard Doyle on Thursday while setting traps with his father-in-law Theophilus Kehoe.

Dragging operations were carried out on Friday when fishermen from the district, RCMP officers and fishery officers were successful in recovering the body early in the afternoon.

Leonard Doyle, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Doyle, of Rocky Bay served in the Canadian Navy for five years during the last war and and was in action in the North Atlantic and Mediterranean waters.

He leaves to mourn their loss a wife and four small children, also his father, mother, two sisters and two brothers.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

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From Halifax

Eddie Edwards, representing J. E. Morse Co. Ltd., of Halifax is visiting his wife and family.

Eddie informs us that his mother Mrs. Philip Edwards is at present a patient in the V. G. Hospital. Friends will wish her a speedy recovery.

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PRESENTATION

Mrs. Wm. Rippon, wife of Col. the Rev. William Rippon of St. John's Parish was presented with a gift of a half dozen English bone china, cups and saucers by the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Parish, Mrs. C. S. Malzard on behalf of the Auxiliary made the presentation.

In response Mrs. Rippon graciously thanked the ladies for their kind remembrance which she greatly appreciated and will long be remembered as a token of the love and affection she holds for the friends she made while here.

Mrs. Rippon will be leaving shortly for Halifax County where her husband has been appointed to the French Village Parish.

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In Operation

The three draggers out of this port have resumed fishing operations after being in winter quarters for the past six months.

We wish the operators a very successful season.

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To Halifax

Rev. A. P. Poirier of Notre Dame Parish was a business visitor to Halifax during the past week.

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From Boston

Mrs. Annie Stewart of East Boston, Mass., is visiting her old home at Cape La Ronde the guest of her sister Mrs. Mary Mauger and brother William Mauger. Another sister Mrs. Victoria LeLacheur is on the sick list.

Mrs. Stewart is being accorded a warm welcome from all her relatives and acquaintances.

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MRS. HELEN DOUCET

A well known and highly esteemed resident of North Sydney for the past sixteen years, Mrs. Helen Doucette, 55, passed away in Harbor View Hospital, Sydney Mines, April 23rd and news of her death will be learned of with deep regret by many friends.

A devout member of St. Joseph's Church she is survived by three daughters and four sons. The daughters are Mary, Theresa and Giselda, while the sons are Henry Leonard, Raymond and Francis.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Daniel Cavanaugh, North Sydney asd Mrs. Angus MacNeil, Sydney Mines and one brother, Hugh Roynane, Sydney Mines. Her husband passed away 17 years ago.

The late Mrs. Doucette was well-known in Arichat having resided here with her mother-in-law the late Mrs. John Doucette during the first World War when her late husband was serving overseas.

A sister-in-law, Miss Alvena Doucette, resides in Arichat.

To the bereaved family we extend our sympathy.

From Cheticamp

A. J. Saulnier, M. A., Inspector of Schools for Inverness County was a business visitor here on Saturday. A. J.'s friends are always happy to see him.

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Motor Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. MacLeod of West Bay Road accompanied by Hugh A., David, George and Donald MacLeod also Shirley and Barbara MacLeod were motor visitors to Arichat during the past week.

Mr. MacLeod conducts a large hardware business at West Bay.

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Wedding

FROST - GRANT

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at West Bay United Church, on April 18 when Miss Ruth Grant, R. N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grant, Reserve street, Glace Bay, became the bride of Allan Frost, son of George Frost of Balmoral.

Rev. R. Humby performed the ceremony in the presence of relatives and friends. Miss Beverly Stewart, organist played appropriate nuptial music throughout the service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was charming in tailored grey suit with white accessories and wore a corsage of red roses.

Her sister Miss Harriet Grant, was bridesmaid and was attractively attired in navy suit with powder blue accessories and pink corsage.

Harold Frost, brother of the groom was best man.

Following the ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the bride's parents in Glace Bay, where buffet luncheon was served to family members and friends. The bride's table was beautifully appointed and centered with a three-tier wedding cake in which bride and groom together placed a silver knife.

The happy couple were the recipients of many lovely gifts and congratulatory telegrams from out of town relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost left on a trip through the province amid showers of confetti and good wishes. The bride prior to her marriage was employed on the nursing staff of Glace Bay General Hospital unit. The groom is employed with Gordon Bus Service, Sydney. The bride was feted on several occassions before her marriage and the popular couple have the good wishes of many friends.

Out of town guests were the groom's father, George Frost his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Bert Buchanan of Balmoral.

The Record extends best wishes to the young couple for a long and happy wedded life.

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HEALTH & WELFARE

Aided hospital construction at rates of $1,000 and $1,500 a bed – paid out $54,000,000 in Old Age Pensions, $14,000,000 in Mothers' Allowances and $2,000,000 in Pensions to the Blind – Created first Cancer Clinic in history of Province – Set up 2 Polio Clinics, plans 3 more – Provides free T.B. treatment.

AGRICULTURE

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Sporting Mountain Echoes

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Hugh J. McPhail of Halifax was a week-end visitor to his family in Oban.

Alfred Boudreau motored the household, Sunday evening, to Sampsonville where they were guests at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. James Fougere.

J. N. Morrison was a business motor visitor to Isle Madame, Tuesday.

Enroute from Antigonish whither he had gone for a physical check-up, A. W. H. McDonald was a visitor to Seaview Wednesday evening.

Leonel LeBlanc is the proud possessor of an ewe which has borne triplets for five consecutive years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McRae and family of Stirling are at present guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pate.

Lloyd's friends will be glad to know that he has completely recovered from his recent illness, and ready to resume his work.

We have Dutch citiens on Mrs. Margaret Morrison's farm now.

Since the pioneers established homes on the rocky slopes and gravelly intervales of Sporting Mountain that spacious farm on the upper reaches of River Tillard has ever been occupied by good neighbours and we trust the new arrivals will prove worthy successors.

—D. A. S.

POND VILLE

News was received from Henry Martell, RCAF, that he has been transferred to Camp Borden to compelte his course as wireless operator.

Mr. Leonard Babin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Babin, paid his parents a brief visit over the week end. Leonard motored from Montauk, L. I., and after an absence of eleven years his parents and friends were pleased to see him. On his return trip he was accompanied by his father.

Stanley Marchand, who is employed in Halifax, was visiting friends here over the week-end.

Mrs. Jeanne Baccardax, Miss Maggie Fougere, Mr. and Mrs. Francis MacDonald and daughters Rosaline and Versene spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Venard Martell.

Miss Marina Martell who was a patient at the Isle Madame Hosp. for six days returned home much improved in health. Marina wishes to thank the nursing staff and Dr. Gardner of D'Escousse, for their kindness to her.

Mrs. Charlie MacDonald and son Mr. and Mrs. Hubert MacDonald, Vernie and Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Landry and Mrs. Lottie Forrest, spent an enjoyable evening recently at the home of Mrs. Venard Martell.

Mrs. Ansell Carrigan and son were visiting her daughter Mrs. Jean Amey and family recently.

Venard Martell visited his wife and family over the week-end.

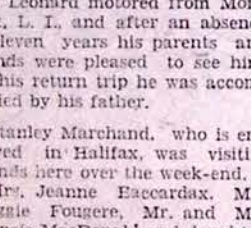
Miss Rolasine Martell left for Halifax where she will be employed at the Halifax Infirmary. We wish Rosaline every success.

Mrs. May Bunphy, Mr. Amos Briand and Mr. Jim Forrest have been on the sick list. We wish them a speedy recovery.

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With reference to one of the victims of the old "Lagrippe" in the spring of 1891 in one of the sections of Richmond County it so happened that unfortunately a kindly Saintly Christian resident did not survive. After a careful diagnosis by the family physician the findings were that recovery was impossible. In order not to disturb the patient this sad decision was not revealed to him but was communicated privately to his partner in life who was so overwhelmed with grief that she could not surpress her inward feelings and came into the presence of her beloved husband exclaiming in a sorrowful voice "what will I do when you are taken away"?

Did the dying Christian tremble or become uneasy at the thought that his own life was ebbing fast away—certainly not he remained steadfast with dignified composure and replied: "You place your hope upon Christ as I have done and you will have nothing to fear" and as he drew nearer death his countenance seemed to become more radiant with the light that shone from the eternal throne.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Dowling of Armdale, visited friends here and at West Bay Road recently, who are always delighted to see this estimable couple.

Duncan MacLellan of Judique passed through here on Thursday, April 9th. We were indeed pleased to meet him and have a chat with our old friend. It will be recalled that he figured prominently as a notable factor in horse racing some years ago when the Bras D'Or Lake was covered with a thick layer of ice.—E. H. McL.

POULAMON

Mrs. Ernest Boudreau and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Melvin Boudreau were visiting in Petit de Grat over the week-end.

Mr. Joseph Loudreau, Petit de Grat is visiting Mrs. Melvin Boudreau for a few days.

Walter Fougre left on Monday to join his ship at Pictou. We wish him every success.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Fougere and son who spent the winter months with Mr. Fougere's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fougere have returned to Montreal where he is employed. They were accompanied by his brother Leonard Fougere.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sampson spent the week-end here guest of Mrs. Sampson's parents Mr. and Mrs. Felix Fougere.

Mrs. Jerry Lapante (the former Norma Paon) and son Tim, left for Halifax where they will spend the summer months with Mr. Laplante who is serving with the RCN. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Pat Paon and family.

Willard Fougere left for Pictou where he will be employed on the tug "Pugwash". We wish Willard every success.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc attended the dance in Petit de Grat and reported a good time.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Stanley Petitpas (nee Helen Fougere) who has been laid up with a knee injury is much improved and is now able to walk.

Mr. Leonard McDonald who has been spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald has resumed his duties at Chappell's Ltd. Sydney.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Landry has returned from New Glasgow where they spent some time guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Poirier.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Petitpas and son were visiting in Poirierville over the week-end, guests of his mother, Mrs. Liza Petitpas.

Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McDonald, Mr. Gordie Landry, Leonard McDonald.

Miss Theresa Paon was a visitor here guest of Mr. and Mrs. Amadee Boudreau.

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