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Clan MacKinnon At Gaelic Mod

Scottish hearts in Nova Scotia, especially those of the MacKinnons, are beating high these days for the premier Scottish culture event in America--the Nova Scotia Gaelic Mod -- is close at hand.

Thoroughly Scottish from start to finish, the Mod, held each year on the grounds of the only Gaelic college in America at St. Ann's, Nova Scotia, will cover the first week of August from the 2nd to the 8th and this year will celebrate its 15th anniversary.

"Gaelic Mod Week" will commence with the introduction of an outdoor "Theatre Under the Stars' to promote Gaelic and Jacobite plays and choral singing on August 3 and will conclude on Saturday, August 8, with a colorful "Prince Charlie-Flora MacDonald Pageant ofthe '45" staged in the beautiful hills around Black Cove by 100 tartan-clad students of the Gaelic College summer school.

As in previous Mods an outstanding feature will be "Highland Clans Day". Each year a chief of a Scottish clan has been invited to address a gathering of his clan at the Mod. The world chief of Clan MacKinnon, R. N., O.B.E., F.S.A., Scot, has consented to come from Scotland to be the 1953 honored guest.

Already throughout Nova Scotia the fiery cross is moving through the glens and many MacKinnons are preparing for the gathering of the MacKinnons to greet their chief at St. Ann's on August 5. They expect to see other members of their renowned clan from other parts of Canada and the United States on hand for the great occasion. 'Twill be a grrreat day for the MacKinnons!

Arthur Avalon MacKinnon of MacKinnon is the 36th chief of Clan MacKinnon whose possessions were in Mull and at Strathardal, Isle of Skye. The MacKinnons claim descent from Alpin, king of the Scots in 837. The clan was "out" in 1745, followed bonnie Prince Charlie to England and fought at Culloden where Chief MacKinnon was captured by Cumberland.

Decision by the executive to inaugurate "Gaelic Mod Week" was hastened by several factors. There was an ever-increasing demand that the Mod be extended, the number of competitive events were growing and this year marked the 15th anniversary.

In 15 short years, since the Mod was first opened in 1938 by Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, Scottish-minded premier of Nova Scotia, the two-hour program having less than 50 competitors has grown up an event consuming several days of spirited yet friendly competition by over 500 bonnie lads and winsome lassies.

The Nova Scotia Gaelic Mod promotes championships in highland dancing, singing and bagpipe music and is one of the chief factors why Nova Scotia is recognized as the fountainhead of Gaelic culture in America.

Indemnity Fund For Fishermen

Honourable James Sinclair, Minister of Fisheries, has announced that fishermen's indemnity fund under which commercial fishermen will be able to secure for premium of one percent protection against total loss or serious damage of their vessels will become effective Monday, July 6, in Maritime Provinces, and Monday, July 13 in Newfoundland, Quebec and British Columbia.

These effective dates the minister said, enables the department to assure widest possible distribution among fishermen of application forms and other literature pertaining to the plan.

Specially train group department of fisheries officers will carry out necessary appraisals of vessels and assume other duties associated with the plan. Application forms Mr. Sinclair said, will be available to fishermen at all offices of the department through other sources, to be announced, Handbooks, which will inform fishermen of all important aspects of the plan will be available for distribution to fishermen along with application forms.

In the Maritime Provinces the fund will be administered at Halifax and six regional offices are being set up, one in Prince Edward Island, two in New Brunswick, and three in Nova Scotia.

Fishermen's indemnity fund provides protection for fishing vessels ranging in value from two hundred fifty dollars to seventy five hundred dollars for premium of only one percent value of vessel. It gives indemnity sixty percent appraised value in case of total loss. In case of serious damage over thirty percent appraised value. There will be indemnity of eighty-five percent of amount by which repair bills are in excess of thirty percent minimum.

Companion plan, covering lobster traps, will become effective in Maritime Provinces at opening of fall lobster fishing season in Northumberland Strait.

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Everett News

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Born. To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eenson, at the Malden Hospital, recently, a baby girl—Brena Jean. Mrs. Benson is the former Florence Goyetche of this city. At present she is residing with her mother, during the absence of her husband who is serving in Japan. Mr. Benson expects to return home in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Boudreau, were recent visitors to friends on Main and Beacon Streets. They were accompanied by Mrs. Edith Sampson, all of East Boston, Mass. Mr. Boudreau has built a summer cottage at Salisbury Beach. May they enjoy their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marchand, of Pawtucket, R. I., were on a recent visit to his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Marchand and son Jackie were also visiting his uncle at the same time. It was a hpppy reunion and the party enjoyed their visit.

Mrs. Maureen Morris of Halifax, N. S., was visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Poirier of this place recently. She brought her 2-year-old son, Vincent to the Children's Hospital, Boston, to undergo an operation. We hope little Vincent will soon recuperate.

Wilfred Landry of Beacon street was confined to his home for two weeks with a back ailment, but we are glad to report that he is now back to duty at the Chemical Works, of this city.

James Vautour and his brother, Alfred have purchased new 1953 Nash cars. James and his wife, who is the daughter of Willie J. Marchand of Louisdale, C. B. are planning a fishing trip down to Cape Breton.

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MacDougall Home-School

Members of MacDougall Home and School Association held their final meeting of the term on June 17th. Inspector R. J. Chiasson was called upon to act as chairman of the meeting.

After a brief business session the following three films were very much enjoyed: "Holiday Island"; "Eye-Witness" and "Winston Churchill".

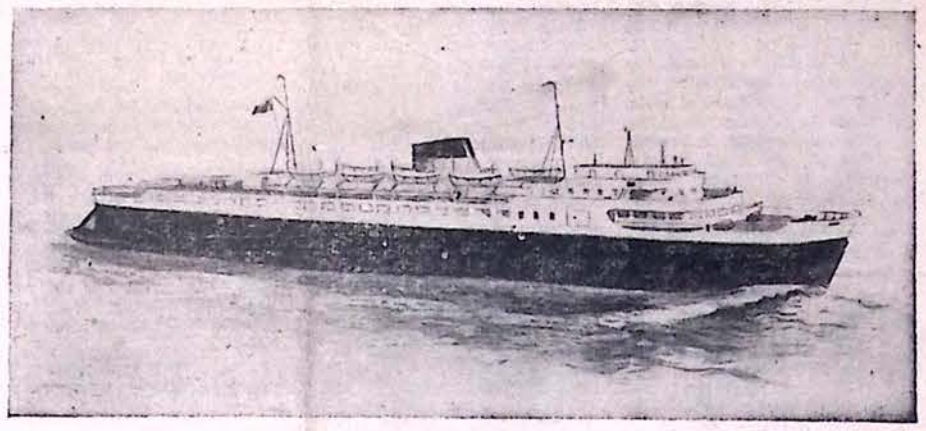
A report on the Spring County County Council meeting was given by Mrs. John A. MacDonald. Inspector Chiasson also made reference to the Council meeting and expressed his deep interest in all Home and School Associations throughout the County. He thanked the members of MacDougall Association for their co-operation with him during the past year and pledged anew his help for the coming term.

Mrs. White, County President, installed the following officers and conveners for the ensuing term:

President: Mrs. Donald Johnston
Vice-Pres., Mrs. J. Kemp Morrison
Treasurer, Mrs John A. MacDonald.
Secretary, Mrs. Peter Cully
Ways and Means - Mrs. A. S. Cruikshank
Program - Mrs. Murdoch Digout
Health - Mrs. T. Morrison
Membership - Mrs. Frank McNeil
Founders Day - Mrs. Jack Adams
Social - Mrs. Allister Calder and Mrs. Earl MacDonald
Publicity - Mrs. G. Trowbridge
Teacher Representative - Miss Helen Archibald
Representative of School Board - Mr. A. O. MacLean.

Special thanks was extended to Mrs. J. A. Currie and Mrs. A. S. Cruickshank for their capable management in arranging for the supper served at the Spring Council meeting and to Mrs. John A. MacDonald, Chairman of the Social Committee for the past term, who unfailingly had refreshments in readiness for the members at the close of each meeting.

New C. P. R. Train Ferry



Shown above is an artists conception of how the Canadian Pacific Railway's newly-ordered train ferry will appear when she goes into operation between Vancouver and Nanaimo in May 1955. William Manson, vice-president of the C. P. R's Pacific region at Vancouver, announced that a contract for building the ship has been let to Alexander Stephen and Sons Ltd. of Glasgow, Scotland.

Mindamar Mine Assessment Upheld

Judge George Morrison Tuesday dismissed with costs an appeal by the Mindamar Metals Corporation which requested a reduction in assessment levied by the County of Richmond on the company's base metal property at Stirling.

The Board of Revision and Appeal of Richmond County set the assessment on the property at $226,270 after the company appealed the county assessor's figure of $314,270.

The company set the actual cash value of the property, having regard to assessments of other properties in the county as follows real property, $25,000; personal property, $25,000.

Judge Morrison's decision said in part:

"I am convinced that in so far as it was possible for him to do so the Assessor and in turn the Board, had regard to the assessment of other properties of the like class in the municipality. The valuation of such of the company's property as is of like class to other property in the county is not out of proportion therewith. Actually such property forms a comparatively small portion of the company's total holdings.

"The company's real complaint is that its total assessment is out of proportion with the total assessments of other individual property owners. In effect the company asks this question: "Why assess our propertty at its actual cash value when you assess John Doe's cow at only 10 percent of its actual cash value?" I refer to cows since they received special mention in the evidence. Without trying to be facetious I think the company's view is that is should not be milked unless the cow is also milked--although counsel for the company put the propostion more delicately.

"It is not surgested, however, that there has been any general reduction in the valuations of the property of other tax payers since the company engaged in business in the county nor that any such reduction is contemplated.

"But it does appear, having in mind the tests set forth in the act, that much of the property in the county is under-assessed. Perhaps there is even a general under-assessment. However, I do not think that I can properly take these matters into consideration in a proceeding of this kind.

"Since I am satisfied that the valuation of the appellant's property as fixed by the Board is not in excess of its actual cash value, I must confirm the assessment and dismiss the appeal with costs."

Provincial Exams Arichat Station

Candidates for Grades XI and XII, are writing Provincial Examinations at the Arichat Station in the Academy during the week.

Deputy Examiner Wilfred Duann of Petit de Grat is in charge of the Arichat station assisted by Mrs. M. J. Bourinot.

The following is a list of the candidates writing:

GRADE XII

Geraldine Carola Boudreau
Walter George Bowen
Marie Jacqueline David
Alice Charlotte Kehoe
Mathilde Marie Theresa Landry
Marion Eva Latimer
LeRoy Lawrence O'Hearn
Ursula Clothilde O'Hearn
Pauline White
Sister Marie Leonard
Sister Marie Dorothee
Charles Peter Martell
Ena Jean LeJeune
Louis Alfred Samson

GRADE XI

Lydia Ann Binet
Ernestine Boudreau
Annette DeCoste
Bernard Fougere
Franz Helen LeBrun
Pierre Alfred Marchand
Anne Louise MacNeil
Anne Martell
Susan Martin
Lawrence Power
Germaine Jeanne Samson
Gerald Stone
Kaye Sullivan
Lorraine Martell

West Arichat

Miss Theresa Forgeron motored from Halifax and was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Forgeron, Port Royal, for a week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs Frank Buchanan at the Isle Madame Hospital, Arichat, a daughter.

Junior Terrio returned from Church Point to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Terrio, Port Royal.

Miss Melina Comeau has returned from the School for the Deaf, Halifax, to spend the summer with her parents Mr and Mrs Gus Comeau.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dorey at the Isle Madame Hospital, Arichat, a son.

Paul Forgeron returned from the School for the Deaf, Halifax and will spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Forgeron.

The banns of marriage were published here on Sunday for the forthcoming marriage of Florence Mary Dorey of West Arichat to Yves Pinet of Ottawa.

The West Arichat Home and School Association held its annual meeting at Acadiaville School on Sunday, June 14th, with president, Mr. Duann in the chair.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary and approved by the members.

The nominating committee brought in the following slate of officers for the ensuing year:
President: Mr. Percy Jollymore
Vice-President: Mr. R. Gerroir
Secretary: J. Gerroir
Treasurer: Mrs Edward Forgeron
Program Committee: Mrs. Jollymore, Mr. S. Diggdon, M.r W. Forgeron
Health Committee: Mrs R. T. LeBlanc, Mrs. F. Duann and Mrs W. Forgeron.

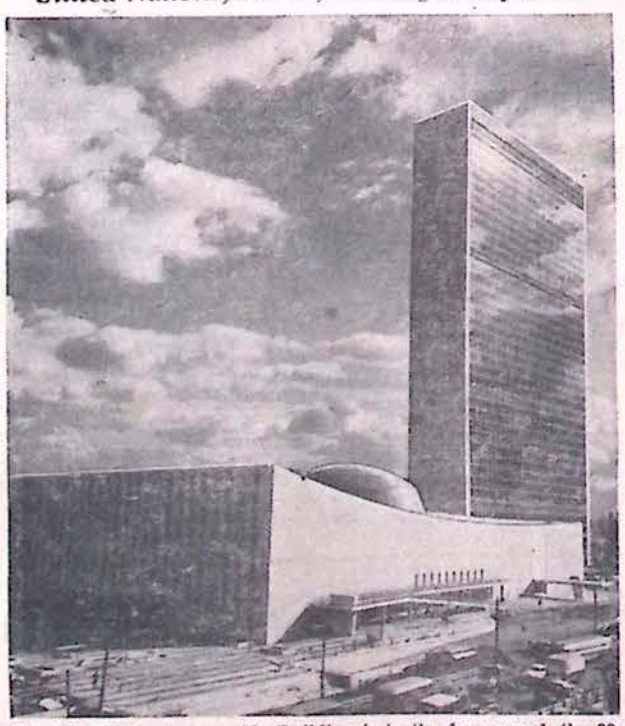
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L'Ardoise Home And School

The final meeting for the term of the Home and School was held in the school June 7, in which the president, Mrs. E. A. Martell, reported on the success of projects undertaken during the term and also reports of various conveners

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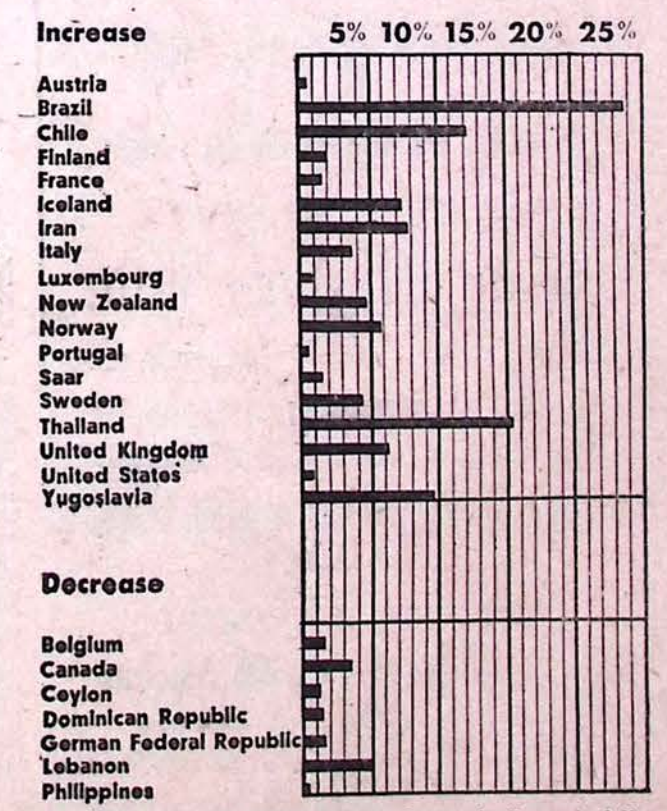
'United Nations, N. Y.', Nearing Completion



The U.N. General Assembly Building is in the foreground, the 39-floor Secretariat Building rises in back of it. The two are connected by a third main structure, the Conference Building (not visible on this photo) to make up the permanent Headquarters of the U.N.

Cost of Living Around the World

Per cent of change between December 1951 and December 1952



This chart shows the latest data on changes in the cost of living in 25 countries. It compares December 1952 levels with those a year earlier. The statistics were charted by the International Labor Organization, a Specialized Agency of the United Nations.

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M. J. BOURINOT, Publisher

ARICHAT, Cape Breton, Canada, JUNE 27, 1952

Poulamon

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fougere and family left for Montreal on Friday. We wish them a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Britten (the former Marjorie Pottie) visited her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. J. A. Pottie on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs Ambrose Britten and family.

Misses Doreen and Rena Boudreau and Mrs. Wilfred Landry (the former Freda Boudreau) of Petit de Grat visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McNeil and daughter Helen of Gillis Point attended the funeral of her father on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martell were visiting his mother, Mrs. James Martell and Mrs. Raymond Goyetche (the former Margaret Martell) here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marchand of Petit de Grat attended the funeral of the late D. Boudreau here Sunday.

The death occurred here on June 12th of Daniel Boudreau in his 85th year. He was a devout member of the Catholic faith and beloved by all who knew him.

Surviving besides his wife are four daughters and three sons: Mrs. Hugh McNeil (Margaret) Mrs. Percy Maltby (Helen) Mrs. Calvin Fougere (Jane) and Sophie Jimmy, Bennie and Amedee.

The funeral took place on Sunday at 4 o'clock with Rev. Fr. W. A. Boucher officiating at the Church and grave. Funeral arrangements under the direction of C. A. Boucher, Arichat.

We extend our sincere sympathy.

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Congratulations are extended to Miss Phyllis Shannon daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Shannon, on her recent engagement to Francis McDonald son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald. Wedding to take place in the near future.

We are glad to report that Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon, who have been residing in Niagara Falls for the past year, have returned home.

Miss Zita Young is spending her holidays here guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Young. We wish her a pleasant holiday.

We are sorry to report the death of Mr. Daniel Boudreau which occurred at his home here on Friday in his 85th year. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. Antony Boudreau is visiting his mother Mrs Alexina Boudreau.

Mrs. Mary Louise Boudreau who was spending a week in Sydney guest of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Boudreau has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil McDonald have taken up residence in their new home

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fougere were visiting Mrs. Fougere's mother Mrs. Cecile LeBlanc.

Mr. Stephen McDonald was visiting his mother Mrs. Chas. McDonald

Mrs Bert Forrest spent a few days in Pondville guest of Mrs. Venard Martell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marchand and daughter of Louisdale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Petitpas on Sunday. Mrs. Marchand is the former Marie Petitpas.

Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Petitpas were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Covin and two sons.



Take a blues from a summer day, mix in the twinkle of an evening star set to music and you have it; "Starlight Moods", a distinctively styled program highlighting the bluer shades of the musical scale. This music for relaxing, music for easy summer listening, is provided weekly by the CBC. Above, Jimmy Namaro of "Happy Gang" fame, blues-singer Phyllis Marshall and clarinetist Cliff McKay set the leisurely pace of "Starlight Moods". Additional interpretation of popular melodies is provided by Esther Ghan, the Gino Silvo Singers and Cliff McKay's orchestra. Big Byng Whitteker and Art Hillier share the writing and production chores to give the program a polished finish in words and music.

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NEW TALENT

During the past few months several new names have cropped up on the playbills of CBC dramatic productions. The majority of these new radio voices are Canadian, but there are a few like Patrick MacNee (above) who are making a new life for themselves in Canadian radio after gaining experience in England. MacNee has been able to show his acting abilities on a variety of programs including Stage 53, CBC Wednesday Night, and Ford Theatre. Bruce Belfrage, Barry Morse, and Catherine Blake are a few more of those who have made a name for themselves in radio, films and television in Britian, and are now adding their talents to those of Canadian actors and actresses.

D'Escousse News

Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Gleason of New York is visiting her sister Mrs. Joseph Boudreau. Her friends are pleased to see her.

Mrs. Emma Joyce returned last week to open her house for the home for the summer months after spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Dixon. Friends are glad to see Emma looking so well.

Mary A. Martell is back in her home for the summer months after spending the winter with her sister-in-law in Halifax.

Sergeant Hubert Martell has been transferred from London, Ont. to headquarters in Halifax. Accompanied by his wife and two sons, Michael and Wayne, he visited his mother here and returned to Halifax where they will take up residence.

Dr. and Mrs. Gardner and children were on a business trip to Sydney during the past week.

Ina Burke, who was very ill with an attack of the flu, is up and around again, we are glad to report.

Miss Thelma Poirier left for Halifax to visit her sister Mrs. Wilfred Baccardax for a few days. We hope she has a pleasant trip.

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PAYS THOUSAND DOLLARS TO RELIEVE CONSCIENCE

Montreal, June 27, 1953 — A thousand-dollar cheque has been received by the treasurer of the Canadian National Railways System at Montreal. It is the largest payment of "conscience money" to the company on record. Issued through a Winnipeg bank, it was accompanied by a slip of paper with the words "For the Transportation Department."

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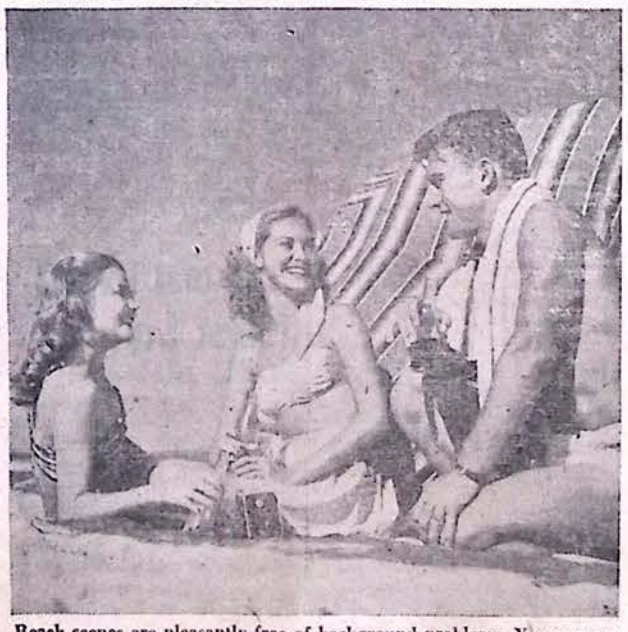
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Beach scenes are pleasantly free of background problems. You can see what a good neutral background the sky provides in this case.

A Beautiful Day at the Beach

NOW that the summer season is with us and trips to the beach are a part of our recreation schedules, let's think about taking pictures at the beach.

Let's say that it's a sunny Sunday afternoon. The weather is perfect. A half dozen or so people have gone to the beach together, taking a camera along as well as sunburn lotion, bathing suits, and a lunch. The sky is the kind that can really be termed a heavenly blue and there are huge, fluffy white clouds on the horizon.

Since we're arriving about mid-afternoon, we decide to get busy with our picture taking right away. The situation is so ideal for color shots that we don't want to take any chances by waiting until the sun is low. Late afternoon light becomes quite yellow towards sundown, and so records on the sensitive color film.

When it comes to composition, taking pictures of people is no different whether you're at the beach or in your own backyard. So, we'll go ahead and set up interesting situations, pose our friends at play, so they'll be natural and relaxed.

However, on this bright beach, we've got one advantage that we don't have in our backyards. It's the excellent natural lighting situation. The bright sun reflected from the almost white sand more or less balances the strong light coming from above. This even lighting will enable us to take backlighted and sidelighted shots without using a reflector. Because of this we won't be guilty of picturing anyone squinting into the sun.

And we'd better make sure that we're getting those wonderful fleecy clouds in at least some of our pictures. We'll do this by choosing a low camera angle for some of our shots. If we shoot with the camera in the average eye-level position, we'll miss them completely.

Now that we know how we're going to take our pictures, let's get busy with the camera to make a wonderful set of color slides to project in the warmth of the living room next winter when the snow flies. John van Guilder

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



From St. Peter's

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Kyte and family of St. Peter's were recent visitors to Mrs. Kyte's father A. A. LeBrun of this town.

Mr. Kyte was recently appointed Lock Master of the St Peter's Canal succeeding Loch Master Ken Matheson who has retired after many years of faithful and efficient duty.

Mr. Kyte, a veteran of World War II. is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Kyte and is a worthy successor to Mr. Matheson.

We wish Mr. Matheson many years of happiness in his retirement and to Victor we wish the same measure of success that was enjoyed by his predecessor.

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Hospital Fund

A show and dance sponsored by the Isle Madame Hospital Board on Thursday night netted $80.60 for the Board.

The Blue Ridge Mountain Boys of Antigonish provided the music which was much enjoyed by the large crowd present.

The Board wishes to thank all who attened or helped in any way to make the entertainment a success.

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Returns to Halifax

Norman Samson of Halifax spent the week-end with his wife and young son at the home of Mrs. Samson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Acton.

Norman who is employed at Simpsons-Sears returned to his duties on Sunday.

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Recovering

Capt. Jeffrey Forgeron of West Arichat who had the misfortune of falling during the past winter and breaking a leg which necessitated his removal to St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish where he was a patient for a few months.

Capt. Jeff is now home again and is making a splendid recovery from hs painful injury.

During the week he was a visitor to Arichat with his son Capt. Wilfred Forgeron and friends here were indeed happy to see the friendly old master mariner again on deck.

Capt. Forgeron retired from the sea some years ago and holds the distinction of having sailed the last coaster the "Gladiola" out of Isle Madame.

The days of wooden ships are but a memory however in Capt. Jeff remains the spirit of the Iron Men that went down to the sea in ships in the yesteryear of the shipping days out of the historic port of Arichat.

WEDDING

MARCHAND - ACTON

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Marchand who were married at Halifax on June 20. The bride is the former Anita Acton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Acton and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marchand of Little Anse and Halifax. Previous to her marriage the bride was on the staff of a Halifax branch of the Royal Bank of Canada.

Best wishes are extended the young couple for a long and happy wedded life.

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From Sydney

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Anthony and family of Sydney were week-end motor visitors at the home of Mrs. Anthony's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Burton.

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L'ARDOISE CWL HOLD MEETING

The L'Ardoise C.W.L. sub-division held their monthly meeting in the school, June 7th. At this meeting various conveners were named and Mrs Joseph Gracie and Mrs. Een Berrette were delegated to the CWL convention at Bridgeport, June 29, 30.

It was moved that a certain sum of money be set aside as an emergency fund.

As a measure of raising funds during the summer it was planned to sell tickets on a pair of woollen blankets and to hold a pantry sale.

Meeting adjourned with singing of "The Queen" after which refreshments were served.

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SCHOOLS IN PROVINCE WILL OPEN SEPTEMBER 8

The public schools of Nova Scotia will open, following the summer holidays, on Tuesday, September 8, the day after Labor Day, Hon. Henry D. Hicks, minister of education, announced recently.

"As Labor Day falls this year on the latest possible date in September and the statutory holidays throughout the next school term will all occur on what normally would be school days, there is difficulty in arranging for the necessary 190 teaching days during the school year 1953-54 according to the usual school calendar.

"Therefore to make provision for the full number of teaching days, it has been decided that the schools will open this year on Tuesday, September 8, the day after Labor Day instead of on the Wednesday following Labor Day, which is the usual practice," Mr. Hicks said.

The Christmas vacation will consist of the statutory minimum of seven teaching days, including Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

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Visitor to Halifax

Mrs. E. C. Doyle who spent several days in Halifax as guest of Capt. and Mrs. Amedee Fougere returned home during the week.

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BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Robb at Dalhousie Hospital, Dalhousie, N. B., a daughter on June 16th.

Mrs. Robb is the former Estelle Poirier, daughter of the late Sheriff Poirier and Mrs. Poirier of West Arichat.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Flora Forrest has returned from Halifax and will spend the summer at her home here. She was accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forrest who will spend two weeks vacation here.

Friends are pleased to see them.

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Sporting Mountain Echoes

Date of writing is June 20th. The third coldest May on record in Cape Breton has been succeeded by an extended period of wet weather but next week will bring the summer solstice and thus the summer heat.

John R. Morrison his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson with their two promising sons Raymond and Jackie, comprised a motor party to Sporting Mountain Thurday.

Recently returned from Germany, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson are enjoying a furlough in their old home town where they are guests in turn under their respective parental roofs.

A retired C.N.R. employee we had occasion to be particularly pleased to see Mr. Morrison for whom we cherish a whole lot of regard since railway travel days and agreeable associations with the magnanimous MacEwen and the boys from St. Peter's.

One of the new arrivals from Holland has bargained to buy Francis Gilmett's farm.

Bernard Kanning down on the Morrison estate has his brother with him now.

The Dutch are desirable citizens, and we wish them all success.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooke of Sydney were motor visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott McLeod Thursday evening.

John N. Morrison was a business motor visitor to Isle Madame, Saturday.

Jack Thibeau of Oban was a motor visitor to friends in Seaview the other night.

Alfred Boudreau motored up from Stirling Friday evening to spend the week-end at home.

Eunice McPherson is spending the week-end in the Steel City She has succeeded in doing so every week-end since the inception of the school term.

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ROBERT FORTIER,
Acting Secretary.
Department of Public Works
Ottawa, June 19, 1953



L'Ardoise Home And School

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heard.

The following officers were named for the coming term: pres. Mrs. E. A. Martell (re-elected); Vice-pres. Mrs Joseph Gracie; Sec'y, Mrs. M. J. MacNeil; treasurer, Mr. Quentin Sampson (re-elected).

A report on the Richmond Co. Council meeting held at St. Peter's was given by the delegation which attended.

A sum of money was voted to buy treats for pupils while on excursion to Louisbourg, June 16th and a contribution was also given to the Baseball League team.

After adjournment a social period followed during which refreshments were served. Members are very grateful to our social convener, Mrs. Quentin Sampson for these enjoyable periods.

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CAPE AUGUET

Lubin LeBlanc who spent a month's vacation here with his parents, returned to his duties on Monday.

Leo Goyetche of London, Ont., is spending two weeks vacation here guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gussie LeBlanc.

Mrs. Albert Joyce Jr. and little son Roger of Halifax is at present visiting here for a few days.

Mrs. J. M. Power of Arichat spent Sunday here guest of her son-in-law and daughter Mr and Mrs. Charles LeBlanc.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Manuel and two children of Dartmouth were motor visitors here last week guests of Mrs Manuel's parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeCoste.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ryan on Tuesday June 23rd a daughter.. Congratulations.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Fougere of D'Escousse were week-end visitors here guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles LeBlanc.

James Benoit of this place has recently purchased the property of Hugh Goyetche. Mr. Benoit and family will be moving in July 1st.

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