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Senator Donald MacLennan Passes Away At Cheticamp

Hon. Donald MacLennan, 82, a member of the Senate since 1940 died in hospital at Cheticamp Monday afternoon after a three-week illness.

Senator MacLennan was credited for being one of the prime movers in the establishment of the famous Cape Breton Highland National Park and the Cabot Trail.

The senator entered hospital at Cheticamp, Sept. 29 and his death occurred at 2 p.m. on Monday.

After a brief period in municipal affairs, Senator MacLennan successfully contested Inverness for the Liberals in the 1911 provincial election. He was re-elected in 1916 and 1920 but didn't re-offer in 1925. The following year he made an usuccessful bid for the federal seat. Ten years later he won the seat. After a term in the Commons he went to the senate in 1940.

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Varied Career

He was born at Chimney Corner, two miles from Margaree Harbor, March 22, 1875. After an education in the rural schools of Inverness county he qualified as a teacher. Next he went to Boston and served first with the street railway company and then on the male nursing staff of a hospital.

He returned to Nova Scotia to study law at St. Francis Xavier University and took his degree at Dalhousie University in 1905. He was associated with the late W. R. Tobin at Glace Bay and was admitted to the bar in 1906.

He hung out his shingle for his first law practice at Port Hood and soon represented the town in the county council. Later he was county treasurer for many years and during this period he moved to Inverness and was appointed town solicitor and stipediary magistrate. Then he went first into federal politics under the Liberal banner.

As a young lawyer he married Matilda MacDaniel and they had five daughters and three sons. Just before his appointment to the Senate he purchased the beautiful Sanford farm at Margaree Forks which he sold recently. His varied interests included at one time presidency of the Eastern Journal Publishing Company, which published a weekly paper at Port Hawkesbury. He also took an active interest in harness racing.

Death of Senator MacLennan left the Senate standing at 81 Liberals, eight Progressive Conservatives and 13 vacanies. There are 102 seats in the Upper Chamber.

Besides his widow he is survived by the followng sons and daughters, Mrs. Mary Waechter, Port Hawkesbury; Mrs. Allan A. Kennedy, Port Hawkesbury Mrs. (Dr.) Dan MacLennan, Port Hood; Mrs. Francois Caron, Montreal; Mrs. Hugh Beaton, Inverness; Bernard in Labrador but now at home; Lt. Cmdr. Donald K. MacLennan, with the Canadian Navy, who is at home now and John in Inverness.

Annual Meeting Credit Union

Antigonish, N. S. — More than 125 members of the Riverdale Credit Union Ltd. of Lower River Inhabitants, turned out recently for the annual meeting of their credit union. The Chairman of the meeting was Mr. Patrick McCarthy, President of the Board of Directors. In his report he reviewed the work of the credit union for the past year and complimented the members for their support.

The financial statement, prepared and read by the Treasurer Mrs. Eileen MacNeil showed that the credit union had more than doubled its Assets during the past year. Savings increased from $4,-260 a year ago to more than $8,-900 as of September 30th, 1953. Membership increased by 70 during the year with a total of 76 children enrolled and saving in the credit union.

Mr. Emmet Hayes, Chairman of the Credit Committee reported that 115 loans were granted during the year amounting to more than $11,550 for provident and productive purposes. The Supervisory Committee, under the Chairmanship of Mrs. Mary Richard reported that the Committee inspected the books and records eleven times during the year and found all business done in an excellent manner. She also reported that the Committee completed a verification of the accounts of every member during the year. The Board of Directors recommended the following distributions of profit: 20 percent to be set aside in the Guaranty Fund; 10 percent of surplus to Education and a Dividend of 2 percent on all paid-up Shares.

Elected to the Board of Directors for a term of three years were Patrick McCarthy, Eugene White and Mrs. Henry King; for a two year term, Mr. Sidney Powers was elected. Mr. Wallace Proctor was elected to the Credit Committee and Miss Bernadette Hureau and Rev. M. F. Stephenson to the Supervisory Committee. Study Club Leaders were appointed for the different areas for the coming months to work in co-operation with the field workers.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Reverend Frank Dolhanty of New Waterford who gave an inspiring address to the meeting and urged even greater participation on the part of the people to provide security for themselves and for their neighbours through the medium of credit unions. Reverend Conrad Gerroir of Louisdale also attended and urged a greater effort be made in bringing the advantages of credit unions to the school children through the development of school credit unions which are doing excellent work in many communities.

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Famous Ghost Chignecto Canal

The most famous ghost of Chignecto, the haunted isthmus between New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, is the ghost of the canal that never got dug, says Ian Sclanders, articles editor of Maclean's Magazine. Sclanders' story in the current issue of Maclean's shows how the non-existent canal, a political issue before Confederateon, is still a focus of controversy. ....

No session of parliament passes without some mention of the canal, Sclanders says, but royal commission reports indicate that the benefits of the scheme would not justify the cost, now estimated at upwards of one hundred million dollars.

Chignecto residents like Mayor Wightman of Amherst and editor N. S. Sanford of the Amherst News are strong champions of the canal, the Maclean's article says Sclanders quotes Mayor Herbert Beale of Sackville as saying, "If only that barrier had a hole in the middle of it our economy would improve so much that our young people would stop drifting off to Ontario and Sackville would become a city."

Old-timers claim the isthmus is peopled with ghosts like the runaway daughter of a French governor, two lovers drowned by Indians, and the scalped spectres of five British soldiers murdered at the instigation of the sadist Abbe le Loutre, Maclean's reports.

"Novelist Will R. Bird is convinced that the marshes of Chignecto hold treasure buried by the Acadians when they were driven out by the British," Sclanders says. "Twice chests of French gold have been unearthed near Beausejour."

River Bourgeois News

Mrs. Eva Prenavost has left for Pelair, Alberta, where she resides, near the Alaska Highway, after spending the summer months visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Amable H. Burke. Mrs. Prenavost the former, Eva Burke, daughter of the late Capt. Frederick Burke, was a former school teacher and was absent from River Bourgeois for twenty five years.

Mrs. Prenavost tells us that in Pelair at this time of year darkness prevails until nine a.m. after which twilight begins and lasts until three p.m. when it starts getting dark.

Eva, as she is more familiarly known to her friends found many delightful changes and improvements since her last visit to the River.

During her stay she attended every baseball game where she was always found among the cheering supporters of the R. B. team. She also took part in all our community activities.

Her many friends hope she will return from "the west" soon to spend another vacation with them.

Mr. Bob Reston acompanied by his daughter Shirley and son Earl, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith. Bob is always a welcome visitor among the baseball enthusiasts, as he was the manager of the R. B. team when they won the first two trophies donated by the editor of the Richmond County Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd and their two intelligent daughters, Sue and Anne of Ingonish spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Susan Landry and Miss Marie Boyd.

AC1 Cyril Landry of the RCAF who is stationed at Summerside, P.E.I., is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Landry.

Mr. Stewart O'Connell accompanie by Mr. Gordon Smith spent the week-end at the River. Stewart is an employee of the Isle Royale Hotel ,Sydney.

Messrs. Harold and Louis Landry have arrived home to spend some time with their mother Mrs. Peter Boudreau. Harold is employed in Halifax and Louis recently returned from Italy on an Imperial Oil boat.

River Bourgeois has lost some of its grand old ladies for the winter months. These include, Mrs. Rachel Burke to St. Anthony's Home Sydney; Mrs. Susanne LeBlanc who is a guest of her grandniece Mrs. Ernie Tanner, Halifax, and Mrs. Emma Sampson who resides with her daughter Mrs. Octave Chiasson, Dartmouth. We hope they will return to R. B. next spring.

College students from St. F. X. University who spent the weekend at home were, Mr. Peter Boyd, who is taking a supplementary course in engineering, Mr. Gerard Boyd, first year engineering and Mr. Stan McPhee who is taking a post garduate course in education.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Thibeau of nearby Thibueaville, were pleas-

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Sporting Mountain Echoes

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"Open season" brought the usual influx of sports to Sporting Mountain, but the crafty deer are not so conspicuous as they were during the summer months.

When Catherine Mary Brace became the bride of Robert Ramey St. Mark's Church, Coxheath, was the scene of one of the prettiest September weddings pictured and portrayed by the Post-Record.

After the ceremony there was a gala reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Brace, where a sumptuous supper was served the assembled guests.

Among family connections from distant districts present were the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. A. Murray and daughter, Margaret, of Oban, Richmond County.

After a honeymoon on the main land where they visited various places of interest, including the groom's native Bridgewater, the happy couple took up residence at Larron Road, a convenient suburb of the Steel City, whither they were followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

A veteran employee of the CNR, John Alex MacLeod, of North Sydney recently retired on pension.

A carpenter's foreman with the Bridge and Building, "the tank" in the vicinity of Sporting Mountain Station is a product of Mr. MacLeod's mechanical capacity.

Natives of Valley Mills and The Points respetively, Mr. and Mrs. MacLeod (Annie MacRae) are familiarly and favorably known to many on either side of the county line who will wish that the afternoon (it is not eventide yet with either of them) of life may be long and pleasantly extended, and favored with the filial affection of their likable little family trio, Marquerite, Myrna and John Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Greencorn (Louise Ross) and family are motor visitors from the other side of The Strait to Mrs. Greencorn's native Sporting Mountain.

Peter Thibeau and Arthur Morrison dropped in the other evening to enjoy a respite from pursuing the elusive deer and we were thus favored with a very cheerful and social chat.

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Don Messer's Islanders

Don Messer and His Islanders play old-time music that literally brings down the house, says David MacDonald, Maritimes editor of Macleans Magazine. In an article in the current issue of Maclean's MacDonald describes how roof pillars shock and floor collapsed under dancers' feet in Woodstock, N. B., and Kennetcook Corner, Nova Scotia.

Festivity exploded into riot when the Islanders played in Glace Bay and Iona, MacDonald says. He quotes Messer as saying, "There's something about my music that seem to upset the emotions."

The Islanders won royal recognition when Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh toured Canada, the Maclean's article points out. "The Princess square-danced to Don Messer's Breakdown with the Alexanders at Rideau Hall and asked for several Messer records to take home," Macdonald says.

According to Maclean's, Messer's radio program gets more fan mail—twelve thousand letters last year—than any other CBC show except the Happy Gang.

"The Islanders now gross about eighty thousand dollars yearly from radio, record royalties and personal appearances," MacDonald reports. "Messer himself who once fiddled all night for thirty-five cents, now pockets an annual fifteen thousand dollars."

Duke Neilsen, the Islanders' bass-player, turned down a job with conductor Arthur Fiedler of the Boston Pops Orchestra, MacDonald says. He quotes Neilsen's comment, "I'm doing pretty good right here."

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OCTOBER 24, 1953

Senator Donald MacLennan

The passing of Senator Donald MacLennan of Port Hawkesbury, is mourned by many friends throughout the constituency of Inverness, Richmond, West Cape Breton.

A man of firm convictions he was noted for his sincerity and as a Liberal representative of Inverness County in the Provincial Legislature for several terms he gained the respect of his constituents which later won for him a seat in the Federal political field under the banner of Liberalism representing the dual constituency of Inverness, Richmond, Cape Breton West.

He lived a humble life and was always interested in the welfare of his fellowmen.

At one time Senator MacLennan told us that "when he passed beyond the realm of this life, a monument making his resting place with the inscription, 'He was a Good Neighbor would suffice.

The funeral of the late Senator MacLennan held at Port Hawkesbury on Wednesday was ample proof that he was "A Good Neighbour as friends from every section of Cape Breton were present to pay their last respects to this late lamented Highland gentleman.

The Record extends sympathy to the widow and family in their sad bereavement.

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Ian C. MacLeod

Ian C. MacLeod, 53, for some years manager of the Arichat branch of the Royal Bank of Canada passed away at the Infirmary, Halifax, on Wednesday night.

Suffering from a heart attack on Monday he was admitted to the Infirmary. His condition was somewhat improved on Tuesday but this was only temporary and his death occurred at 11 p.m. on Wednesday.

While a resident of Arichat, Mr. MacLeod was held in the highest regard by his many friends who were shocked to learn of his untimely passing.

After leaving Arichat Mr. MacLeod was transferred to Glace Bay where he spent 16 years as manager of that branch and his work in town affairs is up to this present day lauded by the people of that big mining town. The erection of the Miners Forum of which he was a member of the first committee, was through his efforts that the financial and other details were arranged.

For the past several years the late Mr. MacLeod was manager of the Dartmouth Branch of the Royal Bank and only recently spent his holidays in Arichat at the home of Mrs. MacLeod's mother Mrs. Mary Boucher and family.

Surviving besides his wife the former Estelle Boucher of this town are one son son Ian MacLeod of the Imperial Oil, Sarnia, Ont., two daughters, Rev. Sister Mary Christopher (Joan) of the Sisters of Charity, New York, and Rev. Sister Mary Ian (Denise) a novice with the Sisters of Charity.

We extend sympathy to the bereaved wife and family.

TAX SALE

Municipality of the County of Richmond

In accordance with the provisions of the Assessment Act the following lands and properties will be sold at Public Auction (unless tax arrears, Interest and expenses are sooner paid) on Thursday, Nov. 12, 1953, at the St. Peter's Municipal Hall, beginning at 2 p.m.

District No. 1.

Property situated at Arichat, at different times assessed to James A. Thibeau, Harold Jas. Knickle and Valdore Boudreau.

District No. 2

Property situated at Little Anse, assessed to Charles D. Samson, (son Dan).

District No. 4.

Land situated at North side of Lennox Passage, assessed to Leo Meunier.

Property situated at Evanston and assessed to Stanley MacNamarra.

Property situated at Whiteside, assessed to the Estate of Ellen Jane Shannon.

District No. 5.

Property situated at Roberta, assessed to Mrs. Burge A. Ross.

Property situated at Dundee, assessed to William Smith.

District No. 6.

Property situated at Balmoral, assessed to Frank Burns.

Property situated at Seaview, assessed to Arthur Fougere.

Property at Seaview, situated, assessed to Donald A. Morrison.

Property situated at Seaview, assessed as the Est. John MacLeod.

Property situated at Balmoral, assessed to Henry MacRae.

Property situated at Balmoral, assessed to Delbert MacRae.

Property situated at Grand Anse, assessed to John H. MacRae.

Property situated at Cannes, assessed as the Est. of Daniel Digout.

District No. 7.

Property situated at Oban, assessed to Angus MacDonald.

Property situated at Barra Head, assessed as the estate of Stephen Robinson.

Property situated at French Cove, assessed to Renee Burke.

District No. 8.

Property situated at Soldier's Cove, assessed to John William MacDonald.

Property situated at Soldier's Cove assessed as the estate of John MacPhee.

Property situated at Soldier's Cove assessed to the estate of Angus A. MacDonald.

Property situated at Hay Cove, assessed as the estate of Eddie MacLean and of Allan MacLean.

Property situated at Soldier's assessed to Joseph Broussard.

Property situated at Hay Cove, assessed to Michael Campbell.

District No. 9.

Property situated at Lewis Cove Road assessed to Angus B. MacLeod.

District No. 10

Property situated at Lower L'Ardoise, assessed to Mrs. Frank G. Martell.

Property situated at Lower L'Ardoise, assessed to Napoleon G. Sampson.

District No. 11.

Property situated at West Arichat, assessed to Mrs. Peter R. Terrio.

District No. 12

Property situated at Drummondville, assessed to Peter MacAskill.

District No. 13

Property situated at Fourchu, assessed to Charles VanTassel.

District No. 14

Property situated at Point Tupper, assessed to John Wheaton.

Property situated at Point Tupper, assessed to Emma Morrison.

Property situated at McPherrons' Ferry, assessed to Alfred Olsen.

District No. 15

Property situated at West L'Ardoise, assessed to Maximie Potty.

Property situated at Rockdale, assessed to Mrs. Margaret Martell.

E. C. DOYLE.
Clerk-Treasurer.
October 6. 1953



NEW CPR VICE-PRESIDENT

D. S. Thompson of Winnipeg who has been appointed to the newly created system post of vice-president of operation and maintenance for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Montreal, reporting to N. R. Crump the vice-president of the Company. Mr. Thompson was vice-president of the prairie region since 1950 and headed the eastern region at Toronto for two years before that.

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Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ranson visited her mother, Mrs. Eva Whyte over the week-end.

Miss Tena Pottie who is employed in Sydney visited her parents. Postmaster and Mrs. J. A. Pottie over the week-end.

Relatives and friends extend sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. George Sampson (nee Gladys Provost) on the death of their first baby boy.

Mr. Billy Sullivan and Raymond Pottie of Sydney were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pottie and while here they shot a buck deer.

Joseph Pottie and James Ranson each shot one also.

Among those who attended a very enjoyable gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Pottie on Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Britten, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Britten, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen McGrath, Mr. Leo Briand Mr. Wilfred Ranson, Lloyd, Claude and Russell Poirier, Geraldine and Tillie Langlois, Mrs. Eddy Kowemi Miss Tena and Patricia Pottie, Bobby and Ronnie Langlois, and Mrs. Neil Hearn.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Burke and family who visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fougere over the week-end returned to their home on Tuesday.

Mr. Leander Boudreau who was on the sick list is much improved in health, we are glad to report.

Mr. Gerald Laplante who visited his wife and son over the week end returned to Halifax on Monday.

Mr. Wallace Ranson is at present visiting his wife and family.

Mr. Gerald Boudreau visited his wife and family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sampson of Sydney are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Felix Fougere.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Walter Fougere who underwent an operation at the V. G. Hospital returned home much improved in health. At present she is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Landry.

James Pottie celebrated his 15th birthday on October 7. We wish him many happy returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Miller of Boston are at present visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Miller.

Mrs. Charles McDonald visited in Sydney during the past week.

We regret to report that Leonard LeBlanc had the misfortune of breaking his thumb.

Mrs. Billie LeBlanc who was on the sick list is improving in health we are glad to report.

Mr. Clancy Poirier who was employed on the S. S. Ashcroft, Ontario, returned home during the past week.

Mrs. Melvin Boudreau, the former Helen Boudreau, is visiting her parents in Petit de Grat.

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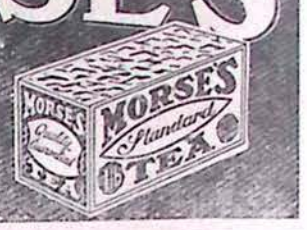
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



New Freight Truck

The Isle Madame Steamship Service have recently added a new Ford truck to be used in connection with the present boat service.

For the past many years Mr. W. N. MacDonald the energetic and popular manager of the Margaree Steamship Company, Sydney, has successfully operated boats in the Arichat-Mulgrave Service to the entire satisfaction of the people of Isle Madame.

Mr. MacDonald has always endeavoured to serve the public and with the recent arrival of this new Ford truck people on Isle Madame can be assured of the same good service in the future.

In a later issue we hope to bring to our readers a story with photos of the ships operated by Mr. MacDonald in this service and on the Canso route.

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To New Glasgow

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Latimer and daughter Joan have left for New Glasgow after spending the past summer here.

Mr. Latimer the operator of the Duke of York Cranberry Meadow reports an average crop of berries harvested this season.

They will spend the winter months at their New Glasgow home.

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Deer Bagged

The following hunters have been successful in bringing down the elusive deer, Raymond Stone, Arichat, Edwin Power, Arichat; Francis Martell, Pondville, Patrick LeBlanc and Gus LeBlanc,, Arichat.

FOR SALE: 1 Vanguard 1950, Four doors. In good condition. Will sell for $750. New tires. Apply GILBERT BOUDREAU, West Arichat, C. B. 2i

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FOR SALE: 1950 DeLuxe Chevrolet, 12,000 miles; in good condition. Apply JOHN R. MORRISON, St. Peter's, N. S. 1i

Motor Visitors

Hilford Burton of Toronto, Ont. accompanied by his brother Harvey of Buffalo, N. Y., were motor visitors here during the week and paid a brief visit to their sister Mrs. Philip Edwards.

They were on a deer hunting expedition and were successful in bagging one at Port Hastings where they spent a few days before returning to Halifax to pick up Hilfords wife and family who were visiting her parents.

Both sons of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burton we were happy to see them and to learn that the place of their birth has not been forgotten and in conversation with them they inquired of everyone past and present.

Hilford informed us that Mildred Burton, his niece, and daughter of his brother Ingraham was recently married in Toronto. We may add that Hilfrod showed us the film of the happy event with his projector at the home of Mrs. Edwards.

May Milly and her husband enjoy many years of happily wedded bliss.

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From New Glasgow

Miss Elizabeth Robertson of the staff of the Aberdeen Hospital, New Glasgow, was on a brief visit here a guest of Mrs. D. H. Cutler and family. Miss Robertson, a native of Arichat, enjoys visiting her old home and friends here were exceptionally happy to see her.

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To Calgary

F. A. Thurgood, Barrister, at St. Peter's accompanied by his wife and family left on Sunday for Calgary, Atla., to take up his duties as Assistant Crown Prosecutor in that city.

Prior to their departure they were accorded a farewell by the residents of St. Peter's at which time a presentation was made.

May the future hold for Mr. Thurgood and family success, happiness and prosperity.

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To Sydney

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Burton are visiting their daughters Mrs. Larry Anthony and Mrs. Ronald Ferguson of Sydney.

Visitors to Town

Dan Joe McDonald of Ontario, formerly of West Bay Road was visiting Mrs. Amable Bonin during the past week. He was accompanied by his mother Mrs. Flora McDonald and his aunt Mrs. Marcella Howlett of West Bay Road. While in Arichat they took in the dance at Petit de Grat on Monday night and really enjoyed it.

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Cape LaRonde

Rev. and Mrs. French of Sydney Mines were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Mauger. While here Rev. French conducted service at St. George's Church in the absence of our rector Rev. W. A. Trueman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Huntley (nee Frances Mauger) of Newburyport, Mass., are motor visitors here guests of Mrs. Huntley's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lennox Mauger. Their motor trip East was via Toronto and Niagara Falls.

Before returning to the USA they will visit Mrs. Huntley's sister, Mrs. J. H. MacKichan, at Halifax.

Miss Eva Mauger teacher, is spending a few days at Grand Greve taking teaching instruction from Mr. Leo King.

Happy birthday greetings are extended to Mr. George Mauger who celebrated his 89th birthday on October 17th and to his brother Mr. James Mauger who celebrated his 85th birthday on October 21st.

Both are highly respected citizens of Cape La Ronde and friends wish them many happy returns.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mauger of Caledonia, Ont., on October 13th, a daughter, Margaret Carolyn.

Mrs. Olla Mauger is on the sick list and is at present at the home of her daughter Mrs. Jack LeVesconte, St. Peter's. May she have a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Mary Ann Mauger is visiting Mrs. Philip Edwards in Arichat. Mrs. Mauger is residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mauger.

A survey is being completed by the Maritime Telephone Company in this section and it is reported that a new line will be constructed here in the near future. This is welcome news to the residents of Cape La Ronde and surrounding districts.

Several parishioners from this parish assisted in the work in the foundation of St. John's Church, Arichat, under the foremanship of Warren Mauger.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Murray and daughter Mary Elizabeth, visited Mrs. Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dort, West Arichat on Sunday. Friends here are sorry to learn that Mr. Dort is on the sick list.

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GRAND ANSE

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Urquhart, Sydney, Mr. and Mrs. John Urquhart and son Wayne, Hamilton, Ont., were recent visitors to the MacPherson House.

Buddy MacRae, Sydney River, was a recent visitor here.

Katherine and Bunny Urquhart accompanied Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Urquhart to Sydney on Saturday.

Mrs. Peter Campbell and R. J. Urquhart were visitors to Hawkesbury on Monday.

Frank MacKenzie and four companions, Boylston, Mass., arrived Sunday to spend a week hunting in this area.

John N. MacLean is at present employed at the Manse, West Bay making interior improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peeples and family, Point Tupper, visited relatives here on Saturday.

Harold MacKenzie, Westmount, was a visitor here on Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley Diggdon and son Billy, West Arichat, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. MacDonald.

R. J. Urquhart and daughter Barbara and Mrs. Wilbert Urquhart were recent visitors to Antigonish. While there Mr. Urquhart purchased a 1954 Dodge car.

Mrs. J. A. MacInnis, St. George's Channel, was a recent visitor here enroute from St. Peter's where she spent the week-end visiting Miss Myrtle MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Urquhart were week-end visitors to Prince Edward Island.

John N. MacDonald, Stirling, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. MacDonald.

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NEWNESS

The thing that hath been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done: and there is no new thing under the sun.

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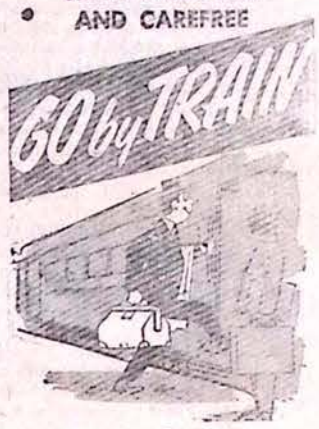
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Credit Union

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Rod MacMullin, Managing Director of the Nova Scotia Credit Union League brought greetings from the Provincial organization and provided the meeting with a showing of the new credit union film "Kings X" which is very popular with groups all over Canada and the United States.

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River Bourgeois

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During the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Thibeau were called to the centre of the room and an address was read to them. The popular couple were then made a presentation of a purse of money. Mr. and Mrs. Thibeau, though greatly surprised thanked their friends for their thoughtful gesture.

Square dancing to the lively music of our "Old Time Fiddler" Amos Thibeau, also accompanied by Raymond Pottie, Delore Burke, and Lou Thibeau, took up the greater part of the evening, while a "sing-song" also took place and lunch and refreshments were served, after which everyone bade farewell to the guests of honor and wished them happiness in their new home.

They, their daughter Estelle and son Dick left on Wednesday morning for Hamilton, Ont., where they will reside indefinitely.

The contract for the building of our new consolidated school was awarded to Mr. Louis Chiasson of Cheticamp.

Successful deer hunters include Mr. Sam Fougere, Mr. Lou Thibeau, Mr. Arthur Morrison, Mr. Mable Burke and our fishery officer Mr. Adrien Burke.

Other successful hunters were Mr. Doug Horton and Mr. Frank Russell employees of the Nova Scotia Power Commission who are boarding at the home of Mrs. Martha Dugas and Mr. Roy Trueman of Spryfield, Halifax county, son-in-law of Mr. Isaac Dugas.

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