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Hon. R. H. Winters Reports From Ottawa

January 16, 1954

Dear Mr. Editor:

In starting my first letter of the New Year to you, I wish to extend my warmest good wishes for a Happy and Prosperous 1954.

As I stated in my annual year-end message, this new year holds promise of seeing further important developments in Canada's steady and often spectacular advance. The rate of growth may on occasion be slowed and there probably will be some regional soft spots, but, in the over-all, progress will be forward, and there are sound grounds for believing that at the end of 1954 the Canadian standard of living will be still higher than it was at the end of the year we have just left behind us. It is my hope that you will enjoy good health and happiness in the meantime.

The House of Commons reconvened on January 12th and we have now concluded our first week during which matters were not disposed of with quite as much despatch as in the days just before the Christmas recess. This was to be expected because most Members feel that the urgency to meet a dead-line has now disappeared and that there is the relatively long portion of the session ahead of them for debating the various issues.

I had special reason to feel that the pace of Parliamentary work was slow because of the fact that I was waiting since last Tuesday to start the debate on Second Reading of the new housing bill. This debate was scheduled to follow discussion at the Resolution stage of the Criminal Code and amendments to the Post Office Act. Discussions at the "resolution" stage are usually brief because all the Government is seeking then is permission to introduce legislation. Many Members, however, took advantage of the Criminal Code resolution to discuss capital punishment, which seems to be quite a socially contentious matter here as in other countries.

In the resolution preceding the Post Office Bill the Government announced its intention to increase the postage rate on ordinary letters from four to five cents in order to compensate for increased costs of operation. It is interesting to note that the President of the USA has recommended a similar increase--from three to four cents there-- and that the move is equally contentious across the border. In Canada the seven cent air mail postage rate is being dropped. All letters will now go via air mail for the ordinary postage rate. I don't believe similar action is being considered in the United States.

Both these debates were concluded by the end of the week and the debate on housing is now scheduled for next Thursday.

Yours very truly,

Robert H. Winters

TYPICAL PROBLEMS

Helping Nova Scotia manufacturers to market their products is an important part of this Department's program to assist secondary industry. Here is an example of assistance rendered by the Department through one of its field representatives in recent months, illustrating how the program operates to help bring about additional sales to Nova Scotia manufacturers.

This case concerns a manufacturer who was faced with a partial loss of certain traditional market outlets. To keep his plant operating at or near the high capacity to which it was geared, he needed to find new markets. It was known that the Department of Defence Production sometimes purchased his type of product, but his firm's procedure in bidding on contracts had not proved entirely satisfactory in the past. This problem came to the attention of our field representative who offered the use of the Department facilities, which include an agency in Ottawa. The advice and help offered by these channels materially assisted the manufacturers to secure a sizeable contract—which aided him to maintain capacity operation of his plant.

Keep in touch with YOUR Trade and Industry field representative. He visits your district frequently and may also be reached at the Department's offices in Halifax.

The
Department of Trade & Industry
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

Trying to Improve Lobster Trap

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Ottawa--Scientists are trying to iron out some of the costly quirks in the lobster trap. The annual meeting of the fisheries research board heard about one such project at its annual meeting here on Friday.

Present lobster traps made of wooden laths and twine are heavy to handle and susceptible too damage from ocean currents and storm waves. Yearly loss is about 25 percent of the $6,000,000 worth of lobster traps used in the Atlantic provinces.

However, tests are being carried out with a new type of trap built with steel rods. The tests--incomplete as yet-- indicate the new traps are an improvement.

The steel-rod traps are lighter to handle out of the water and offer less surface for currents and waves to damage. During two severe storms in coastal water last year the steel traps were unharmed while half the conventional traps in the same area were destroyed.

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Probe Catch Possibilities

Tests still are being carried out to learn whether the new traps will catch as many lobsters as the old ones. Tests at Maitland, N. S. about as many legal sized lobsters being caught in the steel traps as in the old traps.

The lobster is an unusual sea dweller, the meeting was told. The Atlantic lobster can live without food for at least seven months and remain active and apparently healthy.

This fact was discovered during a series of experiments by the Atlantic biological station at St. Andrews, N. B. The experiments were aimed at learning the best conditions for holding and shipping live lobsters to market.

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River Bourgeois

HOLDS TOP HONORS FOR WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

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January could well be called the Anniversary Month in River Bourgeois. We have Mr. and Mrs. Felix Bona who were married 50 years on January 1, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tousnard whose 50th anniversary was celebrated on January 13. Next we have Dr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Murphy who celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary January 7 at Halifax. Mrs. Murphy was the former Lena MacNeil of this place. Mr. and Mrs. William N. Burke were married 51 years on January 11. Mr. and Mrs. Firmin Burke celebrated the anniversary of their marriage which took place January 13, 53 years ago. Two couples, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Digout and Mr. and Mrs. Abram Landry were married 60 years ago on January 8. Lastly we have Mr. and Mrs. Amos Landry who were married 62 years on January 11.

We could well repeat the slogan which was quoted a few years past. "If you want to live long and happy wedded lives, get married at River Bourgeois.

To all our grand old couples we wish many more years of happiness together.

At this date January 18, River Bourgeois seems to be in the grip of an old fashioned winter. The thermometer registers 3 degrees above zero, with the ground well covered with snow. The harbor is almost completely frozen over, an event which we haven't witnessed for a few years.

Fishermen equipped with spears invaded Grad Gully, Hawker and the lower end of River Bourgeois. Each was successful in securing a large quantity of eels.

The Chapter Meeting of the Mainland Credit Union took place on January 17 at the Parish Hall. Each Credit Union reported last month's activities. Mr. Chiasson Inspector of Schools spoke on education. Also Mr. LeBlanc who stressed the need of kitchen meetings as a means of furthering the study of Credit Unions.

A Card Party was held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Burke on Monday. Prizes were won by Mrs. Willie Boyd, Mrs. James Richard and Mr. Walter Fougere.

This Card Party was sponsored by the ladies of the CWL and although this organization is in its

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RANDOM SHOTS

BY HERB STROUD

Somebody, one time said: "The men who can exercise initiative are the builders of the world. All others are merely tenants or janitors.

No task is ever achieved without initiative. The greater the initiative the greater the achievement. Initiative is usually the creation of an idea by an individual. Perhaps its greater result is its force to inspire a host of others to follow, many times to greater perfection of the original idea. Initiative is the introductory step or action. It is the ability to lead, originate or start. It is the aptitude to develop or undertake new enterprises.

Without the initiative displayed by hundreds of men of the past, none of us would, today, be riding over vast distances in pleasant, comfortable trains, sailing to foreign ports in luxurious steamships that cover the ocean in but a fraction of the time it required a hundred years ago. We would not be able to fly at the speed of sound were it not for the initiative of the Wright brothers. We could go on for pages reciting the wonders we now enjoy because of the initiative of venturesome souls from the beginning of time.

The initiative of a few men have made them the leaders of the world.

Without initiative you cannot hope to be a success, you cannot achieve anything worthwhile. It requires courage to exercise initiative, for the world is always ready to scoff at the new idea.

When trains first ran people thought that a speed of 15 miles would kill. Now, our trains travel at 80 with almost perfect safety. This could not have happened, had not Watt's discovery of steam been improved by the initiative of hundreds of daring souls who were inspired by Watts initiative.

In our lifetime, we have witnessed the invention of the automobile. "Only a fad which will soon pass," said the people. Now see what the initiative of the followers has accomplished. The automobile is not longer a luxury it has become a necessity.

The openings of vast territories now providing homes and livelihood for millions would not have been possible without the initiative of the men who first thought of railroads, automobiles and a thousand other ways for humans to transport themselves with speed, comfort and safety.

Can you imagine how difficult it would be to get along without the telephone? It has been brought to a high degree of perfection by those who followed in the footsteps of Alexander Bell.

All ideas may not be great but the sum of them all has made life much more worthwhile. Without initiative, life itself would not be worth living. Try to do your job better than it has ever been done before. Keep everlastingly at improving the thing your initiative began. Don't be just a tenant or janitor.

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A nylon vest which repels bullets has been invented by Dr. J. V. Weinberger of Ottawa. In a test a copper-jacketed .38 revolver bullet, fired from 12 feet, penetrated four or five layers of the vest, then rebounded.

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A highly-visible tree-marking paint now on the market enables woodsmen to spray the trees they want cut instead of blazing them with an axe.

Survey Shows Nova Scotians Want More From Schools

Nova Scotians believe their schools are doing a good job in preparing young people for future life, a survey shows, but they also recognize a need for better trained teachers, improved school facilities and closer cooperation between parent and teacher.

They admitted knowing little about the financing and administration of their system of education.

The opinions were expressed in a survey promoted by a joint committee consisting of representatives of the Provincial Department of Education, the Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities, the Nova Scotia Teachers' Union and the Nova Scotia Federation of Home and School Associations.

The actual survey was carried out by a committee made up of Dr. M. V. Marshall, Acadia University, Dr. Donald Campbell, St. Francis Xavier University, and Professor A. S. Mowat, of Dalhousie University. A cross-section of Nova Scotia people were asked a series of 75 questions.

They disapproved of elementary school teachers without professional training but a number commented that this was better than having the schools closed altogether. The larger group suggested one ygar of such training as a minimum, with two years urged by the second group. Twelve percent suggested more than two years training.

Nova Scotians believe "A" and "B" teachers were underpaid. No one thought they were paid too much. They believed qualified high school teachers were underpaid.

A union or professional organization for teachers was approved but the majority held that such a union should not call a strike.

Among qualities desirable in a teacher, they listed in order: Teaching skill, attitude, knowledge of subject matter and community activity.

It was generally agreed that teachers and parents should work together and most parents said they had discussed problems with the teacher. They divided on the question of physical punishment in the school. Most expressed a wish to know more about the course of studies.

In the field of finance and administration, Nova Scotians show they knew little about the sources of money which paid for education but favored increased expenditure for this purpose as long as it did not come from local taxes. Increased Provincial and Federal Government expenditures were favored.

While most people acknowledged they did not know the names of school board members, they believed at least a portion of the boards should be elected rather than appointed, as at present.

As to improved facilities in schools, the majority saw a need for libraries, auditoriums, science laboratories, artificial lighting and improved sanitary facilities among other improvements.

People of Nova Scotia, the survey showed, held a variety of opinions as to the main purposes of the schools, with the larger group contending the primary function was to prepare pupils for further education. The majority said they believed the schools now prepared children for adult life effectively.

Eighty-five percent of those asked were in favor of homework but differed as to the grade in which homework should begin.

They divided as to whether religion should be taught as a school subject.

Nova Scotians were undecided as to whether adequate provision had been made or above average children but the majority said such provision had not been made for the slow-learning child.

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HOME and SCHOOL BROADCASTS OVER CBC

A 13-week series of programs sponsored by the Canadian Home and School Federation opened January 17 on the CBC Trans-Canada network. The introductory broadcast showed something of the philosophy of child training, and the remainder of the series will cover the sort of problems which face most parents, puzzle many.

The series, written by George Salverson in co-operation with the University of Toronto Institute of Child Study, will be broadcast at 7:15 p.m. AST each Sunday.

This is a premium time, and Federation officials hope listener interest will be high enough to justify its use for this sort of topic.

The Federation has prepared a ten-cent booklet giving study outlines for each program in the series. This is available from the National Office, 79 Queen St. E., Toronto 1.



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Senator Wm. H. Dennis

OTTAWA -- Senator William Henry Dennis, Nova Scotia farm boy who became publisher of the Halifax Chronicle-Herald and the Halifax Mail-Star, died suddenly on Monday. He was 66.

His appointment to the Senate in 1932 by Conservative Prime Minister Bennett at the age of 44 made Senator Dennis the youngest member of the upper House.

He immediately devoted his energy to the formation of the Senate tourist committee of which he became chairman. The committee was responsible for creation of the Canadian travel bureau. He continued to be one of the most vigorous supporters of the tourist trade and often was regarded as the father of Canada's tourist industry.

Senator Dennis, however, wanted to be regarded primarily as a newspaper man.

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Started Working at 13

At the age of 13 he left his Colchester county farm home to work for his uncle, the late Senator William A. Dennis, at the old Halifax Herald.

He worked his way from elevator operator and printer's devil to become, in 1911, vice-president and business manager of the company which published the Halifax Herald and the Halifax Mail, morning and afternoon newspapers.

On the death of his uncle he was left 55 percent of the company's capital stock and became managing director, a post he relinquished to his only son, Graham, several years ago because of poor health.

A few years ago the two newspapers absorbed their long-time competitors, the Halifax Chronicle and the Halifax Star, into the new Chronicle-Herald and the Mail-Star with Senator Dennis remaining as publisher.

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ROYAL BANK DIRECTOR

C. J. MORROW of Halifax and Lunenburg, whose election as a Director of The Royal Bank of Canada is announced. Mr. Morrow is a prominent Maritime businessman and a former Director of the Bank of Canada. He is President of National Sea Products Ltd., Ocean Fisheries Ltd., and the Acadia Broadcasting Co. Ltd. He is also a Director and a member of the Executive Committee of Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Co. Ltd., a Director of Great Eastern Corp. Ltd., President of the Nova Scotia Fisheries Exhibition Ltd., and a Director of the Lunenburg Hospital.





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MARCH OF DIMES BIG HELP TO POLIO VICTIMS

When illness has already made considerable financial inroads the means of travelling back and forth at stated intervals for check ups can impose a heavy burden. To some, especially those who have to cover long distances, the burden would be impossible to assume. Here's where the March of Dimes has proved a boon to scores of families, for in 1953 this source met the transportation costs for over 250 journeys from Provincial centres to the Polio Clinic at Halifax and return home.

This represents such aid extended to people residing as far away as Yarmouth, or the Nova Scotia border, or up at Neil's Harbor in Cape Breton. Even longer trips have been arranged in special cases, including transportation of people to Rehabilitation Centres in New York and Toronto. In addition over 30 cases were transported to the Clinic in the Physiotherapist's car.

Travelling costs of those returning for check ups or surgery represents one of the most helpful phases of the March of Dimes programme, but there are many others. For instance from May to December, Miss Cora Morton, MCSP, the Physiotherapist, visited 465 cases, many in isolated sections of various counties. She is now engaged in her specialized work as an aid to polio patients at the Clinic and others within reasonably easy reach.

Another feature is loaning of equipment which would prove too costly, in many instances for the individual to secure on his, or her own, such as wheel chairs, walkers, and even crutches. In 1953 the "March of Dimes" had 26 wheel chairs on loan in the province and 10 walkers. Fifty-four pairs of specially built boots were provided children and a dozen pairs for adults.

"A point we felt should be stressed and fully realized, is that money contributed by Nova Scotians in the current annual financial campaign, is all spent directly in the interests of polio victims in our own province," said Alban M. Murphy, President of the Nova Scotia Chapter of the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Latimer, New Glasgow, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ramona Corrine, R. N., to James Alexander Blair Bannerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bannerman, New Glasgow. Miss Latimer is a graduate of the Victoria School of Nursing. Mr. Bannerman, a graduate of Dalhousie, is studying Civil Engineering at Nova Scotia Technical College. The wedding will take place February 13 in St. George's Anglican Church, New Glasgow.

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Winter is Here

The frosty and blustery weather of the past few weeks reminds us that our old-fashioned winters can still make an appearance notwithstanding the exceptional mild and open winters of the past few years.

Arichat harbor is partly frozen over, but up to this date no drift ice has made an appearance from the Gulf and possibly most of the drift ice that comes down the Strait will be held up at the narrow point of the Causeway.

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Dance at School

The Arichat Home and School Association held a successful dance at the Arichat Academy on Tuesday. Proceeds to be used for improvements to the School.

Music was furnished by Fulbert Boudreau and his Orchestra.

To Halifax

J. Emile Benoit accompanied by his father-in-law, H. E. MacDonald, were motor visitors to Halifax for several days while Mrs. Benoit was a patient at the Infirmary. They returned during the week and report that Mrs. Benoit is making a satisfactory recovery.

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From PEI

Capt. and Mrs. Mike McTague have returned from Charlottetown, P.E.I. where they spent a few weeks at the home of Capt. McTague's parents.

Capt. McTague recently returned from Korea, where he spent over a year with the Canadian Active Army forces.

They will spend a few weeks here at the home of Mrs. McTague's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Malzard.

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Patient at Infirmary

Mrs. J. Emile Benoit of this town is a patient at the Halifax Infirmary where she underwent a successful operation on Monday.

We wish her a speedy recovery.

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Caterpillar Thriving

Wilbert Stone found a caterpillar on his doorstep on Christmas Day and his little daughter Sylvia has kept the insect alive ever since and is in hope of seeing it turn into a butterfly.

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Plane Take-Off

A plane on its way to Sydney during the Christmas holidays was forced down at River Bourgeois in a field on Henry Samson's property, Grand Gully. The pilot was on his way to Sydney from Greenwood and after the forced landing took passage to Sydney by car.

On January 14th the pilot returned to bring his plane to Sydney. A large crowd from the community and surrounding district were on hand to see the take off which took place without mishap and after circling the village headed for Sydney.

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From Great Lakes

Calvin Fougere recently arrived from the Great Lakes to spend the winter at his home in Poulamon. Calvin was employed on a freighter on the Great Lakes during the past summer.

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March of Dimes

The annual campaign for the "March of Dimes" is now underway and cans have been placed in stores to receive donations for this worthy cause. Last year in this section the people were very generous and a substantial sum of money was realized through the can system.

This money is used for polio victims.

Put your dimes to work to help in this great crusade.

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Home for Winter

Louis J. Pate, of Hawker, has arrived from the Great Lakes where he was employed as oiler on a freighter during the past several months.

Louis will spend the winter at his home in Hawker. Friends are glad to see him back home again.

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Fishing Operations

A slight lull in fishing operations out of Petit de Grat is reported due to draggers and trawlers undergong their yearly overhaul.

Fishing out of the port of Petit de Grat has been good during the past year and now with the new Booth Fisheries plant greater results are expected during the present year.

The Booth Fisheries employ a large number of men and girls in the processing of fish. This plant has been a blessing to the port of Petit de Grat and to the whole of Isle Madame.

Capably managed and with a very efficient office staff the Booth Fisheries have brought to Petit de Grat one of the most up-to-date and modern plants in eastern Canada and warrants the whole-hearted support of everyone in this County.

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Left for Halifax

Miss Marie Marchand left for Halifax during the past week where she was transferred to the main office of the Royal Bank of Canada.

Miss Marchand was on the staff of the local branch of the Royal Bank for eight years.

We wish her every success in the future.

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51st Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. James Mauger highly respected citizens of Cape la Ronde celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary on the 22nd inst.

Relatives and friends gathered at their home to congratulate the couple on the event and wish happy returns.

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Children have more need of models than of critics.

--Joseph Joubert

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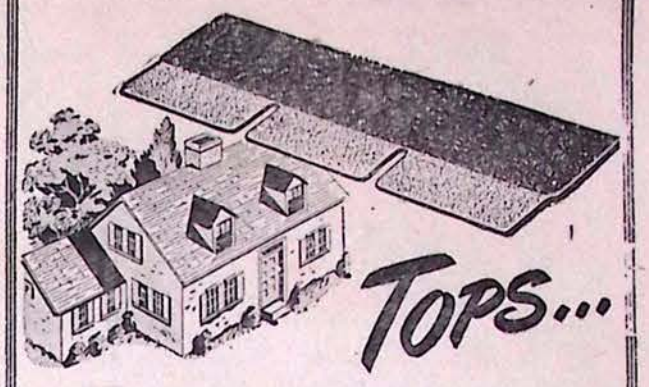
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Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacLeod, were favored with the mild spell when they motored from Brookline, Mass. to spend New Years with friends in Cape Breton.

Arriving at Dundee on New Year's Day, they spent two days with Mrs. MacLeod's mother and The MacInnes'; then visited friends in Sydney, and Fourchu and Stirling Mines returning to Dundee on Thursday.

Joined on Friday a.m. by Mrs. MacDougall and Mrs. Sadie MacRae, Whycocomagh, they left for Brookline, arriving there on Saturday. Mrs. MacDougall will spend the winter with members of her family across the border, while Mrs. MacRae's visit will be of a shorter duration.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Russo returned to Melrose, Mass. after a two weeks visit in Cape Breton.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacRae, Truro, spent New Years at their summer cottage at St. George's Channel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacRae are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby girl, Myrtle Christene.

Murdock MacKinnon, of Hawkesbury is spending some time with his grandfather, John Smith Dundee.

We wish to extend our thanks to our efficient appraisers who so often give us a lift with their kind words of encouragement. With them as a guide we shall endeavour to carry on.

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Plans, form of contract and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Public Building, Bedford Row, Halifax, N. S., and at the Post Offices, at Briton Cove, New Glasgow and Sydney, N. S.

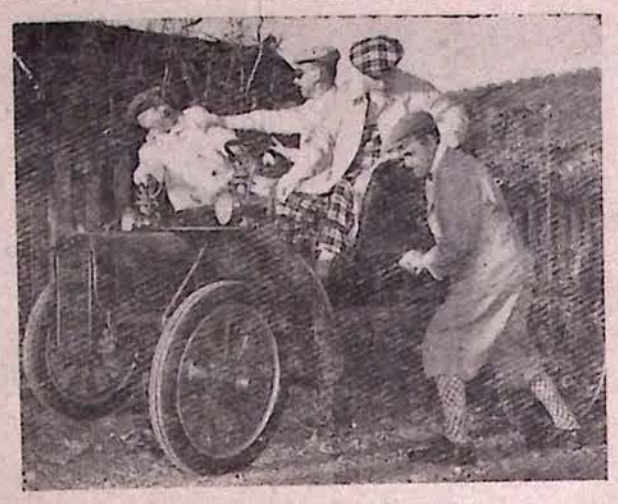
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Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, or Bearer Bonds as specified in the form of tender for 10 percent of the amount of the tender.

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infancy, it already has done much good in the parish by helping out in several worthy causes.

We are glad to report that the sick of the parish are improving in health. Mrs. Thomas Samson who underwent a major operation at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish, Miss Katie Ann Samson at St. Rita Hospital, Sydney, and Mrs. Louis Pottie at the V. G. Hospital, Halifax.

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What the best and wisest parent wants for his own child that must the community want for all its children.

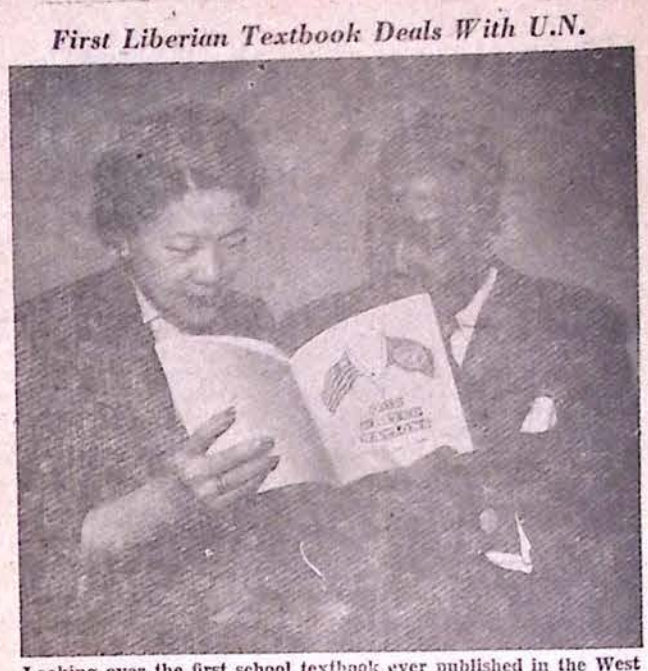
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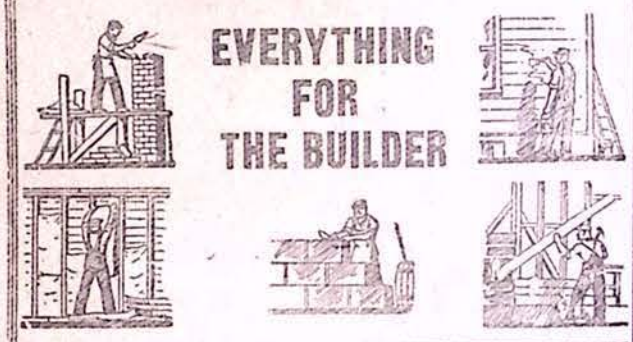
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