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New Year Message From Premier Hicks

The year just passed has been notable in that it has marked the beginnings of a re-assessment of various aspects of the economy of Nova Scotia.

The formation of the Economic Council of the Atlantic Provinces represents a forward step in an endeavour to ascertain the opportunities for ftuture development. The Government of Nova Scotia undertook also, preliminary steps along this line in the form of a survey of industrial possibilities with the assistance of independent technical and research consultants.

We are also giving careful attention to the problems that face some of our primary industries. All these studies, I firmly believe will form the basis of plans designed to increase the tempo of our economic growth. While our expansion has not been as rapid or spectacular as other parts of Canada, I think it is fair to say that our progress has been steady.

In the field of transportation three major projects representing an expenditure of approximately $40,000,000 will be completed in the months ahead. The opening of the Canso Causeway, the Angus L. Macdonald Bridge and the operation of the Yarmouth-Bar Harbor Ferry will bring added improvement to transportation facilities and assist greatly in the development of new markets for our primary producers.

We can be successful in our drive for economic improvement



HON. HENRY D. HICKS
Premier of Nova Scotia

if Nova Scotians show faith in their Province. That faith must be backed up by hard work. With the co-operation of Government at all levels, business, labour, and management and citizens generally, we can achieve great things.

I should like at this time to express my personal good wishes to the people of our Province. I sincerely hope that the New Year will bring health, happiness and prosperity to all.

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J. W. Stephens Limited and Stephens Construction Company, two of the leading lumber concerns in the Maritimes look forward to 1955 with enthusiasm and confidence

The pioneer Sydney company has closed the books on an outstanding year and present indications are that 1955 will again see Stephens playing an important role in the economic development of Cape Breton.

Last year the two firms completed several major projects including remodelling of the Bank of Montreal, construction of a new freight office, construction of the RCAF barracks at Grace Bay, construction of Ashby Sales and Service garage and service station and erection of a Department of Transport building at Flat Point..

Work is still underway on the Stephens apartment project on King's Road, Sydney, and plans are now underway to have the official opening of this modern building late in February.

More than 250 persons are employed by the two companies which means that $350,000 is pumped into the district's economy each year.

Both J. W. Stephens Ltd. and Stephens Construction Company unionized. J. W. Stephens about eight years ago ... move when it entered ... tive bargaining with the Congress of Labor.

Perhaps the biggest job ... completed last year was the ... plete remodeling of the ... branch of the Bank of Mon...

The work drew widespread praise from the bank's head office in Montreal.

W. J. (Bill) Stephens, president of J. W. Stephens Ltd., said that last year, despite a slump locally in the construction industry, that his firm maintained a brisk schedule.

"Generally it was a poor year for construction but our firm maintained its high standards and received encouraging support from the public," he said, "We will continue to serve in the same efficient manner during 1955 which we expect to be a banner year for Cape Breton's economy."

Fred Stephens, president of Stephens Construction Company, also predicted a good year and emphasized that his company stood ready to serve the public from the smallest renovation to major projects.

Sporting Mountain Echoes

Mrs Leonel LeBlanc is our new postmistress.

An official of the Postal Department and Wm. McEwen, the present courteous and proficient postmaster at St. Peter's were to Seaview, Monday, and made the appointment.

J. Melvin Mason sold his farm (the former John N. Morrison estate) to Leonel LeBlanc who thus owns the two most valuable properties in Seaview's center of gravity.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason have gone to New Zealand on a three year contract.

We wish the courageous couple contentment and success in their distant location and vocation.

Arthur Morrison and Josephine Burke motored up from the Ironter Christmas Eve, and what with Miss Burke's delicious fruit cake, Mrs. Boudreau's rabbit pie and other products of her well known domestic skill, and Mrs. LeBlanc's fresh ham, we were sumptuously supplied for the entire Yuletide season.

Mrs. Michael Kyte, her son Charles of the Gov. Fish Hatchery and granddaughter Lillian Morrison of Ance De Loup comprised a motor trio from River Tillard Sunday afternoon and favored us with an extended social period.

We had occasion to be especially pleased to see the irreproachable Mrs. Kyte who has been our neighborly neighbor for more than half of three score and ten years.

The Christmas thoughts of Mr. and Mrs. Colin MacIntosh touched responsive chords in the hearts of the many friends and family connections who are wont to welcome the genial and generous couple on the occasion of their motor visits from south of the border.

We are hoping that when the roses are bloomning on the summits and slopes of Sporting Mountain in next summer's heyday we are destined to again greet Colin and May.

"Rabbit pie" must needs be taboo from the tables then, but leave it to the good people of St. Peter's and Margaree areas to make a satisfactory and suitable substitution.

Our good teacher Lucille Martell enjoyed the holidays at her home in Little Anse.

We thank the Publisher, fellow scribes (feminine and masculine) including two "old timers" Harvey McKenzie, New York and D. A. MacLeod of Halifax, and some fifty others for Christmastide greetings, and wish you all a peaceful and prosperous 1955.

D. A. S.

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We have so much to protect. Let us all do our part, without let-up, whatever way our duty lies.

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L'ARDOISE

Mr. Charles J. Monbourquette left for Halifax the past week where he has secured employment as a carpenter.

The death of Mrs. Catherine Madden occurred on Saturday December 11 at the residence of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Gillen following a lengthy illness, at the age of 74. The deceased was a lifelong resident of Point Michaud and was well and favourably known.

She is survived by four daughters and two sons, Mrs. Mary Manapolous, Halifax, Margaret of the teaching staff of St. Peter's, school, Mrs. Anthony Samson (Frances) L'Ardoise; Mrs. James Gillen (Laura R. N.) Sydney; Rev. Br. Bertram C.S.C., Akron, Ohio. Her husband, Daniel Madden, predeceased her several years ago; also a daughter Mary Rose and a son Donald. Also surviving is a brother Edward Murphy of Point Michaud.

Following Requiem High Mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. P. A. LeBlanc the remains were taken to Point Michaud for burial.

The numerous mass offerings, floral pieces and sympathy cards received by the bereaved family attested to the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

Pall bearers were James Gillen, Anthony Sampson, Jack Madden, John and Michael Raney and Leo Gracie.

Deepest sympathy is extended the surviving members of the family in their sad bereavement.

James and Joseph Monbourquette, students at St. Ann's College and Jerome Martell, student at S. F. X. University, are spending the Christmas holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Monbourquette, West L'Ardoise, left for Halifax the past week where they will spend a few weeks holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martell, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Sampson and Charles J. Sampson motored to Halifax on Friday where they will remain for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Monbourquette and son of Halifax, are spending the holidays at the home of his mother Mrs. Minnie Monbourquette. Mr. Monbourquette M. A., is vice-principal of the new St. Patrick's High School.

Miss Helen Berrette who is attending school here spent the Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs Daniel Berrette, Cleonath. She was accompanied by Sylvia Taylor who was her guest over the holidays.

The Misses Joan and Jean Martell, student nurses at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish, are spending the Yuletide with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martell. They also have as their guest Miss Blanche Martell R.N. of Halifax.

Rev. Brother Bertram C. S. C. of the teaching staff of Hoban High school returned to Akron, Ohio after attending his mother's funeral, the late Mrs. Catherine Madden. He also spent a few days visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Madden Point Michaud.

Mrs. Gertrude Westlake entertained the members of her club on Wednesday, December 22nd on the occasion of their Christmas meeting. A very enjoyable evening was spent by the large gathering. Mrs. Alice Burke, president, conducted the meeting which opened with prayer. Minutes were approved as read and the financial report was given by Mrs. Betty Stone, treasurer. Routine matters were dealt with and the meeting adjourned. The rooms were artistically decorated for Christmas and featured a huge Christmas tree twinkling with multi-colored lights. Christmas gifts were exchanged by club members and the gaily wrapped packages were opened by Mrs. Nora Playter and enclosed greeting cards read by Mrs. John Raney. Delicious lunch was served by the hostess assisted by her daughters, Mrs. Raney and Mrs. Playter, also by Mrs. Minnie Gracie and Mrs. John Sampson.

Miss Louise MacNeil, Halifax, is spending the Yuletide with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm MacNeil.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Pastorius and family Berwick, N. S., and Sally Anne Monbourquette, student at OLA Convent, Arichat, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Monbourquette.

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West Arichat

Those who arrived to spend the winter with their families are Capt Clarence and Hubert Forgeron, Edmund Doiron and Ernest Dorey.

John and Margaret Babin spent some time visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Babin.

Robert Briand is spending the holidays guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Briand.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaheen and family were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Covin.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Covin at the Isle Madame Hospital, Arichat, a son.

Joe Bourgeois spent his holidays here visiting his wife. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gerrard.

Rudolph LeBlanc has returned from the United States where he attended the funeral of his brother in-law the late Professor James McDonald which took place at Cambridge, Mass, the past week.

Leonard Fougere motored from Halifax and is spending the holidays guest of his sister Mrs. Leo Forgeron.

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... Cape Breton, Canada. ...NUARY 8, 1955

...ver Bourgeois

...he Messrs. Donald and Arthur ...gere, sons of Mrs. and the ... Charlie Fougere have return- ...from Toronto, having motored ...own in Donald's truck. They will ...remain at home for the winter. They were accompanied by Renee Fougere, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anselm Fougere, who will remain home for the winter months.

Miss Peggy Boyd, nurse-in-training at the Halifax Infirmary has returned to Halifax after spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boyd.

Mr. Isiah F. Burke who is employed with the Standard Construction Co. Halifax, has arrived to spend the winter months with his family here.

Mr. Freddie Burke has left for Halifax from where he will proceed to Portland, Maine. to join the Oil Tanker, Imperial Toronto on which he was employed.

Mr. Thomas Sampson who has spent the last month at home has also been called to join the Imperial Toronto and accompanied Freddie to Halifax.

...Miss Estelle and her brother Paul Baccardax, of Poirierville, were the guests of their sister Mrs. Fred Digout and their brother Toby for a few days during Christmas vacation.

Mr. Bernie Burke and his daughter Lillian of Halifax were visiting relatives and friends here at Christmas.

Mother Gaudance of the Convent at River Bourgeois is visiting Our Lady of the Assumption Convent, Arichat. The Convent at R. B. is to be called Stella Maris, or Star of the Sea Convent. we understand.

Miss Marie Fougere, who is employed at Sydney spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Remi Fougere. She was accompanied by Miss Annabelle Goswell also of Sydney, who is spending her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Bona.

Mr. Ronald Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Burke, who was employed on the Great Lakes, has returned to spend the winter with his parents.

Mr. Peter Boyd who is taking engineering at Technical College Halifax is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boyd.

Mr. Marshall Boucher and son Leo have returned from the Great Lakes where they were employed on a boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sampson and family have moved into their new home which is built on the foundation of the old homestead which was destroyed by fire many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mosseau, the former Miss Dorothy Bouchard of Toronto, are the guests of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bouchard.

Capt. Joseph D. Bourque and family of Moncton, N. B., are guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Helaire Burke. Capt. Bourque has recently returned from Korea and after two months furlough will be transferred to Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Boyd and daughters Ann and Sue spent a few days visiting relatives at R.B. They returned to Ingonish on Friday accompanied by Mr and Mrs. C. W. Boyd who returned to R. B. on New Years Day.

Miss Irene Burke who is employed at Halifax spent Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe P. Burke, South R. B.

We regret to say that one of our most active octogenarians, Mrs. Lyide Boudreau is on the sick list. Mrs. Boudreau celebrated her 85th birthday on December 18

Mr. Isiah Landry is also on the sick list.

We wish them both a speedy recovery.

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Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Ontario, at the office of the District Engineer, Public Building, Beford Row, Halifax, N. S., and at the Post Offices at Mabou, Port Hawkesbury and New Glasgow, N. S.

To be considered each tender must be accompanied by a security in the form of a certified cheque or bonds as specified in the form of tender and made on or according to these firms and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

The Department, through the Chief Engineer's office (H. and R.) or through the undersigned, or through the office of the District Engineer at Halifax, N. S., will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $10.00 in the form of a cheque or money order payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on return of the blue-prints and specification in good condition within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that date the deposit will be forfeited.

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ROBERT FORTIER,
Chief of Administrative Services, and Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 20, 1954.

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Plans and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the offices of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Ontario; the District Architect, Public Building, Halifax, N. S., the District Architect, Old Post Office Building, St. John, N. B.; at the Public Building, Sydney, N. S.; and at the Post Office, Baddeck, N. S.

To be considered each tender must be accompanied by a security in the form of a certified cheque or Bonds as specified in the form of tender and made on or according to these forms and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

The Department, through the Chief Architect's office or through the undersigned, or through the office of the District Architect, Public Building, Halifax, N. S., will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $150.00 in the form of a cheque or money order payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on return on the blue-prints and specification in good condition within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

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ROBERT FORTIER,
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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 20, 1954.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Boudreau at Isle Madame Hospital on December 22nd a daughter, Karen Anne.

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Receives Donation

The Isle Madame Hospital Board is grateful to Ven. Archdeacon G. A. Andrew for a contribution of $25.00.

Archdeacon Andrew, a native of Arichat, but at present residing in Toronto has been making annual contributions to the Isle Madame Hospital for the past several years.

Serving as a missionary in China for over thirty years where he saw untold misery, Archdeacon Andrew knows the necessity of a Hospital in any community.

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TOBIN J. SHAW

The death of Tobin J. Shaw, of Royal Oak, Michigan, formerly of Arichat, C. B., occurred at his home December 21, 1954.

Mr. Shaw was 62 years of age and was in good health until death.

Funeral service was held December 24, 1954 from Wessels Funeral Home, Royal Oak, Mich. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and American Legion. Funeral service was under Masonic auspices. Burial was in the Masonic cemetery, Royal Oak.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs Dorothy Shaw, 208 Girard Avenue, Royal Oak; one son Lloyd, Detroit. One brother Harry Shaw, Martinique, N. S.,; two sisters Mrs. Clarence Hall (Maude), Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Mrs. Elmore Jollota (Bertha), Pictou, N. S.

The late Mr. Shaw held a Supervisory position with a Tool and Die Company in Detroit.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

To St. Mary's

John LeBrun has entered St. Mary's College, Halifax. A son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. LeBrun we wish John every success.

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From Antigonish

Miss Lorraine Marchand, a student at Mount St. Bernard, Antigonish, returned to her studies after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Marchand.

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From Halifax

Miss Noran Theriault, of Halifax spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John B. Theriault of this place.

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From Greenwood

LAC Clem Marchand of the RC AF station, Greenwood, spent the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. Alice Madden and family.

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From Montauk

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Paon of Montauk, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. Paon's mother at Pondville.

Friends at Pondville are pleased to see them.

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Return to Stirling

Amedee and Joseph Goyetche have returned to their duties at Mindamar Mine, Stirling after spending Christmas with their respective families.

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Purchase Dwelling

Theophile Richard of this place has purchased the dwelling formerly occupied by his brother John B. Richard. The latter has purchased the property formerly owned by Miss Lida Boudreau.

Theophile is making renovations to his property and is also installing electric lights.

Holiday Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. David Carlin (nee Madeline Deveau) of Halifax spent the holidays at Mrs. Carlin's parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. R. Deveau.

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To Glace Bay

Raymond LeBlanc visited his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Chas. LeBlanc at Glace Bay during the week.

Capt. and Mrs. LeBlanc are spending the winter with their son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Harry McNeill.

We are happy to report they are both in good health.

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From Grand River

Rod MacKillop and John MacCuspic of Grand River were business visitors to Arichat on Tuesday where they appeared before the Board of Appeal.

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From Halifax

Leonard Fougere of West Arichat arrived from the Great Lakes recently and visited his sister in Halifax.

He motored to his home in West Arichat during the week accompanied by Misses Hilda Forrest and Estelle LeJeune.

Leonard was successful in receiving a marine engineers' certificate recently.

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Visiter to Town

Amos Boudreau, an officer on the oil tanker Maruba of the Lunham and Moore Line is visiting his wife at the home of his sister Mrs. Louise Paon of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Boudreau and baby will take up residence in Halifax in the near future.

Friends wish them every happiness.

Appeal Board Held Annual Session At Court House

The Board of Revision and Appeal on Assessment for the Municipality of the County of Richmond met in the Court House during the week.

The Board comprises J. H. MacIntosh, Dundee, John N. Morrison, St. Peter's and Alex Theriault of this place.

In attendance at the Board was D. F. Hanrahan, Assessor and Geo. Williams, Barrister, of Port Hawkesbury who we understand also represented the Municipality.

A large number of appeals came before the Board. Among them was an appeal from Mindamar Mine represented by J. A. Walker, Q. C., of Halifax.

The Board have been in session this year for several days and may be obliged to hold session at St. Peters to hear mainland appeals.

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On Furlough

LAC Lloyd Latimer of the RCAF spent New Years with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Irving Latimer.

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Brief Visit

Petty Officer Wallie Parker and Mrs. Parker of Halifax spent New Years at the former's home here.. They motored from Halifax and were accompanied by LAC Lloyd Latimer.

Petty Officer Parker is a crew member on the Canadian cruiser Quebec and expects to leave Halifax shortly on a six months cruise that will take them to many foreign countries. The first call on this cruise will be South Africa.

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Picks Pansy

Mrs. Joseph E. Samson of this place picked a full bloom pansy in her back yard on January 1. This day was also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Samson.

Pansies growing in Cape Breton on January 1 leads one to believe that the old time winters are gone forever.

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LOST: Keys for Yale lock. Finder please leave at RECORD office. 2f

Musings

There's a whimper in the wind's lament
That always brings to me
Fond memories of a boyhood spent,
Hard by the sounding sea.

Where I could see the heaving hulls,
Of ships that rode the stream
Or watch the graceful, gliding gulls,
With sunlit wings agleam.

And someday I shall wander back
To my own native land,
And find what crowded cities lack,
In sky, and sea, and sand.

OLD TIMER

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From St. Peter's

Our good friend Clark Kaplan, St. Peters was a business visitor to Arichat during the week.

One of Richmond County's progressive businessmen Clark is engaged in the Clothing business and is also the exclusive Ford and Monarch dealer in Richmond.

Before returning he called on his sub-dealer Leo Martell of Pondville.

Clark informs the Record that his car and truck sales in 1954 were good and is looking forward to even greater sales in 1955. At present Ford dealers are awaiting the outcome of the strike at the Ford plant.

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Recently Married

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George R. Gagnon, who were married at St. Joseph's Church, Mount Royal by Rev. Real Lebel. The bride is the former Colette Levesque, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Levesque of Mount Royal the groom, a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gagnon, of Montreal.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the blue room of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. They left later by plane for Florida to spend their honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Gagnon are natives of Arichat. The groom is a chartered accountant, a member of an accounting firm in Montreal.

The Record joins with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

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CORRECTION

The following was omitted in the account of the sacred concert held a Black River Church in our last issue:

Miss Ina MacLean, teacher at West Bay was beautifully costumed and read the story of the Shepherds as the program proceeded.

Donna Jean MacIntosh was the youngest child in the children's program (four years old) and recited and sang before the microphone. Joan Calder (five) was the second youngest and was among those who captured the hearts of the audience.

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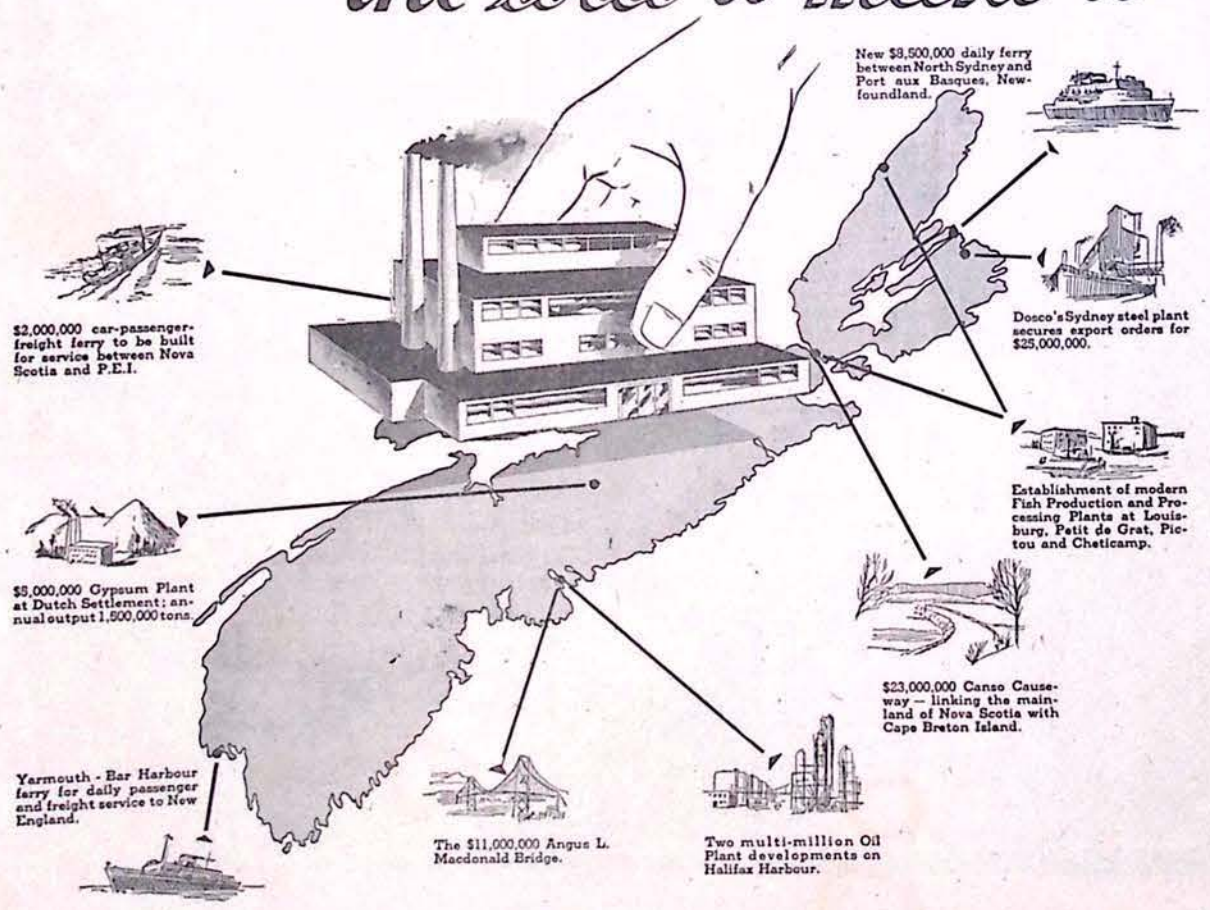
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If we are but fixed and resolute —bent on high and holy ends, we shall find means to them on every side and at every moment.
—Tryon Edwards.

Our future is the will to make it



"...such a degree of intellectual vigor as shall ensure success."
—Joseph Howe, 1834

"...folks want three things, Industry, Enterprise, Economy."
—Thomas C. Haliburton, 1836

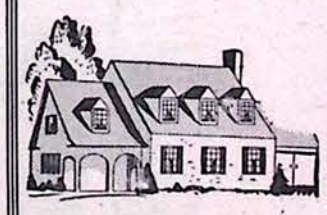
"Come then: let us to the task..."
—Winston Churchill, 1940

"Let us make of the year a common thing that, by our bond, we shall go forward."
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LITTLE ANSE

Barbara Samson, student at the School for the Deaf, Halifax, is spending her Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Samson.

Catherine and Leon Martell, students at th School for the Deaf are spending the holidays with their parnts, Mr. and Mrs. T. Martell of Samson's Cove.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Gatell (nee Evelyn Boudreau) on December 29, a boy.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boudreau (nee Evelyn LeBlanc) on December 25, a daughter.

Mrs. Melvin Samson motored to Halifax Sunday where she will join her husband.

Clifford Samson who spent two weeks in Halifax visiting relatives and friends returned home recently.

Mr. Eric Samson of West Arichat visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Samson.

Miss Theresa Samson, student at OLA Convent, Arichat, is spending her Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Samson, Samson's Cove.

Miss Leta Samson of Halifax is spending her Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Samson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Deveau spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Smith and family of Halifax are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Landry, Samson's Cove.

Mrs. Henry Martell of Samson's Cove is visiting relatives and friends in Halifax.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Bourke spent their Christmas holidays with Mrs. Bourke's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boudreau.

John W. Clannon was appointed inspector on the Cape Auguet wharf which is now under construction.

Mr. Clannon was inspector on the pier which was built for the Booth Fisheries pant two years ago.

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West Arichat

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Miss Melina Comeau has returned to the School for the Deaf Halifax after spending the holidays wih her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gus Comeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Melanson and daughter Illene left for Halifax to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

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L'ARDOISE

(Continued from Page 1)

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pilon and son, Halifax, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Urban Monbourquette, West L'Ardoise.

Friends of Miss Betty Clannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clannon who recently underwent an emergency operation at City Hospital, Sydney, will be pleased to learn she is making a satisfactory recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonsus Martell have left for Halifax from where they will proceed to Montreal to spend a few weeks holiday.

Mr. George Briand, first officer on S. S. Kingdock arrived from Montreal the past week to spend the winter with his wife and family.

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