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FIFTY-EIGHTH YEAR | ARICHAT, CAPE BRETON, N. S., MARCH 5, 1955 | No. 26

Attending Session



Earl W. Urquhart, MLA., Chief Liberal Whip, is attending the annual session of the Provincial Legislature.

Mr. Urquhart is a very able debater and as the representative from Richmond County is a credit to his constituency.

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Sporting Mountain Echoes

At date of writing (Feb. 25th) the prevailing weather in this area is still omaratively mild, and the health of both adluts and children exceptionally good.

We were glad to have our nephew, Neil Sutherland of Sydney River with us for a few days over the week-end.

"A merry heart doeth good like a medicine" and Neil's optimistic disposition was a telling stimulant for a depressed morale.

A veteran of World War Two he has since erected a commodious and comfortable residence which from basement to roof is almost entirely a product of his own handicraft.

A good and attractive wife (Kaye MacNeil of Iona) and a quartet of bright and pretty little daughters, comprising Wilma, Christena, Andrea and Margaret combine to make that home a hallowed haven, and life worthwhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKay and Hector McRae comprised a recent motor trio from The Shore to Oban where they were guests at the home of Mrs. McKay's mother, Mrs. Annie McDonald.

Mr. McRae's many friends on this southern frontier were pleased to see him completely restored from the illness to which "A. F." made suitable reference in "Dundee Dew Drops".

It is always pleasing to old friends in Seaview and vicinity to learn through occasional letters from Mr. and Mrs. John Goswell that things continue to go favorably with the estimable couple in Halifax.

John N. Morrison motored up from St. Peters this forenoon to spend a social period with us.

We were glad to see our old neighbour and, having regard to the condition of the roads, appreciated his coming to see us.

We had not occasion to contact Mr. Morrison since the recent meeting of the Board of Assessment Appeal and thus had ample capital for intelligent and interesting converse.

John N. MacDonald, Arthur Fougere, and Lloyd McRae comprised a motor trio from Stirling Thursday and were guests at the Boudreau's home.

We were grateful from a friendly call from Robert Ross Jr., of The Points and Donald McDonold Oban, when enroute to their respective homes on a motor outing Sunday evening.

Joseph Kyte, veteran Rawleigh representative, called on his customers on Sporting Mountain during the week.

A. W. H. McDonald was a visitor from Oban Thursday evening, and thus we had occasion to exchange the happenings of the sister sections. D. A. S.

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Canadian Red Cross welfare workers have been with Canada's Armed Forces in the Far East since 1951.

PETIT DeGRAT NEWS

Red Diamond II, under the command of Capt. Joe Mayo landed a fare of 186,000 lbs. of mixed fish on February 25th.

Red Diamond III, Capt. Morgan Tapper, landed 219,000 lbs. of mixed fish on Feb. 26th.

Beotuck, Capt. Charlie Leary, landed a fare of 66,000 pounds of cod on Feburary 25th.

Gloucester 22, Capt. Allister MacDonald, landed 60,000 lbs. of mixed fish on Feb. 28th.

Red Diamond IV, Capt. Bill Leary, landed 130,000 lbs. on Feb. 28th.

Marguerite H. M. landed 110.000 lbs of mixed fish on Feb. 28th.

Donna Louise, Capt. Tow Dodge landed 50,000 lbs.

The processing plant is operating at full production. Fish meal plant is operating around the clock as well as the cold storage. The processing line and fish stick department are now operating on two shifts besides extra shifts on Sunday due to the large amount of fish landed. A new processing line is being installed by Powers Bros. of Lunenburg.

The first dragger to dock at the newly constructed Government wharf was the Gloucester 22, Capt Allister MacDonald. Capt. Gerald Richard docked the first fishing boat.

Rev. Alfred Boudreau P.P. Margaree was a visitor to his former parish recently.

Irene Fortune spent a week with her father John H. Fortune here.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch Kaiser of Port Breton were visitors at Booth's plant on Thursday.

Angus Sutherland, pipe fitter for Silver and Roberts, of Antigonish, arrived on Monday to install the water line on the new table at the Booth plant.

Urbain LeBlanc, field worker for the Extension Dept. of St. F. X. was a business visitor to Petit de Grat.

Mrs. Sylvester Boudreau arrived fom Halifax on Saturday.

Charlotte I, under the command of Clyde Hallett arrived from Halifax and will fish out of this port.

Ernest Curry, salesman for J. W. Wilson of Montreal, was a business visitor at Booth's plant on Wednesday.

Gilbert Boudreau, cold storage foreman, who was on the sick list has returned to his duties.

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Add cooled sugar-shortening mixture and stir in 1 well-beaten egg and 1 tsp. lemon juice. Sift together twice 2 c. once-sifted bread flour and 1/4 tsp. ground mace. Stir into yeast mixture; beat until smooth. Work in 1 c. once-sifted bread flour to make a very soft dough. Grease top of dough. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough and cut out rounded spoonfuls of dough with a tablespoon and drop into greased muffin pans, filling each pan about half-full. Grease tops. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a hot oven, 425°, about 20 minutes. Yield — 20 medium-sized buns.

Week in the Legislature

To the accompaniment of an 18-gun salute from atop Citadel Hill the second sessions of the 45th general assembly of the Nova Scotia Legislature was officially opened at Historic Province House, Halifax, last Tuesday, as the Lieut. Governor, Hon. Alistair Fraser, read the speech from the throne.

It was an historic occasion -marking the first time the colorful ceremonies had been televised and the first apearance in the house of Hon. Henry D. Hicks as Premier and leader of the Liberal government.

The Throne Speech predicted a mere stringent examination of motor vehicle drivers and also enforcement of highway safety measures in an effort to curtail the increasing road accidents in the province; also a redistribution of the Nova Scotia Liquor Control Act, to allow new plebiscites on the question of provincia government liquor store outlets in each cunty.

Among other forecasts was that of a redistribution of House seats before the next general election and revision of the rules and procedure of the legislature.

Three new members successful candidates in recent by-elections, took their seats in the House Mayor of Halifax, Richard A. Donahue (PC Halifax South); J. Clyde Nunn (L-Inverness) and Alfred Reid (L-Hants) were all sworn in earlier in the day by the Clerk of the House (Roy Laurence Q.C.).

It also marked the appearance of Hon. Geoffrey Stevens as Minister of Health and Welfare who took over the post relinquished by Hon. Harold Connolly.

Moving the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne J. Clyde Nunn called for a "go slow" policy on atomic power development in Nova Scotia because of the importance of the coal industry to the national economy.

He was pleased of assurances by the government that future mineral development in the county of Inverness would not be hampered for lack of power.

John W. MacDonald (L-Pictou East) who seconded the address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, said that production of cheaper power, developed through the use of coal, would attract additional industries to the province.

"We have in Pictou East the MacLean Mine. We are looking to it at the present time as one of the most promising mining ventures in the province.

He was of the opinion that the "Continuous Miner" a product of Dosco, now being manufactured in Pictou County, will be the salvation of the coal industry.

Standing in this year's session of the House is: Liberals 21; Conservatives, 13; and CCF, 2, with one vacancy.

Opening the Opposition's attack in the Throne Speech debate, Progressive Conservative leader R. L. Stanfield called for a vote of non-confidence in the Henry D. Hicks administration.

He was critical of the government for failing to cope with the provincial coal crisis and failure to attract new industries. He called for immediate inreases in teachers salaries and said the money should be provided by the Provincial Treasury for the time being at least.

Mr. Stanfield's motion of non-confidence was as follows:

"That this House respectfully regrets, that His Honor's Speech contains no program for meeting the crisis in the coal industry and indicated no adequate effort to develop industry in Nova Scotia on a scale sufficient to cope with rising unemployment and to support essential public services without undue burden on the people"

Among bills introduced by Premier Hicks was one that would divide the Highways and Public Works portfolio. He also introduced a bill to strengthen the Nova Scotia Power Commission Board portfolio. He also introduced a bill to strengthen the Nova Scotia Power Commission Board from three to six members.

CCF Leader Michael MacDonald (Cape Breton Centre) speaking in the Throne Speech debate called for a national fuel policy and said that Premier Hicks should lead a strong delegation to Ottawa which should include Liberal, Conservative and CCF members of the House to demand guaranteed markets for the provincial coal production. The delegation could not be too strong, he emphasized.

"Canadian producing 17 million tons of coal annually and importing 24 million tons of United States, coal mines in the province were being closed and miners were without work.

Following a statement by Provincial Treasurer Hon. R. M. Fielding that the province had a fiscal surplus of $2,158,000 tabling the final 1953-54 Public Accounts, Premier Hicks said the provincial finanial position continued to be sound and strong and the outlook, except that for the coal industry, was good.

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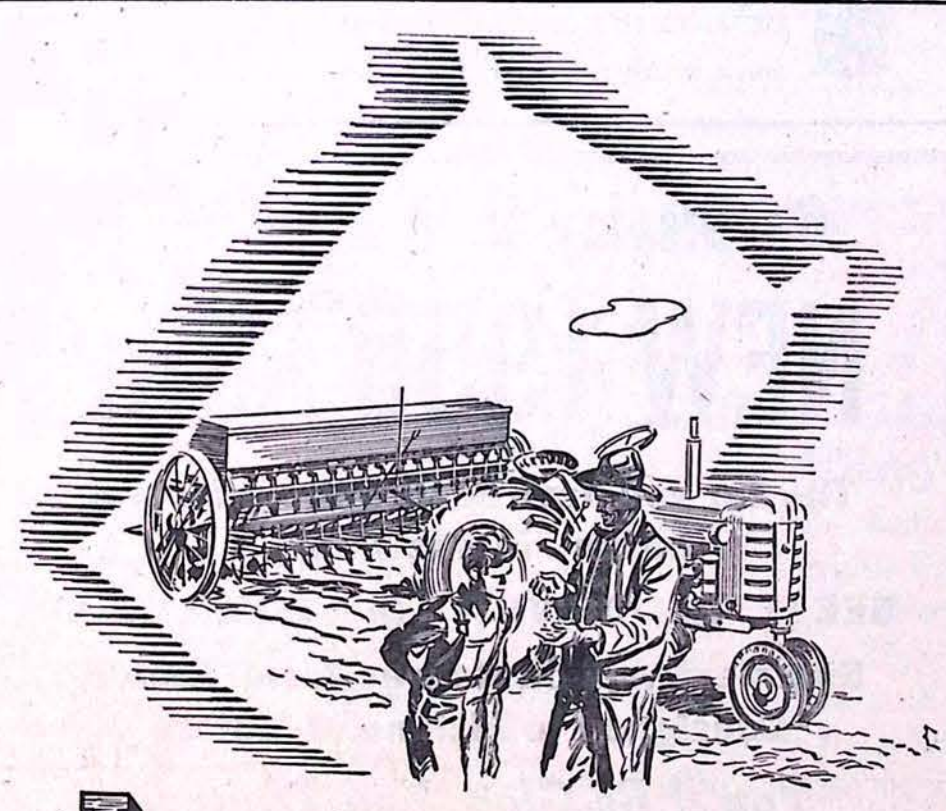
Credit Union Chapter Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Isle Madame Credit Union Chapter was held in the D'Escousse School on Thursday night, February 24th with President Nazaire Sampson presiding. All Credit Unions were well represented and favorable reports of steady progress were presented by the Treasurers. Following the reading and discussion of reports, the President presented a prepared questionaire pertinent to the Credit Union Movement. These questions stimulated a very lively, spirited, discussion on the part of every one present. The questionaire dealt with Parliamentary Procedure, delinquent members; CUNA Savings Insurance; why members should attend Credit Union Annual Meetings, Chapter Meetings--the necessity of continuous education.

Among the guests present were Dr. C. J. Forest; Father Doucet; Father Maranelli; Angus Rankin, Agricultural Representative; and Urbain LeBlanc, St. F. X. Fieldman.

The next meeting will be held in the Arichat Convent Hall on March 24th and an interesting session is planned. This program includes a film supplemented by a questionaire and discussion.

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ARICHAT, Cape Breton, Canada.

MARCH 5, 1955

Television Is No Menace

Television can be a boon to many Canadian homes--"not the bogey it's cracked up to be". This is the consensus of a panel discussion conducted recently by Canadian Homes and Gardens and reported in the February issue.

The scare stories you hear about TV are far off the mark, the panel decided. The panel members were people who had both television and children in their homes; a high school teacher, a housewife with trree children, a CBC-TV official and a teenager.

The panel was told: "Television is obviously a part of our culture. Already more than one million Canadian families are regular viewers. By next year, 50 per cent of all our homes are expected to have sets. Does this mean we're gradually destroying our homes, our minds, our young people?"

The panel's answer was "No" However, school teacher John Porter warnel that "With TV, you must develop restraint. If you want to read or do other things. you must leave yourself time for them." Fred Rainsberry, supervisor of children's programs for CBC TV, said, "TV is an ideal way to learn how to do things and to learn how others live."

The key to good use of television was careful selection of programs and time spent on viewing the panel said. If Canadians developed good selectivity, television would not dominate their leisure time.

Among the facts the panel reported about Canadian television nabits:

Most room arrangements have changed to make the set the focal point since television moved in.

Many Canadian families watch programs during meals.

Television watching is most likely to become excessive in the age group from 11 to 13 years.

Many Canadian housewives have changed the way they dress in daytime because of what they saw on television.

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Outlook On Sport

by James Monbourquette

(Continued from last issue)

Sports Demand Self-Confidence and Determination

Self-confidence, we would say, is the fundamental step on the road to athletic success and achievment. However, one must not envisage it as being in-born. It has to be acquired. it has to be built, and this is especially done during practice sessions. An athlete who is well practised and who is in the best playing condition possible will show up much better and will have less fear of being injured than one who only puts in an appearance on the playing field at game time. The one who introduced the old adage "Practice makes perfect" certainly knew what he was talking about. Some players get the idea that pratice sessions were not made for them because they feel that they do not need any practice. Such a philosophy of sport is not called "self-confidence" but egotism.

As concerns determination, it must be remembered that great skill cannot be developed overnight. The athlete who hopes someday to be successful must be made to realize that it takes time and he must not allow himself to get discouraged-he must have patience and lasting determination until he gets to the place for which he is headed.

Sports Demand Sportsmanship and Fair Play

An athlete who has learned to take a defeat in stride and in gentlemanly fashion is always admired and highly regarded by both fans and opposing players alike. If your opponents irritate you or play dirty, concentrate on playing harder. The best way to gain revenge is to win the game, so one must earn to "take it" and play clean, because clean play wins. It must always be remembered that unsportsmanlike conduct as no place in any sport.

(Continued in next issue)



KELTIC LODGE at Ingonish, summer resort operated by the Nova Scotia government enjoys a reputation as one of the top-ranking hostelries in the province. Situated midway on a two-mile long peninsula, Middle Head, it commands a remarkable panoramic view of North and South Bays, majestic Cape Smoky, Clyburn Valley and surrounding forest-clad hills-scenery reminiscent of a Scottish setting. The Department of Trade and Industry has embarked on a program to attract increased trade to this popular Cape Breton Island resort during the early and late stages of the tourist season.

--Bureau of Information Photo.



It's Time to Renew Your Car Permit!

Since all Passenger Vehicle Permits and Operators' Licenses expired on December 31st, 1954, and the extension of their use ends on March 31st, 1955, the operation of all such vehicles without 1955 Strips after the latter date will be illegal.

Renewal Form is attached to your 1954 Permit. Sign and forward with Money Order or Cheque for permit and license fees.

PLEASE RENEW NOW WHILE YOUR 1954 PERMIT AND LICENSE ARE STILL VALID

Renewals should reach the Motor Vehicle Office by March 10th to ensure delivery of 1955 Revalidation Strips before the expiry date. And do not forget that Operator's License costs $1.50 — the extra 50c being your annual contribution to the Unsatisfied Judgment Fund.

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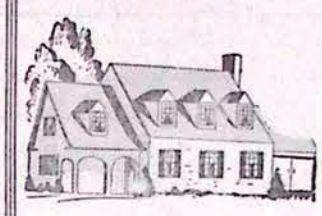
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(a) Traffic by any vehicle of a weight in excess of six thousand (6000) pounds with or without load where such vehicle is equipped with two wheels on a single rear axle.

(b) Traffic by any vehicle of a weight in excess of eight thousand (8,000) pounds with or without load where such vehicle is equipped with four or more wheels on one or two rear axles.

(c) Traffic by any trailer in excess of four thousasd (4000) pounds, with or without load, where such trailer is equipped with two wheels on a single axle.

(d) Traffic by any trailer in excess of six thousand (6000) pounds with or without load where such trailer is equipped with four or more wheels on one or two axles.

A. W. MACKENZIE,
Minister of Highways and Public Works
Nova Scotia

Halifax, Nova Scotia,
February 25. 1955.

Support The Red Cross

MEETING OF RANKIN CREDIT UNION

A meeting of the Rankin Credit Union was held at Lakeside School on February 21st when the Credit Union members of French Cove and Samsonville were pleased to have as their guest, Mr. Urbain LeBlanc who does extension work in that field.

Mr. LeBlanc showed two very interesting films showing the co-operation needed in bringing our natural resources to us. These films were interesting as well as educational.

The members then divided into two groups to discuss topics dealing with Credit Union Chapter and means of educating the people in the value and need of Credit Unions.

After an instructive discussion, the meeting was concluded.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



BISHOP TURNER

Most Rev. Bishop K. Turner, Bishop of Lishuie, China, is on a tour of parishes in Cape Breton and he resent is a guest of Rev. A. P. Poirier, of Notre Dame parish.

Bishop Turner was a prisoner of the Communists in Red China for five years. He is giving a series of lectures in churches and schools throughout Cape Breton on conditions in China.

Bishop Turner spent fourteen years in China as a missionary.

Business Visitor

John N. Morrison of St. Peters was a business visitor to Arichat during the past week.

From L'Ardoise

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Ferguson of L'Ardoise were motor visitors to Arichat the past week. Mr. Ferguson is Fisheries Officer for the L'Ardoise district.

Return Home

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Britten have returned from a honeymoon trip of the Province during the week.

Their many friends wish them a long and happy wedded life.

Returns to Halifax

Miss Eva Burton, of City Hall staff, Halifax, returned to her duties during the week after attending the funeral of her late father, Bert W. Burton.

Vice-President

Charles D. Gordon, manager of Booth Fisheries plant at Petit de Grat was elected Vice-President of the Nova Scotia Fish Packers Association at their annual meeting held in Halifax during the past week.

Mr. Gordon has been the efficient and popular manager of Booth Fisheries since its establishment at Petit de Grat and as a result of his efforts and capable supervision outstanding progress has been made.

Attend Wedding

Leon and Lubin Theriault, of Halifax, attended the wedding of their sister, Miss Lavinnia Theriault during the past week. They returned to Halifax on Wednesday.

Receives Injury

We regret to report that Miss Alvena Doucet had the misfortune of falling and severely injuring her arm. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

CARD OF THANKS

The wife and family of the late B. W. Burton wish to express sincere thanks to their relatives and friends who sent flowers, sympathy cards, telegrams and letters of condolence and to those who assisted in any way during their recent sad loss. Special thanks to Dr. J. I. MacGillivray, Rev. W. A. Trueman, C. A. Boucher's funeral service and pallbearers.

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Wedding Reception

A reception was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Clement Britten on their return from their honeymoon at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Britten of Poirierville.

A large number of relatives and friends were present.

Causeway Bridge Will Soon Be Completed

The permanent bridge across the Canso Causeway lock will be completed within three weeks, an official of the Maritime Steel Company said last week.

To Halifax

Albert Leblanc left last week for Halifax to take up his duties as Assistant Chief Messenger, during the present session of the House of Assembly. Albert has served over 20 years as Messenger in the House and at the close of the Session last year was complimented by the late Premier MacDonald and members of the House for his splendid service. Our MLA Earl W. Urquhart at that time spoke highly of Mr. LeBlanc as a very efficient and courteous messenger.

Mr. LeBlanc is an employee of J. H. LeBrun, Ltd.

From Antigonish

Miss Joan Britten, student at Mount St. Bernard, Antigonish, attended the wedding of her brother, Clement Britten on Feb. 21.

To New Glasgow

E. R. Latimer, accompanied by Miss Cecile Geroir, were motor visitors to New Glasgow on Wednesday. Mr. Latimer purchased a new Pontiac from Ernest S. Thompson, Ltd.

ARICHAT HOME AND SCHOOL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Arichat Home and School was held in the Convent Hall, Friday evening, Feb. 25th at 8 o'clock. After the usual opening and business, some discussion took place with regard to holding an Easter dance in the school. Since the trustees could give no satsifactory answer as to whether or not the school could be used for this purpose it was decided that the orchestra be turned over to some other organization in order to have a dance on Easter Tuesday.

The educational program consisted in the reading, by the President, Mr. E. Power, of the goals of a Founders Day program. This was followed by a playlet. "The Interpreters" given by a group of High School pupils. Miss Eva Goyetche read the Home and School Creed. The sum of $5.00 was voted as a contribution for Founders Day, which money is to be used to extend the work of the Home and School and to develop Home and School leadership.

On account ofthe Lenten season no lunch was served. Meeting adjourned by the singing of "God Save the Queen".

An amount of $58.00 was voted for the purchase of a filing cabinet for use of the school. $5.00 wa given for the March of Dimes. A discussion of the purchasing of desks took place.

An educational film 'Boys Town' was shown. Lunch was served and the meeting adjourned with the singing of "God Save the Queen".

A letter from the Quaker Oats Company was read regarding "Quaker Fund Raising Plan". Members were encouraged to collect Quaker Oats box tops during a period of six months. dating from Nov. 30, 1954.

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Business Visitor

Arthur Langley Jr., of Port Hawkesbury was a business visitor to Arichat on Saturday. A son of our good friend, Mayor A. J. Langley, Art, like his father, is a pregressive citizen of the Strait town.

Mr. Langley operates a boat service from Guysboro, Queensport and Mulgrave for the past several years and gives the residents of the Guysboro shore a very good service.

Official Visit

Raymond G. Samson, Old Age Pension Inspector, of L'Ardoise, was on an official visit to Arichat the past week. Mr. Samson covers a large territory in the carrying out of his duties which he performs in a very creditable manner.

Attends Funeral

Eddie Edwards of the J. E. Morse Co., Halifax, attended the funeral of his late uncle, Bert W. Burton on Friday last.

Pre-Nuptial Shower

A pre-nuptial surprise shower was held in hoonr of Miss Lavinnia Theriault (Mrs. Clement Britten) at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Theriault when a number of her friends presented her with beautiful gifts.

Cards containing appropriate verses were read by Mrs. Dave Sampson and gifts were opened by Miss Ernestine Boudreau.

RED CROSS SPENDS $364,000 in N. S. ASKS $193,000

"Canadian Red Cross spends almost two dollars in Nova Scotia for every dollar contributed by Nova Scotians," said Provincial Red Cross President Ian MacKeigan, Q.C. at this month's annual meeting of the society in Halifax.

"This fact alone," continues Mr. MacKeigan, "underlines the universal nature of this great organization. It collects money where it can-and gives aid wherever aid is needed most."

$193,000

He stated that during the coming year Red Cross will spend more than $364,000 in this province, while the campaign objective is only a little more than $193,000. Mr. MacKeigan made a strong appeal to all Nova Scotians to support the great humanitarian organization by giving as much as they could afford during the fund-raising campaign in March.

The major item of Red Cross spending in Nova Scotia is the free Blood Transfusion Service--which costs the society nearly $166,000 each year, but gives Nova Scotia the most complete blood transfusion service found anywhere in the world. Among other costly items mentioned by Mr. MacKichan were Veterans' Services which include Hospital Visiting, Arts and Crafts Instruction and the Red Cross Lodge ($15,000) and the operation of the society's Outpost Hospitals at a number of outlying centres ($55,000).

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Samson's Cove

Edgar Samson and son, Paul, left for Halifax to join the dragger, Charlotte I. This dragger will return shortly to fish out of Petit de Grat.

Thomas Boudreau and Norma Samson were visitors to Louisdale recently.

Levi Harris and Genevieve Samson were motor visitors to Glace Bay during the week.

Rudolph Martell returned home from West Arichat where he was engaged cutting pulp wood.

A meeting of the ratepayers of Little Anse and Samson's Cove was held on Saturday under the chairmanship of Anthony Samson, school trustee.

Louis Landry was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeCoste, Cape Auguet on Sunday.

David Boudreau, of Cape Auguet was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Clannon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Landry and family spent a week visiting Mrs. Landry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theophile Samson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Samson were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeYoung Arichat.

Amedee Samson. section foreman for Dept. of Highways was a recent business visitor to St. Peter'.

Lucile Martell, teacher at Seaview, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Martell.

Helaire Marchand, Emile Marchand and Albany Boudreau were visitors to Little Anse on Sunday.

Hycith Boudreau of Little Anse has joined the Red Diamond II as a crew member.

George Martell visited relatives and friends in Rockdale recently.

Alphonse Martell is visiting his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Brennan, Stoney Island, Shelburne County.

Alex Marchand accompanied by his son, Alfred were motor visitors to Little Anse on Friday.

Doris Samosn, Delima Boudreau and Vernon Samson have recently been employed at the Booth Fisheries plant.

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Lakeside Home And School Hold Meeting

On the evening of Thursday, February 25, members of the Lake side Home and School Association surprised Mr. E. C. Twist. the first President of the local Association by holding its Founders' Day meeting at his home. The chairman for the meeting was Mr. Desire Samson.

After reading the Home and School Creed and the minutes of the last meeting Mrs. Leo J. Sampson, a former President, presented Mr. Twist with a Past President's Pin--a token of appreciation for all the excellent work he did in our community through his worthwhile organization.

Mr. Twist then thanked the members graciously in very humble words and congratulated the organization for its fine work done especially since its re-organization in 1953.

A playlet was given which explained the different parts of the Home and School Association.

Members then gathered around the table which was centered with a beautiful three-tier Birthday Cake, made and decorated in the Home and School colours by Mrs. Charlie Carter. After singing Happy Birthday, the cake was jointly cut by Mr. Twist and Mrs. Leo J. Sampson. A very tasty lunch was then served by the ladies of the Association during which all were entertained with music by Clifford Carter and Norman Carter.

The lucky winner of the tickets sold the previous week was Miss Jean LeJeune.

Following this everyone joined in for group singing. The meeting adjourned by singing God Save the Queen.

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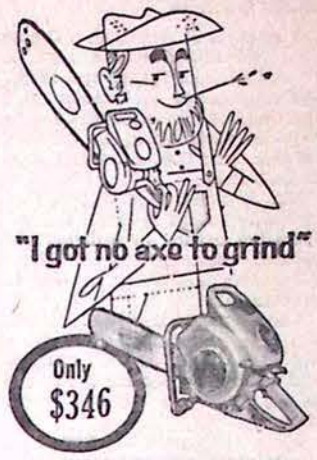
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