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Helping Institute For Blind Fund



J. W. CORBETT, our local bank manager, is helping in a campaign to collect funds for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Mr. Corbett, is always ready to lend assistance in worthy causes and looks forward to a favorable response from everyone in this Campaign to assist the blind.

The Editor of the Record endorses this campaign and is also on the committee with Mr. Corbett.

See advt in this issue.

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West Arichat

MRS. ALVINA TERRIO

The death occurred suddenly at the home of her daughter Mrs. Cornelius Boucher of Arichat, of Mrs. Alvina Terrio at the age of 78 years.

Although the late Mrs. Terrio had been in ill health for some time her death came as a shock to her relatives and friends.

Her husband pre-deceased her a few years ago. She is survived by one daughter Emma (Mrs. C.A. Boucher,) Arichat and one son Clement at home. One brother and one sister also survive.

The funeral took place on Thursday from the Immaculate Conception Church here of which she was a devout member. Rev. Fr. Doucett officiated at the Church and grave.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

BABIN — SAMSON

A pretty wedding took place at St. Josephs Roman Catholic Church, Petit de Grat, when Lucille Samson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Samson became the bride of Adolphe Babin son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Babin of

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Annual Winter Carnival At Quebec



Winter sports, colorful parades, masquerade balls, Mardi Gras and general merry - making begin January 13 with the official opening of Quebec City's annual winter carnival. Unofficial headquarters for the seven-week winter festival is the famed Chateau Frontenac Hotel overlooking the historic French -Canadian city along the banks of the St. Lawrence River. Bonhomme Carnaval--the jolly king of the carnival-is the center of attraction for a myriad of pretty French-Canadian demoiselles in the upper right photo. One of the most spectacular and dangerous events is the two mile small boat race between the twin cities of Quebec and Levis across the St. Lawrence part ice, part water, and part ice flow during the race. In the lower left photo, a young lady tries her hand at sculpting a snowman with the Chateau Frontenac in the background. Even city thoroughfares are not safe during the merry marking, as steep streets in the center of town are turned into slalom runs for the ski competitions.

C. P. R. Photo

Banner Year Enjoyed By J. W. Stephen's Ltd.

Both J. W. Stephens Limited and Stephens Construction Limited can look back on 1956 as a banner year in almost every phase of their respective operations. Both, however, are the first to admit that they owe a large part of their success to the fine co-operation received from their employees, their customers and the lumbermen of Cape Breton.

The sales staff of J. W. Stephen's Limited is headed by D. J. (Jeff) Jeffers, who has been with the firm 15 years and is known as Nova Scotia's expert on Home Improvement Loans. Through Jeff, the company has enjoyed being the highest issuer of these loans in the Maritimes during 1956. Mr. Jeffers is assisted by Bob Davies, Kent Cutten and Jack Stephens, while another assistant in the sales department is Frank Devereaux.

The hardware and paint department is capably managed by Charlies Ardelli, assisted by Charlie MacIntrye, while the switchboard is handled by another long-service employee, Miss Rita Tinker.

The ancounting department is headed by Chief Accountant Douglas D. Barrett, assisted by Jack Coffey of Coxheath, a native of St. Peter's, Richmond County, and a former manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Sydney Mines. Miss Mary MacIntyre is in charge of the payroll section and the chief clerk is Miss Ruby Purdas. New secretary to the firm's president, W. JJ. Stephen's is Miss Valerie Campbell of Glace Bay.

The shipping department is headed by Stan Jackson, aided by Ambrose Tobin, while the mill and yard is under the direction of Roy Geddes, who has been doing an excellent job.

In charge of the factory is Thomas Brown an experienced boss and well-known in the Maritimes as a top-notch mill and factory man. Under him he has some of the finest cabinet mash and frame makers in Nova Scotia.

Chief storekeeper is Reginald Clarke, with helpers Garfield Walsh and Edward Bergal, while the purchasing department is headed by Frank B. Tarr, a ten-year employee of the firm.

Stephens Construction Limited is headed by P. A. Stephens, assisted in the estimating department by Joseph Guthro, who joined the Company a little over a year ago. Mr. Guthro is a former chief estimator with the Federal government.

Edward Baxter, also an estimator, is superintendent of outside carpentry work, and the accounting department is led by Greg MacDougall, assisted by Miss May Forrest.

Stephens Construction Limited has a number of outstanding projects underway at present, including the new provincial building on Prince Street, Sydney--a contract reputedly worth approximately $600,000.

Other projects include an addition to the federal post office in New Waterford ($100,000); a staff quarters building at Ingonish's Keltic Lodge ($110,000); Gannon Road School ($100,000), and a half million project at the Radar Base. There is also a $600,000 project at the Point Edward Naval Base and a job for No. 12 Colliery in New Waterford. The work involved amounts to about two million dollars in contracts.

All Stephens Construction Limited's purchases are supplied by J. W. Stephen's Limited, and both firms are considered leaders in Nova Scotia industry. In Cape Breton the payroll amounts to approximately $350,000 annually.

Year-End Review---Trade and Industry

HON E. A. MANSON,
Minister of Trade and Industry

A review of the industrial position of Nova Scotia for 1956 shows general, across-the-board, advances in practically all industries, large and small, rather than spectacular growth in any one section.

In the field of transportation, the large public works projects inaugurated in 1955 demonstrated, in 1956, their value to the economy. From its opening on April 2, 1955, to the end of September 1956, the Angus L. Macdonald Bridge had seen 3,772,163 vehicles of all types pass across it. By the end of the year, there can be little doubt that the 4-millionth vehicle will have crossed. The Canso Causeway, officially opened on May 21, 1955, had seen by September 1956, 383,805 vhicles make the crossing. From its inception in January 1956, to the end of September, the Bluenose Ferry transshipped more than 84,000 passengers and 24,000 vehicles.

New projects include an international airport for Halifax now under construction at Kelly's Lake and an estimated additional 210 miles of surfaced highway (bringing the provincial total above the 2000 mile mark). The year's total of bridges completed will be around 50 and others will be nearing completion stage. Eight of these are for the Trans-Canada highway.

Of 1956's industrial developments, the greatest was the opening on October 11, of Imperial Oil's new refinery at Impoyal. This $90-million project gives Nova Scotia one of the most modern refineries in the world. Capacity over the old refinery is increased from 22,000 barrels a day to 42,000 barrels a day. Through new dock facilities, oil loading from tankers is possible at the rate of 700,000 gallons an hour. Other new enterprises in 1956 include a structural steel works by Canadian Structural Steel Ltd., at Truro for the manufacture of animal feed products, fertilizers, refined tallow and grease by Mortime Processing Company Ltd., and a factory in Sydney for the manufacture of aluminum products by Maritime Aluminum Co., Ltd.

More evident and, in some ways, more important than new industry in the province is the expansion of existing industry which was evident in 1956. An early estimate of the year's spendings in the province on plant expansion and new machinery placed that figure at $34,000,000. If amounts spent by utility companies, trade, finance and commercial services, housing, institutional and government departments were included, new capital investment would be something over $175,000,000.

New products include new types of boats motor boats, cruisers, hydroplanes, etc. . . . new lines in toys, concentrated apple juice (the "long-sought goal of many chemists in North America and America") plastic pipe, the DOSCO hot air furnace, and the undertoking of Enamel and Heating Products Ltd., to construct rear fuselages for Grumman SC2F airplanes.

The fishing industry continued its advance in 1956. In 1955, quantity of fish landed was 115 million pounds and landed value was $23,289,000. By the end of June 1956, quantity of fish landed stood at 199 million pounds and value at $13,319,000. Later reports of heavy runs of herring, good catches for the salt fish industry and excellent early lobster catches bear hopes of a record year.

The fishing industry of Nova Scotia is one in which the forward-looking policies of those engaged in it are beginning to pay dividends. Since 1939, the policy has been for larger vessels to produce greater economy per trip. Construction of new processing plants and cold storage facilities, expansion and modernization of existing plants has proceeded at a high rate. Government assistance through industrial loans has helped in this regard as have also mobile schools which bring to the fishermen up-to-date instruction on engines, navigation, nets and gear, the application of modern techniques and methods. Research work in co-operation with the federal Department of Fisheries has added its benefits.

One of the most important elements in the Nova Scotia mining industry is the vigor with which the Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation and its employees are striving to increase productivity, lessen cost and thereby regain for coal its place in the national economy. Coal supplies some 75 per cent of the province's mineral wealth and employs over 10,000 persons. Its successful operation is of vital concern to all Nova Scotians.

Production of coal for 1955 was 3,116,524 net tons compared with 2,903,936 net tons at mid-1955, which would indicate a year-end advance over the previous year. Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation is engaged in a multi-million dollar modernization program and at least a portion of this year's advance may be due to the effects of this. When the full effects of the program are

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Wedding

BOUDREAU — FOUGERE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Joseph's Church, Petit de Grat at 8:30 a.m., Dec. 29 when Rev. Dr. C. J. Farrell united in marriage, during the nuptial ceremony, Claire Fougere, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Fougere of Boudreauville, and Lawler Boudreau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Boudreau of Petit de Grat.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, looked lovely in her ballerina length gown of white nylon and lace. She carried a bouquet of red roses and fern.

Miss Leona Marchand, cousin of the bride, was first bridesmaid and wore a pink ballerina length gown of pink nylon with pink accessories. The second bridesmaid, Miss Idella Boudreau, wore a nile green gown identical to that of Miss Marchand.

Both bridesmaids carried bouquets of pink and white carnations.

Stanley Boudreau and Charles Boudreau supported the groom.

The bride's mother was dressed in grey with a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore navy with pink accessories and a pink corsage.

Following the ceremony they motored to the groom's parents where breakfast was served to over fifty guests. Supper was served at the home of the bride's parents to over one hundred and fifty guests.

They received beautiful gifts including linen, china silver and money.

A wedding dance was held in their honor at the parish hall.

They left on a honeymoon trip to Quebec. On their return they will reside in Petit de Grat.

We wish them a long and happy wedded life.

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Chappell's Limited Have Successful Year

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Furnesses of Cape Breton lumber also showed an increase with large quantities being milled and shipped to Newfoundland and Northern Defence projects.

In spite of the curtailment of houses being built in this area partly due to credit restrictions, Chappells factory employees have had steady work throughout the year.

The change effected in 1955 when the new office was built and hardware, paints, tile, electrical appliances, aluminum doors and sashes moved into the large showroom and former office space, has had its desired effects. Here, following the trend of the times, you will find many useful household items not directly concerned with lumber but all necessary for good living.

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Speaking at the opening of the Beli Museum at Baddeck last summer, the Honourable Mr. Lesage, Minister of Northern Affairs and National Resources, praised the quality of the workmanship in the building and said it compared favourably with any in Canada. Recognition such as this and first hand investigation of many other pieces of work done by Chappells Limited cabinet workers, should be ample proof of their ability and dependability to turn out the finest in their line.

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PONDVILLE

Due to the high wind and heavy wet snow several homes were without electricity for a time on Tuesday on account of broken service wires, but through the efficiency of local supervisor, Francis Martell and his staff of linemen the damage was promptly repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeVesconte spent the holidays at the home of Mrs. May Dunphy.

Ann Boudreau who spent the Christmas vacation with her mother Mrs. Emma Boudreau has returned to her studies at the Truro Normal College.

Leo Boudreau of Barrachois and his young son Rene motored to Antigonish with Freddie Boudreau on Monday. While in Antigonish young Rene had some X-rays taken at the St. Martha's Hospital, returning home the same day. We hope Rene's health improves shortly.

Several trucks are hauling sand from the Pondville in connection with the sanding of the slippery parts of the highway.

Herman Martell who was emarly spring has returned home, ployed on the Great Lakes since He motored home with his 1952 Meteor, accompanied by Roy Cordeau of Potierville.

Peter O'Hearn arrived during the past week to spend the winter with his wife and family.

Others who spent Christmas at their homes were Helena Deroach Paul Deroach, Marie Marchand, and Marina Martell.

Martin Boudreau who was employed on a dredge at Prescott, Ont., in connection with the St. Lawrence Seaway has arrived to spend the winter with his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowen have recently arrived from Ontario. Mrs. Bowen is the former Auryea Lantelgne, a former domestic science teacher on Isle Madame.

Mrs. George Maltby and nephew Joseph Boudreau who were visiting friends and relatives in Halifax have returned home.

Stanley Marchand who spent the holidays with his wife in Pondville has returned to his freight handling duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Theriaut and family who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Remi Briand for a few days have returned to Lake Echo, Halifax County.

Raymond Marchand has purchased a 1956 half-ton Chev. pick-up truck.

Mrs. Calvin Fougere and Frank Bona were visiting relatives in Pondville over the week-end.

Gordie Morris of Sydney Mines was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Venard Martell at Christmas time.

Bernie, Muriel and Ursula O'Hearn spent the Yuletide with their parents.

We are glad to report that James Forrest and Minnie Bouche who were on the sick list are very much improved.

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Granville Kelly of Halifax, N.S. grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Peter John Dorey of Janvrins Harbor, C. B., left for Guelph, Ont., recently to enter the Seminary to join the Jesuite Novitiate. Granville is wished all the very best by his many friends.



Johnny Wayne (left) and Frank Shuster are not to be outdone a bit in their show by dancers Margo Kinley and Marilyn Robertson. The comedy team star on their own CBC-TV show on alternate Saturday nights.

CBC Photo

NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



Returns Home

Mrs. Alice Madden arrived from Dartmouth where she was visiting her daughter Mrs. Jack MacKenna. She had recently returned from the Province of Ontario where she visited members of her family. At present she is residing with her son and daughter-in-law, Sheriff and Mrs. D. OC. Madden.

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Snow Plow Operator

Wilfred Poirier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Poirier of D'Escousse is the operator of the Dept. of Highways snow plow. His assistant is Rupert Seivert of Poirierville.

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From L'Ardoise

Amable Martell of L'Ardoise and Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Martell also of L'Ardoise were business visitors to Arichat during the week.

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From Fredericton

Capt. and Mrs. Mike MacTague are visiting at the home of Mrs MacTogue's parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Malzard.

Capt. MacTague has been transferred to Aldershot Military Camp at Kentville.

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ROD MacDONALD

The sudden passing of Rod MacDonald, 64, of this place occurred at his home on Sunday the 6th inst.

Although not in good health his passing came as a shock to his wife and immediate family and friends.

For the past several years the deceased operated a confectionery store here.

Rod took a keen interest in following the fishing fleets of Gloucester and Louisbourg more especially sailing ships and could relate the loss of vessels, the names of skippers and the dates such loss took place.

For some years he was employed in New York, previous to this he was employed at the Steel plant, Sydney and also operated a restaurant in that city. He was highly regarded by his many friends throughout Cape Breton.

The eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Stephen MacDonald, he is survived by his wife the former Ethel Boucher; two sisters, Lizzie, Arichat and Mrs. Sadie Jackson, Halifax;; two brothers, John and James, Arichot.

Funeral took place from Notre Dame Church, with the pastor, Very Rev. A. P. Poirier, celebrant at Requiem High Mass.

To the bereaved wife, sisters and brothers we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Visit Families

Amedee Goyetche and his brother Joe Goyetche spent the holidays with their respective families.

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Joins Survey Ship

Godfrey R. Boudreau has joined a new survey ship of the Hydrographical Service and left recently for Montreal. Mr. Boudreau is chief steward on the new ship.

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To Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapin Robertson of Truro are visiting in Montreal where their daughters, Mrs. Harold Harris (Gwen) and Mrs. Allan Butler (Helen) reside.

We wish Chapin and Hilda a very pleasant holiday.

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On Holidays

Mr and Mrs. P. J. LeVesconte of Halifax and their daughter Lalean of Boston who is attending an Arts College in that city, have returned after spending the Yuletide at the home of Mrs. LeVesconte's mother, Mrs. May Dunphy, Pondville.

Mr. LeVesconte is employed on the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board, Halifax.

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To Amherst

Mrs. N. M. Sorge accompanied by her daughter Norma Jean and son David were recent visitors to Amherst where they were the guests of Mrs. Sorge's mother-in-law who recently returned from Syria.

Before returning home, Mrs. Sorge visited her sister Mrs. MacIntosh of Halifax.

Attend Court

George R. Williams, Chief Prosecuting officer for Richmond County and Earl W. Urquhart, Defense Counsel, were in Arichat attending court January 3 before Magistrate M. S. Binet.

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From Newfoundland

Warren C. Jones, the genial proprietor of the Arichat Hotel and Restaurant, returned from Newfoundland where he visited relatives and friends.

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In Hospital

Mrs. J. A. Benoit is a patient at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish with a leg injury.

We wish Mrs. Benoit a speedy and complete recovery.

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To Halifax

Mr. and Mrs. Riddie Edwards accompanied by the former's sister Mrs. Robert Denton, who had been visiting her mother Mrs. M. Edwards were motor visitors to Halifax.

They were also accompanied by Mrs. M. S. Binet who visited her daughters in Halifax.

Notes Held Over

West Arichat and St. Peter's Notes held over for next issue.

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Returns Home

Miss Claudette Seigarie returned to Bagotville, Que., after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey H. Boudreau.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. C. A. Boucher, of Arichat, extends sincere thanks to friends who assisted and to those who sent Mass Cards and messages of sympathy, in the recent passing of her beloved mother, Mrs. Alvina Terrio.

CARD OF THANKS

The wife and family of the late Rod MacDonald, of Arichat, wish to convey their thanks to all good neighbors and friends for kindness extended to them during their recent sad bereavement.

Special thanks to those who sent floral and spiritual offerings. Also messages of sympathy.

NOTICE

The second Annual Meeting of the 20th Council of the Municipality of the County of Richmond will convene at the Court House Arichat on Tuesday the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1957, at the Court House, Arichat, beginning at 10 a.m. All letters, petitions accounts, etc., intended for the consideration of the Council at said Annual Meeting should be in the hands of the Clerk on or before the 19th inst.

E. C. DOYLE
Clerk - Treasurer
Municipality of the County of Richmond

Municipal Office
January 2, 1957.

ADJOURNED LAND SALES

The Public Auction of lands heir at St. Peters, on the 28th day of December 1956 on account of unpaid Rates and Taxes and charges incidental thereto—was, for the sales on said date not completed — adjourned to the Court House, Arichat, to Friday, the 18th inst., beginning at 10 A. M.

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Year-End Review Trade & Industry

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realized, it is hoped that considerable benefits will be brought to the industry.

The DOSCO Downdraft Furnace, which appeared on the market in 1955, has been followed in 1956 with the hot-air furnace. These furnaces, apart from their own excellent qualities, were designed to encourage a greater use of coal in the home and their sales so far give promise of success. They have all the advantages of domestic oil-heating, automatic operation and cleanliness...at considerably lower cost.

The airborne magnetometer surveys which have occasioned an intensive search for base metals in the province are now nearly completed. Imperial Oil Ltd., is engaged in a geological program covering nearly 200,000 acres of central Inverness county in Cape Breton.

During 1956, 2,713,912 tons of gypsum were produced in Nova Scotia. Estimates for 1956 place this year's possible total as exceeding four million tons. Production of barytes in 1955 was 244,005 tons. As of September, 1956, production stood at 212,238 which would indicate a further gain for the year-end. With the opening of the new salt mine it is expected that the province's salt industry will have a healthy future. Other products of the province's mining industry are gold, silver, peat moss, silica brick, clay products, sand, gravel and stone.

In forestry, sawmill production was down in the early months of 1956. However, this was largely due to arid weather for the winter cut. Demand for lumber remained strong and, later in the year, it was evident that production had picked up. It is estimated that, with planned conservation, potential production from the province's forests will be doubled in 25 years, tripled in fifty. Demand for pulp, paper and other wood products is strong and with production at a high level, the prospects for this industry are good.

In agriculture, it should be noted that farm cash income was up for 1955 over 1954 and at mid-year 1956 the advance was being maintained. Two major events in this industry were the establishment of Nova Scotia Apples Ltd., a central marketing agency to operate on behalf of the fruit growers of the Annapolis Valley and the agreement to construct a $000,000 farmer-owned co-operative abbatoir at Halifax. It may be anticipated that this latter project, when it comes into operation, will encourage the provincial drive for quality meats, increase production and bring higher returns to the livestock farmers.

General pointers indicate that 1956 was a year of advance in the province. At mid-year, employment was more than five per cent up, employment nearly 20 per cent down. Value of building permits was greater than at the same point of 1955; life insurance sales and electric power consumption were both up. Indications are that retail sales will show a rise—at mid year they were up by some $5 millions for the Atlantic provinces and it is almost certain that Nova Scotia shared in this increase.

Greatest hope lies, not in the advance of 1956, but in the still greater potential advances which they portend. 1956 was a good year. There is no reason to suppose that 1957 cannot be an even better one.

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Drumhead, Guys. County, N. S.

L'ARDOISE

The death of Mrs. Elisabeth Peters, occurred at her home recently, following a brief illness. Mrs. Peters had celebrated her 100th Birthday on October 30th. Possessed of a kind and charitable disposition, she was highly esteemed and respected in the community. The deceased was married twice. By her first husband, the late Amos Landry, they had eight children, five of whom survive: Mrs. James Foley, (Elisabeth), Halifax; Mrs. Henry Burke (Alice), Lower L'Ardoise; Alex, Robert, and Humphenery, Halifax. On Saturday, December 15 after a requiem high mass, by her pastor, Rev. P. A. LeBlanc, hre remains were laid to rest in the parish cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Councillor Harold Westlake, Ivan Boudreau, Charles L. Samson, George and John Burke and Raymond Sampson. Deepest sympathy is extended to the surfiving sons and daughters in their sad bereavement.

Mrs. George Briand, daughters Alma and Shirley, have recently left for Montreal, where they will spend the winter months. Mr. Brand is chef on one of the great lakes boats.

Mrs. Delina Abraham, East Boston, Mass., is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Gagnon, West L'Ardoise.

Miss Mary Monbourquette of the teaching staff of Consolidated School, spent the Christmas holidays in Montreal.

The Misses Jean and Joan Martell, Registered Nurses, and students at St. F. X. University, and their aunt Miss Blanche Martell R.N., of the staff of the V. G. Hospital, Halifax, spent Yuletide with the formers' parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martell.

Mr. Duncan Matheson, L'Ardoise Highlands, has closed his home for the winter months and left by bus for Somerville, Mass.

Mrs. James Westlake entertained the members of the Ladies Social Club on the occasion of their Christmas meeting and a very enjoyable evening was spent by the large gathering of members. Rose A. Monbourquette, president, conducted a short meeting. Minutes were read by secretary Mrs. Betty Stone and approved. The financial report was read by Mrs. Gertrude Westlake. Routine business was dealt with and the meeting adjourned. Artistically arranged Christmas decorations lent an air of festivity and featured a lovely Christmas tree twinkling with multi-colored lights. Mrs. Nora Playter and Mrs. John Raney officiated at an exchange of gifts around the tree. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Playter, Mrs. Raney, Mrs. Minnie Gracie and Mrs. Betty Stone.

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West Arichat

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West Arichat, Rev. Fr. Forrest celebrated nuptial mass and performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride given in marriage by her father wore a navy blue suit with matching accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Miss Gloria Landry was bridesmaid, while Valma Babin supported the groom.

After the ceremony the bridal party motored to the home of the brides parents where a reception was held for immediate relatives. Later in the day they left on a honeymoon to various parts of the province. They will reside in West Arichat.

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