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Ottawa News Letter

By
HON. R. H. WINTERS
Minister of Public Works

Dear Mr. Editor:

There was good news coming out of Parliament this week for municipalities which provide services to Federal Government buildings.

Municipal grants were first paid on federal properties from January 1, 1950. At that time, the formula provided for a payment of 75% of the tax applicable on the value of federal property in excess of 4 percent of the aggregate of taxable and federal property in the municipality. By the end of 1956, 43 municipalities across the country were receiving annual grants totalling about $3 million.

In 1955, the Municipal Grants Act was broadened. The 4 per cent provision was reduced to 2 per cent and municipalities received full payments on eligible property in excess of the 2 per cent minimum.

Under the amendment, the number of municipalities receiving grants increased from 43 to 150 and the total payments increased fom $3 million to $9½ million during the present fiscal year.

The new amendments just passed by Parliament will result in the payments going virtually to every municipality in Canada that contains federal property which receives the normal services of that municipality. It is estimated that the total annual payments will now come within the range of $16 to $20 million a year.

Opposition members are pressing increasingly hard to obtain some advance hints of what might be in the budget. I suspect they are fearful that the Government might simply announce its budget and dissolve Parliament and call an election before there is an opportunity to debate it. Actually the whole atmosphere of Parliament is one of anticipation. With the knowledge that there is an election in the offing, the only question seems to be one of timing and Opposition members naturally want to get as much information as they can about the government's intentions.

During the week they plied the Prime Minister and the Minister of Finance with questions about the budget but naturally were not able to obtain precise answers. The Minister of Finance has not yet finalized his own thinking about budget details but even if he had it would be wrong for him to give any advance hints. Budget secrets are carefully guarded and when they do leak out, as happened in England on one or two occasions the Ministry of Finance feels bound to resign automatically.

During the week a delegation led by Premier Stanfield and comprising the mayors of several of the larger municipalities of Pictou County, saw the Federal Minister of Mines and me about the very severe problem confronting the town of Westville. Several mines have already closed down and one still operating is on the verge of depletion. Another seam has been probed which contains an estimated 10 million tons of usable coal that could be mined. It would be expensive to get at the coal. The lease is held by Dosco who to date have not indicated that they wish to open and operate a new mine. We will, however, continue discussions about what can be done.

Yours very truly,

ROBERT H. WINTERS

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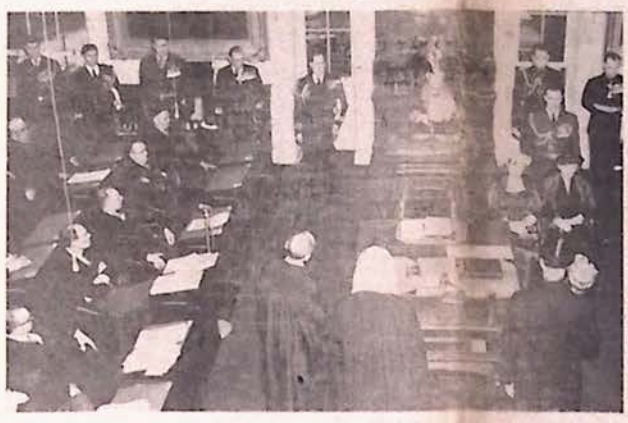
CHARLES V. HERBIN

Charles V. Herbin a former resident of Arichat passed away recently at the home of his son Dr. Charles Herbin at Lockeport, N.S. He was 86 years old and one of the eldest citizens of Lockeport where he has resided for the past several years.

Prior to moving to Lockeport he owned and operated a farm here and was one of our most respected citizens. His wife predeceased him in 1946.

Surviving are his only son Dr. Charles A. Herbin, Lockeport; one brother, William, New York; three sisters Mrs. obillard (Maud) of Haverhill, Mass., Mrs. MacLellan (Angela) Alabama, USA; Mrs. Diodoto (Adelaide) Boston, and one step-son resides in Colorado.

Colorful Ceremony Marks Opening of Legislature



The first Progressive Conservative Premier of Nova Scotia in 24 years, Hon. Robert L. Stanfield (seated second from left, front row) together with cabinet members and other members of his government, listens to the Hon. Alistair Fraser, Nova Scotia's Lieutenant-Governor, reading the speech from the throne on the opening of the present session of the provincial legislature.

Red Cross Always Ready to Help

"In war it brings comfort to the injured, companionship to the lonely, sympathy to the anguished. In peace it brings foods for the hungry, shelter for the homeless, help for those in distress."

These are the words of President Eisenhower. The words he used to describe the work of the Red Cross. General Eisenhower also said: "The Red Cross is people helping people."

We have heard too, that it is the work of the Good Samaritan being carried on in the manner of neighbours helping neighbours.

How we help others and what we do is often a personal thing. The feeling to help those in need is inherent in all of us. It is not something that is learned. Compassion and sympathy come from a greater source.

Most of us share that philosophy but circumstances often prevent us from doing what we would like to do to help our fellow man.

Through the Canadian Red Cross we are able to give that help in so many ways. It may be by devoting our time, our talent or our energy. For others that help might mean financial support.

The Red Cross is constantly serving mankind through the work of thousands of volunteers. These are men, women and children of all colours, creeds and political beliefs; all united to serve under the familiar symbol of the Red Cross.

To carry on their work these volunteers need your financial support. If it is not forthcoming less fortunate people in our community, in our nation and beyond our seas must suffer.

When you give to the Canadian Red Cross, you serve by giving. In many cases, you are not only helping others, you are helping yourself. Through the Red Cross we can lighten the load of a disaster victim, help brighten the tiresome hours of a veteran in hospital or even save a life.

Since its inception almost 100 years ago the Red Cross has become the universal hope for man kind. The principles which Henri Dumant proposed have encircled the world. Today, in 74 nations millions of people embrace those principles and proudly carry on the work of mercy for their fellow man.

The history of the Red Cross is one of achievement. In peace and in war it has served in so many ways. Some of the services have been spectacular. Others, the day to day humanitarian services for those who have needed help.

The Canadian Red Cross is an essential part of our way of life. The dollars you give will do so much for so many.

At some time during the month of March a Red Cross volunteer will call on you. When that person comes to your home, think how far your donation will go and then give generously.

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L'ARDOISE

Congratulations are extended to Mr and Mrs. Anthony Samson on the birth o a son at St. Rita Hospital Sydney; and to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martell on the birth of a daughter at Halifax Infirmary.

Mrs. E. A Martell is chairman of Red Cross campaign for this area. Canvassers are Mrs. Helaire P. Martell, Rockdale, Mrs. William Briand, West L'Ardoise Mrs. Richard Samson, L'Ardoise Centre, Mrs. Katie Belle Landry, Rose A. Monbourquette, Bernadette Sampson in the Lower L'Ardoise area.

Mr. Emery Slater, Halifax, accompanied by his brother in law and niece William Monbourquette and Rose Clannon were week-end motor visitors. Accompanying them on their return to the capital city were Mrs. Thomas Clannon and sons Tommy and Robert. They will be the guests at the home of her sister and brother in law Mr. and Mrs. Slate.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Samson and family, Halifax, were week-end visitors at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Samson and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Samson.

Consolidated school has been closed on Friday due to an outbreak of scarlet fever among the pupils and the low average of attendance.

Mrs. Betty Stone left for Halifax to attend her son's wedding which took place at St. [illegible].

Mr. John Raney has returned from Camp Hill Hospital where he has been a patient for several weeks, much improved in health.

The Misses Shirley Bowen and Lucy Mae LeBlanc of the staff at Consolidated School have left for their respective homes.

Mr. Ray Samson, Halifax, was a weekend visitor here.

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FAMILY ALLOWANCES PAID IN FEBRUARY

Halifax, N.S. — The following information concerns the payment of Family Allowances for Nova Scotia amounted to $1,518-598. This went to 99,794 mothers on behalf of 248,389 children, giving an average payment of $15.22 per family and $6.11 per child.

During the month applications were received on behalf of 1340 children, 1438 of these were added to families already in pay, while 402 were from families applying for the first time. Twenty of the children came from eleven immigrant families, who in January completed the one year's residence in Canada, required before they can be eligible to receive Family Allowances.

The Nova Scotia Family Allowances families ranged in size all the way from 33,784 with one child and 27,469 with two, to three families, each with 15, 16 and 18 children respectively. Over the years the Family Allowances family in this province has been slowly growing in size. It now stands at an average of just slightly under 2.5 children per family.

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CARSON PROVING SHE'S WELL-FITTED FOR STRAIT RUN

NORTH SYDNEY — The Canadian National Railways Ferry, 'William Carson' designed by her builders to withstand the rigors of battling across the ice-choked Cabot Strait between Newfoundland and Cape Breton, is proving this winter how extremely well she is fitted for that job.

Recent events have proven, in fact that had it not been for the "Carson" shipping in and out of Newfoundland, already badly disrupted by the Arctic ice pack, would have been at almost a complete standstill.

Not only has the 8000-ton ferry cut channels for shipping jammed in the ice off Nova Scotia, it has on three occasions rescued the regular icebreakers whose job it is to keep the winter sea lanes open.

The 'Bauvel' jammed once in the ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and again near Sydney, was both times rescued by the Carson. So was the Arctic Research Ship "Baffin" ice-blocked while attempting to aid shipping in the Cabot Strait.

Other ships recently set free by the CNR Ferry were the freighter "Reston Kent" and the coal and ore carrier 'Arthur Cose' both Newfoundland-bound when they got in difficulties of Cape Breton Island.

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Within a month following hte Hungarian disturbances, the Canadian Junior Red Cross had provided $30,000 to buy winter clothing for young Hungarian refugees.

Canadian stocks of frozen fish at the beginning of 1956 amounted to 38,441,000 pounds.

Do-It-Yourself Expert Tames British Columbia Wilderness

How Ralph Edwards, probably the greatest expert of "do-it-yourself" since Robinson Crusoe, single-handedly tamed a Canadian wilderness is told by Leland Stowe in the Reader's Digest.

The story of the transformation of Lonesome Lake in British Columbia from an impenetrable mountain forest to a pastoral countryside is a condensation of a forthcoming book by the noted foreign correspondent and Pulitzer prize winner.

In 1913, a pint-sized, 21-year-old with a passion for untrod places received from the British Columbia Government a 160-acre homestead in the frozen wilds of the Atnarko Valley.

No one lived there. It was four days hard going over rugged mountains from the nearest tiny settlement. But there was Lonesome Lake, 'a really nice piece of wilderness to civilize.'

That was all Ralph Edwards asked. Alone, he went in to civilize his acres. His equipment was little more than his bare hands, a hardy character and an extraordinary resourcefulness. Since then, here are a few of the things in sequence--that he has accomplished:

Built a log cabin, 10 by 14 feet in four days.

Fashioned a dug-out canoe from what he recalled reading in **Robinson Crusoe.**

Felled cedars and Douglas firs as tall as 10 storey buildings. Using long poles for leverage, pried out enough stumps to make a tiny garden. (He cleared six acres in five years.)

To transport timber, built a 200-foot "trolley" line with rails of slender alders and car wheels cut from well-rounded fir logs.

Unaided, built a two-storey house, lifting beams into place by employing slanted poles and a rope pulley.

Unaided, constructed barn and outbuildings, and packed farm machinery over the mountains, part by part.

Took a wife, Ethel, a girl of the wilderness and as resourceful as himself. They've raised three children, all "do it yourselfers"

Learned how to make shoes, and made them for the entire family.

Made a spinning wheel, spun yarn, knitted socks and sweaters, made clothing.

Harnessed the river to a home made water wheel to generate power for electric lights and a sawmill.

By study of textbooks, learned how to make an airplane, and actually rebuilt a broken down plane in the wilderness. The plane flew.

Qualified for a pilot's license after 28 hours of instruction at the age of 62, the oldest person ever to qualify in Canada. Now flies produce of his farm to market in 40 minutes as against four days by pack train.

Edwards says: "Lonesome Lake is still an unspoiled, wild place of the North. We've had a great deal of peace here."

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Wedding

POIRIER — GIRARD

A very quiet but highly impressive wedding ceremony was solemnized on Saturday at the R. C. Chapel, RCAF Bagotville Station when Miss Germaine Girard was united in Holy Wedlock to LAC Willie Poirier of West Arichat.

The bride looked charming in red bodice and she carried a bouquet of French lace with a fitted gown of pink roses. The groom was accompanied by Mr. Benny Duma (formerly of West Arichat) and the bride was given away by her father, Mr. Idos Girard.

The Wedding Ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Lormay Coulombe of the Chicoutimi Seminary and Mrs Andre Tremblay was at the organ.

Immediately following the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride. Among out-of-town guests were LAC A. Purlong, Messrs. Guy and Armel Audet, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Girard and Miss Gertude Girard R.N. of Montreal also Mr. and Mrs. J. D Goyetche of Jonquiere.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Poirier left by motor for Boston. They also plan to visit West Arichat and surrounding districts. The newlyweds will be leaving for Zwibroken, Germany in May. LAC Poirier has been posted to No. 3 Fighter Wing RCAF in Europe.

Our best wishes accompany the happy couple for many years of wedded bliss.

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Heard In Hou s



A speech n the Legislature of Nova Scotia by Earl W. Urquhart, MLA for Richmond will appear by instalments in the Record, starting with the first instalment next issue.

Mr. Urquhart's speech will no doubt be of interest to the electors of Richmond County.

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Assessor's School

The Minister of Municipal Affairs Hon. R. C. Levy, has announced the opening of the Annual Nova Scotia Assessor's School sponsored by the Dept. of Municipal Affairs will be held in Halifax from May 6 to 10.

We understand our County General Assessor, Joseph Mury, will attend this school.

As Assessment is the foundation of Municipal Finance we trust the knowledge that will be obtained by attending this course will be of major importance in preparing the General Assessment during this year.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



Tidewater Awarded Wharf Contract

The Tidewater Construction Co. of New Glasgow have been awarded the contract to rebuild the Government wharf here. The new construction will see some changes to the wharf when the West end of the old structure will be removed and the L placed to the East side of the new wharf. This will be a great improvement and will offer better shelter to ships docking there after the new wharf will be completed.

The new wharf will be of pile construction and decked with a concrete top.

Mr. MacEachen, Liberal MP Inverness Richmond is to be congratulated in bringing this matter to the attention of the Dept. of Public Works.

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Recovering

Miss Edith Terrio a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital, Glace Bay is recovering from the results of injuries sustained in a recent automobile accident.

Her mother, Mrs. M.M. Terrio is at present residing with her daughter, Mrs. Larry Boudrean at Petit de Grat.

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BIRTH

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sampson (Lydia Binet) at the Halifax Infirmary, recently a girl Lanonne Janice. A sister for Sherri Lynn.

On Sick List

Our good neighbour Miss Kathryn Shatteriand is on the sick list. We wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

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Special Course

James A. Dickie employee of the Maritime Tel. and Tel. Co. Ltd., is taking an advanced course in Micro-wave electronics at Montreal. He is stationed at Port Hastings where he is in charge of the new microwave and toll circuit transmission station.

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Business Visitor

Rev. Father Conrad Girroir of St. Louis Parish, Louisdale, was a business visitor to Arichat during the week.

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Visiting Parents

Mrs. James A. Dickie and three children of Port Hastings are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs M.J. Bourinot while her husband is in Montreal taking a course.

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Returns from Moncton

Mrs C. E. Latimer returned from Moncton, N.B. where she was visiting her son-in law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Dingle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dingle, the former Marion Latimer, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, David Kenneth, a brother for Brian.

Mrs Dingle also underwent an operation for mastoid at a Moncton Hospital. Her friends will be pleased to learn she is well on the road to recovery.

March of Dimes

The total sum collected in Richmond County for the March of Dimes campaign was $911.73. Here is how the total amount was made up:

Rich. Co. Schools	259.28
St. Peters Porchlight	164.00
French Cove Porchlight	12.16
R. Bourgeois Porchlight	70.00
Sundry	405.92
Total	911.73

Mrs Paul While, St Peters was in charge of the Porchlight Campaign.

The total collected in the Antigonish area amounted to $9,278.38. Of this amount the sum of $6,380.80 was received and acknowledged by Radio station CJFX on the Fun at Five program.

We thank Mrs. Eileen Henry chairman of the Antigonish chapter March of Dimes for supplying us with the results of the campaign.

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From Springhill

Mr. and Mrs J. C. Dickie, of Springhill, N. S., were recent week end guests of Mr and Mrs M. J. Bourinot. They also visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickie, Port Hastings.

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"Nova Scotia", he said, "requires approximately one pint of blood for every 29 persons," and he pointed out that it was vital that counting which were just holding their own in the matter of donations contribute more blood during the coming year.

Total cost of the Blood Transfusion service in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, reported Mr. Doane, amounted to more than $214,000, which is considerably more than was contributed to the Red Cross by Nova Scotians in 1956. Mr. Doane stated that the major share of this cost of this service was borne by Red Cross headquarters, since Nova Scotia was unable to support the Blood Transfusion service without substantial assistance.

Many lives are saved every month through this vital Red Cross service, and it is impossible to assess the value of the Blood Transfusion service in dollars and cents, Mr. Doane did point out, however, that in provinces where free service was not supplied, the cost of blood transfusions sometime ran as high as $40 per pint. Mr. Doane said he felt it was important to stress the completely free nature of this service since the Red Cross is conducting its campaign for funds during March, and is asking Nova Scotians to contribute $218,500 for all the society's services—little more than half the amount spent by Red Cross in Nova Scotia.

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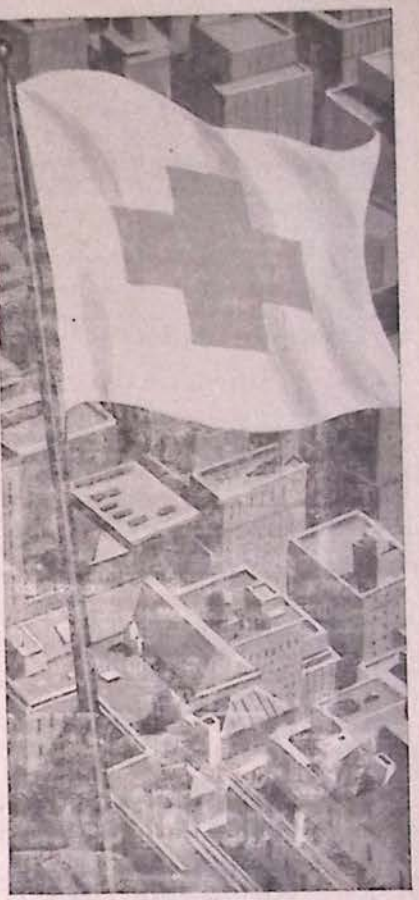
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