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Tales, Tidings And Tidbits by MacTavish



"The graves of your friends are the milestones to the land where all roads meet."

As friends and loved ones are taken from us it seems the quality of our existence diminishes; as if an irreparable light has been extinguished—and the lustre of our lives has lost some of its sheen.

And my! How the Grim Reaper has worked overtime these past few months in our village of St. Peters, cutting a wide and indescriminate swath .... Archie Morrison and Tom; Mrs. Nickerson and old friend Angus Ferguson..Dick MacDonald and Charles—And others as well. Gone from us and with them has departed something from our village and from ourselves....The lonesome graves are indeed milestones, directives — warnings to all of us as we steadily travel to that Land where all roads meet.

And the lights have gone out in a cottage at the western edge of the village; and the potted plants are withered on the stocks and the dainty cups hang idle from their coppered hooks....

It was only natural that our eyes were amist and our hearts heavy as my brothers and I and their wives and their children witnessed on that clear, crisp day last March the Good Earth take back unto itself the mortal remains of our Mother....And but a few days later her husband F. C. Cotton was laid to rest. And thus ended a long and fascinating chapter in the history of our community; and for the six collective sons and their wives and their children—a home, a haven—an entity was no more.. The lights had gone out.

Mother was bron in 1877 in Port Hood—Emma Smith — and she came to her village of St. Peters in 1898—the young bride of the new Minister.

One of my earliest recollections of her presence and real worth to me is that of an oil lamp alight in the upstairs hall of the white shingled Manse; its wick well trimmed and turned low and the glimmer of the soft yellow flame spreading a warm, reassuring glow through the dark of the quiet night....The Minister's wife loved light — and a healthy hearth.

And I fondly remember my childhood and the life of our village which was hers. Her dealing with the folk; her patience and persistence with the church work and running the Manse which in the early days was a veritable hostel. I warm at the remembrance of her untiring administrations to the aged and the sick and the dying in her village; and her goodness to the poor and the stranger at her door....A quiet ripple of laughter of built-in humour she carried with her.... How she teased her young Minister after attending her first Highland Sacrament under the whispering firs and pines of Black River by coyley enquring if he was sure the Good Lord really understood the Gaelic; perhaps, she'd peek through her fingers at us her children as we knelt by our chairs fidgety at family worship while some visiting clergy held the Lord's ear with long and loud supplications, and she'd wink at us and we'd know that the ordeal would soon be over....

She was a product of the late Victorian era, and she carried with her through more than sixty years of adult service to her village some of the daintiness and the dignity and the moral courage that was typical of mothers in the early homes.

She was eighty-two last February..and as we talked to her shortly before her passing she still exhibited a keen desire to live. and if was her wish that her burial service be plain without fuss or fanfare it was simply because she was in essence a modest woman with an inborn call to serve.....

Yes, the lights have gone out in the cottage at the western fringe of our village and the silence of death enshrouds it—And yet—could it be when you and I shed this cloak of clay and are outward bound, through the dark mists some soft glimmer beyond the stars—a beacon lovingly tended by Emma Smith and a host of other splendid mothers we have known will guide us warmly home where we once more commune with friends and loved ones we knew that long ago yesterday....Let that be our Heaven.

Bon Jour,

MACTAVISH.

Work of the Four-County Development Association

As an executive member of the Four-County Industrial Development Association, we can recall the first meetings of this Association and the meetings that followed during the past six years. Many disappointmets were faced by the Association, however, the courageous spirit of Leonard O'Neil, the president of the Association, whose faith in the future of the Strait area was never daunted, pointing out to members that the site and facilities to establish a pupl mill were in the area and that the Association would continue to press for the establishment of such an industry and together with Industrial Estates, Ltd., and the Department of Trade and Industry, headed by the Hon. E. A. Manson, a Cape Bretoner and Minister of that Department; also the firm of Storra - Kopperberg, who made proven tests of our pulpwood in Sweden, were encouraged to establish a plant in Eastern Nova Scotia and after a through survey of the Strait area it was decided that the Point Tupper area of this County was an ideal location for such a mill and today this site is being cleared for the building, which will start next spring. The water supply will come from the Mulgrave side of the Strait.

A united effort has brought forth the beginning of a giant industry that will undoubtedly bring prosperity to the area, but to all of Cape Breton and the Eastern counties on the mainland.

Mr. O'Neil, the president of the Association gave generously of his time, to help promote the establishment of Industry in the Strait area. His modesty and fairness, was always respected by the executive and members of the Associaton and when it is taken into consideration that the small sum of $1,029.00 was spent for travelling expenses of the president, delegates, etc., over a six-year period is exceptionally low, as compared with the results. We are aware of many large donations that were given during the past six years and we feel that this example should be followed by every town, Municipality and organization in the area as as well as business firms. This Association must be held together for future development of other industry in the area.

During the organization period of the 4-County Association, several substantial donations were received, as well as membership fees, however, we feel that the funds at present are nearly depleted and possibly a deficit can be averted if an effort is made to collect funds to keep this Association to the forefront, because past efforts has shown its worth. We further suggest that a yearly salary should be paid the President for his services—some may say that the Association has met its goal—but we are sure much more can be accomplished by the continued efforts of hte 4-County Association, headed by Mr. O'Neil, whose past services are recoginzed and applauded by everyone.

We know of many influential business men and individuals, who are aware of the work of the 4-County Association, that have not contributed. Anyone wishing to contribute to the Association, will receive a membership card from the Treasurer, Mr. A. N. Hattie, Town Clerk, Mulgrave. N. S., to whom all donations should be addressed.

The efforts of Mr. A. D. Pynn, the Secretray of the Association, is also to be congratulated for the part he played, in this important post. Mr. Pynn, who is the manager of the Port Hawkesbury branch of the Royal Bank, gave many hours of his spare time, during the past six years in helping to promote the industrial aims of the Association.

Outstanding Achievement



HON. E. A. MANSON

Minister of Trade and Industry

The Hon. E. A. Manson, Minister of Trade and Industry, in the Stanfield Government, is deserving of praise, for the part he and his Department played in bringing to this part of Cape Breton, a 40 million dollar pulp mill, which will be located in the Richmond County area, of the Strait of Canso, the site for this mill, is now being cleared and the building will get underway in April of 1960 and it is expected that operations will be started in 1962.

An undertaking such as this takes time, however, when completed gives promise to a great future, not only for this part of Cape Breton, but will also boost the economic life of the whole province, when an estimated $10,000,000 a year will be spent in wages and purchases of pulpwood and the other expenditures so necessary in the operation of such a giant industry.

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BAGPIPES HAVE ANCIENT HISTORY

The bagpipes, now known as the national instrument of Scotland, actually came down from very early times. According to the Book of Knowledge it was known in the ancient east and also in early Europe wherever the Celtic race was found.

On Deck Again

We had been on the sick list and we regret that our readers missed several issues of the Record. Our brother his wife and family were visiting us for two weeks and being in need of a rest we decided to take time off, the same which applies to other weeklies in the province.

We hope from now on that we will be able to publish weekly without any further interruptions Our position as a country publisher depends upon our skill to run the linotype, make-up pages, set ads and many other duties which goes into the production of a newspaper and when we are indisposed through sickness, it becomes physically impossible to carry on.

We are celebrating the 62nd. anniversary of the Record in August. The first issue of the Record appeared on August 25, 1897 and was published and edited by our late father, Bertram Bourinot and has remained in the family ever since.

During the past 62 years we have related many marriages, births and deaths and have shared in the many joys and sorrows of our readers and people of our native Richmond County.

We thank our many friends for their kind letters of encouragement and for the many new subscriptions that have come our way during the past few weeks.

We do not intend to fold up, but will continue to bring to our readers fair and impartial reports of all the happenings in the County.

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School Closing Exercises At L'Ardoise

On June 22nd closing exercises at the Consolidated School, were held for the grades VII to X inclusive.

The programme began by the singing of "Ave Maris Stella", in honour of our Blessed Mother, to whom the evening was dedicated.

This was followed by an opening address by David Monbourquette, Grade X pupil.

The Certificates were then distributed to the pupils of the grades mentioned above.

Some received the mark "passed"; others with Honours; a few with High Honours.

To add a merry note to the evening, the Student Council had prepared a playlet and a few choral songs after which prizes were awarded as follows:—

GRADE VII

Gloria Evong—Leadership
Rita Samson—Application
Joan Pate—French Catechism
Marie Clannon—English
Barbara Landry—French
Eileen Samson—Progress

GRADE VIII

Pat Breen—Application
Mary Masters—Eng. Catechism
Emmett McGrath—History
Bernadette Briand — French Catechism.
Eugene Briand—Progress

GRADE IX

Agnes Samson—Application
Sharon Briand—Progress
Marvis McNeil—History
Marvis McNeil—Highest

GRADE X

Eugene McNeil—Application
David Monbourquette — Valedictorian.
Carolyn Martell — French
Madeleine Martell—Religion
Raymond Landry—History
Kay Samson—Leadership, Cooperation.
Anne Oakley—Progress

The prize donors were: — The teaching staff; Rev. Father P. LeBlanc; Rev. Mother Superior;

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Return From Holidays



J. W. CORBETT, Manager of the local branch of the Royal Bank has returned from his holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Corbett and famly spent their vacation in Charlottetown, with Mrs. Corbett's parents. They also visited Mrs. Corbett's beloved grandfather, Dr. MacDonald of St. Peters, P. E. I., who celebrated his 100th birthday earlier in the year.

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News From Boudreauville

Gus Landry of New York, formerly of Poulamond, accompanied by his sister; Mrs. Landon, of New Jersey; Mrs. Clancy Cordeau, of Porierville; Mrs. Phil Poirier, of D'Escousse, were motor visitors to Mr. and Mrs. John Landry, of Boudreauville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Landry of Roxbury, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bertie LeBlanc.

Mrs. Harriet Anne LeBlanc, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Benoit of Somerville, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene and Mr. and Mrs. Alex W. Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison and children of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Morrison's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Loius Samson.

Misses Alma and Emma Boudreau of Pictou, are visiting their brothers and sisters at Boudreauille.

Mrs. Eva Fougere of East Boston, Mass., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Samson are visiting friends and relatives here for two weeks.

Gussie Landry, manager of the Commission Store at Arichat, is spending a well-earned vacation with his wife and family at Boudreauville.

Clem Benoit has purchased a new house trailer, fully equipped and will soon occupy same with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Landry and children accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Samson and Mrs. Alcide Landry motored to Sydney on Sunday.

Hugh Brewster of Kentville, accompanied by his mother where visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fulbert and Mr. and Mrs. Remi Boudreau of Boudreauville. They left on Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Brewster and children, after spending three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Remi Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paiva and daughter, Claire are spending their vacation with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Duann and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Duann.

Mrs. Simon Fougere, Halifax and children are spending their vacation at the home of her parents' Mr. and Mrs. Alex D. Fougere, Petit DeGrat.

Mrs. Frances Herbert and son of New Glasgow are visiting her sister, Mrs. Gustave Landry of Boudreauville.



Members of an American Youth Hostels tour who arrived at Yar-mouth, Nova Scotia, aboard the M. V. Bluenose are shown dis-cussing plans for their month-long bicycle tour of this province.

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Canso Causeway Brings Ice Free Harbors to Strait

Completion in 1956 of the causeway linking the Nova Scotia mainland with Cape Breton Island dealt a severe blow to the economies of the Towns of Mulgrave, Point Tupper and Port Hawkesbury

These towns on the Strait of Canso—Mulgrave on the mainland shore and Point Tupper on the Cape Breton Island shore—were the terminals of a Canadian National Railway ferry.

Mulgrave also was the mainland landing for an automobile ferry which had Port Hawkesbury as the Cape Breton Island terminal.

A substantial number of families derived their income directly and indirectly from the ferries and the railway yards at the two terminals.

Completion of the causeway eliminated the need for ferry and shunting crews. Trains and automobiles now can cross the Strait of Canso without delay.

Although the causeway resulted in immediate unemployment in the area, it did create two of the finest harbors in the world, one of them ice-free all year.

During the last few years the population of the Strait area has remained the same in some communities and has decreased in others.

This is in direct contrast to the overall population growth of Nova Scotia which has been eight percent since 1951.

Since completion of the causeway, a major source of income and place of employment has been the fishing industry. There are a number of processing and packing plants in the area and these have helped to keep alive in the people hopes for better days.

The northern harbor formed by the causeway is clogged by ice in the winter and spring. The southern harbor, however, is open to ships of all sizes the year round.

The southern harbor is a deep-water haven for ocean-going ships because of its shelter from ocean storms and geographic location. This harbor is approximately 705 miles from New York; 2,355 miles from Liverpool, Eng.; 2,580 miles from Rotterdam; Holland; 2,390 miles from LaHarve, France; 2,845 miles from Hamburg Germany; 900 miles from Toronto and 1560 miles from Chicago.

The site for the $40,000,000 pulp mill is located in the southern harbor on the Cape Breton Island side of the strait just south of Point Tupper.

Leaders in communities on both sides of the strait are optimistic that construction of the mill is only the first development in what will be the greatest boom in Nova Scotia history.

They report that inquiries already have been received from other companies interested in locating in the area.

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NOTARY, ETC.
WEST Bay, Rich. County, C. B.

A Grand Old Sea Captain Laid to Rest

Capt. Charles LeBlanc, passed away at Glace Bay recently, in his 95th year and was one of the last prominent Nova Scotians who followed the fur-seal hunting industry, in sailing vessels to the Berring Sea, out of the ports of Halifax and Vancouver.

The beloved Captain Charlie, as he was known by us and his many friends and neighbours, gave up the sea in 1930 and returned from Vancouver, B. C., where he spent 19 consecutive years as commander of a large ocean-going tug. He was our good neighbour and was always of a friendly and jovial disposition and when telling a sea yarn his countenace would light up with a brillant smile and one could readily detect that Capt. Charlie loved his sea-faring adventures, that took him around the globe. Over a year ago Capt. and Mrs. LeBlanc took up residence in Glace Bay, with their daughter and son-in-law, Prof. and Mrs. Harry MacNeil. During the summer, the Captain could be seen at the waterfront, chatting with the men of the sword-fishing fleet—the lines of the post turn to "A Life on the Ocean Wave"—

"The sea, the sea, the open sea!
I am where I would ever be;
I love, O how I love to ride
On the fierce, foaming, bursting tide,

we dedicate the above lines to the memory of Capt. Charlie, because we feel, these were his sentiments.

Our good friend Shaun MacDonald, of Sydney, the Cape Breton reporter of the "Halifax Chronicle Herald", interviewed the late Capt. LeBlanc, about two years ago, at that time we accompanied Shaun and introduced him to the skipper and we believe the following account taken from the Chronicle-Herald, may have come from the pen of Mr. MacDonald:—

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INTERNATIONAL INCIDENT

Capt. LeBlanc often recalled an incident during the seal hunts when his ship was fired on by a Russian gunboat — an attack which almost led to international complications. One of his crew, caught in a dory away from the ship, was injured in the attack on the defenceless hunters.

Retired for many years, Capt. LeBlanc and Mrs. LeBlanc had resided in their beloved Arichat until a few years ago when he and Mrs. LeBlanc came to Glace Bay to make their home with a son-in-law and daughter, Prof. Harry D. MacNeil and Mrs. MacNeil.

Born to the sea at the Richmond County shiretown, Capt. LeBlanc was a member of a seafaring family and at an early age he shipped out from North Sydney on a deep sea voyage.

After that the sea was his highway and he sailed around the "Horn", up and down the Atlantic and Pacific coasts many times, including cargo runs out of Halifax.

He spent a number of seasons in the Berring Strait seal chase, and he often explained that hunting "hair" seals was somewhat different than the east coast type of fur seal hunting in the North Atlantic.

Capt. LeBlanc, a gentle shy man who loved to talk about the sea, steadfastly refused to have his picture taken to go with a story of his seafarers' days.

"Those days are gone, long gone," he would say. He would tell his story produce some clippings, but he was retired and wanted it left that way.

"I'm a landlubber now and have been all these years," he once told a reporter at Arichat, where he and Mrs. LeBlanc lived for many years.

And the then spry, neatly-dressed survivor of another era of ocean travel looked more like a retired business man than one who had experienced many hardships on two oceans and beyond.

In 1898 he left his ship at Vancouver and joined the gold rush to the Yukon. But panning gold was not for him and soon the call of the sea beckoned and he left his pan and packs and resumed the trails of the watery expanse.

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CAPT. CHARLIE LeBLANC IN THE NEWS 50 YEARS AGO

The (Daily Echo of Halifax), reported the following news item 50 years ago:—

"The schooner Village Belle arrived at Halifax after being away ten months and having sailed 5,000 miles. She worked new sealing grounds in the South Atlantic and brought back seals valued at $45,000. Captain LeBlanc and crew are all in the best of health"

(The Capt. LeBlanc referred to in the item, is none other than our good friend and neighbor for many years and is now residing at Glace Bay, where both he and his wife are living with their son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Harry MacNeil. We can recall many stories of Capt. LeBlanc's sea-faring days, all of which were happy experiences, in as much as he once told us that if he had to start life anew, nothing would please him better than to go back to the good old days of sailing ships. Capt. LeBlanc holds the distinction of taking a sailing ship through the Magellan Strait, a passage connecting the Atlantic and Pacific and separating the Continent of South America from the Island of Tierra del Fuego. It is 370 miles long and varies in breath from 2 miles to 70 miles. Enclosing a number of small islands and subjected to squalls in stormy weather, navagation in its waters is often unsafe. Punta Arenas is the only harbor of importance.

This article was to appear in a previous issue, in the interim our old friend has departed this life, however, we are sure the many friends of the late Capt. Charlie are always pleased to read a story pertaining to his sea-faring days. —Editor.)

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LAID TO REST AT GLACE BAY

The funeral of the late Capt. LeBlanc, took place at St. Ann's Church, Glace Bay, where the pastor officiated at the Requiem High Mass, assisted by Rev. Father Raymond LeBlanc, a grand son of the deceased.

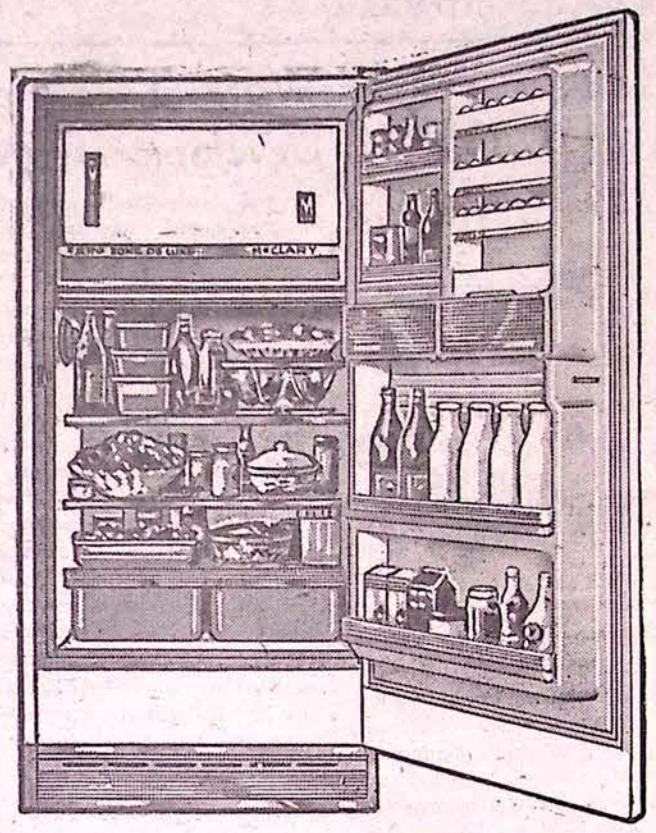
In attendance at the funeral were: Ernest LeBlanc, of Church Point; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Comeao (Violet LeBlanc) and daughter, Mrs. Legere, all of Moncton; Mr. E. C. Doyle and son Paul; Miss Laura Cutler and Mrs. M. J. Bourinot, all of Archat.

Surviving besides his wife are two sons and three daughters:—Raymond LeBlanc of Port Colborne, nt.; Ernest LeBlanc, of Church Point; Mrs. Adolph Comeau, (Violet), Moncton; Mrs. Harry MacNeil, Glace Bay and Evangeline, also of Glace Bay.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

Held Over

Local News, L' Ardoise and West Arichat News, held over for next issue.

On Furlough

L. A. C. Wilfred Samson, his wife and family arrived from R. C. A. F. Station, Chatham, N. B., spent their holidays at Petit De Grat.

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From Arlington, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Pitts of Arlington, Mass., were recent motor visitors to Mr. Benoit's uncle, Mr. John Benoit of this place. Before returning home Mr. and Mrs Pitts made a tour of the Cabot Trail.

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ATTEND BANQUET

Municipal Clerk E. C. Doyle; Warden B. S. Langley, W. D. Morrison, Walter Fougere, R. J. Urquhart and M. J. Bourinot, Richmond County members of the 4-County Development Assn., were guests at the banquet held at the Goshen, South River, in honor of Mr. Clauson, President, of Nova Scotia Pulp Limited.

After the banquet the guests and a large number of people from the Four Counties, attended a gathering at the St. F. X. Auditorium, when the Hon. E. A. Manson, Minister of Trade and Industry, handed Mr. Clauson, President of Nova Scotia Pulp Limited, the deed of 325 acres of land for the mill site in the Point Tupper area, on behalf of the Nova Scotia government.

Mr. Leonard O'Neil, president of the Four-County Industrial Committee, presided at this very important meeting and filled the appointmnt in a very efficient manner.

Hon. Clifford Levy, Minister of Lands and Forests, represented Premier Stanfield, who at the time was attending a Provincial Conference of Premiers in Ottawa.

Mr. Clauson in his address stated that the mill is to produce more than 300 tons of high grade bleached pulp daily. This high grade pulp has been proven by several tests on Nova Scotia wood in Sweden.

IN MEMORIAM

EDWARDS—In loving memory of my beloved husband, Henry Edwards, who departed this life at Pondville, on July 15, 1958.

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I often sit and think of him
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Always remembered by his loving wife—ALICE EDWARDS.

On Holidays

Mrs. Leo Marchand, of the local Post Office staff, is on her annual holidays. We wish Lillian a pleasant holiday.

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To Newfoundland

Percy Jollymore, office manager of Booth Fisheries Plant at Petit de Grat, has returned from a holiday to Newfoundland, where he spent several days. Mr. Jollymore paid a visit to the Booth plant in Fortune, where he saw Frank Spencer, manger of the plant and Peter Marchand, the office manager.

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FROM HALIFAX

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayo and children of Halifax, are on vacation and are visiting their respective parents, Capt. and Mrs. Joseph Mayo and Mr. and Mrs. Baptiste DeCoste, of this town. Frank, is employed as head draughtsmen for the British-American Oil, in Halifax.

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From Brookline, Mass

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Landry and daughter, Louise of Brookline, Mass., are vacationing from the MacDonald's Cabins, Grand Anse. Mr. Landry, who is a native of Poulamon, is visiting relatives and friends on the Northside, while Mrs. Landry, the former Marie Beonit, of Arichat, is visiting her uncle Mr. John Benoit of this place. It was nice seeing Leo and Marie and their bright little daughter. While in town they were accompanied by Miss Joan Murphy, attractive daughter of Mrs. Susan Murphy of D'Escousse.

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Arrive Home

Mrs. Godfrey Boudreau and her son, Lionel, spent awo weeks visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rene Boudreau at Bagotvlle, Que. They report a very pleasant holiday.

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From Halifax

Miss Ernestine Boudreau, of the staff of the main branch of the Royal Bank, Halifax is spending her holidays with her mother, Mrs. Godfrey Boudreau. Ernie's many friends are glad to see her and we wish her a very happy holiday.

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From East Boston

Miss Charlotte Ann Landry of East Boston, Mass; Mrs. Beatrice O'Donnell and Miss Bernie Landry also of East Boston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs John Stone, of this place.

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Rockdale News

Walter Bona spent two weeks with his mother, Mrs. Mary Bona of West L'Ardoise and also with his sister, Mrs. James M. Martell, Rockdale. He will be returning to his duties in a Hospital, in the provnce of Ontario.

Mr. Charles Carroll, who is employed with the Nova Scotia Liquor Commission, in Halifax, recently spent his holidays in Rockdale. Both Mr. and Mrs. Carroll spent a day in Baddeck with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Carroll.

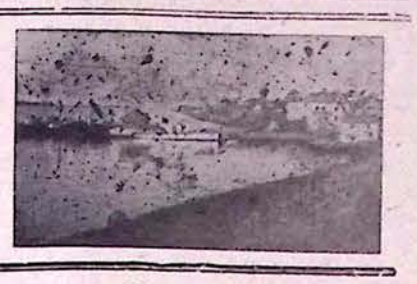
D. W. Martell, better known as (Bill) has returned to Coeur D'Alene, Idaho, where he has been residing for the past 12 years. He visited relatives and friends in Rockdale. While here he was the guest of his brother, Victor and Mrs. Martell; also his sister, Mrs. Haliar Martell.

Possessing a pleasing personality he was well received in his native village.

He is emploed with the Kaiser Aluminum Corp., at Trentwood, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whiteall are visiting in Rockdale the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Martell. They will be returning to Ontario shortly.

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Charles Landry

ISLE MADAME'S OLDEST CITIZEN PASSES

Charles Landry, of Poirierville, passed away at his home in Poirierville, on July 12th. The late Mr. Landry who was 99 years of age on December 24th last had entered on the century mark. He had been quite active up to a few weeks of his death. A lifelong resident of Poirierville, the late Charlie Landry was well regarded in that community and surrounding district.

He is survived by his widow, three daughters and four sons: Mrs. Jack Jones (Geneva) Glace Bay; Mrs. Richard Kennedy, (Catherine), Louisburg; Mrs. Albert LaForte, Mildred) of Matapadia, Que; Elias Landry, North Sydney; Wilfred Landry, D'Escousse; Charlie Landry, Jr., Halifax and Felix Landry of Poirierville, with whom the deceased resided and was so tenderly cared for; also 40 grandchildren; (Mrs. Amable Bonin of Arichat, is a grand-daughter; several great grand-children and five great great grand-children.

Funeral took place from St. Hyacinth Church, D'Escousse. Funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Boucher assisted by Rev. Father MacDonald and Rev. Father Girrior.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Louise Landry and family wish to express their sincere thanks to all kind neighbors and friends who helped in any way during their recent sad bereavement, in the passing of the late Charles Landry, Sr., of Poirierville. Special thanks is extended to Rev. Fr. Boucher, Rev. Fr. MacDonald and Rev. Fr. Girrior; also to Funeral Director, C. A. Boucher; to all who sent Mass Cards, Floral Offerings and cards of sympathy.

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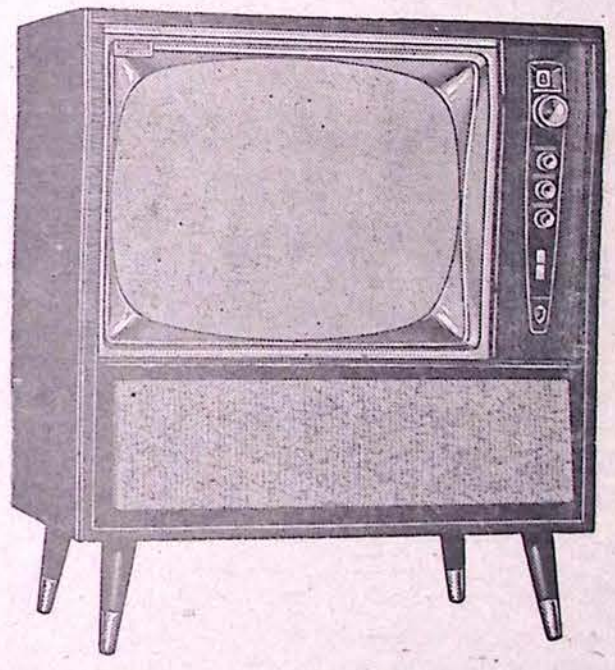
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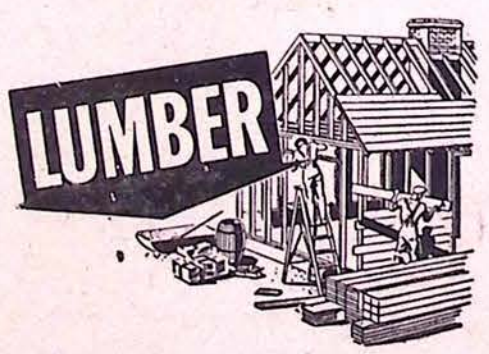
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L'Ardoise School Closing Exercises

(Continued from Page 1)

The Co-Op.; The C.W.L.; Home & School; C. Y. O.; the Legion; the Curtis Plan.

Rev. Fathers P. LeBlanc, B O'Brien and Mr. James Monbourquette, Seminarian, spoke encouraging words to parents, teachers and pupils.

A mixed choral group sang: "Bless this House" and this brought the evening to a close.

(We thank our L'Ardoise correspondent for the above write-up and we also congratulate the teachers and pupils of the L'Ardoise School. May they all enjoy a well-earned summer vacation.—Editor.)

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "TENDER FOR R. C. M. P. DETACHMENT QUARTERS, ST. PETER'S, N. S." will be received in the office of the Secretary, until 3.00 p. m. (E.D.S.T.)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 1959

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, Ralston Building, Halifax, N. S., and can be seen at the Post Offices at Sydney and St. Peter's, N. S.

To be considered each tender must be accompanied by one of the alternative securities called for in the tender documents. Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

The Department, through the Chief Architect's office, or through the office of the District Architect at Halifax, N. S., will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $50.00 in the form of a CERTIFIED bank cheque or money-order payable to the order of the RECEIVER GENERAL OF CANADA. 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 period the deposit will be forfeited.

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ROBERT FORTIER,
Chief of Administrative
Services, and Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, June 22, 1959

News From Petit DeGrat

John H. Fortune arrived home after receiving treatment at St. Anne's Hospital, Arichat, and his condition is much improved.

P. A. Jollymore, office manager of Booth Fisheries Canadian Co., local plant, who is now on his annual vacation, spent a week visiting Booth Fisheries plant at Fortune, Nfld., and St. Pierre et Miquelon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Landry, their son, Glen and Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Landry and their twin daughters, Beverley and Sharon, were motor visitors to Janvrin's Harbour on Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clancy George.

Mr. Raymond Samson, Inspector of Old Age Pensions, was a motor business visitor here during the week.

Alfred Joshua, a crew member on a Great Lakes Ship, is spending a week at his home here while the ship is on refit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Boudreau were motor visitors from Halifax, where they were visiting his mother, Mrs. Martha Boudreau, also relatives and friends in Little Anse.

Mr. Simon Fougere, and his two sons are visiting from Halifax, guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fougere; also his brothers and sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paiva, daughter, Claire; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Landry, arrived from East Boston, Mass., and are spending a few weeks visiting their relatives and friends here. They are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Duann, brother Francis and mother, Mrs. Minnie Duann; also Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Marchand.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Samson, are motor visitors from Wilmington, Mass., guests of her sister, Mrs. Martha Boudreau for a few weeks.

Mrs. Eva Fougere, of East Boston, Mass., her sisters, Misses Emma and Alma Boudreau of Pictou, are spending their summer holidays with their sisters and brothers here and Boudreauville.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. MacLeod of Halifax, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gaudet of Dartmouth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent S. Boudreau for a week.

Mrs. Ernest Boudreau of Poulamond was visiting friends and relatives here for a week. She is a guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Melvin Boudreau at Boudreauville.

Friends and relatives here and at East Boston, will learn with deep regret the passing of Miss Emma Goyetche at East Boston, Mass. She was a former resident of Cape Auguet, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Miller Goyetche.

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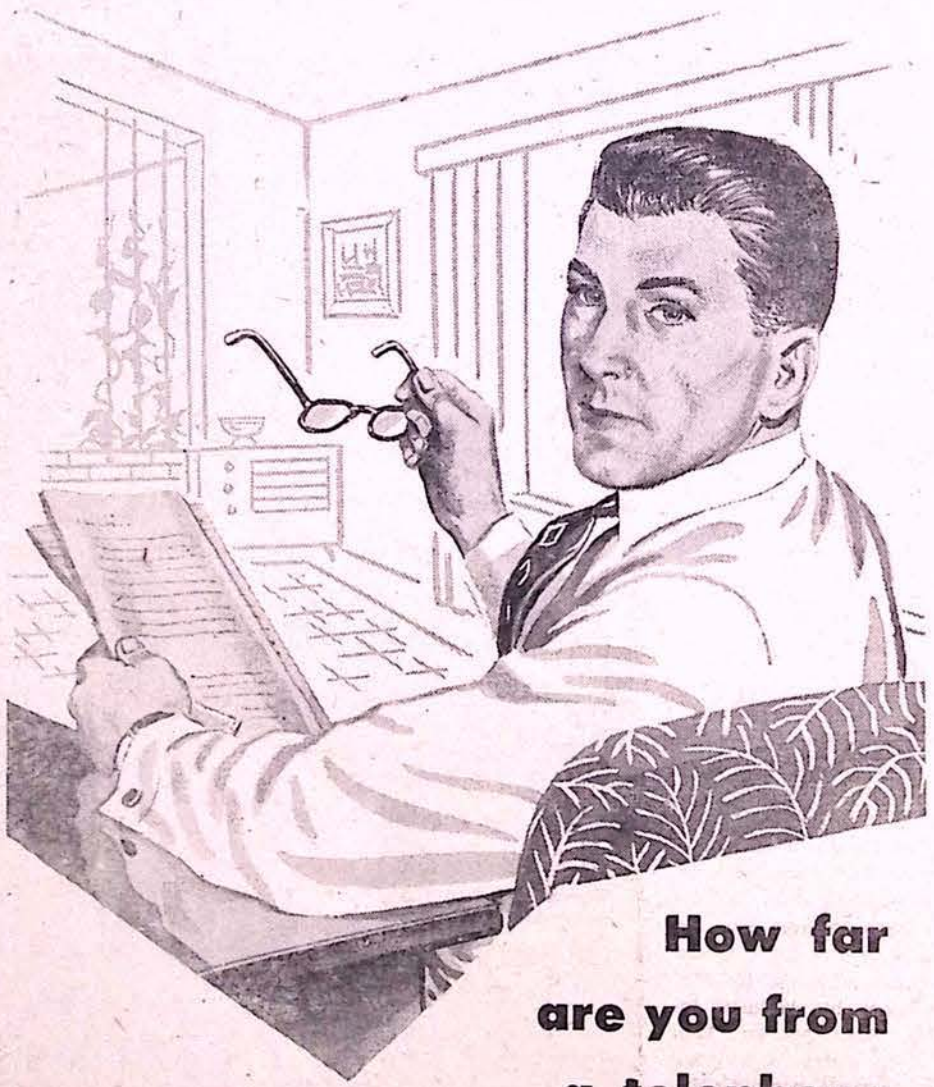


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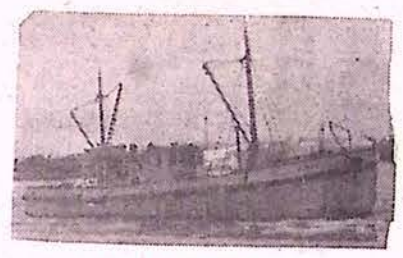
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