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Do You Remember When?

BY OLD TIMER

Between 1855 and 1854, 325 vessels, with a total tonnage of 27,410 tons, were registered. Of these, 235, with a total tonnage of 19,710 tons, were registered during the peak years of 1855 to 1869. This represents 60% of all tonnage registered from 1855 to 1934.

Three of these vessels were 400 tons, five over 300 tons, nineteen over 200 tons and seventy-three over 300 tons, fifteen over 200 tons and sixty-three over 100 tons were registered in the first fifteen years of that period.

Continuing the shipping registry:—

MARY LeBLANC. Reg. 2 Jan. 1857. Built at Pictou in 1856. Two - masted brigantine, 121.38 tons, owned by Simon LeBlanc, West Arichat. Sold in 1865 to Peter Grimes, Arichat. Finally sold in 1869 for debts to George Dixon, Boston, Mass. Wrecked at Cattle Island, Bahamas, 1 May 1872.

MOUNT VERNON. Reg. 10 March 1857. Built U. S. A., place and date unknown. Two-masted schr. 41.52 tons, owned by Simon Boudrot, Grand Ruisseau. Sold to Hugh Monihan, Charlottetown, in 1860 and registry transferred.

EMERALD. Reg. 4 April 1857. Built in Sydney in 1856. Two-masted schr. 103.42 tons, owned by William Frehill, Arichat. Sold to Robert Lavache in 1865. Wrecked 26 Dec. 1867, particulars unknown.

HAPPY RETURN. Reg. 13 April 1857. Launched at Arichat in 1840. Two-masted schr. 76.81 tons, owned by Eustache Babin, Arichat. Sold in 1866 to J. N. Murray and William Palmer, Chatham, N. B. and registry transfeerred.

SNOW SQUALL. Reg. 27 Apr. 1857. Launched at Cheticamp in 1857. Two-masted schr. 46.30 tons, owned by Placide Chiasson, Margaree. Wrecked, particulars unknown.

ITASKA. Reg. 27 April 1857. Built at Essex, Mass., date unknown. Two-masted schr. 44.64 tons, owned by Samuel Lawrence and Henry Taylor, Margaree. Lost in the gale of 24 Aug. 1873.

ARBUTUS. Reg. 27 April 1857. Built at Essex, Mass., in 1852. Two-masted schr. 44.48 tons, owned by Samuel Lawrence and Henry Taylor, Margaree. Wrecked, particulars unknown.

SAMUEL JONES. Reg. 27 Apr. 1857. Built a t Essex, Mass., in 1853. Two-masted schr. 46.10 tons, owned by Samuel Lawrence and Henry Taylor, Margaree. Wrecked near Cape Canso 6 Nov. 1874.

ANGELIQUE. Reg. 11 June 1857. Built at Grand Ruisseau. Last owner—Patrick Robertson, P. E. Island. Registry transferred to Charlottetown in 1867.

ANGELIQUE. Reg. 18 June 1857. Launched at L'Ardoise in 1857. Two-masted schr. 16.46 tons, owned by Marain and Simon Pate, L'Ardoise. Wrecked, particulars unknown.

MARGARET. Reg. 21 July 1857. Launched at Ship Harbor in 1857. Two-masted schr. 16.77 tons, owned by Peter Paint, Ship Harbor. No other records.

DAVID HENRY. Reg. 6 Aug. 1857. Built on the Strait of Canso in 1857. Two-masted schr. 20.54 tons, owned by Samuel Embree. Last owners—D. J. and Samuel Noble, Halifax. Broken up in 1879.

ELIZABETH. Reg. 12 Sept. 1757. Built at Pomquet in 1857. Two-masted schr. 20. 73 tons, owned by C. Benoit, Pomquet. Sold at St. Pierre in 1866.

DOLPHIN. Reg. 15 Oct. 1857. Launched at Janvrin's Harbor in 1857. Two-masted sch.r 102.87 tons, owned by Edward E. Binet, Arichat. Sold to Charles Deslorier, Janvrin's Harbor n 1860. Condemned and sold at Vera Cruz, Mexico, in 1863.

ST. VINCENT. Reg. 20 Jan. 1858. Built at Aracadie in 1856. Two-masted brigantine, 162 tons, owned by Simon Babin, Arichat. Last owner—Daniel M. Pitts in 1872. Reported wrecked 30 Dec. 1875, particulars unknown.

ARCHANGEL. Reg. 10 Mar. 1858. Built at Arichat in 1857. Two-masted schr. 64.36 tons, owned by Simon Bouchie, Arichat. Wrecked in 1859, particulars unknown.

HAPPY RETURN. Reg. 29 Mar. 1858. Launched at Arichat in 1858. Two-masted brigantine 74.54 tons, owned jointly by Abraham Vigneau Sr., and Jr., Arichat. Registry transferred to London, Eng., in 1862, particulars unknown.

CORA LINN. Reg. 1 April 1858. Built at New Glasgow in 1847. Two-masted, schr. 79.20 tons owned by Simon Wolfe, Arichat. Lost with all hands except the master 31 Dec. 1858 at Port Hood Island.

BARBARA. Reg. 12 April 1858. Built at Arichat in 1857. Two-masted schr. 108.98 tons, owned by Peter LeBlanc, Arichat. Peter Blancpied bought her in 1375. Wrecked at the entrance of Halifax Harbor on 3 August, 1875.

More next issue "DO YOU REMEMBER."

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Mines Minister Manson Honored



Our Democratic way of life was seen practiced recently when a group of people of all three political parties made a visit to the Manson home and made a presentation to Mr. Manson and his wife.

The tribute was in recognition of Mr. Manson's leadership in having a new highway built from Port Morien to Mira Gut.

The presentation was made by Robert Gerrot with Angus MacDonald presiding at the affair.

Premier R. L. Stanfield New Year's Message



Hon. Robert L. Stanfield
Premier of Nova Scotia

At this time of the calendar year we look back upon the activities and accomplishments of the preceeding twelve months and anticipate as best we can what will take place during the new year.

We do so with a purpose. We wish to build upon, and give continuity to, what we have done that is right and good. Every citizen in Nova Scotia has an opportunity to play his part in the betterment of our province and of Canada.

Those of us who live and work in this fine old province realize well that we have many advantages. Those who have invested either money or effort, know that their choice has been wise.

During 1959, in nearly every field of activity in the province, there has been an encouraging move forward and it is my wish, as it is yours, that this will continue.

I have mentioned that we in Nova Scotia have great advantages. I think that one of our great responsibilities is in making people outside our province more conscious of what we possess and what we have to offer.

I urge all my fellow Nova Scotians, to make this fact known through every avenue at their disposal: Nova Scotia offers much to the individual, to business and to industry. Ours is a pleasant, progressive life.

The year 1959 has been a good one and we can lookto the future with optimism based upon experience. Certainly, during this past year, there have been important areas of difficulty—which are being dealt with as energetically as possible—but on balance, 1959 has been a good year for most Nova Scotians. We must try to make 1960 better.

And now may I wish you everything that is good in 1960.

Opposition Leader Hicks New Year's Message



Henry D. Hicks, Q. C., M. L. A.
Leader of the Opposition in the
Nova Scotia Legislature

1959 has been a year during which Canada has made progress in recovering from the business recession. It has not been a bad year for Nova Scotia, though we are naturally concerned that our recovery has not kept pace with the growth reported elsewhere in Canada. Furthermore, some industries in Nova Scotia, and especially our coal industry, are facing particular difficulties at this time. Nevertheless, I continue to remain confident in the future prospects of our province, provided that the undoubted ingenuity of Nova Scotians can be properly directed in solving the problems inherent in our future growth and development.

The construction of a provincial abattoir, as a result of a fine co-operative effort by the farmers of Nova Scotia, is well under way and we hope to see it successfully in operation during 1960. All Nova Scotians are happy at the reports of progress in the construction of a pulp mill at the Strait of Canso, and I certainly hope that 1960 will see a real start on this important undertaking.

As Leader of the Opposition in the Provincial Legislature, I once again urge the Premier and Government of the day to do everything in their power to assist the people of Nova Scotia to take advantage of our opportunities in 1960 and the years to come. To this end, of course, the Government may count on a full measure of support from the official Opposition.

To all Nova Scotians everywhere I am happy to extend sincere good wishes for a prosperous new year, and hope that 1960 may see a recovery in economic progress in Nova Scotia commensurate with that taking place in the rest of Canada. I am confident of the province's future in the hands of its people. May the New Year bring health and happiness to all.

ST. PETER'S NEWS

Miss Marie MacPherson of Big Pond, C. B., was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Maddox for the holidays.

Miss Earldina MacDonald spent a few days visiting her friend, Nancy Kaplan of Sydney.

Mr. Russell Morrison who has been visiting his wife and family, returned to Elliot Lake, where he will continue former employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Cope were recent visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Morrison.

Miss Viola Mancini spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mancini.

Miss Ann Marie Pottie spent a few days visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPhee of River Bourgeois.

Recent vsitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Pottie were Mr. and Mrs. Aler McPhee and daughter, Clara from River Bourgeois.

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Willard Pottie who passed away on Monday, January 4th, after a brief illness.

Surviving besides his wife are four sons and four daughters: Mrs. Delvis Landry, (Lucille) and Mrs. Danny Sampson, (Alice), both of River Bourgeois; Miss Josepihne of Halifax and Miss Doris at home; Richard of Halifax; Raymond of River Bourgeos and Eddie the youngest at home.

Many friends and relatives gathered at St. Peters church where the funeral Mass was held on Thursday, to pay their last tribute to a well-known resident of the community.

Mr. Charlie Cameron is a patient at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish where he is being treated for a slight illness.

Mrs. Sam Boudreau of River Bourgeois was a recent visitor to the home f Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pottie.

Mrs. Christina Kyte was visiting her daughters, Mrs. Russell Morrison for the past week.

Also spending a week with his wife and famiy is Mr. Earl Gibson.

Mr. Milton Anderson has returned home after spending three weeks n St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish where he received treatment.

Miss Emma Nicholson of Sydney, spent a few days here with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Nicholson.

Miss Margie Owens student nurse at St. Rita's Hospital, Sydney, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Owens.

Miss Margaret Madden accompanied by her nephew, Jimmy Gillan, spent the Christmas week in Dartmouth.

Mrs. Angus Morrison and daughter Beulah, spent a week visiting in Toronto.

Congratulatons are extended to the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Brice MacDonald. A house warming was held Friday evening where many friends and relatives gathered with gifts for the newly married couple. Good luck Brice and Jean. The Editor of the Record joins in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Miss Eva Burke has taken up employment at MacLean's store here. She is taking the place of Miss Gladys Samson who is to be married.

Miss Margaret Laidlaw was a recent visitor to Mr. and Mrs. Brice MacDonald. Miss Laidlaw is Mrs. MacDonald's sister from Judique, C. B.

Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pottie were Mrs. Lloyd MacRae and Mrs. Hughie MacPhail of Seaview.

Mr. and Mrs. Donley Morrison were recent visitors to their son Mr. Bobby Morrison of MacIntyre Lake.

Mr. Leo Martin is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin. Leo is employed in Halifax.

Miss Catherne (Lovey) MacDonald, spent the Christmas week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald.

Mr. Joey Nodge, recently employed at the Metropolitan Store in Sydney, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Nodge.

Master Eddie Pottie spent a few days visiting relatives in River Bourgeois.

Mr. and Mrs. Urban LeBlanc spent Christmas with relatives in Yarmouth.

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SINGS FIRST MASS AT CATHEDRAL

Rev. Donald D. MacDonald, O.M.I., ordained to the Priesthood on December 19th in St. Ninian Cathedral, Antigonish by Most Rev. George Landry, D. D., celebrated his fist Solemn Mass the following day in the Cathedral.

Father MacDonald is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Angus R. MacDonald of Antigonish.

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Honored On 25th Anniversary

(Middleton Outlook)

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Isaac and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Woodbury, entertained at a six table dinner bridge on Tuesday evening, Dec. 29th at the home of the former. Guests of honour were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Edwards, who were celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

On behalf of those present, J. I. Marshall made a presentation of silver to which Mr. and Mrs. Edwards replied recalling the happy associations with the people of Middleton dating back to 1944, when Mr. Edwards became supervisor of the Middleton school.

The buffet table was attractively centered with yellow mums and tapers, the individual tables with red roses.

Playing awards for bridge were won by Mrs. H. G. Goucher, Mrs. J. R. Parr, Mrs. B. R. Wilson, Mrs. J. I. Marshall, W. K. Bagley, R. C. Swim, and Dr. H. E. Kelley.

At the close of the evening an attractively decorated anniversary cake was cut by the honoured couple and served. Miss Gwen Woodbury and Miss Susan Isaac assisted the hostesses.

(The Record extends congratuations and good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and we are sure their many friends in Arichat will join with us in endorsing our sentiments. Mr. Edwards who is the Supervisor of Schools, for Annapolis County, is a son of Mrs. Edwards and the late Philip Edwards of Arichat. —Editor.)

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Mrs. Chas. LeBlanc

Mrs. Charles LeBlanc, a native of Arichat, died in St. Joseph's Hospital, Glace Bay recently. She was 92, and had taken up residence with her son-in-law and daughter, Prof. and Mrs. Harry MacNeil about two years age and where she was tenderly cared for.

For many years the late Mrs. LeBlanc and her husband, Capt. Charles LeBlanc, who passed on only a few months ago, were our good neighbors, and we shall always cherish the memory of this beloved couple, whose hospitality and kindness was known in the community and far beyond its borders.

She was a daughter of the late Hon. Isidore LeBlanc, a former member of the Legislative Assembly and a noted sea Captain and ship builder of Arichat.

She is survived by two sons and three daughters: Mrs. A. L. Comeau, (Violet), Moncton; Mrs. Harry MacNeil, (Marie), with whom she resided and Evangeline, also of Glace Bay; Ernest, retired bank manager, Church Point, N. S.; Raymond, marine engineer, Port Colborne.

The funeral took place from St. Anne's Church, Glace Bay, with High Mass celebrated by the pastor.

We extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

West Arichat

The Misses Loretta and Alice Deslauriers of East Boston, Mass., accompanied by their sister, May, of Halifax were motor visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Deslauriers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shaheen and family of Sydney, spent the holiday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Covin.

Priscilla David of Sydney, was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. David.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Poirier accompanied by Mrs. Ernie Poirier, Sydney, visited relatives and friends here on Sunday.

Priscilla Covin arrived from Montreal to spend a months vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Covin.

We welcome Rev. Sister Alexis, who spent several days recenty visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Jeffrey Forgeron. Sister Alexis is from Dalhousie, N. B.

Tim Landry, taxi driver of Arichat accompanied by Mrs. J. Bourgeois and Mrs. E. Dorey, West Arichat, visited friends at Cheticamp recently.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Arthur Hureau of Port Royal who recently underwent surgery at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish, is making a splendid recovery.

Felix Linden left for Seven Islands, Que., where he will be employed for the winter. Mr. Linden is one of our most industrious citizens.

The banns of marriage were published here on Sunday for the forthcoming carrage of Francis Babin to Miss Rejenne Rousseau of Bagotville, Que. Marriage to take place shortly.

Friends of Etienne Babin will regret to learn that he is a patient at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Joseph Terrio left for Halifax where he will be the guest of relatives and friends for several weeks.

Peter Meunier left for Ontario after having spent the holidays after visiting his wife here and relatives in Sydney.

Mrs. Alexis LeJeune of Port Royal who recently underwent an operation at the V. G. Hospital, Halifax, is up and around again, we are glad to report.

Mrs. John A. MacInnis

The following particulars on the death of a beloved resident of St. George's Channel, Mrs. John A. MacInnis, was sent to us by (A. F.), to whom we are most grateful.

The late Mrs. MacInnis who was in her 73rd year, had been under treatment for high blood pressure, but was quite active until 9 o'clock Sunday evening when a sudden attack rendered her helpless from which she never recovered, passing away the following morning at 9 o'clock.

Her passing will be greatly mourned by her husband and one son, Phil U.; also three brothers: Robert J. and William S. Urquhart, both of Grand Anse and Alexander A. Urquhart in Sydney; one sister Harriet, Mrs. Dexter Fisk, Pasadena, California and another sister, Helen J., Mrs. John A. MacInnis of Hyde Park, Mass., predeceased her on Oct 6.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband, son brothers and sisters in their sad bereavement.



Diary of a Vagabond

BY DOROTHY BARKER

Out where the west begins they have a romantic name for the kind of day that greeted me as the sun rose on the horizon of a new year and a new decade. They call it a silver thaw. The trees were captured in a crystal coat and the ground willows and cattails in our swamp glistened with a million prisms. Easterners in Canada are far less romantic, they merely moan, "the rain froze last night. Bad for the trees."

Across the clean new snow, pheasants had made three cornered tracks with a swirl behind where their long, beautiful tail feathers dragged. I could trace the hop, hop pattern of a jack rabbit and picture the mad dash he made when my neighbour's hound puppy showed off his ability to flush game.

Not a breath of wind stirred the heavy branches of my favourite white pine whose majestic strength hovers the winter bird colony. It was flocked with ice and each of its myraid needles seemed outlined in fluffy, clean snow . Against the intense blue of the winter sky a cardinal and his mate looked like animated apples that had escaped the fall harvest, as they perched in the leafless apple tree which in summertime shades my study window.

I am trying to capture in this diary all of the beauty of that morning as the '50's died and the ' 60's were born without, as yet, a blemish of war or a threat of extinction from atomic attack on their record.

It is impossible to contemplate the new year without thinking of resolutions and new starts. Resolutions for most of us, are like warm dill pickles, limp and tasteless a few days after having been dreamed up. But as long as man nurtures hoe, the idea of a fresh start will be the beginning of happy New Year's anticipation.

The '50's, which were probably the maddest and most astonishing in man's history, will have one historical fact to give them grace in the memories of those now living and in the future thoughts of those yet unborn. With their dying breath, the last hours of ten hectic years were crammed with the spectacular attempts of two world leaders for peace. One launched the plan of total disarmament, the other for food and plenty for every living mortal. Both attempts at world

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Willard Marchand

The death of Willard Marchand, of Pondville, occurred at his home on December 20th at the age of 56 years, after a prolonged illness of several months. He was a highly respected resident of Pondville where he conducted a grocery business for the past several years.

Surviving besides his wife, the former Mary Shaw are five brothers:—Mrs. Alvina Vautour, Everett, Mass..; (Josie) Mrs. Felix Fougere, Poulamond; Mrs. Andrew Boudreau,F (Evangeline), Petit de Grat; Mrs. Arthur Martell, (Emma) Petit de Grat; and Mrs. Raymond Marchand, (Laura) Pondville; Thomas of Everett, Mass.; Henry, Joseph and Leonie, all of Pondville. A sister (Mary), Mrs. Fred Babin, predeceased him a year ago; also a brother, Alex, predeceased him four years ago.

The largely attended funeral attested to the esteem in which the deceased was regarded, was held from Notre Dame Church, Arichat, of which he was a devout member. Very Rev. A. P. Poirier was celebrant at the solemn high mass of requiem, assisted by Rev. Pelletier, as deacon and Rev. C. P. Gerrior as sub deacon. Pallbearers were Jerry Marchand, Clement Marchand, Andre Boudreau, Alex Babin, Amedee LeVandier and Gaston LeBlanc.

The large number of Mass cards and sympathy cards were expressions of regard to the deceased.

To the bereaved wife, brothers and sisters of the deeceased we extend our sincere sympathy.

C. A. Boucher, funeral director, of Arichat, was in charge of arrangements.

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All letters, petitions and documents intended for the consideration of the Council should be in the hands of the Clerk at least ten (10) days before said 4th Tuesday of January.

E. C. DOYLE
Clerk-Treasurer

January 8, 1960

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. Mary Marchand, of Pondville, wishes to thank all kind neighbours and friends who helped in any way during her recent sad bereavement; also thanks to those who sent Mass Cards, Sympathy Cards and Floral Offerings.

Special thanks to Dr. Gorman and Dr. Dunphy of Antigonish and to. Dr. Winter of Arichat. Very Rev. A. P. Poirier, Rev. C. P. Gerroir and Rev. Pelletier and to C. A. Boucher, funeral director.

CARD OF THANKS The wife and family of the late Paul Richard of Arichat, wish to express their sincere and heartfelt thanks to all those who sent floral offerings, Mass cards, sympathy cards and letters of condolence during their recent sad bereavement. Special thanks to the Very Rev. A. P. Poirier, the Undertaker, pallbearers and to all kind neighbors and friends who assisted in so many ways.

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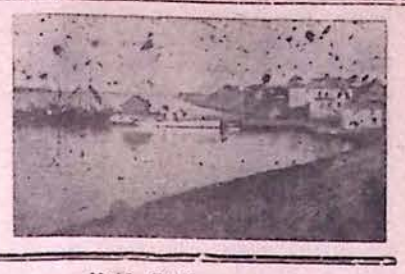
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



WINS $25.00 PRIZE

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ATTEND FIRST MASS

Mrs. Alex Theriault, her daughter, Priscilla and Miss Lorraine Marchand attended the first Mass celebrated by Rev. Father MacDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. MacDonald of Antigonish at St. Ninian Cathedral on December 20. Father MacDonald was ordained to the priesthood on Dec. 19th. Dinner was served at the Recreation Centre and at 2.30 Father MacDonald officiated at Benediction in the Cathedral following was a reception at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. MacDonald.

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MRS. MARTHA J. GOYETCHE

The death of Mrs. Baptiste Goyetche, of Arichat, occurred on Saturday, December 19th at the home of her niece, Mrs. Alexander Hureau, Arichat, after an illness of several months. She was in her 80th year and is survived by her husband and one brother, Leo Richard of Arichat; also six nephews and four nieces:— Mrs. Alex Hureau, (Antionette), of Arichat, with whom she resided; Mrs. Jas. Thibeau, (Blanche), of Stephenville, Nfld.; Miss Bernadette Richard of Halifax and Mrs. J. H. Thibeau (Cecile) of Halifax; Peter and Raymond Richard of Halifax; Joseph Richard of Lancaster, N. B.; Theophile, Baptiste and Louis Richard of Arichat.

Funeral was held from the Church of Our Lady of Assumption, Arichat, of which the deceased was a devout member. Very Rev. A. P. Poirier officiating at the church and grave.

We extend sympathy to the husband and bereaved relatives.

A Family Of Mariners

Capt. Edmund Forgeron, has arrived from Toronto, where he was in command of a tug boat during the past several months. He will spend the winter with his wife and family at West Arichat.

Capt. Clarence Forgeron, also arrived from Bagotville, Que., where he is in command of a tug at that port. He will spend the winter with his wife and family at West Arichat.

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Capt Hubert Forgeron, in command of the C. G. S. Canso, of the Department of Public Works, is spending the winter with his wife and family of Port Royal. Capt. Forgeron recenty brought the "Canso" from Pictou to Port Hawesbury where she will undergo annual repairs at the Port Hawesbury Marine Railway Co.

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Capt. Edward Forgeron is employed by the Foundation Maritime Ltd., on one of their tugs and is at present in Halifax. He spent the past summer in Toronto. Capt. Edward makes his home in West Arichat where he will spend the winter with his wife and family.

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Capt. Wilfred Forgeron a pilot in the Sydney district reports a very busy shipping season. Capt. Wilfred who resides in West Arichat, has been employed as a pilot for the past several years.

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All sons of Capt. and Mrs. Jeffrey Forgeron of West Arichat, they served their early seafaring years with their father and later commanded their own schooners in the coasting trade. Today these men hold Masters Certificates and are to be congratulated for their efforts. A fifth son, Abraham of the R. C. M. P., Marine Service, also holds a Masters Certificate.

Capt. Jeff as he is affectionely known by his friends retired from the sea some years ago. He owned and commanded the Schr. Conductor, which he sold to Capt. Bill Crocker of Canso. This was the last of coastal vessels to sail out of Isle Madame. Strange as it may seem the "Conductor", ran aground at Cape Auguet a few years past and was wrecked. It would appear that this vessel being the last to sail out of this port would also leave her timbers on our shores as a reminder of the once proud past of sailing ships and hardy men.

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Holiday Visitor

Clem Britten of Sydney spent the Yuletide Holidays here with his wife and family.

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Local and County News held over for next issue.

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HOME NURSING COURSE

A Home Nursing Course sponsored by the Isle Madame-Louisdale Branch of the Canadian Red Cross will be held in the Knights of Columbus Hall, West Arichat every Wednesday each week for twelve weeks from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. starting on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, 1960.

Here is an excellent opportunity for homemakers and young women to gain knowledge free of charge in home nursing. Take advantage of this course by attending the classes.

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Visits Her Mother

Mrs. Daniel Britten, daughter of the late Dr. Leo LeBlanc of Cheticamp, wife of Corporal Danny Britten, of R. C. A. F., Greenwood, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Larry D. Boudreau, Petit de Grat. Mrs. Britten recently underwent a major operation in Soldier's Memorial Hospital, Middleton and came down for a month's rest before returning to care for her family.

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WEDDING

BOURINOT — NAUFFTS

A wedding of widespread interest was solemnized in St. Luke's Anglican Church, Liscomb, N. S., on Thursday, December 31, Rev. Ernest Doherty, united in a double-ring ceremony Ruth Angeline, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Nauffts and the late Mr. Nauffts of Dartmouth, N. S., and Marshall Lloyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bourinot of Arichat.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Leslie, looked lovely in her traditional gown of nylon and chantilly lace, with fitted bodice and a bateau neckline. Her bouffant skirt fell in tiers of chantilly lace over nylon net. Her finger-tip circular veil fell from a Queen Anne coronet studded with seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of red sweetheart roses.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Graham Robar of Dartmouth, who wore a gown of ice-blue nylon and lace with matching headdress. She carried a nosegay of white and blue carnations.

Mr. Graham Robar was best man. Ushers were Ellis Nauffts and James Dickie.

During the signing of the church register the Senior and Junior Choirs of St. Luke's Church sang: "O Perfect Love". Mrs. James Dickie, sister of the groom, of Port Hastings, N. S., was organist.

After the ceremony a reception to upwards of 100 guests was held in the Church Hall. Receiving with the bridal party were the bride's mother and brother and the groom's parents.

The mother of the bride wore a navy suit with matching accessories and corsage of deep red roses.

The mother of the groom wore a navy sheath dress with matching accessories and corsage of deep red roses.

Toast to the bride by Rev. Doherty was responded to by the groom.

The wedding cake was cut in traditional manner by the young couple and apportioned by Mrs. J. A. Dickie.

Following the reception the bride and groom left on a honeymoon trip to Cape Breton. For her going away ensemble the bride chose a suit of copenhagen blue with black accessories and fur jacket. Her corsage was of red roses.

They will reside in Halifax where both are employed.

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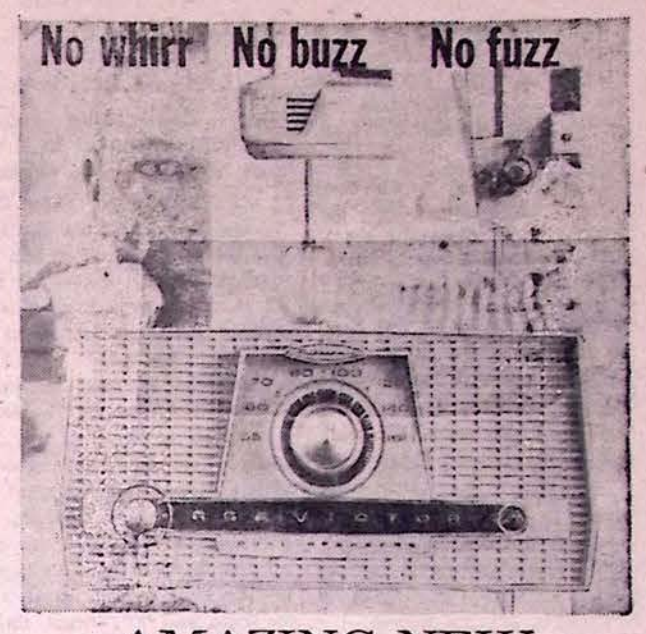
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PONDVILLE

We wish the Editor and other members of his family and staff a happy and prosperous New Year.—Thank you and may you enjoy every happiness in 1960.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Martell, spent the holidays with their daughter and son-in-lay Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Austin at Ellerhouse, Hants County.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Forrest, have arrived from Port Arthur, Ont., to spend the winter with Mr. Forrest's father, James Forrest at Lochside.

George Maltby who was employed on the Laker S. S. Metis, arrived to spend the winter with his wife and famly here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowen of Lochside have arrived to spend the winter with Mr. Bowen's mother, Mrs. Alexina Bowen.

Mr. Martin Boudreau who was employed at Cardinal, Ont., by Canadian Bridge and Dock, is spending the winter here with his wife and family.

Miss Maura Martell and her brother, Hughie Martell are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Venard Martell. Maura is employed in Halifax while Hughie has been employed in Ontario during the last four years. We were delighted to see the genial young man looking so well.

Paul DeRoach, Bill Bowen and Gerald Bowen have also arrived from the Great Lakes ports.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Forrest, were recent motor vsitors to Halifax.

Mr. Joseph Marchand has had a telephone installed in his home.

Miss Odille Marchand who is attending Provincial Normal College, Truro, spent the Christmas holidays at her home in Pondville.

Francis Doyle and family have moved into the late Albert Boudreau property recently.

Diary of A Vagabond

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peace are laudable and were gratefully applauded by a weary and frightened world citizenry.

As I ruminated these facts I flicked the dust from the top of the tables and emptied ash traps piled high with butts, for much of the weed was burned over a heated discussion the night previously. My guests and I had watched a TV show built entirely on controversial quotations argued by a panel of four prominent persons. The quotation which excited our comment was one by Al Capp, cartoonist. The gist was that children are being influenced to become delinquents by the fare dished up to them on radio and TV. Crime, murder and gun play are an obsession of producers these days, one panelist, a Salvation Army officer, contended.

We didn't come to any more progressive decision than the panel did. Some of my guests supported the women who contended that parental discipline could counteract the bad influence of bloodthirsty shows, "Turn it off", was her answer.

I tried to push such a stupid panacea out of my mind as I planned my first railway trip after the holiday season spent at home. But it kept coming back. It got all mixed up with Eisenhower's world journey, his concern for the starving millions in India; the voice of the Russian leader's interpreter on a recent visit to the United States, pleading for disarmament and my own conviction, that radio and TV are as much more powerful influence on the morals of our children than we credit them with.

I watched the warm rays of the sun dissolve the ice on trees and bush and wished the world might be flooded with more of the imagination of prairie residents, who view such phenomenon of nature so romantically. I tossed my make-up kit and train slippers into my small bag and worried not a little about us humans. We miss so much of the beauty of our worldly existence and tolerate so much that is ugly, it's no wonder I thought, that nations get in such a mess of fear and hate as the decade just past recorded.

Miss Joan Landry who is attending a Business College in Halifax was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Landry over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeVesconte and daughter Lelah of Dartmouth spent the Christmas holidays with the latters brother, Kenneth Dunphy.

Stanley Marchand, a worker on the Halifav Waterfront, spent the Yuletide holidays at home with his family.

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