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Ramblings In The Past

BY OLD TIMER

The early history of the Postal Service in Arichat is nebulous and buried in the yellow pages of days long past, mostly as scattered items in the Journals of the House of Assembly and collections of documents in the Provincial Archives. The early records are very, very incomplete and it is practically impossible to put together a co-ordinated column on the subject from available material. However, here is the result of numerous inquiries and some research on my part.

The earliest form of transmission of correspondence was by individuals travelling from place to place. A letter was given to a person travelling in the general direction of the recipient. He carried it to the place where he was going and left it at a central spot where the next traveller picked it up. It was thus passed from hand to hand until it reached its final destination. Later on the drivers of stage coaches carried letters to their stopping places from which they were forwarded by individuals to the addressee. Then postage stamps were introduced and letters were prepaid to their destination. Although it took nearly as long to have a letter delivered, you were more or less assured that it would safely reach the person to whom it was addressed.

Apparently there was a Postmaster in Arichat at the time of the final annexation of Cape Breton to Nova Scotia in 1820. In Manuscripts Documents, Akins Collection, Vol. 248, No. 138 (Provincial Archives), I find a petition sent in 1822 to Lieut. Gov. Sir James Kempt from the magistrates and principal inhabitants of Arichat. It states that the Postmaster at Arichat has informed them that he has received instructions to discontinue the mail between Nova Scotia and Cape Breton on 30 June. The petitioners further state that they have enjoyed the benefit of such communications with the rest of the Province and it "has tended to promote the prosperity of Cape Breton and to facilitate every branch of kinship; and especially as Arichat has now become a place of considerable importance in trade and much superior to many places in the Province, it would be advisable for Arichat to enjoy a system of regular communication by Post during the whole year."

At that time mail arrived every Wednesday morning and left Arichat the following Monday, giving an opportunity to send letters by return mail.

This petition apparently had some effect as according to the Journals, House of Assembly, it was voted the same year to extend postal communications from Manchester to Sydney by way of Arichat.

But trouble must have developed shortly afterwards. According to Manuskripts, Akins Collection, Vol. 241, Nos. 88, 94, 98, 99, a communication from Clement Hubert to T.W. James, Deputy Provincial Secretary, made an accusation against Matthew Maddox, the courier between Plaister Cove and Arichat. He was accused of "inattention, irregularity in the discharge of his duty, and of often times being under the influence of drink while on the weekly journey between the two places." The complaint was accompanied by five affidavits. Later on, three more affidavits were forwarded. Mr. Hubert wanted to make sure that his complaint was placed directly before the Lieut. Governor. (No. 99)

In his reply, John Howe, Deputy Postmaster of Nova Scotia, noted that when Cape Breton was annexed to Nova Scotia he was ordered to extend Postal Communications to Sydney, with that service putting in at Arichat. (No. 88). Tenders were received and Maddox was awarded the job for 60 pounds a year to carry mail between Plaister Cove and Arichat. Howe reported that he was satisfied with his conduct and that the mails were safely and regularly transmitted. In fact he stated "I believe that he is considered by the inhabitants of Arichat generally, as a man of temperate, quiet and orderly habits."

Statements of good conduct on the part of the courier were given by people knowing him who had sent mail by him, including Morgan Doyle, ex Justice of the Peace at Arichat, who said of Maddox "he generally acquitted himself to the satisfaction of the people".

On Feb. 14, 1832, the House of Assembly received the petition of William Delancy, praying aid toward the Guysborough-Arichat Packet.

On 5 April, 1834, 10 pounds 9 shillings 6 pence was voted for the Postal Service between Canso and Arichat.

On 30 April, 1837, it was reported that the salary paid the courier between Arichat and Plaister Cove was 60 pounds.

On April 14, 1845, 350 pounds were placed at the disposal of the Governor to encourage among other things, the running of a steamer from Pictou to St. Peter's Bay, landing passengers and mail at Canso and Arichat.

On March 20, 1846, 50 pounds were granted to the Guysborough-Arichat Packet. On the same day allowances were granted to establish additional Postal Services, including a mail twice a week to and from Arichat.

The mail was carried by Packet and courier until about the turn of the century when a daily mail service was inaugurated between Arichat and Mulgrave, a subsidy being paid to the coastal steamer operating between the two places. In his history of Cape Breton, Page 321, C. W. Vernon states that "Arichat has a daily mail in summer which is carried

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PETIT De GRAT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Madden and daughter, Vaughn Marie of Hamilton, Ont., spent two weeks vacation visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newman Boudreau; also his mother, Mrs. Alice Madden, and his brother, Sheriff D. 'OC. Madden and family of Arichat.

Miss Irene Babin returned to her home in Dartmouth after spending two weeks visiting relatives and friendshere and at West Arichat. She is the daughter of Cpl. and Mrs. J. L. Babin, R.C.M.P., now stationed at Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Landry, accompanied by his son-inlaw, Rennie Landry and Wilbert DeCoste, were recent motor visitors to Halifax.

Leonard D. Boudreau was a recent visitor to his mother-in-law, Mrs. Paon, Martinique.

Mr. and Mrs. Xyste Landry and family, accompanied by Anthony Boudreau and Miss Irene Babin, were motor visitors to Sherbrooke on Sunday, where Miss Babin's parents and sister, Susanne met them and spent the day picnicking before returning home.

Mrs. Arthur Martell of Dalhousie, Ont., attended the funeral of her aged father, the late Alfred Boudreau, of Boudreauville. Before returning to her home she visited relatives here. We extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Boudreau motored from Buffalo, N. Y., to spend a few weeks visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs Remi S. Boudreau; also his brothers and sister. They have returned to their home.

Miss Patricia MacNeil of Halifax was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Boudreau.

Miss Arleen Landry is visiting friends and relatives in Halifax where she is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Poirier.

The Misses Anne and Marjorie Dobbin of Whiteside were recent visitors here, guests of the Misses Sylvia and Carmella Landry. They motored to Antigonish accompanied by Anthony Landry, Wilbert DeCoste and Paul Landry on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boudreau and family arrived from Halifax after spending a few days visiting relatives in the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Forgeron and children of Halifax spent a few days visiting in Samson's Cove, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Samson.

Mr. Eugene Samson accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theophil Samson, Samson's Cove; also Miss Claire LeVandier of West Arichat, motored over the Cabot Trail the past week-end. The report a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Landry and his brother, Tim of Arichat, attended the funeral of their late brother, Joseph C. Landry, who was recently killed in a car accident at Bridgewater. Sincere sympathy is being extended to the surviving relatives.

Miss Beverly Hunter returned to her home in Halifax after spending a few weeks with relatives and friends. She was a guest of her cousin, Barbara Landry, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lenus Landry.

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Mrs. L. LeBlanc

Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc, age 31, of Poulamon, passed away recently, at St. Anne's Hospital, Arichat.

Her passing came as a shock to her husband, parents and many friends throughout Isle Madame.

She was a highly esteemed resident of Poulamon.

Besides her husband and three children, she leaves to mourn, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bonaventure Poirier, of Poulamon, now of Halifax.

The largely attended funeral took place from St. Hyacinth's Church, D'Escousse, of which she was a devout member. Rev. Father Pelletier, was the celebrant at the High Mass.

We join with the many friends of the bereaved husband and family in extending our heartfelt sympathy.

Mrs. Margaret MacPherson

The passing of Mrs. Margaret MacPherson, at Grand Anse, on July 24th., in her 89th. year, has removed one of the most highly respected and beloved residents of Grand Anse, where she spent the greater part of her lifetime, as the popular and kindly proprietress of the MacPherson House for 71 years. She was also the Postmistress and The Telephone Operator at the Grand Anse Exchange for many years, and was always ready to help her neighbours and friends. The MacPherson House will be kindly remembered by the travelling public from coast to coast.

On her retirement, this popular hostel which can be well termed a home away from home, was taken over by her daughter and son-in-law, Councillor and Mrs. R.J. Urquhart, who still maintain that high standard of efficiency.

The late Mrs. MacPherson's grand-daughter, Barbara Urquhart, took over the position of Telephone Agent at Grand Anse, on the retirement of her grandmother.

This Christian lady was a life member of W.F.M.S. of the United Church and a devout member of the Black River United Church, where the funeral service took place, and in the absence of the resident pastor, the Service was conducted by the Rev. James MacIntosh, a Dundee boy now pastor at Alberta, P.E.I. United Church.

Rev. MacIntosh, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. MacIntosh, of Dundee.

Dr. Christie a retired clergyman of Port Hastings, also took part in the service.

The funeral was largely attended and many floral offerings attested to the esteem in which this beloved lady was held.

The following favorite hymns were rendered by the Black River Church choir: "The Lord's My Shepherd," "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me", and "Abide With Me".

Mrs. W.S. Urquhart presided at the organ.

Burial at the MacPherson cemetery, Grand Anse.

Pall bearers were: Anthony Russo, Hughie MacDonald, Bert Buchanan, Phil MacInnis and Hughie MacInnis.

Surviving members of the family are, two daughters, Mrs. R.J. Urquhart (Cassie) of Grand Anse, who tenderly cared for her mother; and Mrs. Malcolm MacDonald (Barbara), of Longview, Wash. also three sons, Hon. Murdo A. MacPherson, former Attorney-General of Saskatchewan, Bert MacPherson, Manager of Canadian National Drugs, Halifax, and Alexander C. MacPherson, Woodstock, Ont., who had visited his late mother only a few weeks previous to her death.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved family, in the passing of their beloved mother, whose memory will always be cherished.

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POULAMON NEWS

Herman Ranson from Boston, and his two children, Karen and Bobby are visiting in D'Escousse.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fougere of New York, are visiting his mother (Mrs. Alvina Fougere) of Poulamon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Poirier and family from Halifax, were visiting in Poulamon over the week-end.

Mrs. Florence Paon and family from Halifax, are visiting her mother, (Mrs. Alvina Fougere) Poulamon.

Miss Carol Paon is spending

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West Arichat Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Linden, were on a motor business trip to Sydney the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Worrel Wolfe, of Fairview, were motor visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Babin.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barron and family of Sydney, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Forgeron.

Marion Briand, of Sydney, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Briand.

Marie Landry of Sydney is spending a week's vacation, as guest of Mr and Mrs. L. Forgeron.

The Misses Blanche and Estelle LeJeune, of Halifax, are visiting their parents, Mrs and Mrs. A.LeJeune at Port Royal.

Irene Forest of Halifax, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emile Forest for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Sourisseau and family are motor visitors from Halifax, guests of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Duann.

Edward Benoit arrived from the States to visit her mother Mrs. A. Benoit, at Port Royal recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Carr, and family of New Brunswick are motor visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oderick Murey.

Mrs. Process Boudreau, left to visit St Anne De Beaupre, Quebec where she will remain several days. Before returning home she will visit her sister Mrs. E. Hollar and other friends at Halifax.

Rudolph Covin left for Sydney where he will seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Latimer of Truro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Linden on Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph LeJeune left for Holland to visit her mother and other friends, the past week. ... wish her a pleasant trip.

Friends and relatives welcome back, Brother Thomas, who has recently arrived from India, also Mother Conrad and Mother Presca Maria, who are also visiting their mother, Mrs. Mabel Gerrior.

We wish them all a pleasant vacation.

Leonard Duann, who is attending St. F. X. University at Antigonish, was a week-end guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Duann.

Miss Mary Anne MacDonald, visited friends at Port Hawkesbury and Glendale recently. She also attended the celebration which was held in Sydney.

Mrs. Thomas Shaheen and family of Sydney, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Covin.

Mrs. Edward Forgeron was on a motor business trip to Sydney recently.

Eugene Sampson, Petit de Grat was a guest of Claire LaVandier over the week-end.

Theophile Briand, Halifax, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Briand, Port Royal.

Mrs. Alexander Boudreau, left for Halifax to enter the V.G. Hospital, for treatment. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Clarence Forgeron, left for Bagotville, Que., where she will visit her husband for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kelly and two sons, were motor visitors from Halifax, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Covin.

Eugene Sampson accompanied by Claire Levandier, Bonnie Levandier and Viola Landry were motor visitors to New Brunswick

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PROCLAMATION

BY THE HONOURABLE E. D. HALIBURTON

Minister of Lands and Forests

To all whom these Presents shall come or whom the same may in any wise concern:

Whereas the Minister of Lands and Forests deems it necessary for the protection of forests to make this Proclamation:

Now Know Ye that the Minister of Lands and Forests of Nova Scotia under and by virtue of Section 117 of The Lands and Forests Act doth hereby set aside on, from, and after the fifth day of August, A.D., 1960 until the fifteenth day of September, A. D., 1960, unless this Proclamation is sooner revoked, every area of forest land as an area of forest land upon which no person shall enter for the purpose of travelling, camping, fishing or picnicking, or any other purposes, without first notifying the local Forest Ranger, or other person duly authorized to receive such notification, of the route, destination, purpose and duration of the trip with dates, and having obtained authorization in writing from the local Forest Ranger or other person duly authorized to issue same: Provided, however, that forest land may be entered upon by the actual owner or occupier thereof or his or their employees as such, and by Forest Rangers, Voluntary Rangers, fire fighters and land surveyors:

Any person found in any area of forest land without a permit whilst this Proclamation is in force is, upon conviction, subject to a penalty of not less than Ten Dollars nor more than One Hundred Dollars:

Of which all persons concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand at the City of Halifax, this fifth day of August, A. D., 1960.

E. D. HALIBURTON,
Minister of Lands and Forests,
Province of Nova Scotia.

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POULAMON

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the summer months at the home of Mr and Mrs. Willard Fougere.

Mrs. Exilda Poirier has been visiting in Boston, for the past week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walsh of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Shupe and family of Dartmouth, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Shupe's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fougere of Poulamon.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Fergusson, of Louisbourg, the former June Boudreau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boudreau, newly weds, were here visiting friends and relatives. At present they are on their honey-moon, and on their return will reside in Dartmouth.

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ROCKDALE NOTES

Walter Bona arrived home recently from Ontario to spend the summer months with his mother, Mrs. Mary Bona of West L'Ardoise.

Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Carroll of Baddeck, accompanied by their grandson, John Murphy, of Halifax, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll.

John Murphy is attending a Seminary in Ottawa, and is vacationing at Baddeck with his grand parents.

Mrs. Richard Dunn and Miss Genevieve Cherry returned to Halifax after spending several days, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gagne and four children of Halifax, also a brother, George Gagne of Montreal, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll.

Paul Gagne is Lt. Com. and is stationed at Stadacona, Halifax.

Charles Carroll is at present enjoying his two weeks holidays at home, and both he and Mrs. Carroll motored to Baddeck over the week end to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Carroll.

We have in stock several new designs in Wedding Invitations. Orders filled at once. Phone 29

WEST ARICHAT

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recently.

Mrs. William Boner, Halifax is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Babin, Port Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. Theophile Forgeron, after spending several months in Paris, Franct, in the R.C.AF., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Forgeron, for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Landry of Halifax. are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Paon, of Port Royal, and also Mr. and Mrs. Process Boudreau, West Arichat.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Deroche of Halifax, were motor visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dorey, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Forgeron and family of Halifax visited his brother. Amedee Lavandier for several weeks. Mrs. Forgeron left for Baddeck, where she will spend some time before return-to Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boucher, accompanied by Louis Boucher, of East Harbour Boucher, were motor visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hyacinth Fougere, on Sunday.

Charlie Boudreau is spending his vacation at the home of his brother, Freddie Boudreau.

Mrs. Donald Melanson visited relatives and friends in Halifax, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Covin and his family of Halifax, were motor visitors at the homes of relatives and friends over the week-end.

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

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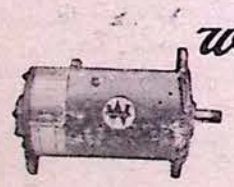
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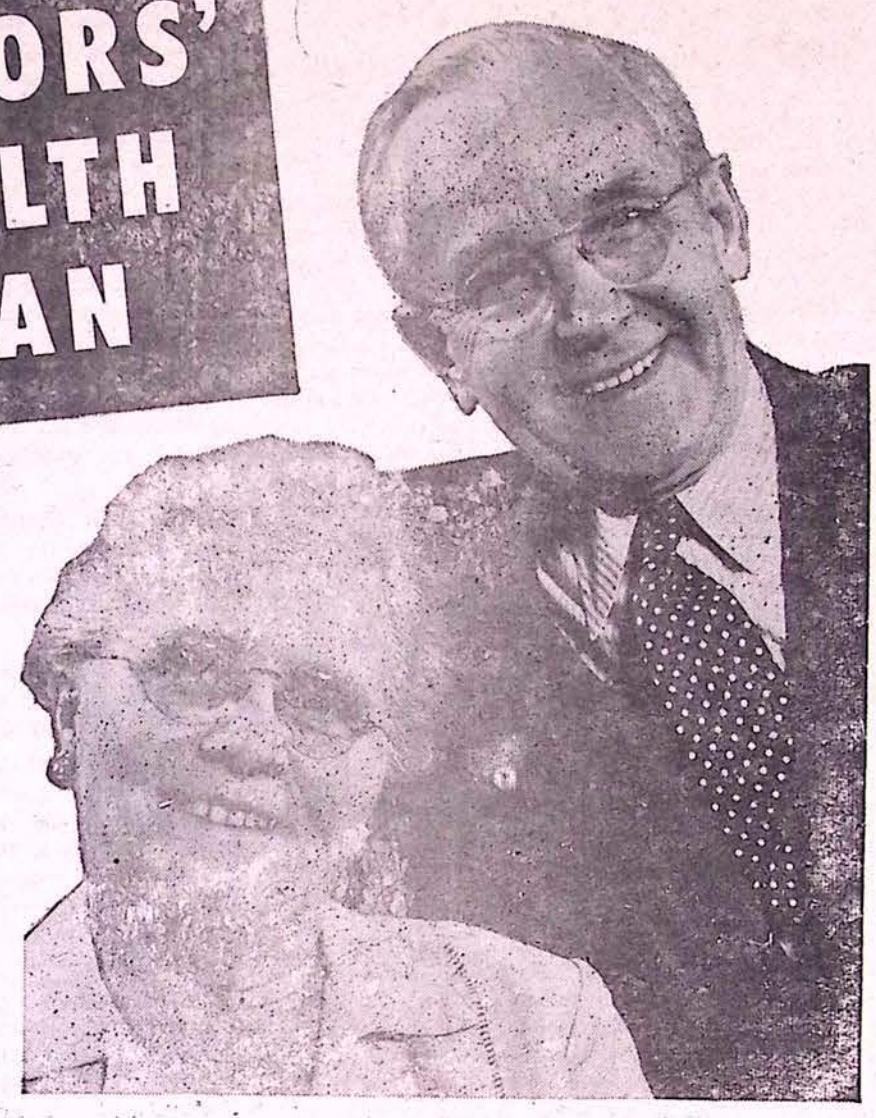
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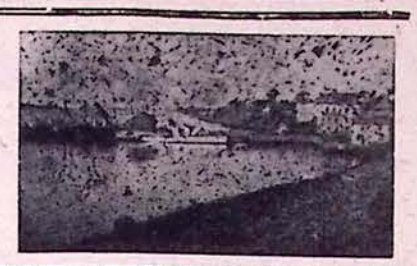
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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



Returns to Duty

Mrs. Leo Marchand, has returned to her duties as assistant postmistress, at the local Post Office, after spending her annual holidays. Mrs. Marchand and her two children, Claudette and Marcelle, spent a few days in Sydney.

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From Truro

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bourinot of Truro, accompanied by his sister, Laura, who was visiting them for the past month, were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.J. Bourinot.

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Miss Marlene Landry is visiting from Halifax a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landry.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. Peter Gordon Boudreau, of the Royal Canadian Navy, wishes to announce that he will be opening a Bakery Shop in the near future at Petit de Grat. Mr. Boudreau has been a cook and baker for the past several years in the Royal Canadian Navy.

He proposes to carry on a delivery service of bakery products, bread ,rolls, cakes and all kinds of French Pastry. This service will be available to Stores, Restaurants, Hotels, etc., throughout Richmond County and bordering towns and villages.

Watch for further announcements.

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On Holidays

Mrs. Mildred Ducharme, our local postmistress, is on her annual holidays and left for Corner Brook, Nfld., accompanied by her daughter, Donna. They will visit Mrs. Ducharme's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence (Buddy) Power.

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From Truro

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chapin Robertson, and daughters, Mrs. Allan Butler, (Helen), and daughter, Ann; Mrs. Harold Harris (Gwendolyn), and daughter, Jane, and a little son, spent a few days here recently at the home of Mrs. Robertson's sister and brother, Laura and Ralph Cutler.

Both Helen and Gwendolyn are spending the summer holidays with their parents in Truro.

On Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Langlois of Brooklyn, Mass. have spent the past three weeks visiting Mr. Langlois' mother, Mrs. Alfred Langlois, and other relatives in D'Escousse.

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From Halifax

Mr. and Mrs. Bonaventure Poirier, of Halifax, attended the funeral of their daughter, Mrs. Leonard LeBlanc.

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BORN— To Mr. and Mrs. James A. Dickie, the former Marion Bourinot, at St. Martha's Hospital Antigonish, a daughter, Beverly Margaret, on July 26th.

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From Alma

Mrs. Alvin Whyte, of Alma, N.S., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Flora Cutler, were recent motor visitors to Miss Laura Cutler, Ralph Cutler and the Misses Mary and Ella Cutler.

Former residents of West Arichat, their many friends here are always glad to see Helen and her mother.

For some years the late Clem Cutler and daughter, Helen conducted a successful groecry business at Tracadie, N.S., and later took up residence in Truro.

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From Bradford, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Power, and daughter, Patricia, and the latter's friend, Susan O'Brien from Bradford, Mass., were visiting in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hureau. Pat is an instructor of printing and manual training in a Massachusetts High School. Also visiting with them were Mr. and Mrs. John Berens of Cohasset, Mass.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
NOVA SCOTIA
Supplementary Provincial Examinations
1960

STATIONS

Supplementary examinations will be conducted at the following centres:

Antigonish (St. Andrew Rural High School)
Baddeck (Rural High School) New Glasgow (High School)
Bridgetown (Regional High School
Digby (Regional High School) Oxford (Regional High School)
Guysboro (Academy) St. Peter's (High School)
Halifax (St. Patrick's High School
Inverness (High School) Shelburne (Regional High School)
Kentville (Kings County Academy)
Sherbrooke, (St. Mary's Rural High School)
Liverpool (Regional High School) Sydney (Academy)
Lunenburg (Academy) Windsor (High School)
Truro (Colchester County Academy
Yarmouth (High School)

REGULATIONS

Regulatons covering the supplementary examinations on pages 62 and 63 of the Education Office Gazette for March, 1960, and are attached.

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Monday, August 22, 1960

	XII		XI	
9 a.m.	History	9:00-11:30	History	9:00-11:30
	German	9:00-11:30	Grman	9:00-11:30
2 p.m.	Physics	2:00-400	Chemistry	2:00-4:00
	Latin	2:00-5:00	Latin	2:00-4:30

Tuesday, August 23, 1960

	XII		GRADE XI	
9 a.m.	English (a)	9:00-11:30	English (a)	9:00-12:00
	Grammar of Music	9:00-11:30	Grammar of Music	9:00-11:00
2 p.m.	Chemistry	2:00-11:00	Economics	2:00-4:30
	Geology	2:00-4:00	Household Science	2:00-4:00

Wednesday, August 24, 1960

	XII		XI	
9 a.m.	English (b)	9:00-11:30	English (b)	9:00-11:30
	Social Problems	9:00-11:30		
2 p.m.	French	2:00-4:30	French	2:00-4:30
	Biology	2:00-4:00	Agriculture	2:00-3:30

hursday, August 25, 1960

	XII		XI	
9 a. m.	Algebra	9:00-11:00	Algebra	9:00-11:00
	Agriculture	9:00-10-30	Physics	9:00-11:00
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After the branch line was opened to St. Peters it was transferred at Point Tupper and brought to Grand Anse. From the south side of Lennox Passage it was delivered to the Arichat Post Office by horse and sleigh, sometimes by wagon, arriving locally in the late evenings.

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Philip J. Fiott. 1911-1920.
M.S. Binet(acting). 1920-1922.
Jas. M. Power. 1922-1955.
Mrs. Daisy Power(acting). 1955-1956.
Mrs. M. Ducharme. 1956-

I have been unable to determine when the first post office was built, but it is shown on a detailed map of Arichat dated 1886. It was located slightly to the east of the present one, approximately where the roadway leads to the government wharf It was demoished after the present one was built in the early 1900's.

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