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Ramblings In The Past

By OLD TIMER

The election for the Twenty-Second Assembly was held 28 May 1863, convened 4 Feb. 1864. Elected for Richmond County were ISAAC LEVESCONTE and WILLIAM MILLER. Isaac LeVesconte was born 12 Aug. 1822 at St. Aubins, Island of Jersey. Son of Peter and Jane (Malzard) LeVesconte. Educated at St. Heliers Parsonage House Academy. Married 21 Aug. 1843 to Caroline Susan, daughter of John Jean of Arichat, N. S. Merchant and Sailor. A Liberal Conservative. Was a member of the Executive Council as Financial Secretary from 11 June 1863 to 12 Dec. 1864. Was elected as an M. P. and served at Ottawa from 1869-1874. Spanish Consular Agent at Arichat and a Lieut.-Colonel in the Militia. Resided at Arichat where he died 26 Oct. 1879.

William Miller was born 12 Feb. 1834 at Antigonish, N. S., the son of Charles and Eliza (Smith) Miller. Educated at St. Andrew's Grammar School and Antigonish Academy. Married Oct. 1871 to Anne, daughter of the Hon. James Cochran, M. L. A. of Halifax. Lawyer. Q. C. 1872. Served as M. L. A. 1863-1867. Party-Reformer, Confederate and later became a Liberal Conservative. It was on his initiative and with his assistance that the compromise was effected in the N. S. Assembly whereby the delegation to England was appointed in 1866 for the Westminister Conference. Confederation in 1867 was the result of this conference. Appointed to the Senate in 1867. He was Speaker of the Senate from 1883-1887. Member of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada from 30 May 1891 until his death. Resided at Arichat and Halifax N. S. Died at Ottawa 23 Feb. 1912.

The election of the Twenty-Third Assembly was held on 18 Sept. 1867, convened 30 Jan. 1868. Elected as representatives for Richmond County were EDMUND POWER FLYNN and JOSIAH HOOPER. Edmund Power Flynn was born in Cape Breton 19 Aug. 1828. Married 8 Feb. 1888 to Bessie, daughter of Albert G. Fuller of Arichat. Merchant. Party-Liberal Conservative. Represented Richmond County 1867 -1874. Member of the Executive Council: without Portfolio from 7 Nov. 1867-1871; and as Commissioner of Crown Lands from April 8 1871 to 20 Feb. 1874. Was elected to Ottawa in 1874-1882 and again in 1887-1891. Coroner for Richmond County from 1863 and Collecter of Customs from 1897 until his death. Resided at Arichat where he died 26 Jan. 1900.

Josiah Hooper was born 14 April 1807 in Bristol, Eng. Merchant and Shipbuilder. Justice of the Peace. Representated Richmond 1867-1871. Resided at Arichat. Died in Halifax, N. S. 24 April 1878.

The election for the Twenty-Fourth Assembly was held 16 May 1871, convened 22 Feb. 1872. EDMUND POWER FLYNN was re-elected but resigned his seat to contest the federal general election. He was succeeded by CHARLES BOUDROT, elected in a by-election 4 March 1874. Was sworn in on 17 March 1874. Born at Arichat in 1822. Married to Charlotte Forest. Master Mariner. Represented the County from 1874 to 1878. An Independent. Appointed to the Legislative Council in 1878. Justice of the Peacce from 1857 until his death. Resided at Arichat. Died 30 June 1883 at Liscomb, Guys. Co.

The other member elected for Richmond County in 1871 was MURDOCH MCRAE. Born 4 Nov. 1846 at St. George's Channel, Rich. Co. Son of Donald McRae of Loch Alsh, Ross-shire, Scotland. Married 15 Feb. 1872 to Mary Euphemia, daughter of Lachlin McDougall, Whycocomagh N. S. Merchant and Municipal Councillor for Rich. Co. Independent Liberal. Served 1871-1878; 1882-1886. Resided at St. Peter's where he died 9 March 1909.

The election for the Twenty-Fifth Assembly was held 17 Dec. 1874,convened 11 March 1875. The two sitting members for Richmond County, MURDOCH MCRAE and CHARLES BOUDROT, were re-elected.

The election of the Twenty-Sixth Assembly was held 17 Sept. 1878, convened 6 March 1879. ISIDORE LEBLANC and ALEXANDER MCCUISH were elected for Richmond County. Isidore LeBlanc was born at Arichat 30 Nov. 1837, the son of Peter and Barbara (Landry) LeBlanc. Married to Seraphine, daughter of Simon Babin. General merchant, commission merchant and ship broker. Agent for Underwriters and Shipping Insurance Companies. Notary Public. Justice of the Peace. Represented the county 1878-1886. A Liberal. Served on the Executive Council from 18 Feb. 1883 to June 1886. Appointed to the Legislative Council 10 March 1887. Resided at Arichat where he died 26 June 1919.

Alexander McCuish was born 3 Jan. 1843 at Loch Lomond, C. B., the son of Archibald and Jane (McDonald) McCuish, from North Uist, Scotland. Married 1 April 1872 to Jessie Ann, daughter of Angus McPhee, Inv. Co., Farmer, merchant and ship owner. Justice of the Peace. Represented the county 1878-1882. A Liberal Conservative. Resided at St. Peter's, Rich. Co. Place and date of death not recorded.

The election for the Twenty-Seventh Assembly was held 20 June 1882, convened 8 Feb. 1883. Elected for Richmond County were ISIDORE LEBLANC. one of the sitting members. and MURDOCH MCRAE, who had previously represented the County from 1871 to 1878.

The election for the Twenty-

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A trophy donated by Mr. Joseph V. Boudreau, Merchant, of Arichat, for the team winning the most games in the Richmond County Intermediate League. In the photo Mr. Boudreau is seen presenting the trophy to Rev. Father MacDougall, who received it on behalf of the St. Peters Royals, Richmond County Champions for 1960.

The Arichat Baseball Team



The above is a photo of the Arichat Baseball team, sponsored by the Arichat Athletic Club, the first organized club in Arichat in 20 years. This club played in the newly organized Intermediate League under the name of the Richmond County Continental League sponsored by Knights of Columbus. Four teams made up the League: St. Peters Royals; Louisdale Bearcats; Arichat Athletic; Petit de Grat Blue Birds.

ARICHAT TEAM: Back row, left to right: Manager and Coach—Lorenzo Boudreau; Club President and Asst. Coach—Francis J. Martell; Team Captain — Richard Gordon; Second row, left to right: Conrad (Butch) Bouchard, fielder; Hubert Doyle, Catcher; Gerald David, fielder; Andrew LeBlanc, 2nd. base; Joseph Boudreau, centre field; Aurel David, left field; Bottom row left to right: Skip Hatch, short stop; Leonard DeCoste, pitcher; Ulysses David, pitcher; Bernard Marchand, 3rd. base. Not in photo, George Kehoe and Frank Bona.

The bat boys were:- Don Boudreau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Boudreau and Bob Martell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Martell.

Arichat won in the semi-finals against the Blue Birds and advanced against the St. Peters Royals in the finals. The Royals emerging the victors.

A Banquet for the Continental League will be held at St. Peters on October 28th at which time the presentation of the Trophy will be made the St. Peters Royal Club.

At the same time a presentation of the Junior League Trophy will be made to L'Ardoise, the winners. Other teams that took part in the Richmond County Junior Baseball League were: L'Ardoise; St. Peters; Louisdale; Arichat; Petit de Grat. Arichat played against L'Ardoise in the finals. L'Ardoise were the winners.

Successful Candidates at Provincial Examinations from Arichat And West Arichat Schools

ARICHAT HIGH SCHOOL
PASS LIST 1960

The following pupils of O. L. A. Convent, Arichat, were successful in the Provincial Examinations 1960:—

GRADE XII

Roma Boudreau
Wilfred Boudreau
Donna Bowen

GRADE XI

Marilyn Boucher
Armand Boudreau
Danny Doyle
Sonny Edwards
Vernie Fougere
Danny Landry
Miriam Reddy

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WEST ARICHAT SCHOOL
GRADE XI PASS LIST

Donna Marie Jollymore
Monicia Ann Forgeron
Joseph Arthur LeBlanc

Miss Jollymore and Miss Forgeron have entered Mount St. Bernard, Antigonish, where they will take up secretarial courses. Joseph Arthur LeBlanc has entered St. F. X. University, Antigonish.

We thank the Rev. Sisters of both the Arichat and West Arichat Convents for supplying us with the names of the successful candidates at the 1960 Provincial Examinations.

The Record congratulates the young students of both the Arichat and West Arichat Schools and wish them continued success in their future studies.

We gladly welcome news from every school in the County and invite all teachers or school correspondents to send along the happenings in their respective school sections. News of this nature is of great importance and interest to our readers.

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The training of chidren is a profession, where we must know how to lose time in order to gain it.

—Jean Jacques Rousseau

West Arichat

Those who have entered St. F. X. for the coming term are: Donna Jollymore, Conrad Poirier, Monica Forgeron and Arthur LeBlanc.

We wish them every success.

Friends of Mrs. Gaston Fougere will be glad to learn she is resting comfortably after undergoing an operation at the V. G. Hospital at Halifax. All hope for a speedy and complete recovery.

Felix Linden has returned from Ontario where he attended the funeral of his brother Arthur which took place the past week. We extend our sympathy to Mr. Linden in the passing of his beloved brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecille Brine of Halifax are spending several weeks visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Meunier.

Mrs. Rose Forgeron returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Halifax.

Mrs. Raymond Meunier and her son left for Halifax to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Capt. and Mrs. Amedee LeBlanc, daughter, Judy and son, Paul, have returned to East Boston, Mass., after spending several weeks visiting relatives and friends at Port Royal.

Mrs. James Whynott of Montrea, Que., was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Forgeron.

Sonny Burton accompanied by Juilette Meunier were motor visitors to Auld's Cove at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burton.

Amedee LaVandier was a recent motor visitor to Cheticamp.

Adolphe Doiron visited relatives and friends at Halifax for several days the past week.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Boudreau on the recent birth of a daughter at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish. A little sister for Bonnie.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Magnusson whose marriage took place at St. Theresa's Church, Halifax. Mrs. Magnusson is the former, Mary Dora Gerrior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gerrior of West Arichat. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Magnusson of Winnipeg. They will reside at Halifax.

Mrs. Alzear Fougere, Halifax, visited relatives and friends during the week, as a guest of Mrs. Leo Forgeron.

Mrs. Irene Fougere, Petit de Grat and her two sons were motor visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fougere on Sunday.

Sonny Burton, Arichat, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meunier and family visited relatives at Port Malcolm on Sunday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd MacDonald, Janvrin's Harbour, a daughter, on Monday, Sept 19th, at St. Martha's Hospital, Antigonish.

Mr. and Mrs. Arcade Theriault are motor visitors from Ottawa, Ont., and are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amedee Theriault, Port Royal; also at the home of Mrs Theriault's sister, Mrs. (Capt) Clarence Forgeron, West Arichat.

We are glad to report that Peter Covin who entered the V. G. Hospital, Halifax for surgery, is much improved and is now back home again.

Wedding

BOUDREAU—GERARD

A very pretty wedding took place in the Immaculate Conception Church, West Arichat, when Rev. A. Doucet performed the double ring ceremony, uniting Marie Anna, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gerard to Joseph Rudolph Boudreau, only son of Mr. and Mrs. David Boudreau of Petit De Grat.

The bride was a picture of loveliness as she entered the church on the arm of her father, by whom she was given in marriage.

Her floor length gown of white nylon lace over net was styled with a square neckline and smoothly fitted bodice sprinkled with sequins, and long sleeves tapered to points at the wrists. Her shoulder length veil of nylon net was held in place by a headpiece of sequins and rhinestones.

She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Myrtle Doiron was maid of honor and wore a yellow dress of nylon lace over net ballerina length with matching accessories. She carried a noségay of white and yellow carnations. Attending as best man was Omar Samson a friend of the groom. A reception followed the wedding, and was held at the home of the groom to over a hundred guests. Father Doucet proposed a toast to the bride after which the groom responded.

They received many valuable gifts including a sum of money.

Following the wedding reception, the happy couple left on their honeymoon trip to New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island. For going away the bride choose a red velvet dress with a corsage of white roses and beige accessories, and Silver Grey fur jacket, a gift of the groom.

On their return they will reside in Petit De Grat, where the groom is Manager of Atlantic Fisheries, and the bride is on the staff of St. Anne's Hospital in Arichat.

We join with their many friends in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

DR. H. D. LAND

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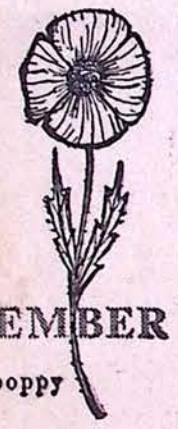
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K. O. C. COUNCIL NAME OFFICERS

The Laurence Kavanagh K. O. C. Council has named the following officers for the 1960-1961 term: Grand Knight—Edwin Power, Arichat; Deputy Grand Knight — A. D. Rankin, St. Peter's; Chancellor—Pat McCarthy, Lower River Inhabitants; Recorder — Paul MacDonnell, St. Peter's; Treasurer—Hyacinth Samson' Petit DeGrat; Lecturer—Leo Gallant, Arichat; Advocate — Ernest A. Martell, L'Ardoise; Warden — Victor Kyte, Port Hastings; Chaplain—Father A. Doucet, West Arichat; Inside Guard — John E. LeBrun, Arichat and Outside Guard —Fred Dorey, River Bourgeois. The financial secretary is J. W. Corbett, Arichat.

At the regular meeting held in the Kavanagh K. O. C. Hall, St. Peter's, it was announced that the Midget Baseball Shield and the Intermediate Baseball Shield had been won by L'Ardoise and St. Peter's respectively. Both shields have been donated by the Council.

Chaplain A. Doucet announced plans for a semi-closed Spiritual Retreat for Knights which will take place at West Arichat on Odtober 14th, 15th and 16th. Retreat Master will be the Worthy State Chaplain, Monsignor Theriault, Yarmouth.



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WEDDING

PITTS — MacDOUGALL

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, New Glasgow was the scene of a pretty wedding when Mary-Alice J. MacDougall, daughter of Mr and Mrs Murdoch MacDougall of that town, was united in marriage to Alvan Russell Pitts son of Capt. and Mrs Herbert A Pitts of Arlington, Mass.

Rev. Hugh MacDougall OMI of Ottawa, cousin of the bride, performed the double ring ceremony following which he read the papal blessing. Serving the nuptial mass with Father MacDougall were Dennis Keay and Jerry Boudreau. Also present was Father MacDonald, Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Given in marriage by her father the bride looked charming in her gown of silk organza with a fitted bodice, scooped neckline and short draped sleeves. A motif of lilies of the valley on lace appliques trimmed the bodice and repeated on her bell-shaped skirt which ended in a chapel train. The bride chose a crown of orange blossoms to complete her elbow length silk illusion veil. Her bouquet consisted of red baccara roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Therese MacDougall, sister of the bride, wore a ballerina length white eyelet over aqua silk dress with matching shoes and wide brimmed hat and was the maid of honor. She carried a basket of pink shasta daisies.

The bridesmaids, Mrs. Wm. Nolan, New Glasgow, cousin of the bride and Miss Marquerite Angelo, West Newton, Mass., wore identical outfits in contrasting pink with aqua shasta daisies.

Donald Welsh, Chelmsford,, Mass., a classmate of the groom was best man. Ushering duties were performed by Raymond MacDougall, brother of the bride, and Paul Hould, cousin of the bride, both of New Glasgow.

Miss Priscilla Pitts, of Arlington, Mass., sister of the groom, passed the guest book at the reception at the Norfolk Hotel, New Glasgow, following the ceremony.

The bride's mother wore old rose taffeta and gray lace with hat to match. She carried baby pink roses. The groom's mother who chose leaf green lace over satin with matching accessories, carried white flowers.

The bride is a graduate of St. Martha's Hospital School of Nursing, Antigonish, and the groom is a graduate of Boston College where he played varsity hockey.

The groom has many relatives in Inverness and Richmond Counties. He is a grandson of Margaret McIsaac Whelan, originally of Blackstone, and a grand nephew of John Benoit of Arichat, Richmond County as well as the late John and Daniel McIsaac of Inverness County.

The bride's father is a native of Christmas Island while her mother hails from New Glasgow.

THANK YOU

Senior Citizens!

Your response to our New Senior's Health Plan has been most gratifying.

Due to the thousands of applications received during the past few weeks our staff will not be able to have all membership cards in the mail before coverage begins on October 1st. We sincerely hope that this delay will not inconvenience you too greatly and wish to assure you that everything possible is being done to complete our mailings within the next few days.

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Petit de Grat

Mr. and Mrs. George Boudreau of Halifax motored here for the holiday week-end and were guests of Mrs. Harry Boudreau and daughter, Viola; also Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Boudreau.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrard Terrio and family of Halifax, were week-end guests of relatives and friends here.

Rev. John MacDonald, Parish Priest, motored to Antigonish on Wednesday to visit his father, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Landry and daughter, Mrs. Bennie Landry, motored to Antigonish on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark A. Boudreau and little daughter, Colleen, have moved to Sydney where they will take up residence in that city. Mr. Boudreau is employed by the Irving Oil Co. Their many friends wish them every success.

Mrs. Fulbert Boudreau, accompanied by Mrs. Remie Boudreau, Mrs. Amadee Boudreau and Mrs. Alzear David, motored to Sydney on Wednesday. While in the city they visited Mr. and Mrs. Mark Boudreau and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martell. They report having spent an enjoyable afternoon.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Dorothy Roache is laid up with the grippe. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

(We were obliged to hold the remainder of Petit de Grat News, for next issue due to lack of space.—Editor.)

Notice to Hog Producers

The hog producers of Inverness, Victoria, Cape Breton, and Richmond are being asked to vote on the question of extending the provisions of the Nova Scotia Hog Marketing Plan to their respective counties.

This plan applies only to shippers of live hogs to packing plants and does not apply to producers who supply local markets.

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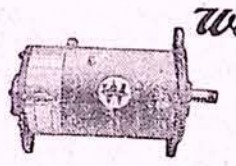
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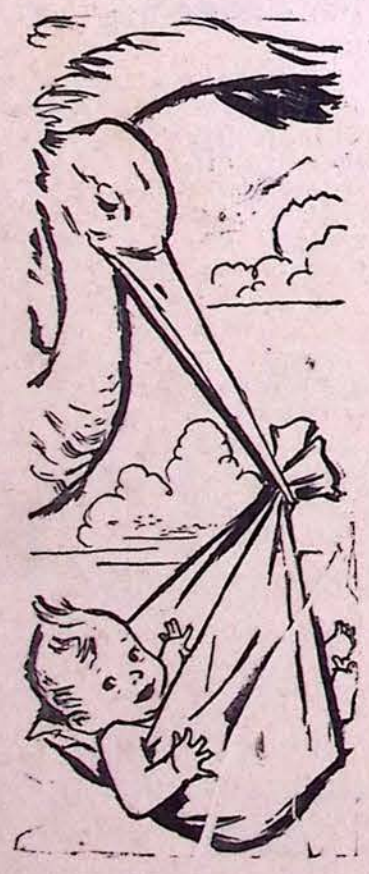
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The Wreck Of The Marshall Frank

(Not so many years ago the big banker, Marshall Frank, a schooner built in Lunenburg and later sold in Newfoundland, was wrecked off Framboise shoals with the loss of five fishermen. Kennie MacAskill of Point Michaud, composed the following verses which have been kindly sent to the Record.—Ed.)

Come listen to my story
Pray lend to me an ear,
It's of those hardy men from Newfoundland
With hearts that knew no fear.
They left their berth on the fishing banks
A westerly course to steer,
But came to grief on that treacherous reef
Their good ship did not clear.

All people that do live on shore
How will we ever know,
The dangers of the ocean
While we are safe on shore
While we did sleep in slumber deep,
And for awhile our worries o'er,
Five brave lads were dying hard
All off Framboise shore.

The Marshall Frank was as strong a ship
As ever sailed the foam,
On that ill-fated night she left the banks
With Halifax as her goal.
She was strongly built in Lunenburg
Of one hundred tons or more,
But her strength did fail when she came to bay
With the rocks off Framboise shore.

With her storm sail set and her fore sail bent,
This gallant ship glides on,
With the wind abeam and and slightly creaned
While her engines hummed a song.
The weather thick with snow and sleet
Whie frost did fill the air,
With an awful crash her timbers smashed
And then her doom was there.

The captain gave orders to his crew
To leave the ship at once,
With foaming breakers all around
They thought their life was spent.
With seamanship they worked their way through
And went to sea once more,
To God above they prayed for light
So they could see the shore.

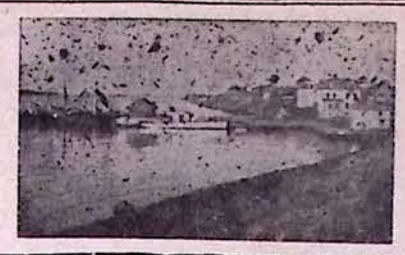
All through the night they were tossed about
And circled 'round and 'round,
The dory they missed was number six,
It was nowhere to be found.
With gloomy faces they knew thier fate
They heard oh! not a sound,
Down in their hearts they knew too well
That five brave men had drowned.

Five brave men from Newfoundland
Their toil on earth is o'er
There is nothing left but broken hearts
With loved ones that do mourn.
We hope that God above has piloted them on
To a brighter and happier shore
Where no one weeps and loved ones meet
And never part no more.
And now to end my story
I'm bound to let you know
What did remain of five brave men
Where picked up on the shore.
They were taken back to their native land
And loved ones that do mourn
And given decent burial
In the land that they adore.

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NEWS ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY



POPPY CAMPAIGN

Irving Latimer, of this place is poppy campaign chairman, for Branch 150 Canadian Legion, Petit de Grat. The branch requests that everyone help Comrade Latmer reach his objective before November 11th.

Mr. Latimer reports good progress in the sale of wreaths and looks forward to an even greater sale of poppies this year. Contact Mr. Latimer if you need poppies for your district and by so doing you will be helping our disabled veterans.

"A poppy on every coat lapel", should be the objective of both young and old, to commerate the supreme sacrifice made by Canadians in two World Wars.

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85th. BIRTHDAY

We extend congratulations to Mrs. Andrew LeBlanc, who celebrated her 85th birthday anniversary on September 25th. Members of her family gathered at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vigneau, with whom she resides, to extend congratulations and to present her with gifts to mark the occasion. Present were her sons and daughters and her grandchildren; also Mrs. Louis Mury of West Arichat.

Members of her family residing in Arichat are: Mrs. Sam Vigneau, Aline; Amedee, Edward and Albert LeBlanc; also Mrs. Charlie Muise, (Cecil) and Mrs. Al. Mangeau, (Isabelle) both of Boston, Mass; Joseph of Boston and Mrs. White, (Lillian), of Halifax.

We join with Mrs. LeBlanc's many friends in wishing her many more happy anniversaries.

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CURATE IS FETED BY C. W. L. COUCIL

Rev. Douglas J. Murphy, Curate at St. Joseph's Parish, Petit DeGrat for the past 3 months was honoured by the members of C.W.L. Council, prior to his departure for St. Ann's Parish, in Glace Bay.

Mrs. Louis Samson, President of the C.W.L. read an address in French and presented a French Bible to Fr. Murphy who expressed his gratitude to all the members and said he was most pleasantly surprised and that he would have many happy memories of his stay in St. Joseph's Parish and that he would pray for all.

Refreshments were then served in the basement of the Parish Hall, by the Entertainment Committee, followed by games and a sing-song with Rev. Mother Andre as diredtor, accompanied by Rev. Sister Marie D'Emmanuel. Everyone enjoyed the evening.

Rev. John McDonald succeeds Father Murphy. He was previously posted at Little Bras D'Or, as curate to Father Kyte in that parish.

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E. C. Doyle, Arichat, N. S, Oct. 1st, 1960.

New Machine Not Ready for Shipment

Our Model 14 Linotype which was due to arrive early in October, is not ready for shipment and we hope that before the month is ended the new machine will be in operation.

Until this new machine arrives, we will have interruptions in publication, and ask our readers to bear with us a little longer.

We hesitate to put major repairs on our old linotype, and decided to purchase a bigger and more modern machine to look after our typesetting requirements, the biggest factor in the production of a newspaper.

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Attend Laymen's Meeting

A meeting of the Anglican Laymen's Council of Nova Scotia held recently at the new Anglican Centre, located on the property of All Saints Cathedral, Halifax, was attended by Rev. Douglas Woodhams; M. J. Bourinot and Cline Bourinot, of Arichat; also Mr. MacMillan, of Port Hawkesbury, delegates from St. John's Parish.

The meeting was presided over by Council President, Eric Balcolm, of Wolfville.

The guest speaker was Bishop Stokes, of Massachusetts, who delivered a brilliant address on the work of Laymen.

While on this trip we were the guests of our very good friends, Col. the Rev. William Rippon, and Mrs. Rippon at French Village. Col. Rippon, was at one time the beloved Rector of St. John's Parish, Arichat.

Both the Col. and Mrs. Rippon wish to be remembered to all old friends and former parishioners on Isle Madame.

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Left For England

Rev. Douglas Woodhams, priest in-charge of St. John's Anglican Parish at Arichat, left for England to resume his studies at Cambridge University, England. He was ordained at St. John's Church, Arichat by Rt. Rev. Bishop Waterman in June last.

Prior to his departure a presentation of a sum of money was made Rev. Woodhams, when parishioners from St. John's at Arichat; St. George's, Cape La Ronde and Holy Trinity, Port Hawkesbury, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mauger, of Cape La Ronde, where the presentation took place.

Rev. Woodhams has the best wishes of the parishioners for continued success and happiness.

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FRED LeNOIR

The highly respected and much beloved, , Fred LeNoir, passed away on September 20th, at White Rock, B. C., after an illness of three months, having been a patient in hospital during most of that period.

Fred, was a native of Arichat, and was the son of very prominent residents on both sides of his parental ancestory. Retiring from the employ of the Dominion Steel and Coal Corp., where he was an Inspector of steel, in various branches of the Company, he took up residence in White Rock, B. C., where the climate was better suited to his health. Fred never lost connection with his native Arichat, where he spent many of his summer holidays and we all looked forward to these visits and shall always cherish the memory of our departed friend.

Surviving besides his wife is a sister, Mrs. Annette Fixott, of Guest House, Antigonish. To both we extend our sincere sympathy.

Sheriff D.O'C. Madden of this town and Miss Sally Madden of Sydney are cousins of the deceased.

SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Rev. Professor C. W. Stone, of King's College, Halifax, will be the celebrant at Holy Communion, in St. John's Anglican Church, Arichat, on Sunday, October 23rd, at 11 a.m.

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Welcome Visitors

We were pleasantly surprised recently to have a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Power, of Needham, Mass. Their daughter accompanied them as far as Antigonish, where she entered St. F. X. University. While in that town they visited Rev. Father Gillis, a brother of Mrs. Power.

Vincent is the son of the late Sheriff and Mrs. James Power of this town and always enjoys his visits to his old home, however, we do regret that Mr. and Mrs. Power had such a short stay. Before returning home they visited Mrs. Power's home in Inverness.

Vincent operates Power Cabinet Shop, Inc., at Needham, Mass., where he produces Custom made kitchen cabinets,, book cases, china closets and interior trim as well as Formica Tops.

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Appointed Clerk Treasurer

Raymond LeBlanc, Assistant Clerk of the Municipality of Richmond for the past year, was appointed Clerk-Treasurer, at a recent special meeting of Council to replace J. A. Flood, who resigned, and has since taken up a position in Halifax.

Coun. Leo Gracie of Lower L'Ardoise, was appointed Assistant Clerk, after resigning his seat in Council for the district of L'Ardoise.

Mrs. Martin Boudreau, an employee at the Municipal Office for many years, has been appointed Manager of the Municipal School Board.

Warden Byron S. Langley, presided over the special meeting.

We extend congratulations to the newly appointed officers of the Municipality, and wish them every success on their arduous duties.

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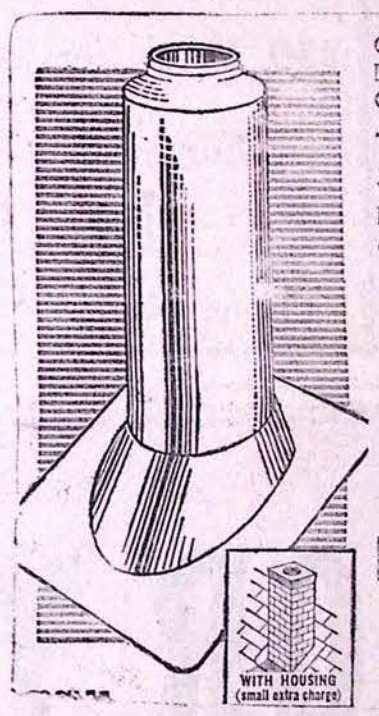
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Ramblings In the Past

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Eighth Assembly was held 15 June 1886, convened 10 March 1887. JOSEPH MATHESON and DAVID A. HEARN were elected members for Richmond County. Joseph Matheson was born 7 May 1833 at Grand River, C. B. Parents were from Ross-shire, Scotland and came to Cape Breton in 1919. Married 22 March 1864 to Sarah Maria, daughter of Josiah Hooper, M. L. A. Merchant, Postmaster 1866-1886. Represented Rich. Co. 1886 to 1897. Elected as an M. P. to Ottawa in 1900. Served from 1900 to 1904. A Liberal. Resided at Lower | L'Ardoise, C. B. Died at L'Ardoise, Rich. Co., 23 Sept. 1915.

David A. Hearn was born at Arichat 14 Feb 1853, the son of James and Isabella (Campbell) Hearn. Educated at Arichat Academy. Married Aug. 1879 to Elizabeth Ida, daughter of Francis Quinan, Sydney, N. S., a niece of Senator William Miller. Lawyer. School Commissioner 1879; Census Commissioner 1881; County Solicitor 1882 -1883; Municipal Councillor 1884-1886. Represented Rich. Co. 1886-1890. A Liberal-Conservative. Resided at Arichat until about 1902 and then at Sydney, N. S. Died at Sydney, N. S. 9 March 1920.

The election for the Twenty-Ninth Assembly was held 21 May 1890, convened 2 April 1891. JOSEPH MATHESON was re-elected for Richmond County. The other representative elected was ABRAHAM LEBLANC. Born 17 Jan. 1840 at Port Royal, C. B. Married Zabine, daughter of Gilbert Forrest, Arichat, N. S. Merchant and shipmaster. Represented Rich. Co. 1890-1894. A Liberal. Resided at Arichat where he died 24 Oct. 1913.

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