

TRANSCRIPT

HUNTINGTON DIARY 1960

List of residents and former residents of the Town of Louisbourg who died at Louisbourg or elsewhere during 1960.

Mrs. (Capt.) John Tutty, Jan 10
John Holland, Louisbourg, Jan. 15
James M. MacRury, Sydney, Feb. 27
James Dickson, Sydney, March 28
Mrs. John A. MacGillivray, California, June 14
Mrs. Samuel Fiander, Louisbourg, July 2
Samuel Levy, Sydney, Aug. 13
John D. Nicholson, Glace Bay, Aug. 18
Arthur L. Burke, Sydney, Nov. 18
Mrs. A.L. Bates, Sydney, Nov. 22
Arthur M. Townsend, Louisbourg, Dec. 17

JANUARY 1960

Friday 1

New Year's Day

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, and moderately cold with moderate to fresh northwest wind and a few snow flurries.

Snowfall about ½ inch. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 30.

Ground covered by about 4 inches of snow.

In addition to the members of our own household, consisting of Evelyn Huntington, (my sister-in-law,) her daughter Jane and myself we had as our guest for dinner and supper John B. Johnson. He has been our guest at Christmas and New Year for many years.

A General Holiday

JANUARY 1960

Saturday 2

Louisbourg, N.S. |

Cloudy, and cold with sunny intervals. Light northwest wind. A very nice early, winter day.

Min. temperature 13. Max. temperature 28 .

JANUARY 1960

Sunday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with moderate to fresh southwest wind increasing until heavy gale force was reached in the evening. Light intermittent showers and drizzle of rain during the day. Heavy showers at night, heavy gale continued during the night. Min. temperature 18. Max temperature. 44.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose. M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning, about 80, in the evening 27. Choir attendance

JANUARY 1960

Monday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Heavy gale and rain ended in the early morning. Partly clear during the forenoon. Cloudy in the afternoon and night. Very light snow flurries in the afternoon. Light, to moderate northwest wind. Snowfall of today about ¼ inch.

Snow that had fallen previously, all disappeared as a result of the high temperature and rain of yesterday with the exception of a few very small patches. Gale of yesterday and last night is reported to have a velocity of 85 miles per hour. Min. temperature 32. Max temperature 44.

JANUARY 1960

Tuesday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.]

Sunny with cloudy intervals and a few light snow flurries, moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 13. Max. temperature 32.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 1:30 P.M. trip of the LeBlanc bus. Made a few business calls in the city, and returned on the bus leaving Sydney at 4:30 P.M.

Week of Prayer

At 7:15 P.M. attended the second in the series of "Week of Prayer" service which was held in the First United Church. Service in charge of the Pastor Rev., John L. Rose M. A., while Rev. [blank] Gales Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was the Guest Preacher. About 60 persons present. Choir attendance 7.

JANUARY 1960

Wednesday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with a few cloudy intervals. Moderate to fresh Northwest wind. Snowfall of about 2 ½ inches in the early morning. Min. temperature 12. Max temperature 22.

Week of Prayer Service

At 7:15 P.M., attended the third in the series of "Week of Prayer" which was held in St. Bartholomew Anglican Church. Service conducted by Rector Rev. [blank] Logan with Rev. [blank] Mahan secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society as the guest preacher.

Meeting of Official Board

After the close of the week of Prayer Service I attended a meeting of the official board of the First United Church which was held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Arthur M Townsend, with Rev. John L. Rose presiding.

JANUARY 1960

Thursday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow in the early morning and snow flurries during the day. Cold, with fresh northwest wind. Cloudy with sunny intervals. Min. temperature 8. Max. temperature 24.

Week of Prayer Service

The fourth in the series of "Week of Prayer" service was held in the Presbyterian Church at 7:15 P.M. Service in charge of Rev. E.S. Habs, the Pastor, with Rev. [blank] Logan of St. Bartholomew Anglican Church as the guest Preacher.

JANUARY 1960

FRIDAY 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cold with light variable winds. Wind becoming southwest in the late afternoon and increasing to strong in the evening. Snow beginning to fall at about 8 P.M. with wind increasing. Min. temperature 4. Max temperature 26.

Week of Prayer Service

At 7:15 P.M. accompanied by Jane Huntington, (my niece) attended the 5th of the series of "Week of Prayer" services which was held in the First United Church and led by the Pastor Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. with Rev. E.S. Habs, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, as guest preacher. About 60 persons present, choir attendance 7.

JANUARY 1960

Saturday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with sunny intervals and a few very light snow flurries. Mild, becoming very cold during the day. Moderate to fresh northwest wind. Min. temperature 2. Max temperature 33.

Snowfall of last night about 3 inches.

JANUARY 1960

Sunday 10

Snow in the early morning and light drizzle of snow during the day. Very cold with moderate to fresh Northwest wind.

Snowfall of last night and today about 3 inches. Min. temperature. 2 below zero. Max. temperature 7.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. accompanied by my niece, (Jane) attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 65, in the evening 25.

The communion of the Lord's supper was dispensed during the morning service.

Death of Mrs. John Tutty [blank]

JANUARY 1960

Monday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few sunny intervals and light snow flurries. Fresh to strong northerly winds. Min. temperature 6. Max temperature 23.

JANUARY 1960

Tuesday 12|

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with sunny intervals and occasional snow flurries. Fresh to strong north and northwest wind. Min. temperature 6. Max. temperature 22.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John Tutty, widow of the late Captain John E. Tutty. The funeral service was held in the First United Church and conducted by Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. Burial took place in the United Church cemetery (Harbourview).

Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, funeral director, Louisbourg.

JANUARY 1960

Wednesday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with sunny intervals. A few light snow flurries and fresh to strong north and northwest winds. Min. temperature 6. Max. temperature 22.

JANUARY 1960

Thursday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light northwest wind becoming cloudy in the evening. A very lovely winter day. Min. temperature. 18. Max. temperature 28.

JANUARY 1960

Friday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northwest wind, snow flurries all night. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 32.

JANUARY 1960

Saturday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with fresh to strong southwest wind. Snow began to fall at about 8 A.M. and was followed by rain and drizzle at about 10 A.M. Wind continuing strong shifted to southwest and at night to west with freezing temperature. Snowfall about 1 ½ inch. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 36.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral service for the late John Holland which was held in his late home by Rev. John L. Rose, Pastor of the First United Church. Burial took place in Catalone Cemetery. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, funeral director, Louisbourg.

JANUARY 1960

Sunday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the early part of the day, but becoming cloudy at about noon. Snow flurries in the afternoon and evening. Fresh westerly wind shifting to southwest in the afternoon. Min. temperature 28. Max, temperature 36.

Funeral Service

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. accompanied by Jane Huntington (my niece) attended services in the First United Church. Where Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 70, in the evening 38. Choir attendance , A.M. 7, P.M. 6.

Visit Her Mother

In the afternoon Jane went to Sydney with Mr. and Mrs. Levey where she visited her mother who is a patient at the City Hospital.

JANUARY 1960

Monday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with a sunny period in the forenoon. Cloudy with snow flurries during the morning and afternoon, moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 25. Max. temperature 34. Total snowfall of yesterday, last night and today about 4 inches.

JANUARY 1960

Tuesday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a brief sunny interval in the forenoon. Light to moderate easterly winds. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 35. Snow storm during the night.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney 1;30 P.M. trip of the LeBlanc service, where I visited Evelyn Huntington (my sister-in-law) who at present is a patient in the City Hospital. Found her improved in health following her operation, which took place on last Tuesday. Also visited Alistair Mac Donald and James Dickson of this town who are patients in the same institution.

After making several business calls in the city, returned on the bus leaving Sydney at 4:30 P.M.

JANUARY 1960

Wednesday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow storm of last night ended at about 7 A.M. Cloudy with a brief sunny interval in the forenoon. Snowfall of last night, about 8 inches. Min. temperature 33. Max. temperature 32.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

JANUARY 1960

Thursday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light to moderate northwest wind. Light mist and drizzle in the early part of the night. Min. temperature 31. Max. temperature 34.

JANUARY 1960

Friday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light to moderate easterly winds. Mist and drizzle of last night was followed by snow flurries in the early morning which continued intermittently all day and into the night. Snowfall last night and today amounted about 4 inches. Min. temperature 31. Max. temperature 32.

JANUARY 1960**Saturday 23**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light northerly winds. Snow flurries beginning at about 8 P.M. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 33.

JANUARY 1960**Sunday 24**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the forenoon. Cloudy during the afternoon and evening, Light northerly winds. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 32.

Church Services

Accompanied by my niece, Jane Huntington attended services at 11 A.M and 7 P.M. in the First United Church, where Rev. John Lewis Rose, M.A. was the preacher. Attendance at the morning service about 80, at evening service 35. Choir attendance, A.M. 10, P.M. 6.

JANUARY 1960**Monday 25**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with very light variable winds. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 32.

Annual Meeting

At 7:30 P.M. attended the regular annual meeting of the First United Church which was held in Calvin hall with Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. presiding. John E. MacDonald was secretary and read the minutes of last annual meeting which was held on the 23rd of last January. On the minutes of last meeting being approved, the reports of the various church organizations were presented, and officials appointed for the insuring year. Rev. John L. Rose who is on his sixth year as Pastor of the First United, tendered his resignation to take effect on or about the first of July of this year.

JANUARY 1960**Tuesday 26**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Light rain in the morning and for a short time mixed with snow. Rain ended at about noon. Cloudy during the afternoon and evening. Light easterly winds, shifting to northwest in the late afternoon and increasing to moderate early in the night. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 33

JANUARY 1960

Wednesday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with light northwest wind, a very lovely mid-winter day. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 33.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

JANUARY 1960

Thursday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with light northwest wind. Min. temperature 18. Max. temperature 28.

JANUARY 1960

Friday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light to moderate southeast wind. Snow began to fall at about 2 P.M. and continued on into the night. Min. temperature 16. Max. temperature 32.

JANUARY 1960

Saturday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snowfall of yesterday ended at about seven o'clock last night and was followed light rain and mist which ended before dawn. Sunny during the greater part of the day, becoming colder in the afternoon and evening. Snowfall of yesterday about 4 inches. Min. temperature 12. Max. temperature 34. Moderate to fresh northwest wind.

JANUARY 1960

Sunday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with fresh northwest winds. Min. temperature 8. Max. temperature 14.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. accompanied by Jane Huntington, (my niece) attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning, about 75, in the evening 38. Choir attendance, A.M. 10, P.M. 6.

Total snowfall for January 1960, about 30 inches. Min. temperature for the month, Jan. 10, 2 below zero. Max. temperature for the month, Jan. 3 or 4 below zero 44.

FEBRUARY 1960

Monday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, but becoming cloudy in the forenoon and continuing so the remainder of the day. Light to moderate northwest wind, shifting to easterly at night. Min. temperature 8. Max. temperature 28.

Meeting of Board of Stewards

At 7:30 P.M. attended the annual meeting of the Board of Stewards of the First United Church which was held in the Calvin Hall. At this meeting the following officers were elected for the insuing year: President, Charles Bagnall, Secretary, J. Oscar Harris, Treasurer, Irvin MacLean.

Those present were: Rev. John L. Rose M.A., William Hilchie, Rod. J. Mac Leod, J. Oscar Harris, John MacRury, Charles Bagnall, Ervin Mac Lean, A.L. Simpson, M.S. Huntington

FEBRURAY 1960

Tuesday 2

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy with light to fresh easterly winds. A few very light snow flurries in the forenoon, followed by very light mist and drizzle. Freezing mist during the night. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 32.

FEBRUARY 1960

Wednesday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate to fresh northeast wind. Light snow flurries in the evening, followed by freezing mist. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 33.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

FEBRUARY 1960

Thursday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, with moderate to fresh northerly winds. The freezing mist and drizzle of last night was followed in the early morning by snow flurries about 2 inches. Min. temperature 25. Max. Temperature 34.

Record Snow storm at Halifax and Vicinity

Today's issue of the Halifax Chronicle Herald reports a record snow storm for the City of Halifax. Between midnight Tuesday and 8 P.M. on Wednesday 30 inches of snow had fallen on the city and surrounding district. The snow was accompanied by a gale reaching a velocity of 60 miles an hour, which piled the snow into huge drifts and completely tying up traffic by rail and highway and the city streets. The previous record snowfall for Halifax was on January 30, 1894, when 25 inches fell.

(See the Chronicle Herald of Feb. 4, 1960)

FEBRUARY 1960

Friday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Light snow flurry in the morning. Sunny throughout the day with fresh northerly winds, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 14. Max. Temperature 24.

FEBRUARY 1960

Saturday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, becoming cloudy in the mid-afternoon. Light northwest wind shifting to southwest in the evening. A very nice winter day. Min. temperature 10. Max. temperature 34.

FEBRUARY 1960

Sunday 7

Louisbourg, N. S.

Rain, drizzle and mist, with easterly and southerly gale. Wind estimated to have reached a velocity of 60 miles per hour. Wind decreasing to light in the late afternoon. A very unpleasant day as far as weather was concerned. Thick fog at night, rainfall about $\frac{3}{4}$ inch. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature. 38.

Church Services

At 11 P.M. attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the Preacher. Present in the morning 45, in the evening 35. Choir attendance, A.M. 6, P. P.M. 4.

FEBRUARY 1960

Monday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with moderate to fresh southwest wind. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 38.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late Neil MacMullen which was held from the home of Mrs. Dan. MacMullen, Louisbourg, N.S.

Death of Vincent O'Neil

The death of Vincent O'Neil of Bateston, Cape Breton County occurred suddenly at the [blank]

FEBRUARY 1960

Tuesday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light-variable winds. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 35.

FEBRUARY 1960

Wednesday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with light variable winds, a very lovely day. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 36.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

Marriage

The marriage of Fabian Trim formerly of Mainadieu to Miss Joyce MacVicar took place this afternoon in the First United Church. Rev. John L. Rose M.A. Pastor of the First United Church performed the ceremony.

FEBRUARY 1960

Thursday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and mild with light variable winds. A very lovely day for this season of the year. Min. temperature 26, Max. temperature 36.

FEBRUARY 1960

Thursday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild. Snow beginning to fall at about 11:30 A.M and ending about 3:30 P.M. Snow followed by drizzle and rain mixed with snow. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 32.

Marriage

The marriage of Florian Bryan to Miss Dolly MacKinnon, took place this afternoon in the First United Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John L. Rose M.A. Pastor of the First United Church.

FEBRUARY 1960

Saturday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, mild with light variable winds. Snow flurries in the early morning followed by an occasional very light drizzle of rain. Total snowfall of yesterday and last night, about 5 inches. Streets and sidewalks very slushy. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 36.

FEBRUARY 1960

Sunday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with mist and fog. Light variable winds, mostly southeast increasing to fresh at night. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 37.

Church Services

At 11 P.M. Jane, (my niece) and I attended services in the First United Church. Services in charge of the Pastor, Rev. John L. Rose. The preacher in the morning was Rev. Mohan representing the British and Foreign Bible Society. At 7 P.M. the speaker was Mr. [blank] Lynk of Sydney N.S. who at present is a student for the United Church Ministry in Pine Hill College at Halifax N.S. Present at 11 A.M. about 70. At 7 P.M. about 65. Choir attendance 8 both morning and evening.

FEBRUARY 1960

Monday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain in the morning. Cloudy, clearing in the forenoon, sunny during the remainder of the day. Light to moderate southwest wind changing in the late afternoon to west. Becoming colder with light snow flurries in the evening. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 38.

FEBRUARY 1960

Tuesday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with light winds. A very nice winter day. Min. temperature 16. Max. temperature 28.

FEBRUARY 1960

Wednesday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light westerly winds, becoming cloudy during the afternoon. Snow flurries at night. Min. temperature 14. Max. temperature 36.

Choir Practice

Attended choir practice in the First United Church.

FEBRUARY 1960**Thursday 18**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with light to moderate westerly winds. A very lovely mid-winter day. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 34.

FEBRUARY 1960**Friday 19**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning but becoming cloudy during the afternoon with fresh southeast wind, increasing to strong in the evening. Snow began to fall at about 5:30 P.M. Min. temperature 14. Max. temperature 32.

FEBRUARY 1960**Saturday 20**

Louisbourg, N. S.

Snow of yesterday evening and last night was followed by light rain and drizzle at about 10:30 P.M. Light drizzle of rain this morning, was followed by the snow and snow mixed with rain until mid- afternoon. Snow melting as it fell. Streets and sidewalks very slushy. Snowfall of last night and today, about 6 inches. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 40.

FEBRUARY 1960**Sunday 21**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with fog during the entire day. Very light variable winds, mostly northerly, almost perfectly calm. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 38.

Church Services

Accompanied by my niece (Jane) attended services in the First United Church, at 11 P.M. and 7 P.M. Services conducted by the Pastor Rev. John L. Rose, M. A. Present in the morning about 70, in the evening 48. Choir attendance in the morning 8, in the evening 9.

FEBRUARY 1960

Monday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with very light variable winds. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 40. The weather keeps exceptional mild for this time of the year.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late Ronald MacMullen, which was held from the home of Mrs. Dan MacMullen of Louisbourg. The services at the home and grave, were held by Rev. E.S. Habs, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Mira Ferry, Catalone and Louisbourg, in the absence of Rev. John L. Rose M.A. who was unable to be present owing to illness. Burial took place in Catalone Cemetery. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director Louisbourg, N.S.

FEBRUARY 1960**Tuesday 23**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light variable winds. Min temperature. 35. Max. temperature 38.

February 1960**Wednesday 24**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with moderate easterly winds. Light snow began to fall at about 9 A.M. and ended at about 3 P.M. Snowfall about 3 inches. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 34.

Provincial Legislature Opens

The Nova Scotia Legislature opened at Halifax this afternoon for its Annual Session under the Premiership of the Hon. Robert L. Stanfield (conservative).

FEBRUARY 1960**Thursday 25**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with fresh to moderate, northeast wind. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 34.

FEBRUARY 1960**Friday 26**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny but becoming cloudy in the forenoon. Cloudy during the afternoon and evening with wind shifting from northeast to southeast and increasing to strong. Storm threatening. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 36.

FEBRUARY 1960

Saturday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain and mist in the early morning accompanied by a southeast gale. Cleared at about 10 A.M. Sunny during the rest of the day. Wind shifted to southwest and later in the afternoon to west, gradually decreasing until it became light early in the night. Snow flurries beginning at about 10 P.M. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 38.

Death of James M. MacRury

The sudden death of James Malcolm MacRury occurred at an early hour this morning at Sydney, N.S. while on his way to board a locomotive of which he was engineer and driver in the [blank] of the Sydney and Louisbourg Railway. Before reaching there he dropped dead of a heart attack.

FEBRUARY 1960

Sunday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with a few cloudy intervals. Snow flurries of last night left a deposit of about ½ inch, which melted during the day, moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 37.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. Jane (my niece) and I attended services in the First United Church. In the absence of the Pastor Rev. John L. Rose who at present is a patient in the City Hospital, Sydney the services were conducted by the Elders. Those taking part in the morning service were, Edward [blank], Charles Bagnall and Charles Stacey. In the evening a service of song was led by Edison Skinner, (Choir Director). Present in the morning about 75 in the evening 31. Choir attendance, A.M. 10, P.M. 7.

FEBRUARY 1960

Monday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with moderate to fresh northwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 28.

Funeral

At 3:15 P.M. attended the funeral of the late James Malcolm MacRury, which was held in the First United Church, on the arrival of the remains from the late home of the deceased at Glace Bay. Services in the church and at the grave were conducted by Rev. [blank] Mac Lean, Pastor of Knox United Church Glace Bay, N.S. Burial took place in Willow Grace Cemetery. Funeral in charge of James [blank], Funeral Director, Glace Bay.

MARCH 1960

Tuesday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold, becoming cloudy at about noon. Fresh northwest wind decreasing to moderate. Min. temperature 16. Max. Temperature 30.

MARCH 1960

Wednesday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow flurries in the early morning and at intervals during the forenoon left a deposit of about 3 inches. Partly clear in the afternoon. Strong northerly winds decreasing to moderate. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 34.

MARCH 1960

Thursday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light northerly winds. Min. temperature 25. Max. temperature 37. Snow, forecast for tomorrow.

MARCH 1960

Friday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate easterly winds increasing until reaching gale force early in the night. Light drizzle of snow in the evening. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 32. Storm warning speaker of a gale with snow.

MARCH 1960

Saturday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with strong easterly winds, occasionally reaching gale force. Drizzle of snow beginning in the early morning and continuing throughout the day. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 34.

MARCH 1960

Sunday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light snow flurries continuing at intervals during the entire day. Moderate to fresh northerly wind. Total snowfall since Friday evening as a result of flurries, about 5 inches, a portion of it melting as to ice. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 34.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Jane (my niece) and I attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. About 70 present in the morning and 42 in the evening. Choir attendance A.M. 7, P.M. 6. Mr. Rose who was a patient in the City Hospital at Sydney two weeks ago, returned home during the past week. His is much improved in health and was able to take the services today.

MARCH 1960

Monday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with light variable winds. Occasional light snow flurries during the entire day. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 36.

MARCH 1960

Tuesday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light variable winds, spring like in appearance. A very lovely late winter day. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 26. Snow flurries of yesterday and last night left a deposit of about 1 inch which melted during the day.

MARCH 1960

Wednesday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow flurries in the early morning, leaving a deposit of about 1 inch. Snow storm beginning at about 8:45 A.M. and ending at noon, accompanied by an easterly gale. Cloudy with occasional light drizzle of snow during the afternoon. Total snowfall about 4 inches, wind decreasing to light in the late afternoon. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 32. A very pleasant day.

MARCH 1960

Thursday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Flurries in the early morning leaving a snowfall of about 2 inches. Sunny during the day with a few very brief cloudy intervals and an occasional very light flurries. Snow melting fast under the sunny sky, and streams of water running along the streets. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 35.

MARCH 1960

Friday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northerly winds. Light snow beginning to fall at about 6 P.M. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 32.

MARCH 1960

Saturday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light variable winds, mostly southwest. A very lovely late winter day. Snow flurries of last night left a deposit of about 2 inches, which melted during the day. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 36.

MARCH 1960

Sunday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and chilly with fresh to strong easterly winds, reaching gale force early in the night. Snow began to fall at about 8 P.M. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 34.

Church Services

At 11 P.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 80, in the evening about 40.

MARCH 1960

Monday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow that began falling at about 8 P.M. yesterday continued throughout the day. Snow accompanied by a northerly gale piled up the snow in high drifts which interfered with highway traffic. Bus service between Louisbourg and Sydney cancelled. No mail services in or out of Louisbourg today. Min. and Max. temperature 28. Worst snow storm of this season.

MARCH 1960

Tuesday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few very brief sunny intervals. Fresh northerly winds, decreasing to light in the late afternoon. Snowfall of Sunday night and yesterday about 12 inches, the strong winds drifting it into huge banks. Traffic between Louisbourg and Sydney as well as any other highways, was resumed today. Mail and bus services on schedule today after the snow ploughs had opened the roads. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 30.

Spanish Trawler

A Spanish Trawler arrived in the morning for the purpose of landing a member of her crew who had been injured in an accident on board. The injured man was landed here and taken by

ambulance to St. Elizabeth Hospital at North Sydney for treatment. His name is Antonio [blank] Castro. He was taken to the hospital on board of an ambulance owned and driven by D.M. Johnston of Louisbourg. The Trawlers name is "Vendaval".

MARCH 1960

Wednesday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with light variable winds, a very nice late winter day. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 34.

Fox Sparrow

Among the birds that I have been feeding during the winter, I noticed a fox sparrow this evening. A very early arrival. Fox sparrows on their northerly migration do not usually make their appearance until about the first of April. They remain here for about three or so weeks before continuing on their journey to their nesting grounds.

MARCH 1960

Thursday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light northerly winds. A very lovely late winter day. Min. temperature 16. Max. temperature 33.

Meeting of Brotherhood

At 8 P.M. attended a regular of the Brotherhood of the First United Church held in Calvin Hall with Charles [blank] presiding. A delegation from the United Church of Westmount, were present as guests of the Louis. brotherhood.

MARCH 1960

Friday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light to moderate winds. Snow flurries in the morning followed by light mist and fog. Snowfall about 1 inch which melted during the day. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 35.

Spanish Trawler Vendaval

Spanish fishing trawler "Vendaval" which arrived here on last Tuesday morning, sailed during the night.

MARCH 1960

Saturday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northerly winds increasing to fresh in the afternoon and decreasing to fresh in the afternoon and decreasing to light in the evening. Snow began to fall at about 8 A.M. becoming intermittent in the afternoon and ending in the evening. Snowfall about 5 inches. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 36.

Newfoundland schooner which has been here for the past few days, unable to reach North Sydney owing to unfavorable ice conditions, loaded a cargo of coal here today.

MARCH 1960

Sunday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with partly intervals with light northwest wind. A very lovely March day. Min. temperature 18. Max. temperature 40.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning, about 90, in the evening 50. Choir attendance, A.M. 10, P.M. 9. Evelyn, (my sister-in-law) and Jane, (my niece) were present at 11 A.M. and Jane at 7 P.M.

Visitors from Huntington and Marion Bridge

For the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huntington of Huntington C.B. and Mrs. Clifford Huntington, (my sister) and my niece, Miss Elinor Huntington of Marion Bridge, arrived by car and remained with us until they for home at 6:30 P.M. We greatly appreciated their visit.

MARCH 1960

Monday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with sunny intervals. Light northwest winds. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 36.

MARCH 1960

Tuesday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few sunny intervals. Light southeast wind. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 36.

MARCH 1960

Wednesday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow beginning at about 6 P.M. and ending at about noon. Clearing during the afternoon. Snow fall about 4 inches. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 30.

Prayer Meeting

At 7:15 P.M. attended Lenten Prayer meeting, held in the First United Church, and conducted by Rev. John L. Rose M.A. At 8 P.M. attended choir practice.

MARCH 1960

Thursday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light to moderate southwest wind. A very lovely early spring day. Min. temperature 14. Max. temperature 35.

Spanish Trawler

Spanish Fishing Trawler "Saint Monica" arrived.

MARCH 1960

Friday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow beginning at about 6 A.M. and ending at about 10 A.M. Cloudy with a brief sunny interval in the early afternoon followed by cloud and thick fog. Snow beginning at about 5 P.M. and continuing for about two hours. Total snowfall about 6 inches. Strong easterly winds shifting to south and southwest and decreasing. Wind shifting to westerly and increasing to strong at night. Min. temperature 25. Max. temperature 42.

MARCH 1960

Saturday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with fresh to strong northwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 14. Max. temperature 24.

MARCH 1960

Sunday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny becoming mostly cloudy in the afternoon. Light northwest winds. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 36.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 100, in the evening 45. Evelyn, my sister-

in-law and Jane my niece were also present at 11 A.M. and Jane at 7 P.M.. Choir attendance, A.M. 11, P.M. 8.

MARCH 1960

Monday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Light snow flurries in the early morning. Cloudy during the entire day, with light variable winds. Snowfall about ½ inch. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 40.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 1:30 P.M. trip of the LeBlanc Bus. Made a few business calls before returning on the bus leaving Sydney at 4:30 P.M.

Death of James Dickson

The death of James Dickson, a native of Mainadieu occurred at the MacKeigan Nursing Home, Sydney N.S. early today. He was 93 years of age. For the past several years he was a resident of the town of Louisbourg.

MARCH 1960

Tuesday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with light northwest wind. Min. temperature 16. Max. temperature 32.

MARCH 1960

Wednesday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light easterly winds. Light drizzle of snow beginning to fall at noon was followed by light mist at times during the afternoon. With rain beginning at about 7:30 P.M. and freezing as it fell making the street and highways very slippery. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 28.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late James Dickson, which took place from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Matheson, Warren Street. After a brief service at the Matheson home conducted by Rev. [blank] Logan Pastor of St. Bartholemews Anglican Church, the funeral cortege proceeded to Mainadieu where the funeral service was held in the Anglican Church and was conducted by Mr. Logan assisted by Rev. [blank] Arnold. Burial took place in the Mainadieu Anglican Cemetery. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director, Louisbourg. On the invitation of John E. Mac Donald, I went to Mainadieu where I attended the funeral service in the Mainadieu Anglican Church.

MARCH 1960

Thursday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with southerly winds. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature.

APRIL 1960**Friday 1**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate northeast wind, very chilly. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 40.

APRIL 1960**Saturday 2**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with light to moderate northeast wind. Min. temperature 20. Max. temperature 36.

APRIL 1960**Sunday 3**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with a light haze, becoming cloudy in the late afternoon. Light southwest wind. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 42.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended service in the First United Church, where Rev John L. Rose. M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 90, in the evening about 20. Choir attendance, A.M. 11, P.M. 8. Evelyn, (my sister-in-law) and Jane, (my niece) were in attendance both morning and evening.

APRIL 1960**Monday 4**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light to fresh southwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening. Light showers during the afternoon. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 42.

Congregational Meeting

At 8 P.M. attended a meeting of the congregation of the First United Church held in the Church with Rev. [blank] MacLean presiding.

APRIL 1960**Tuesday 5**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, misty and foggy with a few showers. Moderate southwest wind increasing at night. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 42.

APRIL 1960

Wednesday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Strong southwest wind of last night continued as a fresh breeze during the day but decreasing to light in the evening. Cloudy with a sunny interval at noon. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 43.

Choir Practice

Immediately following the Lenten service, conducted by the Pastor, Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. I attended choir practice in the First United Church, during we practiced Palm Sunday and Easter music.

APRIL 1960

Thursday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy becoming sunny shortly before noon. Sunny during the afternoon. Moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 18. Max. temperature 42.

Motor Vessel Cygnus

Department of Fisheries patrol boat "Cygnus," Capt. Townsend, which has been based at Louisbourg for the past month, sailed for Sydney during the afternoon.

Grackles Have Arrived

A flock of Grackles put in an appearance today. First I have seen this season. The grackles are migratory, leaving in the autumn and returning in the spring.

APRIL 1960

Friday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, with strong westerly winds decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 22. Max. Temperature 44.

APRIL 1960

Saturday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with moderate southwest wind, increasing at night. Light snow beginning to fall in the early part of the night. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 42.

Fox Sparrow

Among the birds feeding in the backyard this morning I noticed two or three Fox Sparrows. These may be the advance guard of the flock that usually spend about three weeks here while on their northerly migration. On March 16 I saw one in my yard, a very early arrival in fact the earliest date on which I have seen a Fox Sparrow. I did not see any more until this morning.

APRIL 1960

Sunday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few very brief sunny intervals. Light to moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 42. Snowfall as a result of last night's flurries, about 1 inch, which melted during the day.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. John L. Rose. M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 82 in the evening about 50. Choir attendance, A.M. 10, P.M. 9.

APRIL 1960

Monday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with moderate to fresh northwest wind. A few snow flurries in the forenoon. Snow flurries of last night and today amounted about 1 inch, which disappeared before noon. Min. temperature 27. Max. temperature 32.

Fox Sparrow

I think the main body of the Fox Sparrows that visit us every spring, has arrived. I counted 13 feeding in my backyard at noon today. They usually remain here for about three weeks before continuing on their journey to the nesting grounds. While they are my guests I feed them on rolled oats, of which they are very fond.

APRIL 1960

Tuesday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and chilly with strong southwest wind. Showers beginning in the early part of the night. Min. temperature. 22. Max. temperature 36.

APRIL 1960

Wednesday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy in the morning but clearing during the forenoon. Sunny and moderately warm during the

noon hours and afternoon. Min. temperature 33. Max. temperature 20. First spring like weather this season.

Legislature Prorouged

Nova Scotia Legislature which has been in session since February 24, prorouged this evening. There is likely to be an election before another session but no date has been set for the next appeal to the electors.

APRIL 1960

Thursday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with chilly, fresh to strong, northerly winds becoming cloudy in the evening. Min. temperature 25. Max. temperature 36. Wind decreasing to light at night.

APRIL 1960

Friday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

A deposit of about 1 inch of snow on the ground in the morning, a result of last night flurries. Cloudy and misty in the forenoon, thick fog during the afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 36. Fresh southerly winds, decreasing to light.

Church Services

At 7:15 attended Good Friday service in the First United Church, conducted by Rev. John L. Rose M.A. about 80 persons present. Choir attendance 11. Evelyn and Jane, (my sister-in-law and niece) also attended this service.

APRIL 1960

Saturday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, becoming sunny before noon. Sunny during the afternoon with fresh northerly winds, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 40.

APRIL 1960

Sunday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with moderate southerly winds. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 41.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn and Jane, (my sister-in-law and niece) and I attended service in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Present at the morning service about 175, at the evening service about 70. Choir attendance , A.M. 11, P.M. 10.

At the morning service the communion of the Lord's Supper was dispensed to 104 communicants. The following persons united with the church: Malcolm MacIntyre and daughters, Marline, Diane O'Hara, Joseph Bagnall, and Anamias King.

In my garden today, I found 3 crocuses in bloom. First of the season, as far as my garden is concerned.

APRIL 1960

Monday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with considerable fog. Moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 52.

Fox Sparrows

The flock of Fox Sparrows, about a dozen or more, that have been our guests for about a week have evidently taken their departure as I did see one today. As a rule they stay for about three weeks before continuing on their migration.

APRIL 1960

Tuesday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with moderate west southwest wind. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 54. Some fog in the morning clearing in the forenoon. A very nice early spring day.

APRIL 1960

Wednesday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning, becoming cloudy early in the forenoon with very light snow flurries. Clearing before noon. Sunny during the afternoon. Moderate to fresh northwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 41.

APRIL 1960

Thursday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy but becoming sunny in the forenoon. Sunny and cool during the afternoon and evening, cool with moderate southeast wind. Min. temperature 24. Max. temperature 45.

APRIL 1960

Friday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and very cool with moderate to fresh easterly winds. Becoming cloudy in the evening. Min. temperature 22. Max. temperature 40.

APRIL 1960

Saturday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cold with variable cloudiness. Light snow flurries for a short time in the morning. Fresh northerly winds, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 27. Max. temperature 42.

Daylight-Saving Time

Daylight saving time is schedule to go into effect immediately after twelve o'clock tonight.

APRIL 1960

Sunday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cool with variable cloudiness. Moderate to fresh northerly winds, decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 48.

Church Services

AT 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Evelyn and Jane, my sister-in-law and niece also attended both services. Present in the morning about 75, in the evening 48. Choir attendance, AM 8, P.M. 12.

Daylight-Saving Time

Daylight-saving time came into effect in the town of Louisbourg, as well as most other towns throughout our Province, immediately after midnight last night.

APRIL 1960

Monday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with moderate. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 54.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 1:30 P.M. trip of the Leblanc Bus. While in the city filed my 1959 income tax report.

APRIL 1960

Tuesday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning followed be variable cloudiness, clearing in the late afternoon. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 28.

Funeral

At 2 P.M., in company with Rev. John L. Rose attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John Hall of Catalone.

APRIL 1960

Wednesday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with moderate easterly winds. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 54.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 1:30 P.M. trip of the Leblanc Bus. While in the city filed my 1959 income tax report. Returned on the bus leaving Sydney at 4:30 P.M

APRIL 1960

Thursday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mild with variable cloudiness. Light-variable winds. A very lovely spring day. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 56.

APRIL 1960

Friday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with moderate to fresh northeast wind. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 56.

APRIL 1960

Saturday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with fresh northerly winds. Min. temperature 34, rising to maximum of 56 for a short time in the forenoon.

Fire

At about 5:30 P.M. a house owned by Michael Mornan, and at present occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Mills, caught fire near the foundation and was in danger of being destroyed. The fire which had not made much headway was quickly quenched on the arrival of the Fire Department pumper. The house is situated on the east side of my property and residence. Owing to the firemen making a quick turnout the damage to the building was not extensive. Cause of fire unknown.

May 1960

Sunday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with a few clouds in the early part of the day. Cool with fresh northerly winds. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 47.

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church. Owing to the illness of the Pastor Rev. John L. Rose M.A., the morning service was conducted by three Laymen of the congregation, Edward Levy, Charles Bagnall and Charles Stacey. In the evening the regular semi-annual Thank Offering service of the Women's Missionary Society was conducted by Mrs. William Hilchie and Mrs. A.W. Stacey, with the Rev. George Murray, Pastor of Garden United Church of Reserve Mines being the guest speaker.

Present in the morning about 100, in the evening 57. Choir attendance A.M. 8, P.M. 9. Evelyn Huntington my sister-in-law, also attended both services, but my niece, remained home today owing to a cold.

MAY 1960

Monday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with light to moderate variable winds. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 56.

MAY 1960

Tuesday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with occasional sunny intervals. A very light shower during last night and two of a similar nature during the day, not of measurable quantity. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 54.

Left Louisbourg on the 6:15 P.M. trip of the LeBlanc Bus for Sydney enroute to Halifax, to attend the Nova Scotia Tumour Clinic which meets tomorrow at 11 A.M. at the Victoria General Hospital. Left Sydney on the C.N.R. train at 10:50 P.M. daylight time, enroute for Halifax.

MAY 1960

Wednesday 4

Halifax N.S.

Sunny and warm with light winds. A very lovely spring day. Max. temperature 75.

MAY 1960

Thursday 5

Sydney, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light winds . A very lovely spring day. Max. temperature about 60.

Arrived at Sydney from Halifax on board C.N.R. train at about 8:30 A.M. daylight time. Had breakfast in the coffee shop, Isle Royale Hotel.

Sydney to Louisbourg on bus leaving Sydney at 12:15 P.M.

Sewer Construction at Louisbourg

The Turner Transport Ltd. which has the contract for the construction of a sewer on Warren Street, began work today. The sewer is to join the sewer on Main Street and continue in a northerly direction for about 300 yards. Later it was decided by the Town authorities to extend it to the extreme northern end of Warren Street.

MAY 1960**Friday 6**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 60.

MAY 1960**Saturday 7**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Hazy sky, but mostly sunny with moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 64.

MAY 1960**Sunday 8**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with fog along the coast, light northwest wind. A very nice spring day. Min. temperature 35. Max. temperature 52.

MAY 1960**Monday 9**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with showers, drizzle and light steady rain during the entire day. Rainfall $\frac{3}{4}$ inch. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 54.

MAY 1960

Tuesday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Foggy in the morning, clearing in the forenoon. Sunny and warm, becoming foggy in the late afternoon and evening. Light southerly winds. Min. temperature 43. Max. temperature 71.

Canadian Government ship "Edward Cornwallis" arrived in the evening.

MAY 1960**Wednesday 11**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Foggy in the morning, clearing early in the day, becoming sunny and warm. A very nice Spring day. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 62.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

Canadian Government ship "Edward Cornwallis" sailed in the morning.

MAY 160**Thursday 12**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with a few brief periods of light drizzle. Light southerly winds. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 54.

MAY 1960**Friday 13**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and warm with very light southerly winds. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 64. Fog along the coast.

MAY 1960**Saturday 14**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with occasional showers and drizzle. Light to moderate southerly winds. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 51.

MAY 1960**Sunday 15**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with light southerly winds and a few partly clear intervals. Rainfall of yesterday and last night $\frac{1}{2}$ inch. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 56.

Church Services

At 11 P.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Number present at the service about 65. Choir attendance 8.

To Marion Bridge and Return

On the invitation of Wilson Levy, Evelyn, Jane and I motored to Marion Bridge where we attended service in the United Church where the preacher was Mr. Whent, a student Minister whose home is in Westmount, Sydney. Miss Isabel Hunt also accompanied on the trip.

After the close of the service we assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Havery Hussey, where a number of their neighbours, relatives and friends had gathered. After enjoying a sacred sing song and a lunch, we left for home arriving at about 11:15 P.M.

MAY 1960

Monday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with light showers and drizzle. Light variable winds. Min. temperature, 38. Max. temperature 51.

MAY 1960

Tuesday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy during the forenoon clearing in the afternoon. Moderate northerly winds in the afternoon, increasing to fresh at night. Min. temperature 43. Max. temperature 56.

MAY 1960

Wednesday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, becoming cloudy at about noon. Cloudy during the afternoon and night. Moderate northerly winds. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 59.

MAY 1960

Thursday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with fresh strong northerly winds, shifting to southerly and decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 67.

MAY 1960

Friday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with fresh to strong northerly winds. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 56.

MAY 1960**Saturday 21**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light mist in the morning. Partly clearing shortly before noon. Brief sunny intervals during the afternoon. Fresh northerly winds. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 58.

MAY 1960**Sunday 22**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with fresh northerly winds shifting to southwest in the evening and decreasing to light.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. John Rose M.A. was the preacher. The Girl Guides, Brownies and Cubs paraded to church, in a body in celebration of Empire Day. Present at the morning service about 150, present in the evening 32. Choir attendance, A.M. 7, P.M. 6.

After the close of the evening service, on the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacQueen, members of the choir who were present at the service, and several others of the congregation assembled at the MacQueen home where we spent a very pleasant evening, followed by a lunch before we departed for our homes.

Among those present were Rev. and Mrs. John L. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bagnall, Mr. and Mrs. George Phalen and daughters, Mrs. Christine MacLean, Mrs. O.J. MacIntyre and myself. J.O. Harris was also present.

MAY 1960**Monday 23**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light winds, mostly southerly. Some fog along the coast. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 54.

MAY 1960**Tuesday 24**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, becoming cloudy shortly after noon. Moderate southeast wind. Heavy fog in the evening

and night. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 61. Very lovely during the first half of the day. Chilly in afternoon.

MAY 1960

Wednesday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with moderate southeast wind. Showers and drizzle beginning at about 5:30 P.M. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 48.

MAY 1960

Thursday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with moderate northeast and north winds. Partly clearing in the afternoon. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 56.

May 1960

Friday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light variable wind. A very lovely spring day. Min. temperature 41. Max. temperature 61.

MAY 1960

Saturday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy, partly clearing in the afternoon. Sunny with a few for patches. Fog at night. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 54.

MAY 1960

Sunday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light variable winds. A very lovely spring day. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 61.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. My sister-in-law, Evelyn and niece Jane were also present. About 80 in attendance in the morning and 44 in the evening. Choir attendance A.M. 9. P.M. 10.

MAY 1960

Monday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny. A cloudy sky. Light southerly winds, a perfect spring day. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 62.

MAY 1960**Tuesday 31**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light southerly winds. A perfect spring day. Min. temperature 45. Max. temperature 62.

JUNE 1960**Wednesday 1**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny becoming cloudy at noon. Cloudy during the afternoon, foggy in the evening. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 64.

JUNE 1960**Thursday 2**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain in the morning, ending at about 7:30 A.M. Cloudy with considerable fog through the day. Light southeast wind. Rainfall about ½ inch. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 52.

JUNE 1960**Friday 3**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with some fog and light winds. Max. temperature 46. Max. temperature 58.

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 8 A.M. trip on the LeBlanc bus where I had an appointment with Kelly representing T.S. Pattler & Co. Ltd. of Truro, N.S. Met Mr. Kelly at an Isle Royale Hotel sample room at 9 A.M. and gave him an order for Christmas goods. After making two other business calls, left for home on the bus, leaving Sydney at 12:15 P.M.

JUNE 1960**Saturday 4**

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy with some fog. Light winds, mostly southwest, increasing to moderate. A brief sunny interval in the evening, followed by cloud and thick fog. A few very light showers at about 9:30 P.M. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature . 62.

JUNE 1960

Sunday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with sun shining through for a few brief intervals. Thick fog along the coast. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 66.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. was the preacher. Present in the morning about 80, in the evening 30. Choir attendance A.M. 6, P.M. 7.

JUNE 1960

Monday 6

Louisbourg, N. S.

Steady in the early morning, ending in the forenoon, followed by occasional showers and fog during the day. Moderate to fresh southwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening. Rainfall 1 ½ inch. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 60.

JUNE 1960

Tuesday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with a cloudless sky, cloudy in the evening. Very light winds mostly southerly. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 67.

Nova Scotia Elections

Nova Scotia Provincial Elections resulted in the return of the conservative government under the leadership of the Hon. Robert L. Stanfield.

JUNE 1960

Wednesday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny becoming partly with frequent sunny intervals. Light westerly winds. A very lovey spring day. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 66.

Dr. [blank] Osyany Opens Medical Practice

Dr. [blank] Osyany opened a medical practice (part time) today. His office is in the building on Main Street formerly owned by Howard Cann who I understand has sold the building to the Doctor. The house is still occupied by the Cann family which is moving to Prince Edward Island at or about the end of this month. The Doctors hours at present are 10 A.M. until noon.

JUNE 1960

Thursday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny giving a very lovely forenoon, but becoming cloudy early in the afternoon with an occasional sunny interval. Light variable winds increasing in the evening and becoming northeast. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 64.

JUNE 1960**Friday 10**

Louisbourg, N. S.

Sunny becoming cloudy in the late afternoon. Clearing during the night. Min. temperature about 40. Max. temperature 58.

JUNE 1960**Saturday 11**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate southeast wind followed by a brief sunny interval in the late afternoon, fog at night. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 58.

JUNE 1960**Sunday 12**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain in the morning followed by showers drizzle and mist. Moderate northeast wind. Min. temperature 47. Max. temperature 52.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended services in the First United Church, where the services were conducted by laymen of the congregation in the absence of the Pastor Rev. John L. Rose M.A. who is in Sackville attending the annual conference of the United Church.

Those taking part in conducting the services were Edward Levy, William Hilchie, Charles Bagnall, and myself. Present in the morning about 60, in the evening 23. Choir attendance A.M. 6, P.M. 7.

JUNE 1960**Monday 13**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light to moderate variable winds. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 74.

JUNE 1960

Tuesday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning, becoming cloudy in the forenoon with showers and a few [blank] of thunder. Cloudy and cool during the afternoon with a few sunny intervals, moderate to fresh northerly winds. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 66.

Death of Mrs. John Allen MacGillivary

Today's issue of the Cape Breton Post recorded the death at Bakersfield California, of Mrs. John MacGillivary, the former Victoria Stacey of Louisbourg. Mrs. MacGillivary was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stacey of Louisbourg. After the death of her husband she went to the United States and for many has been living with her oldest son. Two sons and two daughters survive as well as two sisters. The sisters are (Margaret) Mrs. Melville MacGillivary of Sydney, N.S. and (Harriet) Mrs. B.S. Adams in Medford Massachusetts. A brother A. Wylie Stacey, predeceased her in October 1956.

JUNE 1960**Wednesday 15**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine in about equal portions cool. Fresh variable winds. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 62.

JUNE 1960**Thursday 16**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with fresh southerly winds. Light drizzle and mist began to fall at about 1 P.M. and was followed by steady rain at about 6 P.M. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 58. Rainfall, ½ inch.

JUNE 1960**Friday 17**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Warm with a hazy sky and a few sunny intervals. Light variable winds. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 70.

JUNE 1960**Saturday 18**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with light southerly winds. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 63.

JUNE 1960

Sunday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Showers in the forenoon ending at about 10:30 A.M. Cloudy until the late afternoon, then becoming sunny. Moderate northeast wind shifting to north and increasing to fresh. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 60.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. John L. Rose M.A. was the preacher. Evelyn and Jane my sister-in-law and niece were also present at both of these services. Present at the morning service about 65 in the evening 37. Choir attendance, A.M. 8, P.M. 7.

JUNE 1960

Monday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate northerly winds, shifting to southwest in the evening. Foggy at night. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 66

To Sydney and Return

Went to Sydney on the 1:30 P.M. trip of the LeBlanc Bus. Made a few business calls in the city and returned on the bus leaving Sydney at 4:30 P.M.

JUNE 1960

Tuesday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Light rain in the early morning, cloudy during the greater part of the day except for a brief sunny interval late in the afternoon which was followed by cloudiness and a few light showers. Very light southerly winds. Rainfall about 1/8 inch. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 61.

JUNE 1960

Wednesday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light variable winds a very lovely early summer day. Min. temperature 47. Max. temperature 74.

JUNE 1960

Thursday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few very light showers and brief sunny intervals in the late afternoon. Light variable winds mostly southerly and easterly. Min. temperature

46. Max. temperature 62.

United States Ship "Prevail"

United States Government ship "Prevail" G.S. 20 arrived and docked at the Government wharf. Sailed during the afternoon.

JUNE 1960

Friday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm. Light variable winds, a very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 70. Foggy at night.

JUNE 1960

Saturday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Heavy rain fall accompanied by a southerly gale. Rainfall 2 inches. Wind decreased to light at night. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 57.

JUNE 1960

Sunday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light northwest wind a perfect summer day. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 72.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended services in the First Unit Church where Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. was the Preacher. Mr. Rose preached his farewell sermon in the evening.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was dispensed at the morning service. Present in the morning about 130, in the evening 75. Choir attendance A.M. 89, P.M. 75.

Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. who has been Pastor of the First United Church since September 1954, has ended his pastorate here, and is leaving to take charge of the United Church at Hillsborough, New Brunswick. The first services he conducted were held on September 26, 1954.

Visitors from Sydney

Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Hopkins and daughter Patricia and Hedley's mother arrived in the afternoon for a short visit. Evelyn (my sister-in-law) Jane (my niece) and I accompanied them on a visit to the Louisbourg National and Historic Park. They left for home at about 5:30 P.M.

Arm and Shoulder Found

Today on the eastern side of Gabarus Bay near the former Munroe Farm, was found a man's arm and shoulder which had been washed ashore. It is supposed to be from the body of Ivan Wilson whose fishing boat was discovered a total wreck.

JUNE 1960

Monday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate northwest wind creasing to fresh, and decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 80.

Farewell Party for Rev. and Mrs. Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Hilchie

At 8 P.M. attended a farewell party in Calvin Hall in the honour of Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. and Mrs. Roses, also in honour of Mr. and Mrs. William Hilchie. Mr. Rose had been Pastor of the First United Church since September 1954. Mr. and Mrs. Rose intend leaving here on next Wednesday for Hillsborough, New Brunswick, where Mr. Rose is taking over the Pastorate of the United Church in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilchie have been here for the past 18 years where Mr. Hilchie has been Principal of the Louisbourg Town School. Mr. and Mrs. Hilchie are leaving here shortly to take up residence in the Town of Sydney Mines N.S. where Mr. Hilchie has a position on the staff of the Sydney Mines School. Quite a number gathered at the hall to bid farewell to these too popular couples. Addresses were presented to both couples as well as gifts in appreciation of their services and tokens of goodwill, as they leave to take up residences elsewhere.

JUNE 1960

Tuesday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light southwest wind. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 70.

Human Body Found

A human body was found on the east side of Gabarus Bay, where it had been washed ashore near the former Munroe farm.

JUNE 1960

Wednesday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light to moderate southwest wind. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 53. Max. temperature 74.

Left For Hillsborough, New Brunswick

Rev. and Mrs. John L. Rose left here today enroute to Hillsborough N.B. where Mr. Rose is to become Pastor of the Hillsborough United Church. Mr. Rose has been Pastor of the Louisbourg United Church since September 1954. Mr. Rose is to be succeeded by Rev. [blank] Munroe.

JUNE 1960

Thursday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, moderately warm with considerable fog. Light to moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 69.

To Mira Gut and Return

Motored to Mira Gut in the afternoon where at about 2 o'clock we attended the funeral of the late Duncan Mac Kenzie. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. [blank] Bette of Donkin and Morien.

JULY 1960

Friday 1

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy and foggy with moderate southwest wind, becoming sunning in the late afternoon. Some thunder and lightning and a shower of rain in the early morning. Rainfall about 1/8 inch. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 70.

JULY 1960

Saturday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, becoming in the afternoon light southerly winds. Min. temperature 48. Mas. Temperature 66.

To Sydney and Return

Motored to Sydney in the early afternoon with Mr. [blank] Simpson. We returned home at about 5 P.M

Death of Mrs. Fiander

The death of Mrs. Samuel Fiander occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitte Cross, on Pepperell Street at about 11 P.M. Mrs. Fiander whose home was at Big Lorraine had been living in Louisbourg for the past several years. Her husband predeceased her about five years ago. She was about 86 years old.

JULY 1960

Sunday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate southwest winds. Foggy at night. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 49. Max. temperature 69.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn, daughter Jane and I attended services in the First United Church, where Rev. Grant Mac Donald of United Church at Dartmouth was the preacher. Present in the morning about 65, in the evening about 40. Choir attendance A.M. 6. P.M. 6.

JULY 1960

Monday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with very light showers. Light southwest wind. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 60.

Server Completed

The sewer installation on Warren Street has been completed. It extends from the main sewer on Main Street to the Northern end of Warren Street. All the houses on the street have been connected with the new sewer with the exception of 4, including the Masonic Hall. The construction and installation were carried out by Turner Transport Ltd. of Glace Bay., N.S.

July 1960

Tuesday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy, clearing at about noon. Sunny and warm during the afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 72.

Funeral

At about 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Samuel Fiander. Service in St. Bartholemews Anglican Church and service at [blank]

JULY 1960

Wednesday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with moderate to fresh southwest, shifting to west and northwest during the afternoon and evening, decreasing to light at night. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 72.

Went to Glace Bay

Evelyn went to Sydney on the 6:15 P.M. trip of the Le Blanc bus enroute to Glace Bay, for the purpose of having some dental work done by Dr. Buffett with whom she has an appointment for tomorrow forenoon.

JULY 1960

Thursday 7

Louisbourg, N. S.

Sunny in the forenoon, becoming cloudy with sunny intervals during the afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 76.

JULY 1960**Friday 8**

Louisbourg, N.S.

A cloudless sky, light moderate to fresh westerly winds. A very lovely summer day. Temperature 42. Max. temperature 70.

Returned From Glace Bay

Evelyn who went to Glace Bay on the evening of the 16th returned on the 1 P.M. bus.

JULY 1960**Saturday 9**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with fresh to strong southwest wind. Light showers in mid-afternoon followed by a brief sunny interval at about 4 P.M. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 68.

Congregational Picnic

The annual congregational and Sunday school picnic of the First United Church was held this afternoon on the Presbyterian Church Camp Ground at Mira Ferry.

JULY 1960**Sunday 10**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate to northwest winds, becoming cloudy in the evening with wind decreasing to light. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 74.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Grant MacDonald, Pastor of Dartmouth United Church was the preacher. Present at the service about 75. Choir attendance 8. No service in the First United in the evening.

At 7 P. M. I attended service in the Presbyterian Church where Rev. Hales Pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Mira Ferry, Catalone and Louisbourg was the preacher.

On the invitation of Edward Levey, Evelyn, Jane and I went for a motor ride, leaving here at about 2 P.M. We went to Mira Ferry, the south side of Mira River to Upper Grand Mira, returning on the North side of Mira River to Mira Ferry and from Mira Ferry home, arriving shortly after 5 P.M. Other passengers in the car were Mrs. Edward Levy and son Arnold.

JULY 1960

Monday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate southwest wind. A few light showers and drizzle in the forenoon. Cloudy during the afternoon with a brief sunny interval in the evening.

Went to Havenside

Motored to Havenside with J. Oscar Harris at about 7:30 P.M. for the purpose of seeing the construction work being carried out on Havenside Street by the Turner Transport Company of Glace Bay, N.S. under the direction of the Town Street and Bridge Department.

JULY 1960

Tuesday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and Sunshine with fog along the coast light to moderate wind, foggy at night. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 72.

Lester W. Huntington Visits Louisbourg
[blank]

JULY 1960

Wednesday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with sunny intervals, some fog along the coast moderate to fresh southwest wind. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 74.

JULY 1960

Thursday 14

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy and warm with considerable fog. A very light shower of rain in the afternoon and mist at night. Very light southwest winds. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 70.

JULY 1960

Friday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

A few very light showers in the morning. Cloudy partly clearing in the evening. Light variable winds. A very beautiful sunset. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 69. Rainfall, about 1/16 inch.

JULY 1960

Saturday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate northwest wind, shifting to southwest. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 72.

JULY 1960

Sunday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate southwest wind, a very lovely summer day. Min. temperature about 55. Max. temperature 71.

To Marion Bridge

In the evening Evelyn, Jane, Isabel Hunt and I on the invitation of Wilson Ivey, motored to Marion Bridge where we attended service in the United Church. The service was in charge of Mr. Whent, student Minister, while the guest preacher was Rev. A.C. Fraser a former Pastor. After the service with other friends, relatives and neighbours of the family we assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hussey where we enjoyed a sacred sing song. The members of the Louisbourg party with the exception of myself, left to return at about 11 A.M. I stayed for the purpose of spending a few days with my sister, Mrs. Clifford Huntington and her two daughters, Maud and Elinor. Maud who is Matron of the Naval Hospital at Cornwallis, N.S. is at present spending a holiday at home.

JULY 1960**Monday 18**

Marion Bridge, C.B., N.S.

Cloudy and foggy clearing at about noon. Sunny and warm during the afternoon. Maria (my sister) and Maud my niece and I visited the site of my old home, at Salmon River. Also Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Huntington, Mr. and Mrs. John Huntington, the home of Mr. and Mrs. John MacKinnon, and Caleb Huntington, who lives at the MacKinnon home. On our way back to my sister's home at Marion Bridge we visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hussey.

JULY 1960**Tuesday 19**

Marion Bridge, C.B., N.S.

Cloudy, with considerable fog, clearing at about noon, sunny during the afternoon.

In the afternoon I motored to Sydney with my niece, Maud Huntington. After making a few business calls at Sydney, and having lunch at the Isle Royale Tea Room, we returned home at about 1:30 P.M.

In the afternoon Mrs. Clifford Huntington (my sister) Maud, (my niece) and I motored to Huntington , where we visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watts where we spent about an hour with Mr. and Mrs. Watts and Arthur Crawley. We called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Goode, and Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald, before returning to Marion Bridge.

JULY 1960

Wednesday 20

Marion Bridge C.B., N.S.

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AT MIRA GUT

Farmer Suffers Fatal Injuries

Charles Robinson, 42 years –old Mira Gut farmer, was killed almost instantly Tuesday night when he fell beneath a tractor near his home.

Mr. Robinson, who was widely known in the Mira area, was riding on a tractor operated by Ewen MacKenzie. He toppled off the rear platform unnoticed by the operator. A portion of the vehicle passed over his body.

The victim suffered a fractured skull and internal injuries. He died shortly after the mishap. Police said an inquest will be held in Glace Bay.

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MISHAPS

At Steel Plant

Archie Tanner

Mishap Victim

Archie Tanner, 54, widely known steelworker, was killed almost instantly Tuesday when he fell into a transmission line carrying 6,600 volts.

Mr. Tanner, one of the city's most prominent ham radio operators who last week relayed word of a plane crash in Newfoundland involving two city men, was working on the roof of the rail mill when he slipped and fell into the power line. He died almost instantly.

It was the first fatality at the Steel Plant in 30 months. Acting coroner John F. MacDonald ordered an inquest next week.

The victim is survived by his widow and five children James, Fraser, Gordon, Diane and Valerie. A sister, Mrs. Wilfred Wagner, Louisbourg and step sister Mrs. Margaret Kennedy, New Jersey.

He was a member of Christ Church and the Sydney Amateur Radio Club. The Remains are resting at the Fillmore Funeral Home. The funeral will be held Thursday at 2 P.M. from Christ Church.

JULY 1960

Thursday 21

Marion Bridge, C. B., N.S.

Cloudy with sunny intervals, moderate to fresh northwest wind. Warm.

Accompanied Fred Huntington over his mail route, leaving Marion Bridge at about 11:45 A.M. The route takes in Big Ridge, South side of Mira River to Upper Grand Mira, returning on the North side of Mira River, about two miles in Morley Road, thence returning to Marion Bridge the starting point, arriving back at about 3:30 P.M. Another passenger with Fred on today's trip was Alex. MacIntyre who is at present spending his holidays at Marion Bridge.

JULY 1960

Friday 22

Marion Bridge, C. B., N.S.

Sunny and moderately warm, with fresh northwest wind. A very nice summer day.

Marion Bridge to Louisbourg

Motored to Louisbourg in the evening with Lt. Maud Huntington R.C.N. Miss Elinor Huntington, (two of my nieces) and Mrs. Archie MacPherson, (formerly Louise Huntington). Left Marion Bridge at 6:45 P.M. and arrived home at 7:45, after having spent a very pleasant five days visiting my sister Mrs. Clifford Huntington, the two daughters, the misses Maud and Elinor, and friends at Marion Bridge, and other relatives and friends at Marion Bridge, Rock Elm and Huntington. The car that brought me home was owned and driven by Lt. Maud Huntington R.C.N. who is Matron of the R.C.N. Hospital at H.M.C.S, Cornwallis, Annapolis County, Nova Scotia who is now having two weeks holidays. The party that accompanied me home left and return at about 8:30 P.M.

JULY 1960

Saturday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate southwest wind. Shower and drizzle during the afternoon and evening. Thunder and lightning accompanied by rain at about 10:30 P.M. Min. temperature 56. Max .temperature 68.

JULY 1960

Sunday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with a thick mantle of fog during the entire day, light southwest wind. Min. temperature 60. Max. temperature 66.

Electrical storm which began at about 10:30 P.M. yesterday continued until about 3:30 A.M. today.

Visitor from Arizona

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grant of Tuscan Arizona U.S.A. were our guests at dinner today. They arrived at about 1 P.M. in the afternoon. I accompanied them on a visit to Louisbourg National and Historic Park. Mr. Grant was born at Gabarus in 1908, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abram Grant. Abram Grants wife was the former Theresa Townsend of Louisbourg, a sister to my wife Emeline, who passed away on May 16, 1959.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. attended service in the First United Church where Mr. Todd a student minister who is stationed at New Waterford for the summer months, as an assistant to the Pastor of New Waterford United Church. Attendance at this service, about 53. No service in the First United Church in the evening. At 7 P.M. attended service in St. Bartholomew Anglican Church where Rev. [blank] Logan was the preacher.

Evelyn and Jane (my sister-in-law and niece) were also present at both of these services.

United States Ships

Two United States ships, the "Prevail" (G.S 20) and the "Sheldrake" (G.S. 19) were docked at the Fright Wharf today. The "Prevail" sailed in the late afternoon.

JULY 1960

Monday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny but becoming cloudy in the forenoon. Moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 55. Max. temperature 69.

175th Anniversary Celebration

Yesterday there began the 175th Anniversary Celebration of the founding of the City of Sydney, Nova Scotia, which took place during the summer of 1785.

JULY 1960

Tuesday 26

Louisbourg, N. S.

Warm with a cloudless sky and light southwest wind. A perfect summer day. Min. temperature 51. Max. temperature 74.

JULY 1960

Wednesday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light southwest wind. A perfect summer day. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 68.

To Sydney and Return

On last Sunday there began a week's activities in celebration of the 175th anniversary of the founding of the City of Sydney, which took place in the summer of 1785.

JULY 1960

Thursday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light to moderate southwest wind. A very day. Min. temperature 49. Max. temperature 70.

Induction

At 8 P.M. attended the Induction of Rev. Bruce Munroe into the Pastorate of the First United Church, Louisbourg.

JULY 1960

Friday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light to moderate southwest wind. A few very brief sunny interval during the afternoon. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 73. Light mist at night.

JULY 1960

Saturday 30

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy warm and foggy with very light southerly winds, a very unusual day. Min. temperature 63. Max. temperature 72.

JULY 1960

Sunday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with frequent showers and some fog. Strong southeast wind, shifting to southwest shortly before noon and clearing. Sunny during the afternoon. Wind continuing strong, but

decreasing to light in the evening. Rainfall about ¼ inch. Min. temperature. 58. Max. temperature 73.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended services in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munroe was the preacher. These were the first two services of his Pastorate of the First United Church since his Induction as Pastorate on Thursday evening. His last Pastorate was the United Church at Cape North, Victoria County N.S. where he has been succeeded by Rev. Morley Bently.

Present at each service today about 50. Choir attendance 11 A.M. 8, 7 P.M. 8.

Mr. Munroe succeeds Rev. John L. Rose, M.A. who served the First United at Louisbourg, for nearly six years. Mr. Rose is now Pastor of the United Church at Hillsborough, New Brunswick.

AUGUST 1960

Monday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and very warm with light to moderate wind, a very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 78.

AUGUST 1960

Tuesday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate southwest wind, increasing to fresh and to strong during the afternoon. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 73.

AUGUST 1960

WEDNESDAY 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Showers in the morning, ending at about 9 A.M. Cloudy with a brief sunny interval in the early afternoon. Foggy in the evening and night, rainfall about 1/8 inch. Min. temperature 62. Max. temperature 74.

AUGUST 1960

Thursday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy, becoming sunny early in the afternoon. Moderate northeast wind. Min. temperature 56. Max. temperature 72. A very nice summer day.

AUGUST 1960

Friday 5

Louisbourg, N. S.

Sunny and warm with light southwest wind, a very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 49. Max. temperature 72.

AUGUST 1960**Saturday 6**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with intermittent showers beginning at about 9:30 A.M. and ending in the early afternoon. Light to moderate southwest wind, shifting to northeast in the evening. Rainfall about ¼ inch. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 64.

AUGUST 1960**Sunday 7**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light to moderate southwest wind. A very nice day. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 72.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. Evelyn, Jane and I attended serve in the First United Church, where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present in the morning about 85, in the evening about 60.

Service at Catalone Cemetery

In the afternoon on the invitation of Rev. Bruce Munro, I motored to Catalone. Other occupants of the car besides Mr. Munro were Mrs. Munro, Malcolm Boyd and John Johnston. At Cataone at 3 P.M. we attended a memorial service in Catalone Cemetery. Those taking part in the service were Rev. E.S. Habs, Pastor of the Presbyterian churches at Mira Ferry, Catalone, and Louisbourg, who was chairman, Rev. Bruce Munro who read the scripture and Rev. James MacDonald, assistant Pastor of St. Andrews United Church Sydney, who delivered the address. John MacIntyre of Mira Ferry also gave an address describing the work that had been done within the past four years in improving the condition of the cemetery.

AUGUST 1960**Monday 8**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and warm, with light to moderate wind. A few brief sunny intervals. Min. temperature 60. Max. temperature 72.

AUGUST 1960

Tuesday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain beginning in the early morning, and ending at about 8:30 A.M. Fresh to strong northwest wind decreasing to light at about 8 A.M. and shifting to light northwest. Clearing shortly before noon. Sunny and warm during the afternoon. Rainfall 1 ½ inch. Min. temperature 54. Max temperature 76.

AUGUST 1960**Wednesday 10**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light to moderate northwest wind. A very pleasant summer day. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 73.

Canadian Parliament which opened at Ottawa on January 14 of this year prorogued today.

AUGUST 1960**Thursday 11**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light showers and drizzle beginning in mid- afternoon ending in the early part of the night. Light southwest wind. Min. temperature 57. Max. temperature 68.

AUGUST 1960**Friday 12**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy in the early part of the day, but becoming sunny before noon. A cloudless sky during the afternoon and evening with light southwest wind. A perfect afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 72.

AUGUST 1960**Saturday 13**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light southwest wind. A perfect summer day. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 74.

Death of Samuel Levy

The death of Samuel Levy occurred at an early hour this morning in the City Hospital at Sydney, N.S. He was 73 years of age and is survived by his wife, four sons and one daughter. The sons are Edward, Carlton, Irvin and Wilson all of Louisbourg, the daughter Mrs. Warren (Frances) Montreal. Mr. Levy was a native of Lunenburg County, N.S. but for many years has been a resident of Louisbourg.

AUGUST 1960

Sunday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate to fresh westerly winds. Min. temperature 53. Max. temperature 73.

Church Service

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended service in the First United Church where the Pastor, Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Evelyn, my sister- in-law, and Jane my niece, where also present at both of these services.

AUGUST 1960

Monday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light-southwest wind. A very lovely summer day. Sky hazing in the evening fog at night. Showers beginning at about 10 P.M. accompanied by thunder and lighting. Min. temperature 60. Max. temperature 79.

Funeral

The funeral of the late Samuel Levy took place at 2 P.M. with service in the First United Church conducted by Rev. Bruce Munro, Pastor of the First United Church who also conducted the service at the grave. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director, Louisbourg

AUGUST 1960

Tuesday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with light variable winds. A very lovely day, warm with a minimum temperature of 58, and a maximum of 74.

AUGUST 1960

Wednesday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate southerly winds. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 70.

AUGUST 1960

Thursday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and very warm with moderate to fresh variable winds, mostly southwest. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 82. Warmest day of the season.

Telephone Installed

Had a telephone installed in my residence to day. Up to the present time I have always depended on the phone in by shop for telephone service. My number 209.

Death of John Douglas Nicholson

As a result of a car accident on the highway near Holmville, C.B. at about 9 P.M. John Douglas Nicholson of this town was fatally injured. Harvey Wadden of Glace Bay who was with Nicholson in the car was seriously injured and is in the Glace Bay General Hospital with a dislocated hip. Both were taken to Glace by ambulance. Nicholson passed away at about the time he reached the hospital from internal injuries.

AUGUST 1960

Friday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with light to moderate southwest wind. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 74.

AUGUST 1960

Saturday 20

Louisbourg, N. S.

Sunny and very warm with light to moderate southwest wind. A very lovely summer day. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 82. Light showers of rain during the night.

AUGUST 1960

Sunday 21

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy in the morning, but becoming mostly sunny early in the forenoon. Very warm with moderate northwest wind, shifting to southwest in the forenoon. Min. temperature. 66. Max. temperature 79. Rainfall of last night, about 16th on an inch.

Funeral

At 2 P.M. attended the funeral of the late John Nicholson, which took place from his former home on Warren Street. Service at the home, Church (First United) and graveside were conducted by Rev. Bruce Munro. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston Funeral Director, Louisbourg. The funeral was largely attended the church being completely filled, with a number unable to gain admission.

In response to a request from the father of the deceased, (Alex Nicholson) for a solo, at the service in the church, I sang a number entitled, "God Knows".

AUGUST 1960

Monday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light southwest wind. Foggy along the coast and inland at night. Min. temperature 64. Max. temperature 74.

AUGUST 1960**Tuesday 23**

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloudy with considerable fog. Light to moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 64. Max. temperature 76.

AUGUST 1960**Wednesday 24**

Louisbourg, N. S.

Cloud and sunshine with fresh northwest wind. A few very light showers, between the sunny intervals during the late afternoon. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 68. First break in the heat wave that we have experienced for the past two or three weeks.

AUGUST 1960**Thursday 25**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with fresh to strong northerly winds. Light showers during the cloudy intervals. Rainfall about 16th inch. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 64.

AUGUST 1960**Friday 26**

Louisburg, N.S.

Sunny with moderately to fresh northwest wind. A very nice day. Min. temperature 43. Max. temperature 71.

AUGUST 1960**Saturday 27**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with moderate to fresh west southwest winds decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 74.

On Holidays

At 6:15 P.M. Evelyn Huntington, my sister-in-law and clerk in my shop, left on the Leblanc bus for Sydney enroute to Huntington C.B. for the purpose of spending her annual vacation in that vicinity.

AUGUST 1960

Sunday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate northwest wind. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 55. Max. temperature 75.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. my niece Jane and I attended services in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present in the morning, about 90, in the evening about 50. Choir attendance, A.M. 11, P.M. 8.

In the afternoon on the invitation of Oscar Harris I motored to Marion Bridge with Mr. Harris, his mother and Miss Blanche Cross. At 3 P.M. we attended the anniversary service of Bethel United Church. The service was in charge of Mr. Thomas Whent student Minister while the guest speaker Rev. Mr. Ferguson, Pastor of Stephenville, Ontario, United Church.

We arrived back home at about 5 P.M. after a very pleasant trip.

AUGUST 1960

Monday 29

Louisbourg, N. S.

Sunny and warm with moderate to fresh southwest wind. A very nice summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 75.

AUGUST 1960

Tuesday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy in the morning, but clearing during the forenoon. Sunny during the afternoon and evening, clear at night. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 79.

AUGUST 1960

Wednesday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with moderate northwest win. A very lovely day. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 78.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended Choir practice in the First United Church.

Came To Louisbourg

Sixty – four years ago today, August 31, 1896, I left my home where I was born on July 21, 1875 at Salmon River, Cape Breton County, N.S. and took up-n my residence at Louisbourg.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Thursday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and warm with fresh winds increasing to strong in the evening. Becoming cloudy in the evening.

Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 72.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Friday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the forenoon, becoming cloudy shortly after noon, with brief sunny intervals. Fresh to strong northwest wind decreasing to light in the evening. Rainfall of about 1/8 inch in the early morning. Min. temperature 52. Max. temperature 70.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Saturday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool during the forenoon becoming with sunny intervals in the afternoon, with light shower decreasing to light at night. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 68.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Sunday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, becoming cloudy with sunny intervals in the afternoon. Cloudy in the evening. Light shower of rain during the night. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 74.

To Marion Bridge and Return
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SEPTEMBER 1960

Monday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with a few brief cloudy intervals. Cool with fresh northwest wind decreasing to light in the evening. A very nice late summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 70.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Tuesday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 44. Max. Temperature 69.

SEPTEMBER 1960**Wednesday 7**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with fresh northwest win. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 68.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

SEPTEMBER 1960**Thursday 8**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, clearing before noon. Sunny and warm during the afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 80. Moderate to fresh northwest wind, decreasing to light in the evening.

SEPTEMBER 1960**Friday 9th**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy partly clear during the afternoon, becoming cloudy in the evening. Winds light and variable. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 72.

SEPTEMBER 1960**Saturday 10**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with strong southwest wind decreasing to light at nightfall. Two or three very light and brief showers, just enough to dampen the pavement. Min. temperature 60. Max. temperature 72.

SEPTEMBER 1960**Sunday 11**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light to moderate southwest wind. A very nice late summer day. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 68.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. Jane (my niece) and I attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. About 115 present at this service.

On the invitation of Mr. Munro, Jane and I accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Munro to Catalone where at 3 P.M. we attended the annual anniversary service of the Catalone United Church. Service in charge of Rev. Bruce Munro, while the guest speaker was Rev. Ellis Boyd Pastor of the Sydney River United Church.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Monday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate southerly winds, a few light showers in the evening. Rainfall about 1/16 inch. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 72.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Tuesday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Southwest gale in the morning accompanied by shower of rain. Rainfall about ½ inch. The tail end of the hurricane "Donna" which had its origin in the West Indies Islands about ten days ago struck here early this morning. Velocity of wind estimated at about 40 miles per hour decreased to moderate during the day.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Wednesday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Heavy rain beginning at about midnight last night and ending before noon, then followed by showers clearing in the evening. Fresh southwest winds shifting to west in the late afternoon. Rainfall of last night and today 2 ½ inches.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Thursday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with moderate to fresh westerly winds decreasing to light in the evening. A very nice late summer day. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 65.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Friday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with light winds, mostly southeast. A very lovely late summer day with a feeling in the air that Autumn is near at hand.

Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 60.

On Vacation

Jane Huntington (my niece) who has been employed in my shop, left here on the 8 A.M. trip of the LeBlanc bus enroute to Halifax via Sydney where she intends to spend a part of her annual vacation. At Sydney she intends joining Maud and Elinor Huntington (my two nieces) who are leaving for Halifax, by car this afternoon.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Sunday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with moderate to fresh westerly winds. Min. temperature 66. Max. temperature 66.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Monday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Light shower of rain in the early morning. Cloudy, clearing in the late afternoon. Very light variable winds.

Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 67.

Golden Wedding

For the evening attended a party in the parish hall held in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Wilcox. A large crowd in attendance and a pleasant spent.

I was present at their wedding which took place at Big Lorraine C.B. on September 19, 1910. Rev. T.F. Draper performed the marriage ceremony in the Anglican Church at Big Lorraine.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Tuesday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Clear with partly cloudy intervals. Moderate easterly winds. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 60.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Wednesday 21

Louisbourg., N.S.

Cloudy and cool with fresh northerly winds. Rain which began at about 10 P.M. yesterday and ended with light showers in the forenoon. Rainfall of last night and today one inch. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 59.

Choir Practice

Attended choir practice in the First United Church at 8 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Thursday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Remarkably clear with light northwest winds. A perfect early autumn day. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 65.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Friday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with moderate southwest wind. A very lovely autumn day. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 64.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Saturday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the early part of the day, becoming cloudy at about noon and continuing on during the afternoon and evening. Light to moderate northwest wind shifting to north northeast and increasing.

Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 64.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Sunday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny during the forenoon. Cloudy in the afternoon and evening. Moderate northeast wind. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 59.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. attended service in the First United Church. Sunday school "Rally Day" service conducted by Edward Terry, Superintendent of the Sunday school, while the preacher was the Pastor, Rev. Bruce Munroe. Upwards of 100 persons present. Choir attendance 9.

Anniversary Service

At 7 P.M. attended the evening service of the Presbyterian anniversary. The preacher on this occasion was Rev. Douglas Wilson, Pastor of Sydney Mines Presbyterian Church. A male choir from Sydney Mines, led the service of song. Services were also held at 11 A.M. and 3 P.M. in celebration of the anniversary. At both of these Mr. Wilson was the preacher. At the evening service Rev. Bruce Munro Pastor of the United Church was present and assisted in the service.

No service in the First United Church in the evening in order to allow the congregation an opportunity to attend the Presbyterian anniversary service.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Monday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, becoming mostly early in the afternoon. Cloudy at night. A very nice autumn day. Min. temperature 43. Max. temperature 66. Light to moderate northwest wind.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Tuesday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and warm with some fog. Light to southwest winds, occasional mist. Min. temperature 54. Max. temperature 69.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Wednesday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and foggy with light to moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 50. Max. temperature 33.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Thursday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light showers mist, drizzle and fog. Southwest wind. Min. temperature 58. Max. temperature 64.

Preparatory Service

At 7:30 attended the Quarterly Preparatory Service held in the First United Church. Service conducted by Rev. Bruce Munro Pastor of the First United.

SEPTEMBER 1960

Friday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Showers in the early morning, followed by light showers, drizzle and mist during the afternoon and evening. Min. temperature 57. Max. temperature 64. Light winds.

OCTOBER 1960

Saturday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with light variable winds. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 56.

Anniversary

At 11 A.M. 3 P.M. and 7 P.M. attended the anniversary services in the First United Church. Services were conducted by Rev. Bruce Munro, Pastor of the First United Church while the guest preacher was Dr. J.B. Hardie of Pine Hill Theological College, Halifax, N.S. The services were well attended. About 130 present at 11 A.M. about 100 at 3 P.M. and 7 P.M. The Louisbourg Cadets about 25 in number paraded to church at 7 P.M. Choir attendance 11 A.M. 3 P.M. and 7 P.M. 11.

OCTOBER 1960

Sunday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with fresh southwest wind. Light showers in the evening. Min. temperature 39. Max. temperature 58.

OCTOBER 1960

Monday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Partly clear in the forenoon, becoming cloudy in the afternoon. A few light showers and drizzle in the early part of the night. Cool. Min. temperature about 46. Max. temperature 60.

Glass Broken

A pane of glass 20 x 45 inches was broken in one of my front shop windows sometime after closing on Saturday night and this morning. I discovered the break this morning when I opened for business this morning. The break in the glass was not large enough for a person to enter. I had it replaced during the day.

OCTOBER 1960

Tuesday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with fresh northwest wind. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 58. Wind decreasing to light in the evening.

OCTOBER 1960

Wednesday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine and a few light showers in the forenoon. Cool with northwest wind. Min. temperature 46. Max. temperature 57.

Choir Practice

At 8 P.M. attended choir practice in the First United Church.

OCTOBER 1960

Thursday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Partly in the forenoon cloudy during the afternoon and night. Fresh to strong southwest wind. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 62. Rain began to fall about 10 P.M.

OCTOBER 1960

Friday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with cloudy intervals. Cool with fresh to strong westerly winds. Light showers at about 6 P.M. Rainfall of last night 3/8 inch. Min. temperature 42. Max. temperature 60.

OCTOBER 1960

Saturday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with brief sunny intervals and a few light showers. Fresh northwest wind. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 51.

Arrived Home

Jane, (my niece) who is now employed in Halifax, N.S. arrived home on the LeBlanc bus at about 1:15 P.M. from Sydney. She came from Halifax to Sydney last night by train after spending one weekend with us she intends returning to Halifax on next Monday which will be Thanksgiving Day.

OCTOBER 1960

Sunday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with fresh northwest win. Very cool. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 52.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present in the morning about 80 in the evening about 65. Choir attendance A.M. 10, P.M. 8.

Visitors

At about 5 P.M. the following visitors arrived from Marion Bridge, Mrs. Clifford Huntington, (my sister) Miss Maud and Miss Elinor Huntington, Mrs. Harvey Hussey (Lillian Huntington) three of my nieces. Accompanying them was Miss Olive Spencer a first cousin of mine from Halifax who is spending the weekend visiting relatives. After attending service in the First United Church the party left for home at 9 P.M.

OCTOBER 1960

Monday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny during the forenoon, cloud and sunshine in the afternoon. First northwest wind decreasing to light in the evening. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 54. Light frost in the morning. First frost I have noticed so far this season.

Left for Halifax

Jane Huntington, (my niece) left on the 1:30 trip of the LeBlanc Bus, after spending the weekend with us she intends leaving on the 8 P.M. plane from Sydney for Halifax tonight in order to resume her duties in the office of the Dominion Coal Company tomorrow. On the plane trip to Halifax she was accompanied by Miss Olive Spencer who is returning home after spending the Thanksgiving weekend visiting at Marion Bridge, Louisbourg and Sydney.

OCTOBER 1960

Tuesday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, light showers drizzle and mist with fresh to strong southwest and southeast winds. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 52.

OCTOBER 1960

Wednesday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few light showers, drizzle and mist clearing in the evening. Fresh west and northwest wind. Min. temperature 36. Min. temperature 52.

OCTOBER 1960

Thursday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals and few light showers. Moderate northwest wind clearing in the evening. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 50.

OCTOBER 1960

Friday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

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OCTOBER 1960

Saturday 15

Marion Bridge C.B. N.S.

Sunny with cloudy intervals light winds. A very lovely autumn day.

OCTOBER 1960

Sunday 16

Marion Bridge C.B. N.S.

Sunny with light winds and some cloudy in the late afternoon and evening.

OCTOBER 1960

Monday 17

Marion Bridge C.B. N.S.

Light fog continuing all day with occasional light showers and mist. Very light winds.

OCTOBER 1960

Tuesday 18

Marion Bridge

Mostly sunny with some brief cloudy intervals. Moderate northwest wind.

OCTOBER 1960

Wednesday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 50.

OCTOBER 1960

Thursday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with increasing southwest wind, reaching gale force at night. Min. temperature 32.

Max. temperature 50.

OCTOBER 1960

Friday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain in the early morning, cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals, strong southwest wind of last

night shifted to northwest in the morning decreasing to moderate. Rainfall of last night about ¼ inch. Min. temperature 40. Max. temperature 56.

OCTOBER 1960

Saturday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with moderate westerly winds. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 50.

OCTOBER 1960

Sunday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light southeast wind. A very lovely autumn day. Min. temperature 29. Max. temperature 48.

Was not out to church, owing to having a cold. Remained home all day.

OCTOBER 1960

Monday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals in the early part of the day. Cloudy during the afternoon and night. Strong southeast wind. Min. temperature 45. Max. temperature 53.

OCTOBER 1960

Tuesday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Rain in the early morning and forenoon, showers during the afternoon. Partly clearing in the evening. , strong southeast wind, decreasing to light in the late afternoon. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 54. Rainfall

OCTOBER 1960

Wednesday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with showers beginning in the early morning, sunny interval shortly before noon. Cloudy with showers during the afternoon. Moderate west wind shifting to northerly and increasing to strong. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 54. Rainfall of yesterday and today, 1 inch.

Went to work in the shop today, after remaining at home for the past three days owing to having a cold, which at present is much better.

OCTOBER 1960

Thursday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with fresh northerly winds. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 48.

OCTOBER 1960

Sunday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool becoming cloudy before noon. Cloudy during the afternoon and evening. Light easterly winds. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 48.

Church Service

At 11 A.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Upwards of 100 present at this service. Choir attendance 6.

Did not take my usual place in the choir today owing to my having not completely recovered from a cold which I contracted about a week ago.

No service in the First United this evening owing to its congregation in common with other congregations in the Sydney area having been invited to attend a service in St. Andrews United Church, Sydney where the speaker was Rev. Ian G. MacLeod who has been a mission in Japan since 1949. I remained home in the evening.

Standard Time

Daylight saving time which came into effect immediately after midnight on the night of April 23, 1960, ended last night at 12:01.

OCTOBER 1960

Monday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning, becoming cloudy early in the forenoon and continuing so during the remainder of the day. Moderate easterly winds. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 48.

Bean Supper

At 5 P.M. attended a Bean Supper and home cooking sale, held in Calvin Hall sponsored by Catalone United Church.

NOVEMBER 1960

Tuesday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny in the morning but becoming cloudy during the forenoon. Cloudy in the afternoon, evening, and night. Moderate easterly winds. Min. temperature 45. Max. temperature 50.

NOVEMBER 1960

Wednesday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with fresh southeast wind shifting to southwest and night increasing to strong. Rain began to fall at about 6 P.M. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 52.

NOVEMBER 1960

Thursday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with light northwest wind, a very lovely mid-autumn day. Min. temperature 45. Max. temperature 56.

NOVEMBER 1960

Friday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cloudy intervals and occasional light showers. Light northwest wind. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 50.

NOVEMBER 1960

Saturday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals in the early part of the day. Showers and mist during the afternoon and evening. Light northwest wind. Min. temperature 38. Max. temperature 46.

NOVEMBER 1960

Sunday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with light winds. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 42.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended Remembrance Day services held in the First United Church and conducted by Rev. Bruce Munro. About 80 present in the morning and about 65 in the evening. Choir attendance, 10 at each service.

First Snow

A very light snow squall in the late afternoon gave us the first appearance of snow this season.

NOVEMBER 1960

Monday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cool and mostly cloudy with moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 40. Light trace of snow in the morning as the result of a light squall last night.

NOVEMBER 1960

Tuesday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cool and cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals. Light to moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 26. Max. temperature 34. Light trace of snow in the morning, which disappeared early in the forenoon.

NOVEMBER 1960

Wednesday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and mild with light to moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 50.

NOVEMBER 1960

Thursday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light drizzle and mist with occasional light showers, some steady rain in the early part of the night. Moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 44. Max. temperature 52.

In Business 54 Years

Opened my shop for business, November 10, 1906 in the Kennedy building on the corner of Main and Aberdeen Streets.

NOVEMBER 1960

Friday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with cloudy intervals in the forenoon. Mostly cloudy during the afternoon. Moderate northwest wind. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 50. Rainfall of yesterday and last night about one inch.

Remembrance Day

The usual Remembrance Day ceremonies were carried out including a parade of War Veterans, Sea Cadets, and Girl Guides led by a Pipe Band.

NOVEMBER 1960

Saturday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with light northwest wind. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 40.

NOVEMBER 1960

Sunday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, with a few light showers of rain mixed with snow in the early part of the day. Sunny intervals during the afternoon. Very light winds, almost perfectly calm. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 43.

Church Service

At 11 A.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. About 80 present at this service. Did not attend the evening service.

NOVEMBER 1960

Monday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with light to moderate northwest wind. A very nice mid-autumn day. Min. temperature 28. Max. temperature 42.

NOVEMBER 1960

Tuesday 15

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light drizzle and mist. Light winds. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 41.

NOVEMBER 1960

Wednesday 16

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light showers drizzle and mist lasting all day. Fresh southwest wind. Min. temperature 36. Max. temperature 50.

NOVEMBER 1960

Thursday 17

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light showers and drizzle during the forenoon. Heavy showers beginning at noon followed by light showers and drizzle. Moderate southwest wind. Min. temperature 48. Max. temperature 50. Rainfall, about 3/8 inch.

Canadian Parliament

Canadian Parliament opened today for a special session.

NOVEMBER 1960

Friday 18

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, with light northwest wind. A very lovely mid – autumn day. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 48.

Death of Arthur L. Burke

The death of Arthur L. Burke of this town occurred at 11 P.M. at St. Rita's Hospital, Sydney N.S. Mr. Burke who was 77 years of age had been an invalid for about sixteen years, had a fall in which he suffered a broken leg which no doubt hastened his death.

NOVEMBER 1960

Saturday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with light variable winds. Wind easterly during the afternoon increasing to fresh in the evening with rain beginning to fall at about 6 P.M. Rainfall about 1/8 inch. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 42.

NOVEMBER 1960

Sunday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloud and sunshine with light northerly winds. A very nice mid – autumn day. Min. temperature 34. Max. temperature 42.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended service in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. About 75 present at 11 A.M. and about 90 in the evening. Choir attendance, A.M. 11 P.M. 12.

Did not take my usual place in the choir today owing to not being entirely free from a cough which I have had for the past several weeks, as a result of a cold.

NOVEMBER 1960

Monday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and cool with light winds and a brief sunny interval. A light shower in the afternoon. Min. temperature 30. Max. temperature 44.

Funeral

The funeral of the late Arthur L. Burke took place at 9 A.M. today. Funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Power in Stella Maris Church. Burial in the Parish Cemetery. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director, Louisbourg.

NOVEMBER 1960**Tuesday 22**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals. Light northwest wind. Min. temperature 32. Max. temperature 40. A light shower of rain and a very light snow flurry occurred during the day.

Death of Mrs. Alexander Bates

The death of Mrs. Alex Bates occurred at St. Anthony's Home, Sydney, N.S. early this morning. Mrs. Bates the former Miss. Maud Dickson of Louisbourg was 84 years of age. Her husband predeceased her a number of years ago.

Nomination Day

This is nomination day throughout the Province for the office of councilors for the various towns. At Louisbourg five candidates to fill three seats in the Town Council. Nominations filed at the Town Hall were as follows: Alex. Nicholson. Alex. C. MacDonald, Angus Ferguson, Donald Beaver, and Harold MacQueen Jr. The three former were the retiring councilors. Donald Beaver has served as councilor in former years, while Harold MacQueen Jr. is a newcomer in the field of civic politics. Polling takes place two weeks from today.

NOVEMBER 1960**Wednesday 23**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and light winds. Min. temperature 32, Max. temperature, 44.

NOVEMBER 1960**Thursday 24**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light snow flurries in the morning. Snow melting as it fell. Becoming sunny early in the forenoon and continuing so throughout the day. Fresh northwest wind becoming light at night.

Min. temperature 29, Max. temperature, 42.

Turkey Supper

In the evening was present at a turkey supper held in Calvin hall, under the sponsorship of the MacMillan Club of the First Unites Church.

Funeral

The funeral of the late Mrs. Alexander Bates took place to Stella Maris where Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hugh A. MacDonald, a former Parish priest at the Louisbourg Parish. Burial took place in the cemetary adjoining the church. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director, Louisbourg, N.S.

NOVEMBER 1960

Friday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the forenoon, becoming cloudy in the afternoon. Light northwest wind, shifting to southwest in the afternoon and increasing at night.

Min. temperature 25, Max. temperature 44.

NOVEMBER 1960

Saturday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

No entry.

NOVEMBER 1960

Sunday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny, becoming cloudy in the afternoon. Light northwest wind. A very nice late autumn day.

Min. temperature 36, Max. temperature 44.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. attended service in the First United Church, where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present at this service about 85. Choir attendance 9.

To Marion Bride

On the invitation of Wilson Levy, motored to Marion Bridge where Evelyn (my sister-in-law), William Levy and I attended service at 7 P.M. in St. Columba Presbyterian Church, where the preacher was Rev. Mr. Foote.

NOVEMBER 1960

Monday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with light northwest wind.

Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 33.

NOVEMBER 1960

Tuesday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the forenoon. Becoming cloudy at noon. Cloudy in the afternoon, evening and night. Light northwest wind, shifting to southerly in the afternoon and increasing to strong at night. Min. temperature 22, Max. temperature 38.

NOVEMBER 1960

Wednesday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light southwest wind, increasing to fresh at night. Min. temperature 40, Max. temperature 52.
Rain in the evening.

DECEMBER 1960

Thursday 1

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cool with westerly wind. Rainfall of last night about ¼ inch. Min. temperature 32, Max. temperature 48.

DECEMBER 1960

Friday 2

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with moderate northerly winds. Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 32.

DECEMBER 1960

Saturday 3

Louisbourg, N.S.

A cloudy sky with light northwest winds. A perfect December day. Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 35.

DECEMBER 1960

Sunday 4

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with very light northerly winds. Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 36.

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present in the morning about 95, in the evening about 80. Choir attendance, 10 at each service.

DECEMBER 1960

Monday 5

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northwest wind.

Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 36.

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Tuesday 6

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light southwest wind.

Min. temperature 32, Max. temperature 40.

Town Elections

Civic elections are being held today throughout the towns in the Province of Nova Scotia. The result in the Town of Louisbourg as follows:

Councillors:	Donald Beaver	314
	Alex. C. MacDonald	272
	Alex. Nicholson	257
	Harold MacQueen	255
	Angus Ferguson	141

There were five candidates to fill three seats on the Council board. The first three in the above list were elected.

Beaver, MacDonald, Nicholson, and Ferguson have previously served on the Council board while MacQueens candidature was his first entry in the field of civic politics.

No election for the office of Mayor this year.

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Wednesday 7

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northwest wind.

Min. temperature about 28, Max. temperature about 32.

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Thursday 8

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with moderate to fresh northwest wind. A few snowflurries in the morning.

Snowfall about $\frac{3}{4}$ inch the most of which melted during the day.

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Friday 9

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few sunny intervals and an occasional snow flurry.

Min. temperature 14, Max. temperature 30.

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Saturday 10

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly cloudy with moderate winds and a few light snowflurries.

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Sunday 11

Louisbourg, N.S.

Mostly sunny with moderate to fresh northwest wind.

Min. temperature 14, Max. temperature 24.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. Present in the morning about 85, in the evening about 65.

Choir attendance, A.M. 11, P.M. 10.

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Monday 12

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northerly winds, shifting to easterly and increasing until it reached gale force during the afternoon. Snow began to fall at noon and continued during the afternoon and evening.

Min. temperature 10, Max. temperature 30.

First Snow Storm of this Season

The snow storm which began at noon today accompanied by an easterly gale ended during the night. Snowfall at least 6 inches.

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Tuesday 13

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with light northwest wind, which shifted early in the forenoon and increasing to a strong breeze. A few sunny intervals.

Min. temperature 30, Max. temperature 38.

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Wednesday 14

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with a few brief sunny intervals. Light westerly winds. A few very light snowflurries during the afternoon.

Min. temperature 18, Max. temperature 30,

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Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light westerly winds. A very lovely late autumn day.

Min. temperature 18, Max. temperature 29.

DECEMBER 1960**Friday 16**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, cold in the morning but becoming mild during the day. Light mist and drizzle in the afternoon. Light southerly winds, increasing to strong in the late afternoon and night.

Min. temperature 17, Max. temperature 42.

DECEMBER 1960**Saturday 17**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy, clearing in the forenoon. Rain of last night ended in the morning. Mostly cloudy during the afternoon. Strong westerly winds during the afternoon and evening.

Min. temperature 30, Max. temperature 45.

Rainfall of last night about 1 inch.

Death of Arthur M. Townsend

The death occurred today of Arthur M. Townsend, a lifelong resident of Louisbourg at his home on Warren Street, Louisbourg, at the age of 84 years. He was twice married, his first wife who predeceased him a number of years ago, was the former Miss Tilly Fisher. His second wife, who survives him, was the former Miss Amelia Hickman. Until his retirement several years ago he was an engineer driver on the S. & L. Railway.

He served for several terms on the Louisbourg Town Council and on the School Board. Besides his wife he is survived by four sons and one daughter.

DECEMBER 1960**Sunday 18**

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light to moderate southwest wind. Becoming cloudy in the evening. Light drizzle of snow at night. A very lovely late autumn day.

Min. temperature 19, Max. temperature 35.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where at 11 A.M. Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. About 90 present at the morning service, with a choir attendance of 11.

The evening service was conducted by the teachers and children of the Sunday School and consisted of a "White Gift" service in which all the members of the Sunday School, both junior and senior, took part. The service of song was led by the junior choir, with Mrs. Bruce at the organ. The church was filled to capacity.

After the close of the church service I visited the home of the late Arthur M. Townsend, whose funeral is to take place at 2 P.M. tomorrow.

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Monday 19

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy with fresh southwest wind. A rainfall of about 1/16 of an inch during last night.

Min. temperature 34, Max. temperature 38.

Funeral

The funeral of the late Arthur M. Townsend took place at 2 P.M. with service in the First United Church conducted by the pastor, Rev, Bruce Munro. Burial took place in the United Church cemetery. Funeral in charge of D.M. Johnston, Funeral Director, Louisbourg.

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Tuesday 20

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow storm beginning after midnight last night ended shortly before noon with a fall of about 8 inches. Cloudy with moderate easterly winds, shifting to northerly in the late afternoon.

Min. temperature 30, Max. temperature 36.

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Wednesday 21

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the forenoon becoming cloudy in the afternoon. Increasing southerly winds in the late afternoon and night.

Min. temperature 22, Max. temperature 34.

Motorship Fossum

Norwegian motorship "Fossum" arrived in the evening and docked at the Government Wharf.

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Thursday 22

Louisbourg, N.S.

Heavy southerly gale during last night, decreasing in force during the forenoon and shifting to strong southwest. Rain during last night ended at about 10 A.M. Mostly cloudy in the afternoon. Rainfall about $\frac{3}{4}$ inch.

Min. temperature 28, Max. temperature 36.

Rain of last night coupled with high temperatures melted all the snow. Streets, highways and fields entirely bare.

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Friday 23

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny with light winds, becoming cloudy in the early afternoon. Light snow beginning to fall at about 6 P.M.

Min. temperature 18, Max. temperature 32.

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Saturday 24

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snow during last night followed by flurries during the forenoon. Partly clear in the afternoon. Snowfall of last night and today about 4 inches. Light northwest wind. Cold during the night.

Min. temperature 10, Max. temperature 32.

Arrived Home

Jane Huntington (my niece) arrived from Halifax at about 3:30 by taxi. The train on which she came from Halifax, owing to delays along the way, did not arrive at Sydney until after two o'clock this morning, so she had to engage a taxi to bring her home.

After spending the Christmas holiday at home she intends returning on Monday night, the 26th.

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Sunday 25

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny during the early part of the day but becoming cloudy at about noon. A few light snowflurries in the afternoon followed by mist and light showers in the early part of the night. Light to moderate southwest winds during the afternoon and night.

Min. temperature 12, Max. temperature 34.

Church Services

At 11 A.M. and 7 P.M. attended services in the First United Church where Rev. Bruce Munro was the preacher. About 140 present at the morning service and in the evening about 45.

Choir attendance, 13 at each service.

At the morning service a set of chimes was presented to the church by Edward Levy on behalf of the Levy family, in honour of their father. The dedication service of the chimes was conducted by the Pastor Rev. Bruce Munro.

The Levy family consists of Mrs. Samuel Levy, widow of the late Samuel Levy, Edward Levy, Wilson Levy, Ervin Levy, Carl Levy, all in Louisbourg, and Frances (Mrs. George Warren) in Montreal.

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Monday 26

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild, with light variable winds, mostly southerly.

Min. temperature 33, Max. temperature 35.

General Holiday

All public offices closed including Post Office, bank, Customs Office, schools and as far as I know all the stores, except the drug store.

Had out Christmas dinner today instead of yesterday, which was Christmas day. Had as our guest for dinner and supper, John C. Johnston, who has been our guest for many years, on a similar occasion.

Left for Halifax

Jane Huntington (my niece) who has been home for the holiday, left for Sydney at 6:16 P.M. on the LeBlanc Bus where she will take the night train for Halifax where she will resume her duties in the Dominion Coal Company's office, as secretary to the Manager, Mr. Curry.

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Tuesday 27

Louisbourg, N.S.

Cloudy and mild with light southwest wind, which shifted to west, and to northwest in the evening and becoming cold.

Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 42.

The mild weather of last night and today has melted nearly all the snow. The ground is nearly entirely bare.

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Wednesday 28

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with light to moderate westerly winds.

Min. temperature 12, Max. temperature 23.

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Thursday 29

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold becoming cloudy at about noon. Moderate west-southwest wind increasing to fresh at night. Light intermittent snowflurries during the afternoon and night.
Min. temperature 12, Max. temperature 32.

Finished Loading

Norwegian motorship Fossum finished loading her cargo.

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Friday 30

Louisbourg, N.S.

Snowfall of last night amounted to about 1 inch and was followed showers and light drizzle of rain. Rainfall about ¼ inch. Cloudy and mild with very light southwest wind.

Min. temperature 32, Max. temperature 38.

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Saturday 31

Louisbourg, N.S.

Sunny and cold with light westerly winds. A very nice early winter day followed by a very lovely winter night.

Min. temperature 24, Max. temperature 35.