

Expects Greatly Improved Service At Wood Islands With Advent Of New Ferry

"We should be able to eliminate some of the delays now experienced at Wood Islands and Caribou when the new Ferry Boat, 'Lord Selkirk' goes into operation by next May, said Captain Claude Hunter, Marine Superintendent, Northumberland Ferries Ltd., speaking at a Rotary breakfast, Chairman was, William Hayward. The speaker was thanked by Fred Moore.

In reviewing briefly the Northumberland Ferry service since 1941, Captain Hunter recalled that there was considerable opposition to the starting of the service. "There were those who said there would not be enough traffic to keep a boat running continuously," he said.

PHENOMINAL GROWTH
The speaker went on to show the tremendous upswing in traffic which has taken place since that time. The first year the service was in operation there were 25,000 passengers, 6,500 autos and 629 trucks carried. During 1955 there were 82,000 passengers, 22,200 autos and 6,413 trucks taken out. The total traffic since 1941 has been 907,963 passengers, 205,112 cars and 62,759 trucks.

Captain Hunter said that the new boat now under construction will be a radical departure from the ferries now in operation. It is what is known as a "drive on, drive off" type. It will have a capacity of about 60 cars which in theory can be loaded or unloaded in eight minutes.

At each end of the ship there are steel bulkheads to a height of 6.3 feet which lift vertically to allow vehicles to load. They will give protection from the sea while the ship is in motion.

The length of the ship is 259 feet, twice as long as the Prince Nova. Its width is 54 feet 6 inches and it will draw eleven feet of water. Dredging is being carried out at both terminals to accommodate the ferry.

FAST CROSSING
The ferry never turns. Its speed is 13 knots which means that it can make a crossing in one hour and five minutes. There will be no traffic lanes. The outside lanes will accommodate autos while the inside lanes will be reserved for trucks.

Passenger accommodation will include comfortable foam rubber seats, a coffee shop, wash rooms and a ladies' rest room. It will contain all the latest fire fighting equipment and navigational aids. The ship will be diesel powered. The engines are not reversible, but the direction of motion will be governed by the pitch of the propellers of which there are two at each end. There will also be twin rudders at each end. The electrical power will be operated on alternating current so that when the ferry is tied up at night, it can plug in on shore power.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. BENJAMIN JENKINS
Mrs. Benjamin Jenkins (nee Hannah Gosbee) of Murray River passed away suddenly at her home on April 11, 1956 in her seventy-sixth year. The deceased had been enjoying good health and it was a severe shock to her family and friends to learn of her passing. Shortly before her death she had been visiting her daughter, Bernice (Mrs. Roland Weatherble) of Trenton, N.S., where she had spent the winter.

She leaves to mourn three sons and one daughter, Grafton of Saranac, Ont.; Raymond of Summerside; and Foster at home; Bernice, Roland Weatherble of Trenton, N.S.

Also two brothers and one sister, survive: Thomas and Grafton both of Murray Harbour and Laura, Mrs. George Jordon of Halifax, N.S.

Her husband predeceased her in 1941. A short funeral service was conducted at her home on April 13th by Rev. Carl Currie of Murray Harbour North, after which remains were taken to Peter Road Presbyterian Church where a regular service was held and an inspiring sermon delivered. The hymns sung were "The Lord's My Shepherd," "Jesus, Saviour Pilot Me." A solo "A Haven Of Rest," was beautifully rendered by Mr. Willard MacLean of Peters Road.

The pallbearers were W.E. Jenkins, Edward Jenkins, Gerald Johnston, Edgar Vanderstine, Floyd Strickland and Clarence Reynolds. Interment was in the church cemetery. The many floral tributes bore testimony to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Hunter River C. W. L. Holds Annual Meeting

On April 8th the annual meeting of St. Mary's of the People's sub-division of the Catholic Women's League was held at the residence of the president Mrs. F.J. Doucette who presided and opened the meeting with prayer.

Following roll call and the reading and adoption of minutes, it was moved and seconded that a mass be offered for our members on the feast of our Lady of Good Counsel. Plans were formulated for the

sponsoring of St. Patrick's play as well as for a pantry sale. Correspondence was as follows: Mrs. Basil MacDonald, Diocesan, President, Mrs. L.L. Noonan, convener of report forms, Mrs. Charles MacNeill Convener of National Scholarships and Miss Katherine Sheridan, National Magazine Convener.

Two subscriptions were renewed for magazine. Five dollars was voted for National Scholarship. On motion of Mrs. A.E. Gallant seconded by Mrs. Ernest Bolger all officers were re-elected for ensuing year, namely: pres, Mrs. F.J. Doucette; 1st Vice-pres. Mrs. James MacDonald; second Vice-pres, Mrs. Ernest Bolger; Sec'y

Tres. Mrs. C.H. McGulgan. Membership Convener appointed were Mrs. Arthur Gallant and Mrs. Leming Proctor.

The annual report is to be compiled and forwarded to Mrs. L.L. Noonan, Diocesan and National to Miss Isabel MacDonald. Meeting closed with the Act of Consecration. Followed by social hours and refreshments. The May meeting of St. Mary's of the Peoples' sub-division of the Catholic Women's League was held at the residence of Mrs. C.H. McGulgan.

The president, Mrs. F.J. Doucette presided and the Rev. Director, "Father Peters opened the meeting with prayer and a hymn.

Following roll call the minutes of the annual meeting were read, approved and signed. The Treasurer gave a favorable report on receipts from play. The secretary was asked to write a letter of appreciation to the sponsor of Bishop Sheen's program with the hope that it may be resumed in the fall.

Correspondence contained a letter from Miss Dorothy Cullen, convener of Catholic Girl Scholarships. The sum of five dollars was voted for this Scholarship, also a letter from Rev. T.J. Walsh, National convener of the Sacred Heart Program.

Convenors appointed were: spiritual; Mrs. A.E. Gallant; visiting Mrs. F.J. Doucette; Entertainment: Mrs. Ernest Bolger and Mrs. Leming Proctor; Press and Radio: Mrs. G.H. McGulgan. Plans were made to sponsor party sale on May 19th in McGulgan and Boyles Store; also to clean church.

Lay Cornerstone For Legion H.Q.

OTTAWA — Before some 80 guests, Dean J. O. Anderson laid the cornerstone of the organization's new national headquarters on May 11. The building at Kent and Gilmour streets, will be open

by the end of September. H. R. Stewart, honorary treasurer of the Legion, placed a copy of the Dean's remarks in a time capsule. The cylinder also contained coins, poppies, a copy of the Legion's magazine and a record of past officers. It was embedded in the cornerstone.

WORKING FORCE
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<p>SAVE \$26.62!! Regular \$56.50—Axminster Carpet. Size 6-9 x 9. All wool pile</p> <p>29.88 NO DOWN PAYMENT</p>	<p>SAVE \$30.07!! Regular \$289.95 — Silvertone Television. 21" aluminum picture tuba Cascade tuner</p> <p>259.88 NO DOWN PAYMENT</p>	<p>SAVE \$71.07!! Regular \$319.95—Harmony House Chesterfield Suite in rose, boucle upholstery</p> <p>248.88 NO DOWN PAYMENT</p>
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EAST PRINCE

Thursday, May 17 —10:15—Miscouche
1:45—St. Eleanors
Friday, May 18 — 9:45—Bedecque
10:45—Central Bedecque

WEST QUEENS

Thursday, May 17 — 9:30—Pleasant Valley
11:00—South Milton

SOUTH QUEENS

Tuesday, May 16 —10:00—Bonshaw
1:30—Crapaud
Wednesday, May 16 —10:30—Breadalbane Village
1:30—Clyde River
3:00—Ringwood

EAST QUEENS

Tuesday, May 16 — 9:30—Pownal
11:00—Mt. Herbert Orphanage
1:30—Southport

WEST KINGS and EAST QUEENS

Tuesday, May 16 —10:00—Peakes
2:00—Morell Village ONLY
3:00—Morell surrounding districts

Friday, May 18 —10:00—Tracadie Cross
2:00—York ONLY
3:00—York surrounding districts

Tuesday, May 22 — 2:00—Vernon Bridge ONLY
3:00—Vernon Bridge surrounding districts

SOUTH KINGS

Monday, May 14 —10:30-11:30—Ulga
Tuesday, May 15 — 1:30-2:30—Cardigan
Wednesday, May 16 —10:30-11:30—Murray River
1:30-2:30—Murray Harbour
Thursday, May 17 —10:00-11:00—Eldon
1:30-2:30—Belle River

EAST KINGS

Wednesday, May 16 — 9:45-11:00—St. Peter's Soup
2:00—Fortune Bridge

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