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ing getting heavier?) Exactly. The disc harrows were getting larger, longer, bigger. Lots of fellows would have a small team, and they'd want to trade them. So what we used to do then, we used to try and sell the small horses to Newfoundland. And the west was ahead of us. They were switching to tractors. And that's why their horses were for sale. The lumbermen--all horses they used in the woods. So when the pulp mill started here (1963), that made a great demand for heavy horses, first few years. And Bowaters in Newfoundland, they always used horses. (In your selling of horses, was it more they came to you, or you were travelling the country?) Both. You'd be home one day, and travelling at night. We delivered horses as far as Guysborough, Antigonish Donald Rankin plowing with work horses, Donmar Farm, Frenchvale; Donald & Margaret MacDonald Rankin; Donald with Dr. S. on the ice at Judique. County--all over the island. We had a place in St. Peters, we used to keep some horses there. Then my brother lived in Judique and we'd always have some horses there. If you should hear of anybody wanting to trade, you'd go. Once the spring came you'd look after the local fellows around here first, then when business got slack, you'd have to go look for it. We had a truck would haul 6, 7 horses. Leave here at 4 or 5 in the morning and be on the road all day, half of the night. I was in the cattle business, too, see. You'd take cattle in trade, or buy cattle. And sell them a horse, or any way you could. They were using a lot of oxen in Richmond County then, so a lot of them would trade the oxen in for a horse. So you'd take the oxen and sell it, or kill it. But then the tractors got more plentiful.

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