

New Found Records, Program EP 658
"Art Scammell"

DESCRIPTION/PLAYLISTS/BREAK TIMES

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DESCRIPTION

For this episode we honour a distinguished Newfoundland teacher, songwriter, singer, poet, and writer. A man who wrote his most famous song when he was a mere 15 years old... who in the 1940s became the first Newfoundlander to release commercial recordings... a man whose song was played in Ottawa to mark the entry of Newfoundland into confederation in 1949... who received an honorary doctorate in 1977, was invested in the Order of Canada in 1988, and who had a song inducted into the Canadian songwriter's Hall of Fame in 2011.

The man's name... ARTHUR REGINALD SCAMMELL. His most famous song... *The Squid Jiggin' Ground*.

Tune in for a unique opportunity to hear Scammell's rarest recordings from 75 years ago. You'll also hear covers of his songs by LEW MURPHY and ED MCCURDY. And I've created a real oddity just for this episode. It's a montage of nine recording artists who recorded *The Squid Jiggin' Ground* including HANK SNOW, GEORGE HAMILTON IV, DICK NOLAN, and a real surprise, ROGER MCGUINN of American folk rockers THE BYRDS!!!!

So tune in for an entertaining and educational tribute to Dr Scammell as we mark his 109th birthday on February 12!

SHORT PLAYLIST

WINSTON SAUNDERS: Squid Jiggin' Ground
ART SCAMMELL: The Six Horsepower Coaker
A. R. SCAMMELL: The Capelin Haul
ART SCAMMELL: Kelligrews Soiree
ART SCAMMELL: Lukey's Boat
CHAD WILLIS & THE BEACHSTONES: Squarin' Up Time
ART SCAMMELL: Bakeapple Jam
LEW MURPHY: The Shooting of the Bawks

ART SCAMMELL: A Newfoundland Come Home Song
ART SCAMMELL: That Joe Batt's Arm Bully
ART SCAMMELL, CJON GLEE CLUB, HANK SNOW, HAL LONE PINE DICK NOLAN
GEORGE HAMILTON IV, ROGER MCGUINN, LEW MURPHY, JOHN WHITE: The Squid Jiggin'
Ground
ART SCAMMELL: Long May Your Big Jib Draw
GERRY REEVES: Squid Jiggin' Ground

LONG PLAYLIST

WINSTON SAUNDERS: Squid Jiggin' Ground (Art Scammell)

'Winston's Accordion Favourites', Marathon ALS 351, 1972

ART SCAMMELL: The Six Horsepower Coaker (Art Scammell)

78 rpm Private Record P.R. 1177, circa 1947

A. R. SCAMMELL: The Capelin Haul (A. R. Scammell)

78 RPM SINGLE RCA, PR 1291, circa 1947

Bucky Lacombe, Guitar.

ART SCAMMELL: Kelligrews Soiree (Johnny Burke)

From 78 rpm single PR 1292-93 circa 1947.

Musical Arrangement from Gerald S. Doyle Songbook. Buck Lacombe, guitar.

ART SCAMMELL: Lukey's Boat (Trad.)

From 78 rpm single PR 1294 circa 1947.

Musical Arrangement from Gerald S. Doyle Songbook. Buck Lacombe, guitar.

CHAD WILLIS & THE BEACHSTONES: Squarin' Up Time (Art Scammell)

'Folk Songs of the Sea/Windjammer!' SPIN-O-RAMA S 128, circa 1961.

ART SCAMMELL: Bakeapple Jam (Art Scammell)

"My Newfoundland", Audat 477 9043, 1973

Vocals: A. R. Scammell, Guitar: Gary Davis

LEW MURPHY: The Shooting of the Bawks (Art Scammell)

'Folk Ballads of Newfoundland', independent cassette tape, circa 1980s

Accompanied by The Ralph Walker Band

ART SCAMMELL: A Newfoundland Come Home Song (A. R. Scammell)

'My Newfoundland', Book, Harvest House, June 1966

ART SCAMMELL: That Joe Batt's Arm Bully (A. R. Scammell)

My Newfoundland, 1973, Audat 477 9043

Vocals: A. R. Scammell, Guitar: Gary Davis

VARIOUS: The Squid Jiggin' Ground (A. R. Scammell)

ART SCAMMELL: 78 rpm single P.R. 931 Priv. Rec., Change Islands, NL 1943

CJON GLEE CLUB *sings NF Folk Songs Vol 2*, Rodeo Records RLP.84 1956

HANK SNOW: *Country Songs of Our Country*, RCA Camden KCL1-7009. 1974

HAL LONE PINE: 45 rpm single Rodeo RO 3320, date?

DICK NOLAN: *Greatest Hits of Newfoundland*, Starpak SK 134, circa 1980

GEORGE HAMILTON IV: *Down East Country*, Pickwick CASX-2558, 1971

ROGER MCGUINN: Folk Den Podcast, from Internet, date?

LEW MURPHY: Cassette Tape, *Folk Ballads of Newfoundland*, no label or date

JOHN WHITE: *Voice of Newfoundland*, International Artists IA 3014, 1966

ART SCAMMELL: 78 RPM single RCA 1290, 1947

Montage produced by Wayne Tucker for "The New Found Records Radio Hour"

ART SCAMMELL: Long May Your Big Jib Draw (A. R. Scammell)

'My Newfoundland', Audat 477 9043, 1973

Vocals: A. R. Scammell, Guitar: Gary Davis

GERRY REEVES: Squid Jiggin' Ground (Art Scammell)

'Down East Accordion', Paragon ALS 211, 1969?.

Personnel: Gerry Reeves-Accordion, Chef Adams-rhythm guitar, Andy Greatrix-bass, Jenny Reeves-drums.

Prod: Jack Boswell & Bill Bessey

BREAK TIMES

First break begins: 10:14

First break ends 11:03

Length of break One 00:49

Second break begins 33:15

Second break ends 34:27

Length of break Two 01:12

Total length of program 55:00