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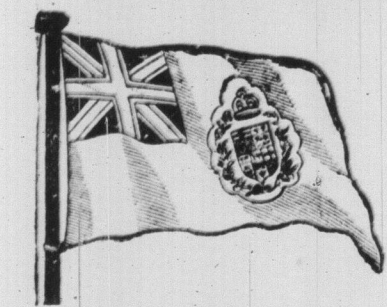
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DAYLIGHT SAVING

All Canada is now under "Daylight Saving" time. So far as Bridgetown is concerned, the change was made with comparatively small confusion. The clocks in the factories, workshops, business houses, and offices were changed when the employees left Saturday night, and in private residences when the occupants retired for the night. The earlier risers will notice a marked change but will soon become accustomed to it and be glad for the extra hours of daylight they will have for their homes and their gardens when work is over for the day. There was some confusion, however, among the churchgoers on Sunday, as for some reason the local ministers decided not to adopt the new time for that day. Everything is now running the same as usual and few of us will realize that our watches have been changed until we turn them back again October 31st.

Returned Heroes

Lieut. J. Everett Pike, who recently returned from overseas, arrived here Saturday from Kentville, and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Marshall, Clarence. He was met at the train by the public officials of the town and given a hearty welcome, after which he was conveyed to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall, by Dr. Armstrong, in his auto especially decorated for the occasion. Lieut. Pike was seriously wounded in the leg while on active duty at the front during the early part of the war. He has since a lot of hard fighting and experienced much suffering, but is in fairly good health, with the exception of his injured leg.

A New Firm

As will be seen by our advertising columns, the firm of Crowe & Magee, kitchen fitters, tinmiths and hardware dealers, will in future be known as Magee & Charlton. Com. A. C. Charlton having purchased Mr. R. A. Crowe's interest in the old firm. Com. Charlton is so well and favorably known in Bridgetown, that we do not have to introduce him to our local readers. Both he and Mr. Magee are among our most enterprising citizens, their business integrity cannot be questioned and we believe they will receive a large share of the business in their line. Their advertisement will appear regularly in the MONITOR and we take great pleasure in joining their many friends in wishing them a long and prosperous career.

Among Our Advertisers.

Rarely a week goes by without a new local advertiser being added to our columns. This, however, cannot continue long, for nearly every business house in Bridgetown is represented in the MONITOR. The one to fall in line this week is Messinger's Groceries, and judging by their advertising copy, the proprietor and his obliging staff, their sales are bound to increase. The largest advertising space that the MONITOR'S new management has been able to sell was purchased by Mr. Walter Scott, popularly known as "The Keen Kutter." It appears in today's issue.

Fire at Hantsport

A fire at Hantsport on Tuesday of last week, destroyed the mill and blacksmith shop at Foley Bros., Welch, Stewart and Fougere's shipyard. The blaze was first discovered shortly after 1 o'clock. No one knows how it started. When it was discovered it was too late to save either of the buildings. Within an hour they were burned to the ground. The ships in the yards, the company's offices and the men's boarding house escaped damage.

Local Happenings

The provincial high school examination station has been changed from Church Point to Weymouth.

You will regret it all the year, if for any reason you do not see the Comedy Farce, "Mrs. Temple's Telegram."

There will be a pie social held in Centrelea Hall, Friday evening, April 19th, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

The Western Nova Scotia Board of Trade will meet in Middleton tomorrow afternoon and evening, April 18th.

The next meeting of the Centrelea Red Cross will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Messenger Thursday afternoon.

For the Board of Trade meeting in Middleton on Thursday, 15th, the D. A. R. will issue single fare tickets for round trip; return limit 19th.

If you wish to become an accomplished liar, don't fail to get a few pointers from Fuller and Temple in the Comedy Farce, "Mrs. Temple's Telegram."

The greatest hit of the season will be the Comedy Farce, "Temple's Telegram," to be presented by the Bridgetown Amateur Dramatic Club. Watch for the date.

A successful meeting was held in Warren's Hall last night, being known as the sixth birthday party of Riverside Cemetery, fuller particulars of which will appear in our next issue.

Crescent Lodge of Oddfellows will confer the third degree on several candidates tomorrow night, and on Monday evening, April 22nd, will confer the second degree in Sunbeam Lodge, Middleton.

A three act play entitled, "The Time of His Life," will be presented by local talent in Oakdene Hall, Bear River, Monday evening, April 29th, with special scenery and orchestra. Proceeds for the Red Cross.

Rev. E. E. Daley, of Halifax, will give the address at the Roll Call service in the Baptist church this evening, at eight o'clock. The public are most cordially invited to this service. The music will be rendered by a boys' choir and a male quartette.

Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Clarke, Warden Clarke is unable to be present at the semi-annual meeting of the Municipal Council now in session in Bridgetown. The chair is being occupied by Deputy Warden Marshall. The official minutes will appear in our next issue.

DEATH OF WALTER PURDY
A Prominent Resident of Deep Brook Has Passed Away

A correspondent writes: The whole community of Deep Brook and Western Annapolis County was shocked to learn of the sudden death of Walter Purdy. On Easter Sunday he partook of the Sacrament at 8 a. m. in the little church he loved so well. Then he appeared to be in his usual health. At breakfast, an hour afterwards, he was suddenly stricken, and after lingering for nine days, passed quietly to rest at 5.30 p. m. on Tuesday evening, in his 69th year. His wife, who was hastily summoned from a visit in the United States, was with him during most of his illness. He was a major in the militia for many years. He was a consistent and active member of the Red Cross Auxiliary, of which his wife is president. Past Master and member of Bear River Masonic Lodge; fishery officer of the division of Annapolis County, and versed in agriculture and aquaculture.

His death was the first break in a family of six sons of the late Mrs. Jane and Cereno Purdy, who were the long residents of Deep Brook.

He leaves a sorrowing wife and five brothers, John, Augustus and William in Deep Brook; Albert in the United States, and Robert W. W. of Bridgetown, at present employed in Halifax.

The funeral took place at Deep Brook on Friday at 2.30 p. m., the Masonic fraternity attending from Bear River, Digby and Annapolis lodges. The interment in the Old Church Yard, Clementsfort, the Rev. A. W. L. Smith, officiating.

The pall bearers were Past Masters from The Keith Lodge. The floral tributes were many, including a beautiful wreath from the fishery officers; a Masonic emblem, a broken circle from the school; also many other wreaths and bouquets. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved family.

A Painful Accident
Word has reached here that Mrs. James McGowan, of Dalhousie, has been in the hospital at Bangor, Me., having fell a week ago at her home, breaking a wrist, elbow and two ribs. She has the use of one arm. The other arm is badly bruised. Her many friends will join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Sunday School Convention
The annual Sunday School Convention of the Bridgetown District, will be held in the school room of the Methodist church, Bridgetown, on Thursday, April 18th. The first session will begin at 2.30 p. m. The second will be a public meeting and will begin at 7.30 p. m. Addresses will be given by Rev. M. S. Richardson and Miss Blakeney, of Halifax.

"It delivers the goods." Not promises, not suppositions, not possibilities, but actual performance, practical proof and daily demonstration of its Remington and Speed have gained for the Remington Typewriter its foremost place.

A. MILNE FRASER, Halifax, N.S. 2-21

BRIDGETOWN'S NEW CHIEF OF POLICE

Avard L. Anderson Appointed at a Special Meeting of the Council Wednesday Evening.

Following the resignation of Chief of Police Goldsmith, Mr. Avard L. Anderson was appointed to that position at a special meeting of the Town Council held last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Anderson is a native of Dalhousie, Annapolis county, and is an experienced officer. He joined the St.



AVARD L. ANDERSON

John police force 27 years ago, and after a successful term of ten years on duty in that city, returned to his native province and county, serving as an officer in this town three or four years, during which time he gave excellent satisfaction.

He has also done splendid service as a Provincial Constable, being successful in capturing many criminals, which required, as well as a lot of bravery, the skill of a detective.

For many years he has resided in Bridgetown, where he has been engaged in the livery business.

Few men could be more popular and none better adapted for the position he again holds.

The public can feel assured of good order in the town and the MONITOR joins in wishing him a long and successful term.

On Approval

We are sending out this week a detailed PRICE LIST of our

Coats and Suits

Should it not reach you send for one. It tells you how to have a garment come to your home for inspection without charge.

FIRST CHOICE
BEST CHOICE
So be early!

BENTLEY'S Ltd.
MIDDLETON

Final Tax Notice

Final request for payment of 1917 property taxes, and overdue water rates, by the undersigned recently appointed tax collector.

A number of tax warrants for the collection of town taxes due for the year 1917, together with a list of overdue water rates, have been placed in my hands for immediate collection, without fail.

As these taxes amount in the aggregate to quite an amount, they must be paid before the taxes for the present year, notices for which have already been delivered, are payable.

I would request all delinquents to call at the treasurer's office and settle or pay me personally on or before May 1st next, at which time I shall be compelled to execute the warrants, and shut off the water.

I have just been appointed as tax collector by the Council and they expect me to do my duty, and I am giving this public notice, so every delinquent may save expense for himself, and I may not be called upon to take extreme measures, to collect what is honestly due the town.

Dated at Bridgetown this 15th day of April, A. D., 1918.

(Sgd.) A. L. ANDERSON,
Chief of Police and Tax Collector

NEW SPRING SUITS AND COATS FOR LADIES and MISSES SMART styles and perfect fitting garments, silk lined throughout; all wool, which is a strong feature. Colors: Black, Navy, Brown, Burgundy. Sizes to fit the Miss or the stout lady. We want everyone to see these Goods, whether they are needing a Suit at present or in the future. We want to attract NEW TRADE and hold OLD CUSTOMERS. A Repeat Order in LADIES' COATS due again in a few days The styles we have shown recommend themselves. Ladies' Fresh New Blouses for Spring in Silk, Voile, and Crepe-de-Chene. All the latest shades, as well as the ever popular White and Black. Our usual popular line of Neckwear Collars newest ideas. Plain and Fancy Jabots. STRONG & WHITMAN 'Phone 32 RUGGLES BLOCK

Just Received ONE CAR Government Standard FLOUR MIDDINGS BRAN & CHOP This Flour is giving excellent satisfaction. A trial order solicited J. I. Foster Telephone No. 48-3 GRANVILLE ST.

Why Throw Away Good Money? No Rents! No Interest to pay! No Red Tape! 47 Years' Experience! GOODS BOUGHT FOR SPOT CASH Have sold more ORGANS than any other firm in the Maritime Provinces. Write for Catalogue and Prices. If we cannot save money for you we will not ask you to buy. GOODS GUARANTEED AS REPRESENTED BELL PIANOS BELL ORGANS WHITE SEWING MACHINES N. H. PHINNEY LAWRENCETOWN, N. S.

Money Talks - AT - MESSINGER'S GROCERY Note the following CASH PRICES on FEED AND FLOUR Ogilvie's Middlings 22.50 Ogilvie's Bran 2.25 Ogilvie's Heretics Chop 3.20 Ogilvie's Barley Meal 3.90 Ogilvie's Government Standard Flour, per bbl. 12.40 Pulverized Oat Feed, 5 bag lots delivered 2.25 Corn Meal, per bag 1.50 SEEDS Seed Oats, per bag \$1.40 No. 1 Timothy, per lb. 14c. No. 2 Timothy, per lb. 12c. Red Clover, per lb. 33c. Alsike Clover, per lb. 28c. Garden and Field Seeds of all kinds Fine Assortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries at the Lowest Market Prices Write, telephone or leave your order, which will have prompt attention and quick delivery B. N. MESSINGER

30c. WHY use Cream of Tartar and pay 20 cents or more for a quarter of a pound when you can get JERSEY CREAM BAKING POWDER for 30c. a lb. STRICTLY PURE Satisfaction Guaranteed or money refunded. A. J. BURNS

Any Person Wishing a Piano would do well to call and see the one in our store on Queen Street, placed there by J. A. MacDONALD & Co., Halifax. EDWIN L. FISHER FREEMAN FITCH, Trustee. Bridgetown, March 18th, 1918, 50-51

Personal Mention Mr. T. B. Chipman was in St. J. last week. Mr. Frank Bath was a passenger Hantsport, yesterday. Mr. W. G. Parsons, of Middleton, was in town yesterday. Mr. E. R. Orlando was a passenger from Halifax yesterday. Mr. O. P. Goucher, of Middleton, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Lemuel Messenger, of Clarence, has returned from St. John. Mr. Bert Farnsworth, of Granville Ferry, was in town yesterday. Mr. George Hawkesworth, of Annapolis, was in Halifax last week. Miss Hildred Bishop, of Round Hill, is the guest of Mrs. J. H. Tupper. Pte. Allen Purdy, of Halifax, spent Sunday at his former home in Bridgetown. Mrs. Ernest Miller and daughter Henrietta spent Sunday in Lawrence town. Mrs. (Dr.) Braine, of Bear River, is visiting Mrs. Charles Daniels, of Paradise. Mr. Stanley A. Grimm, of Berwick, was among Thursday's guests at St. James. Mrs. Ada Bath, who had been visiting friends in Granville Ferry, returned home. Miss Pedora Lloyd has returned from her visit in Queens and Lunenburg counties. Miss Josephine Whitman, of Lawrence town, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Bishop. Miss Annie Marshall, of West Dalhousie, is the guest of Mrs. Alice Marshall, Bridgetown. Mr. Sam Shaffner, of Granville Ferry, was among the guests at the St. James last night. Mrs. David Hicks has returned from Clementsfort, where she had been visiting her parents. Mrs. S. C. Turner was a passenger to Annapolis yesterday to visit her father, who is ill. Mrs. George Patriquin, of Millville, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. R. F. O'Neil, Washington street. Mr. Charles Covert, of Lawrence town, was a passenger to Bridgetown via yesterday's express. Mrs. Eva Troop returned last Thursday from Minneapolis, after an absence of three months. Mr. Freeman Fitch, our popular Municipal Clerk, was in Annapolis Saturday on official business. Mrs. Dora Hayward, who has been spending several weeks in St. John, returned home yesterday. Miss Dossie McGowan has returned to Windsor, where she has accepted position in dry goods store. Mrs. Wm. Burns arrived from Boston Saturday and is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Palfrey. Mrs. Edwin L. Fisher spent Sunday in Windsor, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary B. Salter. Pte. Hansel Hyson, who has recently returned from St. John, will be in town for medical treatment. Among the visitors to Yarmouth, present is Miss Hilda Lombard, of Annapolis, the guest of Mrs. E. E. Sibley. Mr. E. H. Collins, of Digby, will well known traveller for life and a recent insurance, was in town last week. Mr. R. W. W. Purdy, who came home to attend his brother's funeral in Deep Brook, returned to Halifax Saturday. Mrs. M. K. Piper and daughter Mrs. McDaniel, who both live in this home in Liverpool, are now in town. Mr. Stephen Lovitt, of the Royal Bank of Canada, at Bridgetown, has been transferred to the Royal Bank in Halifax. Mrs. L. F. Wallace, who is in the U.S.A., is holding special services in the United Baptist church at Centrelea, Cape Island. Mayor A. E. Allen, of Annapolis, and Capt. Corey, of Halifax, were among the guests at the St. James last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Denton, of Digby, were the guests last week of Mrs. Bradford Hutchinson, Centrelea. Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Graves left Bridgetown via Saturday's east bound express, the former for Canning and the latter for Middleton. Yarmouth Telegram: Mrs. C. G. Pollard, accompanied by Miss Bessie left on Tuesday for Grand Manan, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Gaskill. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Suttie, of Yarmouth, have been the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Fain, of Middleton, Annapolis county. Mrs. Whitfield Daniels, of Lawrence town, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Ross Bishop, South street. Miss Bessie Sanders, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, is enjoying a two week vacation. She was a passenger to Halifax via Saturday's express. Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lewis announced the engagement of their daughter Lizzie Fay, of Port Lorne, N. S., to Thomas L. V. Melvin, of West Queen N. B. The editor enjoyed on Monday a call from Mr. D. M. Outhit, of Melville Square, the popular and efficient treasurer of the Municipality of Annapolis. Rev. W. A. Robbins, Berwick, arrived in Yarmouth by the D. A. R. on Tuesday to visit his father at Chebogue Point, and returned to Berwick Friday morning. Mr. L. M. Trask, who has spent here in the interest of his foundation, had with him, this time, Mr. Morgan, of Cleveland, Ohio, an expert foundry and machine man. Rev. Mr. Poole, formerly pastor of the Middleton Baptist church, is doing good work as pastor of the St. John German street Baptist church. He administered baptism to twelve Easter Sunday. Colonel E. P. Phinney, of Halifax was a recent visitor to his home town.