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Bridgetown.

Mr. M. P. Graves is confined to the house with a severe attack of erysipelas.

Miss Addie Chesley, who has been spending the winter at home, returned to Boston on Wednesday.

Rev. Geo. A. Lawson, pastor of the West-End Baptist Church, Halifax, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his sister, Mrs. A. S. Lewis.

Mr. A. S. Moore, formerly with the Annapolis Spectator, but now of the Maritime Farmer, Sussex, N. B., was in town on Wednesday and paid a fraternal call.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Thoms and son, and Mrs. Burke were guests for a few days last week at the home of Chas. E. Hicks, before departing for their new home in North Carolina.

The marriage of Miss Bessie B. Ormonde of Cambridge, Kings Co., to Mr. John Caldwell took place on Wednesday, the 11th. Miss Orpin has many friends here who will unite in extending best wishes.

Mrs. B. R. Bent and daughter, Etilda, who with Mr. Bent have been guests at the Grand Central during the winter, left yesterday for Halifax, their former home, where Mr. Bent will shortly join them.

On Sunday, March 10th, the pastor of the Baptist church will exchange pulpits with the Rev. J. H. Jenner, pastor of the North Baptist Church, Halifax. Mr. Jenner will occupy the pulpit at both services.

Mr. W. H. Woodworth and L. D. Robinson are holding Institute meetings in the County this week. On the 11th inst., Dr. Standish of Ontario assisted by W. H. Woodworth will begin a series of meetings of great interest to stock raisers and orchardists, starting at Middleton.

A meeting of the Law and Order League of Bridgetown will be held in Warren's Hall on Thursday, 19th inst., at 7.30 p. m. The members of the League are earnestly requested to be present, and a cordial invitation is extended to any other persons who may desire to join the League.

By the rule of the Synod of the Diocese of Nova Scotia, next Sunday is the day appointed for the taking of the annual collection for the Diocesan Clergy Superannuation Fund. In accordance with this rule, collections will be taken in St. James' Church, Bridgetown, and St. Mary's Church, Belle Isle.

The 4 o'clock Lenten Service in St. James' school-room on Wednesday was well attended. A splendid address was given by the Rev. J. Reeks, Rector of Round Hill, and was the first of a series on "The Seven Saviors from the Cross." These services are held every Wednesday afternoon during Lent.

A "Chapter" meeting of the Clergy of the Rural Deanery of Annapolis will be held in Bridgetown on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. On Tuesday evening a lecture will be given in St. James' school-room, by the Rev. J. Lockward, Rector of Clementsport on "The Introduction of Christianity into Great Britain," and on Wednesday evening a second lecture will be given by the Rev. H. How, R. D., Rector of Annapolis on "The Mission of St. Augustine to England." Both lectures will begin at 7.30 p. m. and the public are cordially invited. They will be illustrated by lantern views and each treat of a most interesting period of Church History. A silver collection will be taken.

"There are more than fifty kinds of headache," said a physician, "and suffers from the more common forms may cure themselves accordingly. The more frequent forms are dull pain across the forehead, due to dyspepsia; a pain in the back of the head, due to the liver; a bursting pain in both temples, due to malnutrition; an ache on the top of the head, as though a weight pressed on the skull, due to overwork; an ache between the brows just above the base of the nose, due to eye strain."

Mrs. Clarence Eaton has returned from her visit to Tupperville. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. W. R. Inglis, and children.

According to a large number of requests the members of Seymour Division, who have been giving the play "Among the Breakers," in different places, repeat the drama here on Saturday evening to an audience fully as appreciative as the first. We congratulate our young friends, through whose efforts the sum of \$45 has thus been realized towards an organ for the Hall.

Annapolis.

Mr. R. W. Harewick returned from Boston Tuesday.

Mr. W. A. Flowers of Halifax spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. F. W. Fiebel and Master Jack are on a visit to Halifax.

Sheriff Gates has recovered from his late accident and is about again.

Mr. H. M. Bradford of Halifax was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Farnsworth returned from their honeymoon on Saturday.

Joseph A. Bancroft, M. P. P. spent Sunday in town, returned to Halifax on Monday.

Mr. Claude C. King is spending a two weeks vacation with friends in Amherst, N. S.

Mrs. Capt. Grant and Miss Clara Marshall of Weymouth are staying at the MacLeod House.

Miss Bessie Crave of the Middleton Consolidated School teaching staff was at home over Sunday.

Mr. Ainsley Moore of the "Maritime Farmer" Sussex, N. B., is in town visiting friends and relatives.

His Honor, Judge Pelton was in town Monday and Tuesday. County Court opened Tuesday morning.

"The Queen" son of S. Riordan of the Little had the misfortune to fall and break his arm a few days ago.

The fire drill was tested in our public school this week with the result that the school was emptied in forty seconds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards left on Saturday for a short visit to Boston. Mr. Percy Edwards, who has been visiting relatives here accompanied them.

Mr. A. E. Atlee, President of the Board of Trade left Tuesday for Halifax as a representative of this town to the All Red Line meeting at Halifax.

Mr. Edwin Smith, who lectured here last Friday evening on "What to do for our boys," will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church, Sunday morning next.

Fire was discovered in the blacksmith shop of Mr. W. H. Buckler about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. The flames were extinguished with a few buckets of water.

Mr. Daniel Copeland of this town has purchased the grocery business of Mr. Geo. E. Corbett. Mr. Copeland intends running the same up-to-date business as was conducted by Mr. Corbett.

Brigadier Turner, Commander of the Salvation forces in the Maritime Provinces will hold meetings here on Saturday, Sunday and Monday next. Sunday afternoon a public meeting will be held in the Academy of Music. Mr. A. M. King has promised to act as chairman of the meeting.

We understand that the Committee from the Town Council and the Board of Trade have secured options, upon the land wanted for the new station and approaches, at very reasonable figures. The town has promised to ask for a vote of the citizens re purchasing same when the D. A. R. are ready to proceed with the building.

Messrs. John A. Drummond, Montreal; A. H. Strong, New York; W. F. Parsons, Londonderry, were in town from Saturday to Monday. These gentlemen were looking into the possibilities of shipping the ore from Torbrook Mines via the port of Annapolis Royal.

Granville Centre

Miss Tina Bent of Young's Cove is visiting friends here.

In All Saints' Church, special services are being held during Lent.

Mrs. John McCormick spent part of last week with friends in Bridgetown and Upper Granville.

We are pleased to state that our aged friend, Mrs. D. Gilliat, Sr., is considerably improved in health.

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Clementsport.

Several of our inhabitants are at present suffering from la-grippe.

Mr. R. E. Felus of Lawrencetown was in town on Saturday last on business.

Mrs. Corvy entertained a company one night last week. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at Mr. Forbes Tupper's, not long since by a number of the people of the village.

Mr. O. C. Jones, D. A. R. agent at Digby, and Mrs. Jones, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones.

Mrs. Crowell and her daughter, Mattie arrived home from Bridgetown last week, where they were visiting for a short time.

Col. W. H. Ray, M. L. C., spent Sunday last at his home here. The Colonel looks smart and says that he feels very well at present.

The people of Clementsport were treated to two lectures by Mr. Smith a travelling lecturer, which were enjoyed very much by the people.

Now and then we catch a breath of spring, which tells that she is near, and according to the Digby Courier the spring poet has appeared in full blast.

Capt. Potter and H. Hicks have a fine lot of pills and cordwood on their shelves at present. Taking in consideration the winter they have done remarkably well.

Sch. B. R. B. Harewick, bound for Bear River from this port last week for repairs. Capt. Potter, owner and manager purposes giving her a good going over. We understand that Mr. Benson of Bear River has charge of the work.

Several members of Home Division located at Smith's Cove paid a fraternal visit to old colony Division of this place on Friday evening, March 6th, and a very enjoyable evening was spent in the form of speeches, music, chorales, readings, etc. The members of Old Colony would like to see them again in the near future.

Clementsvale

Mrs. Laura Brown, Port George, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Berry.

The Baptist Sunday School has added twenty volumes to their library this winter.

Mr. Joseph Berry is home from Milford for a few days but will return to resume his work.

Mr. Henry Nichols, Bridgetown, has been kept busy the past two weeks repairing organs in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Berry of Allentown, Mass., are spending a few weeks with their large circle of friends here.

Pentecostal Hymns, No. 3 recently introduced in the S. S. and social meetings, is meeting with general satisfaction.

There is to be a Roll-call in the Baptist church, Wednesday afternoon April 8th. In the evening addresses will be delivered by neighboring pastors.

Mrs. Annie McLellan, Prince Dale returned last week from a two weeks visit in Massachusetts and has since been very ill with measles, contracted on her journey home.

"The United Class" has been reading Longfellow's "Evangeline" during the past month. The next meeting will be held at the parsonage, Tuesday evening and the poem will be finished. It is proposed to spend the next meetings in a discussion on the "Advantages and disadvantages of Canada."

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Granville Ferry.

Mr. Fletcher field has returned from an extended visit in Boston, with his sons.

Mrs. (Capt.) Samuel Groves and daughter, Grace are visiting relatives and friends in Kings County.

Capt. Thomas Reynolds is home from sea spending a well earned vacation with his family, having been absent nearly three years.

Mr. Wm. Farnsworth and his bride were tendered a reception at the home of the groom's father, Mr. George Farnsworth on Saturday afternoon last from 4 till 7 o'clock. About forty guests were present. All the boys turned out with guns to serenade "Billy" and his "Bonny Bride."

Lower Granville

Teams are busily engaged hauling lumber from Ramsay's mill, Flat Brook to Port Wade pier.

The semi weekly service in the M. & V. B. railway was resumed on Monday much to the satisfaction of our people.

We regret to hear that James Morrison Esq., who went to Lynn, Mass., last December to spend the winter in very seriously ill at the home of his son, Leonard in that city.

Karsdale

Mr. Joseph Holmes is very low with tuberculosis.

Mrs. Gilbert Schaffer, who has been ill, is out again.

Mrs. David Foster is ill, Dr. Smith being in attendance.

Dr. Smith was called to the lumber camp yesterday, to attend a man, who has the best wishes of his many friends in this place.

Mr. J. H. Schaffer has gone to Upper Granville to visit his daughter, Mrs. James Harris.

Mr. Jas. Morrison Sr., who has been spending the winter with his children in Mass., is very seriously ill with pneumonia.

Spring also brings back the pestilent clam digger, which is not a pleasant sight to those living on the shores of the Basin.

We were rejoiced to see the H. & S. W. by train on Monday, it seems a harbinger of spring, and truly we need encouragement in this way.

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Port Wade

Miss Sadie Crossman is visiting at the home of Edw. Johns.

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The section men seem to be busy on the rail road here. Perhaps there is something coming.

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Bear River.

Miss Blanche Bliley of Berwick is a guest at the Methodist parsonage.

Feed A. Rice of Bear River, arrived in town last night to attend marine school.—Yarmouth Times.

W. W. Wade has a few ladies wrappers, girls dresses and suits of underwear left from his mark-down sale.

We are glad to report that Mrs. A. C. Dunn has undergone a successful operation at Halifax and is doing well.

Mr. I. Nelson Smith returned to his home in Coverdale, N. B. on Monday.

Sch. Neva arrived from Boston on Monday in tow of S. S. Bear River.

R. E. Felus of Lawrencetown was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Rice welcomed a daughter on the 3rd inst.

The Methodist Aid Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Purdy on Tuesday evening, when the ordinance of baptism was administered to their daughter, Margaret Cynthia Maria, by the pastor, Rev. John Phelan.

O. O. Rice has sold his store property to Mr. Smith of Hammond Plains. Mr. Smith will take possession in a few weeks.

Miss Hattie Wade went to St. John on Thursday to attend the millinery opening and select her stock of spring millinery from the latest importations.

The marriage of Bernard Crouse to Mrs. Hannah Simmon took place at Canard on the 29th inst. Mrs. Crouse who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Crouse of Bear River, left this town a few years ago, going to the United States, where he has been very successful, at the present time being manager of the telegraph and telephone system of Malden, Mass. Bernard has the best wishes of his many friends in this place.

The funeral of Mrs. Henry Marshall who died on Friday, the 6th inst., took place on Sunday afternoon, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Corbett and Elder Ruggles, with interment at Mount Hope Cemetery. Mrs. Marshall has been married over fifty years. Besides her husband two daughters, Mrs. G. I. Brooks and Mrs. Reuben Alcorn, and a son, William, survive her.

Chas. Henshaw was successful in capturing a couple of wildcats recently at Victoria near the east side of Beaver Lake. He was accompanied by his son, Roy and George Taylor. Their haul was set out in the tracks of a wild-cat and when Mr. Henshaw came upon the pelt and pursued they were circling each other around a tree. Mr. Henshaw dispatched the cat with his gun and returned with it to camp. The next morning he captured its mate in the same manner. Mr. Henshaw feels quite elated over his success and intends starting on another hunt shortly.

Smith Cove

The members of Home Division, Sons of Temperance gave a supper in their Hall on Wednesday evening last. The sum of twenty-five dollars was realized.

Some of the young people are preparing costumes to wear at the Bear River Carnival on St. Patrick's Day. Several of them look like prize winners.

Joseph Weir scratched his left hand while getting wood the other day and blood poison resulted. Up to the present, danger has been averted and it is hoped his recovery will be complete.

H. H. Sulis expects to have the yacht he is building, or R. G. Shipman ready to launch about the first of May. The cost of the boat when complete will be in the vicinity of eight hundred dollars.

A young fellow went to sleep in church last Sunday. Of course that is nothing new. A great many good people are afflicted that way. Perhaps it is because they have easy consciences. At all events something soothes them. Now if the parson could devise some way of putting fretful babies to sleep, they would have the everlasting gratitude of parents and get salaries that would enable them to lay up treasures on earth.

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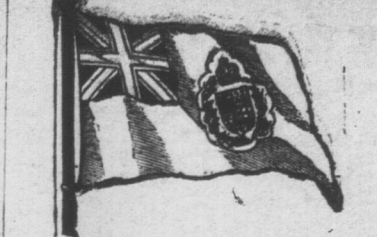
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