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DEATH OF DORCAS BENTLEY ELM STREET, TRURO, N. S. FEBRUARY 4TH.

The death of Miss Dorcas Bentley, aged 14 years, occurred at her mother's home, Elm Street, Truro, N. S., on Tuesday morning, February 4th, after a lingering illness, borne most uncomplainglY.

She was born at Port Greville, Cumberland Co. but has lived in Truro since the family removed here some years ago.

This bright young girl was a favorite with all acquaintances, who deeply regret her early death.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Ida Bentley, and by a number of brothers, and sisters.

One brother made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War, another is overseas and a third has been invalided home.

The father of the deceased Capt. George E. Bentley died some four years ago.

The News extends sincere sympathy to the family in this affliction.

The funeral will be held on Thursday, the 6th at 2.30 o'clock at the family residence, Elm Street, the Rev. A. W. F. Glendenning, officiating.

TRURO MASONS AND LADY FRIENDS VISIT STEWIACKE.

A large number of Truro A. F. and A. M. of Truro Lodge, with lady friends paid a visit to Stewiacke, on Tuesday evening, February 4th, and report a most enjoyable time.

They were met at the station, by the Masons of Stewiacke, and were conducted to the dining hall of the Exhibition grounds, where a sumptuous banquet had been prepared by the local Red Cross, who had been asked to do the catering by the Masons.

Rev. D. C. Ross, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was Chairman, for the evening and extended a welcome, to the visitors, which was responded to by S. W. McCulloch on behalf of the Truro Masons.

After the delicious supper, skating was enjoyed for over an hour, and the oldest bachelor present regretted that he had not taken his skates along when he saw the array of pretty girls on the ice.

Among the party were Dr's. Dunbar and Bentley in case of any casualties to limbs or "hearts."

The 9.25 home train arrived all too soon, and as the visitors were about to leave, the Stewiacke entertainers sang with good effect "Should Auld Acquaintance be Forgot," which was followed by three cheers and a "tiger" for Stewiacke by the happy bunch from Truro.

LIEUT. K. L. PALMETER, R.A.F. GRAND-PRE, HOME AGAIN.

Lieut. K.L. Palmeter, Grand Pre, was in Truro for a few days recently.

He arrived home on the S. S. Aquitania, January 25th.

In 1916 Lieut. Palmeter received his diploma from the Normal College in Truro, and was teaching in Londonderry when he received the call "to arms." He went to Halifax, where he enlisted, December 23, 1917, with the 10th Siege Battery.

After eleven months active service in France, he was transferred to the Royal Air Force.

His many friends in Truro are glad to welcome him home again.

Grey Homespun Pants at $4.00 per pair while they last, call and get a bargain at Fred Nelson's Stewiacke.

TORTURED FOR NEARLY TWO YEARS

Mrs. Plante Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

She Tells How They Helped Her Kidney Disease and Made a New Woman of Her.

Ste. Florence Que, Feby 3rd—(Special)—"Two boxes of Dodd's kidney Pills made a new person of me." The speaker is Madame M. L. Plante, of this place, and her numerous friends here fully verify her statement.

"For nearly two years," Mrs. Plante continues, "kidney disease tortured me. I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and made up my mind to try them, and to my surprise they did me good almost at once. Two boxes cured me completely. I recommend them to all my friends."

Mrs. Plante is only one of many who have had a similar experience. They were weak and run-down and sick all over. Dodds Kidney Pills helped them How? Simply by curing the kidneys. The diseased kidneys were the cause of all thetrouble. They were failing to strain the impurities out of the blood, and the result was disease all over the body. Dodd's Kidney Pills helped the kidneys, the impurities were strianed out of the blood. The result was pure blood and good health all over the body. The cause of the disease had been removed.

FIRE AT SYDNEY HOTEL, OUTRAM STREET. PROBABLY $3000 DAMAGE.

At 3.30 o'clock Wednesday morning, February 5th, an alarm was rung in from Box 33.

The Firemen were right on the job, and discovered a big blaze at the Sydney Hotel, Outram Street, which had started from a defective flue. In the afternoon there had been a slight fire, but it was thought to have died out. Mrs. MacDonald, discovered the fire again at 3.30 a. m. and an alarm was immediately rung in

There was considerable damage to the roof, furniture and plaster, but the fire was chiefly confined to the attic

Mr. MacDonald, gives the Truro Firemen great credit, for the way in which they handled the fire.

After the conflagration and the Firemen had finished their good work, Mr. J. M. O'Brien, invited the men over to the C. N. R. Dining Hall where they were served sandwiches and coffee, a thoughtful act, which was much appreciated by our Fire Brigade.

SOME OF THE MAYORS.

Truro	A. R. Coffin.
Stewiacke	G. R. Marshall
Canso	H. A. Rice.
Kentville	J. H. Yould.
Windsor	Dr. O. B. Keddy.
Lunenburg	Wm. Duff, M.P.
Pictou	Jno. W. Priest.
New Glasgow	J. J. Wier.

A "COLD CRACK.

The unusually mild season all over the Continent has so affected a renegade "fish-eater" in Edmonton that he is howling to us about the cold days in Nova Scotia.

"Peerless" Nova Scotia does not mind a cold day or so nor a mention thereof; but in some spots in Canada the reference to "cold" is like flaunting a red rag before an untraind bull.

48TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY —MR. AND MRS. HUGH CAMERON, "AT HOME" TO THEIR FRIENDS.

On January 31st, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cameron, "Glencameron," Lower Truro, N. S., celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary, and were at home to a number of friends.

About twenty guests were present, among them being C. B. McMullen, A. S. McCulloch, F. Dexter, W. B. Canning, T. McLellan, J. A. Hanson, R. A. Mingie, Truro; H. T. Fulton, Upper Stewiacke; B. McNutt, Lewis and Thomas Dunlap, also B. Joyce Lower Truro.

After thoroly enjoying the bountiful dinner prepared by Mrs. Cameron, who as a hostess cannot be surpassed, Mr. J. A. Hanson, master of ceremonies, in a few well chosen words presented Mr. and Mrs. Cameron with a handsome case of sterling silver spoons, to which they replied, expressing their thanks for this token of esteem.

The evening was spent in a very social manner and the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Cameron, many returns of this happy occasion.

Mens, Boys, and youth's suits at Fred Nelson's Stewiacke, at bargain prices to clear some lines at same price as before the war—and its better cloth and at about 1-2 today's prices—call and make money.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr. A. S. Black, and family have arrived safely by automobile in Los Angeles, Calif. The people in Southern California are frightened out of their wits over the "Flu" epidemic. In Pasadena they have the Influenza mask law, but the weariers are kicking like steers as a mouth and nose mash in a sun-scorcht country is far from a comfortable addition to one's general toggery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown, from Sydney, are spending their honeymoon at the Learment.

R. G. Boutin of West Arichat was a guest at Learment in route to Halifax to take up his old position as Telephone operator; he was in army for 2 years.

Mr. Wm. McKenzie, Earltown, Col. Co. was in town on business last week. Mr. McKenzie is quite extensively in the lumbering business and says he is having good success in the woods. The continued fine days of this winter suits his work.

Engineer A. M. Fraser was severely injured and his fireman scalded early Sunday morning at Avondale, near New Glasgow, in an unusual accident to No. 7 Express from Halifax for Sydney. While the train was running at a fair rate of speed a side rod of the locomotive broke, thrashing the driver's side of the cab to pieces and breaking the steam pipe connections. Both men are in hospital at New Glasgow.

Miss Theresa Robbins, has gone to Antigonish to visit friends there for a few days.

Mrs. J. H. Stevens, Stanley House, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Brown, Highland View hospital, Amherst, has returned home. She was accompanied by Mrs. N. B. Stewart.

The citizens of Dartmouth, who were up to Truro, to attend the funeral of the late Charles E. Harris, were guests at The Stanley House.

When the last meeting of the Municipal Council of Colchester, met in Truro, the Warden's banquet was held at the Victorian Hotel, and all the guests spoke very highly of the good service and splendid menu.

Sergt. T. Ford, a returnd war veteran of Halifax, N. S. has rented the Publicover Building next the Queen Building and will open up shortly with Paints and Wall paper and will be doing a Paper hanging and graining business. He has rented one of the Bates Flats on Commercial Street, and with Mrs. Ford will move to Truro this month.

Leonard Kennedy, Prince St., had been appointed Inspector of C. N. R. boilers, thruout the Maritime Province and different parts of Quebec. He has gone to Moncton, N. B. where he will make his head-quarters.

The Victoria Flour Mills is a busy place these days. On Monday February, 3rd, Mr. William Miller and Mr. David Fisher, Newton Mills, Upper Stewiacke, were in town, with a load of wheat, which they had ground at this mill, into a fine, snow-white grade of flour, which is hard to beat.

The Debating Society of the Normal College will hold an interesting debate, on Tuesday night, with the Students of the Agricultural College Subject for debate, Resolved; "That the teacher is of more benefit to humanity than the farmer."

Some 8000 hotel workers in London are on a strike; and the whole strike outlook in Britain is most serious.

No American troops will go to Turkey as garrison as the United States never declared war against Turkey.

Rev. P. R. Hayden, has resignd the pastorate of the Baptist Church at Oxford, where he has been for four years, and has accepted a call to Berwick.

The Minister of Militia hopes to have all our troops in Canada by the end of August. When navigation opens Halifax, St. John, Quebec and Montreal, will be busy ports of arrival. The 3rd Division will return first; and as far as possible, the troops will come back in units.

The Quebec Government has a net surplus of $1,509.558 a most satisfactory result.

Oats in Winnipeg have fallen 3 1-2 cents per bushels and barley eight cents.

David Clayburn, a native of Isaac's Harbor, died at McLennan's Mountain, Pictou Co., Jan. 1. He had bought a farm in Pictou County but a short time ago. He left a wife and grown up family.

Sure! High Heels Cause Corns But Who Cares Now

Because style decrees that women crowd and buckle up their tender toes in high heel footwear they suffer from corns, then they cut and trim at these painful pests which merely makes the corn grow hard. This suicidal habit may cause lockjaw and women are warned to stop it.

A few drops of a drug called freezone applied directly upon a sore corn gives quick relief nd soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out without pain. Ask the drug store man for a quarter of an ounce of freezone, which costs very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn or callous from one's feet.

This drug is an ether compound and dries in a moment and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Clip this out and pin on your wife's dresser.

WARD THREE ELECTION.

There was a lively contest in Truro's "fighting Ward" yesterday for the honorable office of Councillor.

The result of the following, when summed up by presiding offiser, J. W. Johnson, J. P., was;—

R. H. Phinney	199
L. J. Walker	79

The Presiding Offiser declared, Mr. Phinney duly elected.

There was great interest in this Ward 3 Election and a large vote was polled.

GETTING TIMID OVER SHIP-BILDING.

Mr. Archibald MacKenzie, of River John, was in Pictou on Wednesday. Mr. MacKenzie, informed us that the MacKenzie Ship-Building Company had stopped work on their second vessel, as advices from shiping centers were to the effect that wooden shipping was likely to decline rapidly in value hereafter. Mr. MacKenzie stated that the River John workmen had developed very rapidly as shipbuilders and were fast becoming as skilled as their forefathers. The ship-building industry distributed a lot of money in River John the las year—Pictou Advocate.

REV. G. L. GORDON DIES SUDDENLY LAST SUNDAY.

Was prepared to Take the Regular Services on Sunday But Dies In Early Morning After Few Hours Illness.?

(The Review, Redcliff, Alberta, Jan. 9, 1919.)

It was indeed sad and sudden news to the people of Redcliff when they learned last Sunday morning that the Rev. G. Lawson Gordon had passed away suddenly during the early hours of that morning. Many had not heard until on their way to the morning service where they expected to see their beloved pastor in his accustomed place. To these the shock was doubly sad and almost unbelievable, as deceased had been seen about making his usual rounds on Saturday making his usual rounds on Saturda and apparently in his usual health.

On Saturday night deceased retired much as usual after having finished his preparations for the services the following day. About midnight, however, he awakened Mrs. Gordon and complained of not feeling well. At first he did not think his illness required medical help but his devoted partner saw at a glance his condition was serious and at once summoned Dr. Brown. Dr. Smyth, of Medicine Hat, was also sent for but before the latter arrived the silver cord was loosed and Redcliff's grand old gentleman had passed to his reward.

The late Mr. Gordon came to Redcliff in 1911 when the town was just starting and has resided here ever since. Although he came west primarily for his health the call for help in the ministry in the rapidly developing prairie province was so urgent that he willingly offered his services and was put in charge of the Redcliff and surrounding field in the interests of the Presbyterian church. Here he remained until death removed him last Sunday, and during that time he has by his sincerity, thoughtfulness and devotion, won his way into the hearts of his people and made an impression on the lives which time cannot efface.

Mr. Gordon was born in Clyne, Summersettshire, Scotland, on the 23rd of May, 1851. He came to Canada when a young man, 20 years of age, and in 1879 was ordained into the ministry at Sydney, N. S. In October of the same year he was married to Annie Elizabeth Murray, who has been his loving and devoted helper ever since and still survives to mourn his loss. To them were born two children, one daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) G. E. Forges, who resides in Nova Scotia, and one son, Murray, who lives in Spokane, Wash. The latter arrived in town on Tuesday morning and Mrs. Forbes is expected on Friday morning. Until Mrs. Forbes arrives the funeral arrangements will not be completed.

Since coming to Redcliff Mr. Gordon and his faithful wife have had many experiences. They passed through the bright days with their promising prospects for the future, and they saw the duller days which brought with them obstacles and discouragements. But through them all they were ever cheerful and hopeful and made many lasting friends. To Mrs. Gordon the sincere sympathy of the entire community goes out in her sad bereavement.

-WINTER GLOVES-

Perhaps you would like to put on the GLOVES with us and warm up a bit.

We've a full line of Winter Gloves-some for Comfort and some for Service.

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A DISTINCT LOSS.

The death of Rev. G. Lawson Gordon means a distinct loss to the town of Redcliff and leaves a vacancy in the hearts of his flock which will be sorely felt and hard to fill.

His many acts of kindness, his untiring energies, even when laboring under bodily pain, and his gentle manly example and manner have al served to endear him to the people with whom he came in contact. He was what might be termed a gentleman of the old school and it is to be regretted that this type are growing scarce, especially at a time when gentlemanly acts and considerations are too often brushed aside in the mad rush for personal gain and self-aggrandisement.

During the past four years, despite his age and infirmaties, he has been an ardent supporter of all patriotic movements. On every opportunity he poured out his soul to the God who gave it, in humble supplication for the coming of peace and the ultimate triumph of right and justice. At the public gathering on the day the armistice was signed his prayer of thankfulness touched the hearts of all who heard it.

That he lived to see his prayers answered and that he passed out of this life at the dawn of a day which was ever sacred to his heart is a fitting end to so noble a character.

PTE. D. A. McDONALD, SUMMIT, COL. CO., CROSSES THE RHINE AT BONN.

Five Hours Occupied by Canadian Division in the Passage—"Movie Picture" Man on Deck.

Upper North River,
January 18, 1919.

Editor Truro News;

If you have space in your valuable and widely read paper please publish the enclosed letter, which has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nichols from Pte. D. A. McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam McDonald of Summit. Pte. McDonald has been three years in the army and was seriously wounded in the breast at Vimy Ridge, which would have proved fatal had it not been for a pocket book which he had in his pocket at the time.

MRS. BEN NICHOLS.

PTE. McDONALD'S LETTER

Germany, Dec. 14, 1918.

Dear Friends:—

Well, here I am again after a long spell of silence. I suppose you folks have been wondering why I haven't written before this, but we have been so busy that we didn's have time to write even a post card; and then I was down to the hospital sick with the "Flu" for a few days.

This long march of ours is about ended at last. I think we must have come about one hundred and sixty miles and by the time we stop we will be pretty near the one hundred and seventy five miles.

The Second Canadian Division crossed the Rhine at five minutes to eleven yesterday. We crossed it just in front of the great university city of Bonn.

General Currie and his staff had a review as we crossed the bridge. It took five hours for the Division to pass. There was a man there taking a moving picture as we passed. I suppose it will likely be shown in Canada.

The people here don't seem to mind us very much. One thing we get good billets now when we stop, and I think it is about time, after so long in the trenches.

I suppose you folks are looking for us home soon but I am very sorry to say that I don't think we will see home very much sooner than April; that does not sound very cheerful does it? But one good thing the fighting is over.

How is everybody around North River? I hope all are well. Is there any snow yet or does it look like a green Christmas?

I had hopes of being home for this Christmas; but however I hope to be home for the Christmas of 1919. Just think, the last Xmas I spent at home was in 1914. I was home the next year but it was only for New Years.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year,

I remain as ever,
Your friend,
DONALD.

INTEREST TO COLCHESTER PEOPLE.

Lieut. Warren Goodwin of the 85th now in Germany, recently sent his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodwin, and his sister, presents from that country, that of his father being a handsome meerchaum pipe.

Nelson Wier, Municipal Clerk, East Hants, has retired after 30 years service. A farewell gift of $100 was given him. Warden Blois was appointed Clerk and A. M. Anthony Warden.

Electric Motors
—AT—
Bargain Prices.

One Thomson-Houston 10 h. p. Direct Current motor. Regular price new $455.00 Will sell for $150.00 net.

One Toronto Electric 10 h.p. Direct Current Motor. Will sell for $ net.

One Allis-Chalmers 5 h.p. Direct current Motor: Regular price $312.00 Will sell for $100.00

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All the motors can be seen work any day.

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