

# Latest Suburban Notes

**MELVERN SQUARE**

Miss Mina Pierce has again been on the sick list, but is now very much better.

Pte. Stanley Gates left for Halifax on Wednesday 3rd, for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Howard Palmer, of Kingston, was the guest of her friend, Mrs. H. L. Bestin, one day this week.

Miss Lena Downie, of Kentville, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, a day or two before Easter.

Mrs. Minnetta Prall, of Windsor, made a brief business trip to Melvern Square during this week, returning to her home on Thursday, 4th.

A number in this vicinity have been quite ill with colds, which seems to be quite out of keeping with the beautiful spring weather of the past week.

Mr. J. N. Barrs, of Quebec, arrived on Friday, 5th, in Melvern, on a business trip. While here he is the guest of his brother-in-law, Lt. Col. E. P. McNeil.

Mrs. Fred McNeil and family, who have been spending the past year in Brickton, have returned to their home in Melvern Square, Mr. McNeil being engaged in Halifax.

Sergt. Kenneth McNeil, accompanied by a few of his young friends from the sanatorium, Kentville, spent Good Friday at the home of his parents, Lt. Col. and Mrs. McNeil. We understand the party motored to Kentville that same evening.

On the evening of Tuesday, 2nd inst., a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Palmer, Melvern West, for their son, Vernon Palmer, and bride (nee Miss Stewart) where a very enjoyable evening was spent by several of our young people of Melvern, and vicinity.

Among those who spent Easter-tide at their respective homes here, were: The Misses Hortense Spurr, teacher in Wolfville, and Myrtle Morse, Acadia; Mr. Leonard Goucher, of Halifax; Mrs. Ralph Flett and children, of Bridgetown; Mrs. Vaughn, of Sheffield Mills, Kings county, and Mrs. Fred Burgess and little daughter of the same place.

On Friday evening, March 29th, the ladies of the Methodist denomination of Melvern Square, met at the home of Mrs. Timothy Phinney, where they reorganized the "Pleasant Union Sewing Circle," of former years. The ladies of this church have always worked together in peace and harmony and if their efforts in the future, prove as successful as in years gone by, we expect to see some good work done.

The Easter service held in the Methodist church here, on Sabbath, 31st, was in keeping with the ideal Easter day, an eloquent sermon by the Rev. Mr. Hockin, special music by a full choir, assisted by violin, and a profusion of beautiful hot house flowers and potted plants, helped to make the service most impressive. In the evening, special music had been arranged by the choir, in the Baptist church, followed by a service of song, a very sweet solo by the minister's wife, Mrs. Roop, being much appreciated.

**MIDDLETON**

Mrs. Arthur Andrews has returned to Halifax.

Mr. James Kerr has been home on the sick list.

Mr. Max Hibbert is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. Charles Brinton, has been the guest of Mrs. A. B. Smith.

We are sorry to report Mr. G. L. Hemmington on the sick list.

Rev. C. H. Corey called on friends in town the last of the week.

Mrs. Harry Edwards is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Potter.

Nursing Sister D. D. Morrison, of Springfield, has arrived safely in England.

Miss King and Miss Langille, of Annapolis Royal, are the guests of Mrs. Vaughn Young.

Mrs. Gwillim and Miss Gwenevere are occupying the Rectory during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. H. Morris left on Wednesday for Concord, N. H., where they are to attend the wedding of their son, William, which took place on the 8th. Miss Miriam accompanied them.

Miss Hilda Ring has returned to Annapolis Royal and Miss Selridge has resumed her duties on the Royal Bank staff.

A. C. Cunningham, of New York, and B. A. Cunningham, of Sydney, were in town last week in connection with the estate of the late Mrs. Lennox.

Nursing Sister, Marion Shaffner, of Halifax, who expected to leave soon for overseas, was taken suddenly ill and was operated on for appendicitis. Her sister, Miss Matiel, a nurse of Natick, was wired for.

Our town has been cast in gloom again by the sad and sudden death of Fred, the only child of Dr. and Mrs. Croaker. He had been attending college at Wolfville and came home on Good Friday to spend the Easter holidays, during which time he contracted a heavy cold, which developed into pleuro-pneumonia, and he passed away on Friday morning. The funeral was held on Sunday. Four of his college chums were the pall bearers.

**LEMONS MAKE SKIN WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR**

Make This Beauty Lotion for a Few Cents and See for Yourself.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of lemon juice to remove complexion blemishes; to whiten the skin and to bring out the roses, the freshness and the hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone is acid, therefore irritating, and should be mixed with a small jar of ordinary cold cream. Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion will remain pure and fresh for months. When applied daily to the face, neck, arms and hands it should help to bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify the skin.

Any drugist will supply three ounces of orchard white at very little cost and the grocer has the lemons.

**UPPER GRANVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, of Windsor, have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zachariah Phinney.

Twenty-three pyjama suits are being sent forward to Halifax this week for Red Cross Relief work from Upper Granville Sewing circle (east end).

Spring songsters are at hand, and although cold blasts may yet be in store for us, the winter is over and gone. We gracefully bow to its exit and remember it as one of the coldest and most prolonged on record.

Mr. J. Herbert Marshall and Miss Ethel M. Wheeler were quietly married at St. James Church, Bridgetown, on April 3rd. A wedding reception, in honor of the happy pair was given at Mr. Marshall's pleasant residence on the evening of the same day, where many friends welcomed the newly wedded couple and gave evidence of their good will, by leaving various and useful and dainty gifts. Refreshments, music and social intercourse, brought a very pleasant evening to a close, but not without the usual serenade, which seems to linger as an accompaniment to these festive occasions. We join in congratulations for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

**LAWRENCETOWN**

Services next Sunday as follows: Methodist, 11 a. m.; Anglican, 3 p. m.

There will be a union prayer service in the Methodist vestry on Friday evening at 7.30 p. m.

The Methodist choir will meet for practice at the home of Mr. William Hall, on Thursday at 8 p. m.

The "Soldiers of the Soil" movement is being taken up in Lawrencetown and Dr. J. B. Hall will be glad to hear from boys between the ages of 12 to 19.

On Sunday morning in the Methodist church, in response to the appeal of the Government of Nova Scotia, the serious facts of the Allied food situation, were set before the congregation, and an earnest plea was made for all to do their utmost to assist.

**PARADISE**

Mr. Wallace Rumsay received the sad news that his daughter, Mary, of Boston, had died very suddenly of pneumonia. Much sympathy is felt for the grief stricken family.

**CASTORIA**

For Infants and Children  
In Use For Over 30 Years  
Always bears the signature of *Dr. J. C. Ayer*

Judge Borden, who died in Moncton, on the 26th, was a native of Annapolis, N. S. He was a brother of Rev. Dr. B. C. Borden, President of Mt. Allison University. His widow and a daughter survive.

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# Digby County Monitor

**DIGBY**

Digby's rate of taxation is \$2.25 on the \$100.00.

Miss Ennice Milbury returned to St. John Saturday.

Mr. A. Bouien returned to Meteghan last week.

Miss Imelda Daley was a passenger from St. John Saturday.

Capt. S. G. Dolton was a passenger to St. John on Wednesday.

Mr. Kenneth Parry has accepted a position with the Digby Weekly Courier.

Mr. Harry Boudrow arrived from New York on Thursday to visit his family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Warne spent several days in St. John last week, returning Saturday.

Sch. Dorothy M. Smart, Capt. Ansel Snow, sailed Saturday night for the fishing grounds.

Mrs. Carrie Henshaw, of Vancouver, B. C., has been the guest of Mrs. F. L. Anderson, King street.

Mr. Vernon Bent returned to Halifax on Wednesday, after spending a few days with his family.

Mrs. Almley Croft and little daughter arrive here Saturday and are guests at the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. C. E. Walker, the new proprietor of the Bijou Dream theatre, was a passenger to Kentville yesterday.

Sch. Loran B. Snow, Capt. Percy Ross, arrived Tuesday with 88,000 lbs. of mixed fish, purchased by J. E. Snow.

Mr. Willard Ryan, of Marshallowton, left yesterday for Noel to join the Bridgetown sch. Mayflower at that port for Boston.

Mrs. Carrie Henshaw, of Bear River, who has been spending the winter with her parents, at Marshallowton, returned home on Thursday.

Sch. Dorothy G. Sarty, Capt. A. Longmire, arrived Saturday with 100,000 lbs. of mixed fish, purchased by the Maritime Fish Corporation.

Tuesday's Halifax Chronicle: Mrs. Heret Green, of Digby, is spending a few days in the city, a guest of Miss Frances Smith, Oxford Apartments.

The following were among the passengers from Digby for Halifax via Monday's express: Geo. H. Peters, Geo. Dunn, Frank Keen, Harry Dennison and John Hill.

Mr. Harry I. Brooks, a native of Weymouth, who was purser on the Boston-Yarmouth steamers for a term of years, is now a paymaster with the United States Shipping Board, with his office at Boston.

Mr. Edward Roberts, agent for the Newwood Lumber Company, of St. John's, Newfoundland, was in town on Wednesday. Mr. Roberts is in the province negotiating for the purchase of vessels.

Kentville Advertiser: Mr. Garnet Benson, well known in Kentville, who recently left Digby, and his family at Deep Brook, has made another change. He has accepted a position with our flourishing new company, The Supplies Limited, Kentville, and will take to the road as a traveller in their interests.

Another business man leaving Digby for Halifax, who will be very much missed in church, lodge and in the office of the Digby Advertiser, is Mr. W. L. Hogg, for many years principal book-keeper with W. L. Holdsworth, plumber and dealer in hardware. Mr. Hogg expects to leave for the city next Saturday, 13th.

A large number were present at Grace Methodist church this morning to witness the marriage of Miss Lulu, only daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Croft, to Pte. Thomas Johnson. Pte. Thomas Johnson was formerly of the 299th Battalion and recently returned from overseas. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson left via St. John for Saskatoon, Sask., where they will in future reside.

Halifax Herald: Reginald Green, discount clerk of the Bank of Nova Scotia in this city, and son of H. Green, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Digby, has been granted leave of absence for overseas service. This young man, whose youth prevented his being called under the Military Service Act, is anxious to do his bit for his king and country, and is

going across with the Eighth Sea battery.

Two former members of the Royal Bank of Canada staff in Halifax, Mr. W. Campbell and W. J. Theriault, are being transferred. The former, who has been supplying as manager at Meteghan River, has been sent to St. John's, Quebec, and the latter has been appointed manager of the Meteghan River branch. Mr. Theriault, who belongs to Belliveau's Cove, Digby county, has been stationed at St. John's.

At the April communication of King Solomon Lodge, No. 54, A. F. & A. M., held on Tuesday evening, last, the following officers for the year were installed by Right Worshipful S. C. Shaffner, D. D. G. M., for District No. 3, assisted by Rev. Wm. Driffield, Past Grand Chaplain and H. B. Short, P. M.:

F. W. Nichols, Worshipful Master. Alfred A. Shortliffe, Senior Warden. Stanley S. Aymer, Junior Warden. Harry E. Jones, P. M., Treasurer. Harry L. Dennison, P. M., Secretary. Geo. W. Wightman, Senior Deacon. Arthur R. Turnbull, Junior Deacon. L. Y. Winchester, Senior Steward. W. H. Cossaboom, Junior Steward. Claude W. Bishop, Inner Guard. Harris W. Bowles, Tyler. Rev. C. W. Robbins, Chaplain.

The report of the Auditors shows that the Lodge is in a healthy condition financially and the prospects are that the year 1918 will be a prosperous one for the Lodge.

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On Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, Mr. Currie was at Church Point, where he inspected the new steamer M. Sigome, just completed by Capt. Bernard Melanson, and fitted for the coastwise freight trade and for her size has large carrying capacity, being able to accommodate upwards of 400 tons. On Wednesday the steamer was given a trial run on St. Mary's Bay, when her machinery worked to a nicety and she made an average of 8 knots, much to the satisfaction of her builders and owners.

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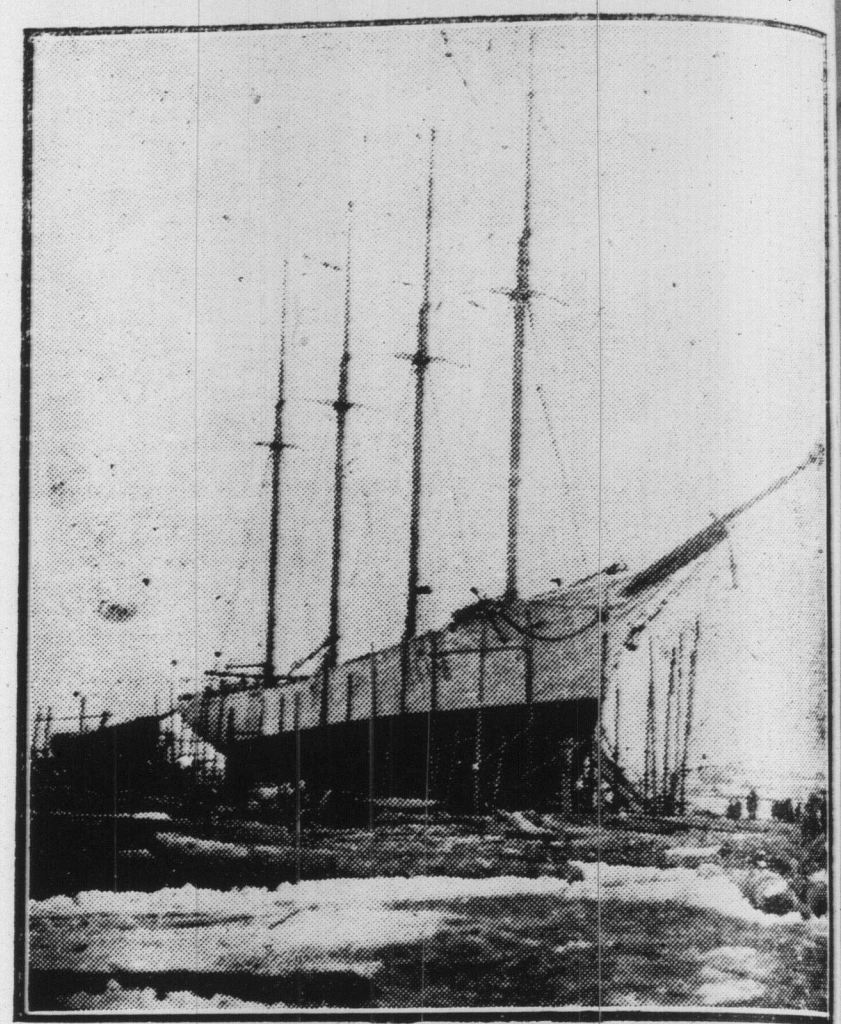
the city of Halifax, filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Chief Rudland. The appointment becomes effective April 15th. Mr. Hanrahan has been filling the position temporarily for some time. His many friends wish him a long and successful career.

**Another Business Man May Leave Digby.**

[Halifax Herald:]

Stanley Keen, Digby's leading jeweller, is in Halifax on one of his regular business trips. Mr. Keen is thinking seriously of locating in Halifax as the future of the city looks promising to him.

# Marine News



Sch. REBECCA L. MACDONALD  
Built at Meteghan by Dr. T. H. Macdonald, launched March 26th, 1918, and is now taking in cargo at St. John, N. B.

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## Among the Churches

**Parish of St. James, Bridgetown**

The services next Sunday (2nd day after Easter) will be: Bridgetown, 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.; St. Mary's, Belleisle, 3 p. m.

Sunday School at usual hour.

**WEEK-DAYS**

Friday, 4.30 p. m.—Service of Intercession on behalf of the war.

Meeting of the Anglican Y. P. C. Association, 8.30 p. m. practice.

**Bridgetown Methodist Church**

On Friday evening at 7.30 p. m. Mission Band will give a concert in the school room of the church.

Services for next Sunday, April 14, Bridgetown, Sunday school 10 a. m. Public worship, 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Granville, 3 p. m.

**Bridgetown United Baptist Church**

Rev. M. S. Richardson, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. practice service at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. B.Y.P.U. on Friday evening at 7.30 p. m. Praver meeting at Centennial Tuesday evening. Preaching service April 14th, at 3 p. m.

## BORN

VANTASSELL—At Mr. Pleasantville by county, March 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Vantassel, a daughter.

WELTON—At Wilnot, March 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Welton, a daughter.

BENT—At Beausfield, April 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Zephie Bent, a daughter.

DARGIE—At Bridgetown, April 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dargie, a daughter.

## MARRIED

COOMBS—FENNER—At the Methodist Church, Clementsport, N. S., by Rev. A. M. McNinch, March 29th, Mr. William S. Coombs, of Clementsport, and Lalia Irene Fenner, of Lake La Rose, N. S.

## DIED

SCHURMAN—At Lily Lake, Annapolis county, March 24th, Lemuel Schurman, aged 45 years.

BENT—At Millville, Kings Co., March 18th, of membranous croup, Mr. Ham Noble, son of Roy G. and Mrs. M. Bent, aged one year and eight months.

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FIGHTING ALONG WIDE FRO

BRITISH STAND FIRM AND BACK VIOLENT ATTACK

Field Marshal Haig Reports Fighting—The Germans Brought Fresh Divisions, and Delivered Determined Assaults, But Were Punished With Great Losses.

(British Official Statement) LONDON, April 11—The official report from Field Marshal Haig's headquarters in France tonight reads: "The enemy pressed his attack strongly throughout the day of whole northern front. The fighting was continuous and has been delivered by fresh German divisions of the region of the river Lawe and Loise and Lentrem.

"In this fighting the Fifty-Bth Division has beaten off incessant attacks with great loss to the enemy and by vigorous and successful counter-attacks has recaptured positions into which the enemy had forced way.

"Heavy fighting has taken place between Estaires and between Estaires and Steenwerck. In this sector also the enemy has been repulsed and is needed in pushing back our line north of these places.

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