Welcome (Aboard). Memories of the Workman Family at the Prospect Harbor Lighthouse

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Dedicated to the memory of John E. Workman and Daisy E. Myrick Workman the last lighthouse keepers of Prospect Earbor Light, 1935-1953.

My first introduction to the lighthouse was Sept. 1944, as the bride of Gordon Workman, the second son of Daisy and John Workman. Gordon was on leave from the Army Air Force. Grandfather Ira Workman and Daisy and John Workman resided at the promises now known as Gull Cottage. It was amlovely home even without any modern conveniences. The black iron sink, handpump and woodstove always shined as new. The floore shined and the uncarpeted stairs were very handssome and beautiful as the shore and confidence of life. The out house with its Sears Catalog and lincless floor even welcomed you.

When wash day c. me on Monday's Mother Workman would bring up her copper boller from the cellar and put it on the stove to boll. Her big round tub would be put on its stand with her scrub board and wash day began. The wash would then be hung out between the barn and the house to dry.

The walkway between the house and the back of the tool shed ran to the cuthouse. The barn held one car and the winter wood supply and a hiden bottle of Pramedy. Dranffather Ira would sure and refull the bottle so John would's know he had his midday toddy.

On Thursday Nother Workman would do her baking in the small pantry off the kitchen that also led to the cellar door. In the pellar way on the shelf, food was set to keep cool and stored. In the cellar was two brick cisterns to hold the drait water from the rood for household use. It was pumped up to the kitchen sink by the pitcher pump. Grandfather Ira's provide and the santles cleaned to use going upstairs at night along with the case of the santle in back of the large black iron stove along with the set on the santle in back of the large black iron stove along with the least on the soning has done.

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Edmund Workman and Daisy Myrick Workman were the last lightkeepers from 1935 until 1953.

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Workman, Gordon Russell, Sr. (1921 - 2009).

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