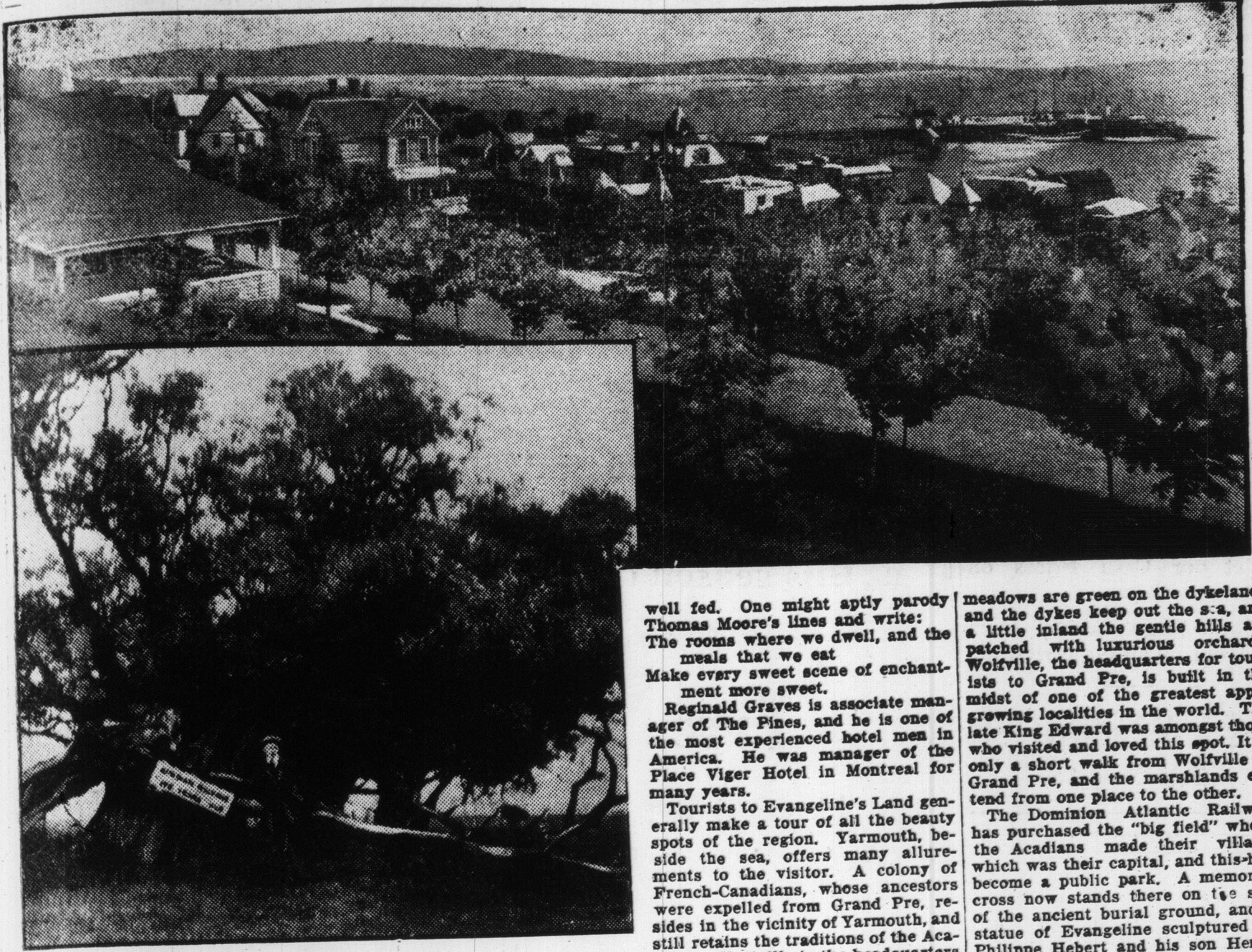


# Digby and Evangeline's Land



A View of Digby, Nova Scotia, and a Close View of the Willows Under Which Evangeline Used to Rest.

The Pines at Digby is the first Dominion Atlantic Railway hotel to be opened in Nova Scotia. During the tourist season of 1919 it will be in full swing under the management of the new owners. The acquisition of the Pines by this railroad is a distinct advantage to tourists and to Nova Scotia, for a good hotel attracts visitors almost as much as a good scene does. Hotels and scenes go together in their call to the public. To enjoy the loveliness of nature one must be comfortably housed and

well fed. One might aptly parody Thomas Moore's lines and write: The rooms where we dwell, and the meals that we eat Make every sweet scene of enchantment more sweet.

Reginald Graves is associate manager of The Pines, and he is one of the most experienced hotel men in America. He was manager of the Place Viger Hotel in Montreal for many years. Tourists to Evangeline's Land generally make a tour of all the beauty spots of the region. Yarmouth, beside the sea, offers many allurement to the visitor. A colony of French-Canadians, whose ancestors were expelled from Grand Pre, resides in the vicinity of Yarmouth, and still retains the traditions of the Acadians. Kentville is the headquarters of the Dominion Atlantic Railway which serves the entire district. Grand Pre was the site of the village from which the Acadians were banished in 1755. The well where Evangeline was wont to go for water and the willows under which she rested are still there; Blomidon mountain and the Basin of Minas near by are just as they were of old, the

meadows are green on the dykelands and the dykes keep out the sea, and a little inland the gentle hills are patched with luxuriant orchards. Wolfville, the headquarters for tourists to Grand Pre, is built in the midst of one of the greatest apple growing localities in the world. The late King Edward was amongst those who visited and loved this spot. It is only a short walk from Wolfville to Grand Pre, and the marshlands extend from one place to the other. The Dominion Atlantic Railway has purchased the "big field" where the Acadians made their village, which was their capital, and this has become a public park. A memorial cross now stands there on the site of the ancient burial ground, and a statue of Evangeline sculptured by Philippe Hebert and his son Henri, descendants of an Acadian family, will soon add the grace of art to what has lavished her rarest charms. It is significant that the Dominion Atlantic Railway and the Boston and Yarmouth Steamship Company have embarked on an ambitious campaign to advertise the tourist attractions of Nova Scotia.

## Potato Beetles Very Abundant

It has been years since potato beetles were as abundant as they are this season. From present indications a large proportion of the fields will require treatment within a week of the appearance of the plants if the maximum crop is to be grown. On account of the fact that the adults or hard shells can very seldom be completely controlled by the early spray it would be good business for all potato growers to make plans for thorough spraying with poisoned Bordeaux when the plants are about ten inches high.

If the plants are attacked by adult beetles within two weeks of their appearance it is probable that the best treatment would be to dust the young plants with arsenate of lime. Spraying with arsenate of lime two pounds to forty gallons would be equally effective. Arsenate of lead or Paris Green may be used if arsenate of lime is not available. When the plants are ten inches high or when the larvae or slugs or soft shells, as they are often called, appear growers should spray very thoroughly with a poisoned Bordeaux made up of:

- 4 lbs. copper sulphate.
- 4 lbs. lime.
- 1 1/2 lbs. arsenate of lime.

On making the Bordeaux the lime and the copper sulphate should be dissolved separately in upwards of twenty gallons of water and then poured together. In using arsenate of lime as an insecticide it is best to add it to the completed Bordeaux.

In New Brunswick where arsenate of lime is not available in all sections, arsenate of soda which is sold under the trade names of arsenoid and sol arsenate may be used in Bordeaux only in the place of arsenate of lime.

Poisoned Bordeaux made according to the above formula should be applied every two weeks during the entire season after the plants are ten inches

high. This will insure freedom from both insects and fungus diseases.

Spraying four or five times in the manner described will give an average increase in crop of about 100 bushels per acre, and the total cost will be in the neighbourhood of fifteen dollars per acre. On this account spraying potatoes is like buying potatoes for fifteen cents per bushel.

Too many make the mistake of not applying enough spray. At least eighty gallons should be applied per acre on each application. Forty gallons is not enough to control either insects or diseases and if the spraying is done with a hand pump it is best to go over the field twice, once each way on each application. Thorough potato spraying is probably the most profitable operation that can be conducted on the ordinary farm, as the returns will average more than six times the cost. In other words the profits from potato spraying average over 500 per cent. Years ago there were no potato beetles and no blight in the country and there was no need of spraying potatoes. Within forty years conditions have changed, and insect and fungus diseases introduced. Today in order to grow maximum crops of potatoes the must be protected from these comparatively new insect and fungus pests by spraying.

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## Weddings

Many of Our Readers are Interested

**SNOW—BOUTILLIER**  
A pretty wedding took place in Monday when Boyd, eldest son of Capt. and Mrs. Wm. Snow, of Wolfville, was united in marriage to the daughter of Mr. Arthur Snow, President of the National Co. of Halifax. The bride was attended by her sister, Emily White, and Miss Fisher, of Middleton, performed the duties of best man. After church of England wedding service had been performed and refreshments had been served the happy couple left for Boston on a bridal trip to the New England States. The bride and groom are graduates of Mt. Allison University and have a host of friends in the Maritime provinces who congratulate and best wishes. Among those present at the wedding were Mrs. Wm. Snow and Mrs. Ethel and Dorothy, who accompanied them to Digby via yesterday's train.

**BROWN—BISHOP**  
A pretty home wedding took place in residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. Brown, Lawrencetown, on the evening of Sept 10th when Rev. F. H. Brown, united in marriage their daughter, Pearl Marjorie, to the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown of the same place.

The bride looked charming in a gown of white silk and crepe with a white veil, carrying a bouquet of roses. The little bridesmaids were Margaret Hall and Mrs. Bishop. The bridesmaids of the bride had tastefully decorated the rooms with a profusion of flowers. The drawing room was in pink and green. The ceremony was performed beneath a white arch and bell of white and evergreen. The wedding collation was served about fifty guests. The valuable wedding gifts were by the young couple who are popular in the community.

**Lawrencetown Enterprise**  
credit is due Mr. T. G. of Lawrencetown, for taking matter with Graham's, and using his influence to them to establish an orchard plant in that town. The charge of C. H. Lowell was pushed rapidly forward and at may be in operation Oct 15th. This will be a boon for the fruit growers in a and surrounding districts. The surplus stock of fruit for ready cash. It is estimated the capacity will be 100 or more per day and from 7 hands will be employed. Annapolis Valley Fruit and Co., have sold one of the houses to Messrs Graham will be used in connection with the evaporator for storage etc. We wish the success every success.

**A Royal Reception**  
Members of the 85th Battalion, which presented the "ad" in the Prim Monday night, received reception in Bridgetown. The business section of the town was decorated with bunting. The arrival of the troops was a great event. The doors were unable to open. Dr. M. E. A. gave a pretty decoration. The boys were in a way that it was by the big and features being wish them contr their tour through

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resigned his position of the staff of the forum, where al work with year and a full time Wolfville