

pital for the Insane, holding the position over twenty years. Daniel DeWolf, son of Jehiel, was born at Horton in 1761; represented the township in the Provincial Assembly in 1806 and 1811. Judge Elisha DeWolf's property adjoined the present site of Acadia University. The three families held very large grants of land—nine hundred and fifty acres each. Judge Elisha DeWolf's residence, built in 1779, is still in good preservation (1915).

Judge Elisha DeWolf, descendant, whose grand-daughters, the Misses Woodward, suggested about 1830 that the name of the village of Mud Creek he changed to Wolfville, which was accordingly done, through their uncle, Postmaster Elisha DeWolf, Jr. The name was deemed appropriate by all for a number of DeWolfs lived along the main street of the town and the family has been prominent there from pioneer days. A grand-daughter of Jehiel DeWolf, third branch of the family, married Samuel Wadsworth, an uncle of the poet, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

A well-known Baptist divine and educationist is the Rev. Henry Todd DeWolf, son of the late B. R. DeWolf of St. Stephen, New Brunswick. He was born at St. Stephen, September 14, 1867, and was educated there in the public and high schools, and Acadia University from which institution he was graduated in 1889 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and he was given the degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1909. He was married in July, 1893, to Harriet M. Eaton, of Parrsboro. He studied theology in Newton Theological Seminary, and was ordained in 1895. He was instructor in Greek in the last named institution from 1893 to 1895. He was pastor of the church of his denomination at Farboro, Massachusetts, from 1895 to 1901. He was principal of Acadia Seminary from 1901 to 1910. Since then he has been professor of New Testament languages and literature in Acadia University at Wolfville.

Among other members of this old family of whom mention should be made are the following: Hon. Andrew Strange DeWolf, deceased, was one of the first members of the firm of T. A. S. DeWolf & Son; he was the father of the late Dr. James Ratchford DeWolf, who for over twenty years was superintendent of the Nova Scotia Hospital for the Insane. Rev. Charles DeWolf was a very prominent and eloquent Methodist minister.

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