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## DEATH OF FORMER WOLFVILLE RESIDENT

Dr. E. W. Sawyer Passed Away Last Week at Woodstock, Ont.

Citizens of Wolfville were shocked and grieved, as indeed were many Kings county friends and admirers, as well as a host of old pupils and others throughout the Maritime Provinces, to learn of the death of Dr. Everett W. Sawyer, which occurred on Thursday last at Woodstock, Ont.

This town was honored by being the home for many years of Dr. Sawyer, who was the only one of the late Rev. A. W. Sawyer, D. D., for long the esteemed president of Acadia University. He studied in the public schools of this town and at Acadia University from which institution he graduated in the class of 1880.

After fearlessly filling for some time the position of field secretary for the Provincial Alliance, he was called to Summerside, B. N., to accept the principalship of the Ontario College, and for seven years conducted the affairs of that institution. When it was decided at the beginning of the war to close the school he retired to his fruit ranch and later accepted an appointment to the staff of classical teachers at Woodstock College, Woodstock, Ont., which position he held until broken health and failing sight compelled him to relinquish it.

His first wife was a daughter of the late Rev. E. A. Crawley, D. D., the first president of Acadia, and a sister of Mr. E. S. Crawley, of this town, who preceded him several years ago at Summerside. In 1920 he was married to Miss Ada Pearl Porter, of Woodstock, who survives him. He also leaves two sons, Donald, of Halifax, and Edmund, and one daughter, Helen, now Mrs. Rev. W. Armstrong, of Edmonton. His only sister, Miss Laura Sawyer, has since 1888 held the post of librarian at the Perkins Institute, Boston.

Dr. Sawyer was a man of superior attainments and high ideals, whose life work was characterized by integrity and usefulness.

## OF GREAT BENEFIT

Canadian Fruit Made Fine Impression at British Exhibition.

OTTAWA, Sept. 21.—That Canada will benefit from the British Empire Exhibition, and that the Canadian building is generally conceded to be one of the finest, if not the finest, at Wembley, was the declaration of F. R. Dehart, of British Columbia, who had charge of Canada's fruit exhibit.

Walter Hiers, the man whose motto is "laugh, and the world laughs with you; weep, and you weep alone." Walter Hiers, star of the Paramount pictures, "Mr. Billings Spends His Dime" and "Sixty Cents an Hour" and featured in George Melford's "Flaming Barriers", is the man of whom we speak—Walter of the generous girth, who comes to the Orpheum Theatre next Monday and Tuesday in his latest starring picture for Paramount, "Fair Week".

Hiers is practically the only fat man in dramatic work—not that he plays dramatic roles—not by a long shot. His part is to put the laughs into a picture. "Fair Week" is a comedy-drama, with the accent on the comedy. It's the funniest thing Hiers has ever done, but there's drama, too, don't fool yourself about that—if rescuing a little girl, while hanging by your knees from the trapeze of a swaying balloon over a thousand feet in the air, means anything.

Constance Wilson, sister of Lois, and who also played in "The Covered Wagon", is Mr. Hiers' leading woman. Others in the cast are J. Farrell MacDonald, Carmen Phillips and Mary Jane Irving.

Rob Wagner directed the production. The Westville baseball team won the championship of Nova Scotia yesterday when they defeated the Springhill team by the score of 6 to 4, before 2500 spectators at Truro.

## EMINENT DIVINE



Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, famous preacher from London, England, is on a tour of Ontario and the Maritime Provinces.

## CROPS ARE GOOD IN NOVA SCOTIA

The Apple Yield Will Be Larger Than Expected

"On the whole crops are good," said Dr. M. Cumming, Secretary for Agriculture, when interviewed by a Halifax daily this week. There has been a good hay crop, and with what was left over from last year's very large crop there is a substantial amount of hay in the country. With the exception of some areas in the Annapolis Valley, where the dry spell was particularly severe, the crops are generally larger than last year.

While a month ago the tendency was to estimate the apple crop to be about 60 per cent. of what it was last year, Dr. Cumming said he would not now be surprised, according to conditions and the manner in which the fruit is picking off, that the crop will be 75 per cent., or even 80 per cent., of what it was last year, which was very big crop.

In dairying and fruit the farmers would come off pretty well, Dr. Cumming predicted, and they prove again that they are pursuing the phases of farming for which Nova Scotia is best adapted.

## "AVOID THE APPEARANCE OF EVIL"

To the Editor of THE ACADIAN  
Mr. Editor,—I wish to thank you for the very timely editorial note in last week's issue of THE ACADIAN entitled "Law should be observed". I was very much surprised the other day to see a large poster advertising a Bazaar and Fair to be held early in October, beginning with a lottery and ending with a public dance. "Come one, come all", and this, be it remembered, under the auspices and the support of a large number of confessedly Christian women, some of them leaders in their respective churches. Is the example set by these women good? Is it such that their Master would approve if He were here? There are some people who teach that "the end justifies the means". But the Lord Jesus did not teach that, nor did His apostles. In our "rules of faith and practice" we read, "Avoid the appearance of evil". The action of the Ministerial Conference of Hants county and that taken by the Social Service Council recently held in Truro is also worthy of commendation and imitation.

Yours very truly,  
J. W. MANNING.

## MRS. GIDEON BIGELOW

In a Halifax daily a very obscure notice is given of the death and burial of Mrs. Gideon Bigelow at her home in California. Before her marriage, as Miss Eliza Sheffield, daughter of the late Amos Sheffield, she was an energetic worker in the Methodist Sunday School at Canning. She leaves one son, Dr. Coniah Bigelow, of San Diego, Cal., and two sisters, Mrs. Jas. E. Kinsman, of Sheffield Mills, and Mrs. John Murdoch, of Bridgetown, Annapolis Co. Gideon Bigelow, the second son of the late Ebenezer Bigelow, who left Canning for the Pacific Coast nearly forty years ago, and lost his life a few years later in the launching of a river boat he was constructing, will be remembered by our older citizens as a man of fine physique, proficient as a master ship-builder, and an every day Christian.

## WORLD FLIERS COMPLETE TOUR

More Than 100,000 Persons Greeted Airmen at Santa Monica.

CLOVER FIELD, Santa Monica, California, Sept. 23.—The three army world cruising airplanes returned to Clover Field today, six months and six days after they left, March 17, to encircle the globe.

The men who have flown around the earth gracefully landed and swept across the field to the flower strewn acre where the parents of Lieut. Smith and mother of Lieut. John Harding went forth to extend the first welcome home.

More than 100,000 rose in the grand stands and on the field and shouted a welcome as the fliers flew over the field, encircling it before dropping to taxi to the reviewing stands.

## EMPIRE FAIR CLOSES NOV. 1

LONDON, Sept. 23.—The closing date of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley has been fixed for Saturday, November 1. The question as to whether the exhibition shall be re-opened next year is still undecided.

## HYMENEAL

BOWSER-DENNISON

Word has been received here of the marriage of the United Presbyterian church, Whittier, Cal., on Sunday, September 13th, at 4:30 p.m. by the Rev. C. E. Hanna, of Miss Lee Avery Bowser, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. S. A. Bowser, of Grand Pre, C. W. Dennison, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Dennison, of Hortonville.

The bride is a graduate of the Mass. General Hospital and is groom is Secretary and Treasurer of California Silk Farms Inc. at Spayford, Cal.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Dennison left on motor trip to Lolla and other parts of interest along the coast.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Dennison will reside at Stonyford, Cal.

## HART-BLEAKNEY

The marriage of Miss Stee Bleakney, of Wolfville, to Reginald Hart, of Boston, took place in the Baptist church of Boston, on the afternoon of Sept. 5th. The officiating clergyman were Dr. DeBlois and the throbbers of the bride, who are Baptist ministers.

The bride entered on the day of her wedding in a gown of white tulle, with a small hat, and carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley.

Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The wedding reception for the bride and groom was held at the home of the bride in New York City and Long Island.

Mrs. Hart was formerly a student at Acadia, and is a graduate of the New School, Boston. Mr. Hart is studying law in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Hart will be at home here after October 1st.

## CARD-FRITZ

(From the Middleton Outlook)

A very pretty wedding (a unusual interest took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Israel J. Fritz, of Mt. Hanley, on Wednesday morning, Sept. 10th, when their eldest daughter, Adelaide Isabella, was united in marriage to Mr. Verge A. Card, of Gasperaux, N. S.

To the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Minnie Adelia Cochrane, of Prince Albert, a friend of the bride, the bridal party took their places beneath a beautiful arch of maple leaves, California wheat, golden glow and golden rod, in God's great outdoors, in the presence of about seventy-five of the nearest relatives and friends of the bride and groom.

Mr. Brown, D.D., the double ring service being used.

The bride looked lovely in her costume of white over-dress of white tulle lace, being ornamented with a string of "Corona" pearl beads. She wore the bridal veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white and blue asters and fern.

The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Burleigh J. Card, of Gasperaux, N. S.

The ushers were girl friends of the bride, Misses Elizabeth S. Slocum and Vera M. Elliott.

After the congratulations were extended to the young couple, the party repaired to the parlor and seated themselves beneath a large white bell, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served.

A special feature of the wedding was the distribution of the bride's bouquet among the guests by the bridesmaid.

The parlor was beautifully decorated with yellow and green for the occasion. The groom's gift to the organist was an indestructible pearl necklace. The bride received many valuable gifts, including money, silverware, china, cut-glass, aluminum, Pyrex and linen.

The bride's travelling suit was of navy blue Gabardine, with hat to match; which was the gift of the groom.

The newly married couple amid a shower of confetti and good wishes, left by car for Middleton, where they took the Bluenose train for Halifax, before returning to their home in Gasperaux, N. S.

The bride has been for five years a very successful teacher in Annapolis county. She was also a very popular young lady in her home place and will be greatly missed by all. The groom is an industrious young farmer, of Kings county, N. S.

The best wishes of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Card go with them for happiness and prosperity in their married life.

## A FEAST OF MUSIC

Vannini Symphony Ensemble Rendered Delightful Program Last Evening

For the third consecutive season Wolfville has been favored with a visit from the Vannini Symphony Ensemble, and their performance last evening at the Baptist church was, as always, a veritable feast of music. Although the audience was large the excellent program was deserving of a larger and more select audience. Every number had a rare beauty of its own, and was presented with such loveliness of tone, such delicacy of touch and such richness as fairly to ravish the senses.

The program opened with the overture from "Maritima", which was beautifully played and elicited much applause. Weber's "L'Invitation a la Valse" so captivated the audience that Director Vannini could not refuse the encore, "Ave Maria", from the opera "Otello". The next number was an arrangement by the cellist, Mr. Langendoen, which was very beautiful and heartily encored. The last number of the first part of the program was Albeniz' "Rhapsody Espagnole", which was one of the finest selections of the evening, and brought forth loud applause. The artists responded with Chamade's delightful "Pierrette".

The second part of the program opened with Coleridge-Taylor's Concert Suite, "La Caprice de Nanette", "Demande et Response", and "Tarentelle Freilante", whose delicacy and strength, deep emotion and light joyousness, were an excellent contrast to the excerpts from Wagner's operas which closed the announced program. The Wagner selections held all that clasp and clangour, all that magnificence and pulsing feeling which that great man's music sets a-beat in heart and brain. It was magnificent, breathless in its grandeur, and depth of sound between these two selections came Saint-Saens' lovely "Reverie du Soir".

A part of the program not announced were the selections by the pianist, Mr. J. M. Sanroma, who is only twenty-one and a master of his instrument. He gave four selections, two of which were accompanied by the orchestra, and all were most heartily applauded. Mr. Sanroma has a touch, an understanding and a grasp of what the composer intended to convey that makes it quite safe to speak of him as a genius, just to see his finger work is an education for students of the piano.

## HAD DISTINGUISHED WAR RECORD

At Sydney, C. B., who is spending part of her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Don Campbell, this town, had a most distinguished war service. A native of Dundee, Scotland, she was in Canada at the outbreak of the war and went over with the first contingent in the fall of 1914. She served during the entire war and returned to this country in the fall of 1919.

Although decidedly reticent regarding her own experiences during the war we learn from other sources that she gave most efficient service which received due recognition. She was decorated by the King and awarded the Royal Red Cross, the highest honor conferred upon a woman for war service. Miss Allan was also, we learn, received by Queen Alexandra and given a book as a token of her Majesty's appreciation.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF S. & B. SOCIETY

The annual meeting of the Social and Benevolent Society of the Baptist church took place on Thursday afternoon, with the President, Mr. Leslie Eaton, in the chair. Reports were read by Mrs. J. A. Ingraham, Treasurer, and by the convenors of committees, which indicated that excellent work had been accomplished during the year. The receipts were \$846.85.

Officers appointed are: Mrs. Leslie Eaton, President; Mrs. McLean, Vice-President; Mrs. Balcom, Secretary; Mrs. Ingraham, Treasurer. The executive is composed of the officers, Mrs. Prescott, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Hatelyson, Mrs. Vaughn, Mrs. Beardsley, and Mrs. Stuart.

## APPLE BLOSSOMS IN SEPTEMBER

An apple blossom was brought to this office on Tuesday that had been picked that morning by Willa Dorman, daughter of Mr. William Dorman, New- tonville.

Another apple blossom was brought to us yesterday, which was picked that morning by Frankie Regan.

The woman who is all the time changing her mind seldom gets a better one.

## CAPT. THE HON. ALEXANDER RAMSAY



Husband of Princess Patricia, has been appointed commander of H.M.S. Calcutta, now at Quebec.

## KINGSTON FRUIT GROWERS BUILD EVAPORATOR

Largest and Best Equipped Evaporating Plant in Maritime Provinces Now Nearing Completion.

Several of the leading fruit companies of Kingston have organized a company to be known as the Kingston Evaporator Limited. This organization has under construction, and now nearing completion, one of the largest and most up-to-date evaporating factories in the Maritime Provinces, and equal to any in Canada. The building is 140 ft. x 80 ft., with basement for kilns, coal, apple storage, packing room and box manufacturing room. There are six large furnaces extending the length of the building, these furnaces being set in concrete to conserve heat and as a protection from fire. Most of the machinery and work rooms are on the second floor.

The capacity is about 300 barrels daily.

## NATIVE OF KINGS CO. APPOINTED TO SUPREME COURT OF CANADA

The appointment of Mr. Edwin L. Newcombe, a native of the county, who has long held the important position of deputy minister of justice, to the bench of the Supreme Court of satisfaction in this vicinity. Too often such appointments are made solely because of party service rather than ability.

This case the honor is a very fitting climax of a distinguished legal career. Judge Newcombe has occupied the position of Deputy Minister of Justice since the year 1889, and was called to the Bar of Nova Scotia in 1883. He has represented the Dominion on a number of important cases before the Imperial Privy Council. He was appointed representative of the government of Canada to confer with the British government on the subject of Canadian copyright in the year 1895 and was one of the commissioners and chairman of the special committee for the consolidation and revision of Public Statutes of Canada in 1902 and 1906.

## FOOTBALL TEAMS ARE PRACTISING

The football teams of the various colleges of the Maritime Provinces have begun practising for the coming season, and it is expected that some good football will be witnessed during the next two months.

The Acadia squad arrived in town last week and began practising in earnest on Monday. Dr. Leon Fluck, for many years a star player and captain of Dalhousie's team, is this year's coach, and is putting the players through some hard work, getting them in condition. There is some good material this year and it is expected that Acadia will be able to hold her reputation on the gridiron.

## IN THE MAGISTRATE'S COURT

On Sept. 12th a man by the name of Isaac North, of Kentville, was up before Stipendiary Strong, and again on Tuesday the 16th, on a charge of dynamiting salmon at Lovett Bridge, on the Cornwallis River. Owing to a witness leaving the country the charge was not proven. Mr. Edward Chute, county fish overseer, and Charles O'Leary local officer, were the prosecutors.

On Sept. 18th at Wolfville, before Justice Harris, Dr. Leslie Eaton pleaded guilty to a charge of catching a salmon too near the fish ladder at White Rock. Local officer, Charles O'Leary, prosecuted. Dr. Eaton paid his fine and protested that he was not aware that this piece of water was reserved by the fishery regulations.

## ROLL CALL SERVICE IN AVONPORT CHURCH

A very interesting Roll-Call Service was held at the Avonport church Sunday evening. The attendance was large. The roll was called by Walter Hutchinson, clerk of the churches at Avonport and Lockhartville, and the members responded with a verse of Scripture. The service was conducted by J. M. Blaisdell, Lic. pastor. Rev. H. F. DeWolfe, D.D., Principal of Acadia Seminary, Wolfville, gave a very able and helpful sermon. This church is adding steadily to its members, and in strength and influence. The choir rendered a very pleasing anthem, "As the Years Roll On", the solo part being well sung by Miss Minnie Brooks.

## TEACHING THEM TO LIKE OUR FRUIT

Deputy Controller of Horticulture for England Visits Nova Scotia

(From Tuesday's Halifax Herald.)

"The main purpose of my visit to Canada is to gather data to aid in teaching the people of the Empire to prefer British grown fruit to that grown in any other country in the world," said H. V. Taylor, A. R. C. S., B. Sc., M. B. E., Deputy Controller of Horticulture to the Ministry of Agriculture of Great Britain, in an interview with The Halifax Herald last evening.

Mr. Taylor, who is known throughout the Empire for his work in connection with the Great Imperial Fruit Show held in England, annually, arrived in the city last evening by the Maritime Express from Quebec. He arrived in Quebec aboard the Empress of Scotland late on Saturday evening last and was met by G. E. MacIntosh, Dominion Fruit Commissioner, who accompanied him to Halifax and who is in charge of his tour throughout the Dominion of Canada.

Questioned regarding the Imperial Fruit Show Mr. Taylor said: "I conceived the idea, shortly before 1920, the year in which the first show was held, of bringing before the consuming public the various fruits grown in the British Empire. Commencing in 1920, in London, we have held these big shows in the large cities of England. Prizes totalling 2,000 pounds are offered and competitors from all over the British Empire are entered.

"This year the Imperial Fruit Show is to be held in Birmingham from October 26 to November 1, inclusive. The entries from Canada are handled through the fruit branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, and this year the list promises to be larger than ever. There are prizes offered for fruit grown in Nova Scotia as well as for that grown throughout other parts of the British Empire. England won the premier place at the first exhibition which was held in London, while Canada took first prize in the second and third exhibitions. Judges from all parts of the Empire select the winner. A representative from Canada comes out every year to assist in judging. I have acted as chairman of the schedule committee and of the Panel of Judges of the country.

Concerning his visit to this country Mr. Taylor said: "I have come out to see how the wonderful fruits which I saw on Exhibition in England, are grown, how they are packed and how they are marketed. The main object of my visit is to study the fruit industry of Canada, so that I may get the people of the British Empire well acquainted with Empire-grown fruits that they will, as they should, prefer to that grown in any other country in the world. To-morrow morning, it is my intention to visit your fruit-growing and packing stations. I shall make an inspection of the various fruit districts and packing stations, meeting en route the members of the fruit growing and packing associations and making really a study of the growing and packing of fruit. After we complete our visit of the Valley, I shall return to Halifax and will proceed directly to Montreal.

"When I get back to Ottawa where the Deputy Minister of Agriculture will meet me, the province of Ontario will be given my attention and study. Thence I shall proceed to British Columbia, visiting en route the Prince of Wales as a personal friend of mine and has very kindly acted in opening several of my shows in England. I shall be in Canada for at least six weeks.

Mr. MacIntosh, of the fruit branch of the Department of Agriculture, questioned regarding the tour, said: "We are letting Mr. Taylor see our methods of packing and handling fruit in our warehouses. He will visit the orchards and see the growing conditions. After leaving the Valley we will go through New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, and British Columbia. As Mr. Taylor has said we want to foster and increase the consumption of British Empire grown fruit and if possible to work out anything of mutual benefit between the provinces as regards the marketing of fruit. In Ottawa Mr. Taylor will meet Hon. Mr. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, and Mr. Griswell, the Deputy Minister. While in this province the Annapolis Valley is to be covered carefully and we will spend the best part of the week in Nova Scotia."

## A NOVEL OF INTEREST TO NOVA SCOTIANS

"Viking's Rest" is the name of one of the new novels that has created a good deal of comment this summer. It is published by the Century Co. and is handled in Canada by the F. D. Goodchild Company. Mrs. Fenwick Williams, the author, is secretary of the Montreal Authors' Association, and is of Nova Scotian descent. Her mother, Mrs. Anne deWolfe, was a granddaughter of Benjamin deWolfe, of Windsor. For many years she has spent her summers in Brighton, Digby county, and in other Nova Scotia villages, gathering material for her novel, the scene of which is laid in this province.

The story is an exceptionally bright, easy to read novel. The heroine, whose name by the way is Evangeline, accompanied by her girl friend and her aged negro servant, leave their work in the city and take a cottage in a small village in Digby county, Nova Scotia. Not far away is a young doctor on vacation and a shell-shocked British war hero whom he is trying to cure. The life circles of the two groups draw together, and presently there are in progress plot and conspiracies galore having to do with these two most likeable pairs.

A chapter that will be of special interest to readers in this section is a description of the dedication ceremonies at the Memorial church at Grand Pre two years ago.

## Town Topics Tid-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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## A Drawback to Florida

Moirs Limited, Halifax.

Dear Sirs: Florida has a beautiful climate, but I certainly miss Moir's Chocolates. There's nothing here to compare with them. Some day I hope to be able to

buy your chocolates in this country.—(Miss) Marguerite Noller, 1305 Horton St., Bradenton, Florida. July 20th, 1924.

Some day we may expect to see people inquiring if Moir's Chocolates are on sale in the district before they decide to settle there.

The new Marshmallows are great. Pink, White, Toasted, and Moss.