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A BOOST FOR WOLFVILLE

United States Writer Describes Blossom Time in the Annapolis Valley

A book published in the United States this spring should be of interest to the people of this section. It is called "Ambling Through Acadia", and is written by Charles Hanson Towne, who describes a trip he made through the Annapolis Valley last summer. In the chapter entitled, "The Orchards at Last", he gives a splendid description of the apple blossoms, and incidentally gives a boost for Wolfville. This is what he says:

"Some one had told us we should stop over at Kentville, but when I learned that it was a railroad centre, filled most of the time with commercial travellers, and boasted proudly of a sanatorium big enough to house between two hundred and fifty and three hundred tubercular patients, it didn't appeal to me much. We were more than eager to make Wolfville without further delay, to get into the Land of Evangeline we had come to see. Moreover, a certain lithograph which had greeted us from almost every Inn at which we stopped, showing Longfellow's heroine standing in the midst of a radiant orchard, got a bit on our nerves. I was weary of vicarious glimpses of the apple trees and I knew that if we didn't soon find them in their bright abundance we should feel cheated.

"So, without stopping at bustling Kentville, we allowed our train to carry us on to the next important stop; and, sure enough, Wolfville lived up to its glided reputation.

"It was like finding oneself suddenly in a cloud of bloom. What drifts of wonder enveloped us. It is a strange and beautiful sensation to be in so deep an orchard that one cannot see where it begins or ends—something like sailing on a pink and white ocean of tenuous blossoms, with no coast line to tell just when the journey will be over. All around us that magical purity, that glory of color and dream. It was as if we wandered in a fairy tale, the world well lost. What drifts of beauty what Niagaras of wonder poured their radiance upon us! We were melted in joy, bathed in dazzling beauty. Showers of radiance surrounded us, and through the pink-white blossoms we could see shafts of sunlight falling, and now and then a flake of the loveliness fell upon us, as though a star had lightly touched us on the shoulder. Oh! those clean blossoms! to be so magically amid them, to have them over us like clouds and drifts of snow, making a very heaven of the good earth.

"It seemed to me that all the magic of all time dwelt in these rich orchards, that never could I wish for anything more than the marvel of wandering through these aisles of beauty, these lanes of delight. If but this magic could last forever! If this white glory would never end, this moment abide always!

Never had I been in such opulent orchards. Never had I felt so aloof from the world—even on the wide turbulent ocean. There were no sounds to disturb the peace of these paths. And one by one, in these late spring days of Canada, "the leaves of life were falling," the shower of perfection would be over in a few short weeks—perhaps in less time than that. Wandering through those aisles how could one wish for greater beauty?

There are times that we never forget, when all the wonder of life seems to be packed and crowded into one bewildering instant, and the heart grows faint with what seems to be life's highest moment. Where was the train we had left? Yet why should we care. I wished that this torrent of wonder would pour over my heart till the end of time. Heaven, I thought, could not be more filled with radiance. Above us, beneath us, the piercing beauty shone.

The book also contains an occasional poem written by the author. The best is one he wrote after looking down at night from a hilltop at Wolfville on blossoming apple orchards shining in the moonlight and saw "the shafts of moonlight strike the apple trees with a new radiance." of which these are the first lines:

I saw the blossoms shining in many a Wolfville lane;
Along the road to Grand Pre I watched the orchards gleam.
I saw them in the sunlight and through the rustling rain—
Long regiments of fairy stuff and endless drift of dream.
Orchards, orchards, apple orchards, snow-white even in June;
But oh! how wonderful they looked beneath the ghostly moon.

Since our editorial on conditions on the water front was printed the notice from the Health Officer, which appears in another column, was handed in. We are pleased to note that action is to be taken and will be very glad to report progress as it is made, as well as to assist in any way in our power in having the necessary improvement made.

RETAINS HER TITLE



Suzanne Lenglen, the French tennis star, last Friday at Wimbledon defeated Miss Kathleen McKane, the best of Britain's tennis playing women, by the score of 6-2, 6-2, and so won for the fifth successive season the title of world's champion.

OUT IN FRONT

(By the Pioneer Sergeant)

IT is not our intention
TO incite peaceful citizens
TO disregard the laws
OF the land.
WE have yet to spend
A NIGHT in the cooler
OURSELVES.
POSSIBLY due to the
LENGTH of our legs,
AT any rate
WE would prefer not
TO see any of our friends
TAKE up their residence
THERE,
ALTHOUGH it is
MORE comfortable now.
WE are led to believe
THAT the Chairman of the
POLICE Committee
HAD cause to fine
ONE of our suburban friends
THE paltry sum of
TWENTY-FIVE dollars
THE other day
FOR driving without numbers.
SAID suburban friend
IMMEDIATELY touched another friend
FOR that amount
AND paid the fine.
IT cost him twenty-five dollars.
WE can well remember
A similar gruesome instance
IN the distant past.
THE fine was the same but
IT was never paid.
POSSIBLY there were no
CONVENIENT friends
WHO could be touched.
AT any rate the Council
HAD compassion and
CANCELLED the fine.
APPARENTLY
OUR suburban friend
WAS not familiar
WITH this phase of the
POLICE Commissions administration.
SUCH a knowledge
MIGHT have saved him
TWENTY-FIVE dollars.
WE thank you.
Pay your Subscription today

WOLFVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL

Results Of Final Examinations

Name	GRADE III. TEACHER, GLADYS O. NEWCOMBE					Average	Days Lost
	English	Arithmetic	Nature & Drawing	Reading	Aggregate		
Lloyd Shaw	96	100	88	85	465	93	8
Neil Sanford	95	100	82	85	460	92	3.5
John Roach	91	100	86	84	456	91.2	5
John Eaton	96	100	87	85	452	90.4	5
Betty Williams	95	100	88	82	449	89.8	6
Ronald Smith	95	95	87	74	447	89.4	2
Reginald Pinch	96	93	88	82	441	88.2	2
Hilda Balcom	91	94	86	85	439	87.8	13.5
Ronald Peck	91	93	90	80	434	86.8	7.5
Jeannette Foshay	85	95	76	85	431	86.2	4
Kenneth Whitman	82	93	79	75	426	85.2	10.5
Patrick Toney	94	97	79	70	424	84.8	49.5
Lula Burgher	85	96	90	60	419	83.8	12
Jean Wright	88	98	83	70	413	82.6	20
Mildred Baines	84	98	72	52	408	81.6	14.5
Allyne Duncanson	94	98	74	70	408	81.6	2
Maxine Abbott	92	92	72	407	81.4	11	
Fred Porter	86	96	64	80	406	81.2	90
Bernard Fullerton	82	90	75	65	402	80.4	19
Atwood Cohoon	82	98	69	78	402	80.4	12
James Simson	75	88	81	72	400	80	12
Roy Forbes	86	85	93	71	400	80	6
Marjory Gue	80	83	88	76	397	79.2	11
Truman Baird	80	80	98	70	386	77.2	6.5
Florence MacPherson	84	88	68	58	387	77.4	19
Reginald Lightfoot	82	84	98	76	380	76	5
Enid Mason	80	81	81	66	378	75.6	31
Wava Walsh	82	78	64	71	375	75	11
Wilfrid Lockhart	88	87	95	67	375	75	4
Lemuel Morine	66	87	89	73	375	75	29
Vincent Cook	79	79	95	79	373	74.6	20
John Jodrey	70	70	83	76	365	72.8	31
Bessie Benjamin	66	94	68	70	358	71.6	7
Jason Coldwell	58	93	84	62	357	71.4	15
Richard Coldwell	54	81	96	67	356	71.2	2
Charlie Spicer	86	81	76	63	348	69.6	2
Howard Gerard	64	80	72	62	343	68.6	16
Frank Jessop	76	68	78	50	332	66.4	117.5
Julia Weatherbee	58	84	62	70	326	65.2	56.5
Hilda Burgher	60	82	60	65	317	63.4	12
* John Zwicker	Absent						130.5
* Harry O'Brien	Absent						147
* Clara Jessop	Absent						111
* Ralph Rathbone	Absent						77
* Ernest West	Absent						150

* Failed to pass.

Name	GRADE IV TO V. TEACHER, GLADYS L. WEST.					Average	Days Lost
	Reading	Spelling	English	Hist. Geog.	Arithmetic		
Frances Porter	93	100	98	98	100	93	97
Lloyd MacPherson	92	94	93	96	100	89	96
Helen Perry	94	100	96	97	95	91	95.5
Billie Rope	94	98	96	95	96	92	95.1
Florence Jodrey	93	96	96	96	95	93	94.8
Norman Phinney	93	96	92	96	100	92	94.8
Harold Perry	94	94	96	92	95	94	94.1
Jean Manely	92	98	92	93	95	92	93.6
Ralph Dempsey	93	98	93	90	95	90	93.1
Pauline Bishop	94	98	92	95	90	93	91.1
Helen Young	93	94	90	91	100	89	92.8
Ralph Creighton	93	94	87	94	98	92	93.4
Keith Warren	90	98	90	91	95	89	92.1
Rex Porter	92	92	90	95	90	91.8	23.5
John Miller	94	94	90	89	95	89	91.8
Jeanne Archibald	91	92	90	92	97	91	91.8
Phyllis Barteaux	91	96	84	89	98	85	90.5
George Dakin	91	82	91	90	95	90	89.8
Betty deWitt	92	88	83	84	95	85	89.5
John Murphy	89	92	85	88	85	83	88
Marshall Hennigar	89	84	88	92	90	80	87.1
Leo Regan	91	90	76	88	81	87	85.0
Allan Northover	91	78	79	83	80	81	85.3
Willard Stewart	91	82	73	81	88	70	80.5
Edwin Bentley	92	80	84	72	85	83	84
Glen Porter	85	72	80	88	87	72	80.6
Maurice Henderson	86	86	68	89	85	69	80.5
James McConnell	89	82	64	89	85	69	79.6
Mildred Smith	88	72	79	70	85	74	78.8
Earl Morine	89	62	74	85	90	65	77.5
Minnie Grey	92	86	73	82	70	75	108.5
William Oliver	85	76	66	70	81	72	72.6
Harold Keddy	80	58	63	59	85	65	68.3
Ralph Spencer	86	52	50	68	98	56	68.3

Name	GRADE V TO VI TEACHER, EVELYN J. EVERETT.					Average	Days Lost
	Reading	Spelling	English	Hist. Geog.	Arithmetic		
Ruth Ingraham	93	100	95	97	100	95.6	5.5
Margaret Fullerton	95	100	95	96	98	96.3	46.5
Frances Forbes	93	98	96	97	100	96	30.5
Julia Burgher	90	100	93	94	100	94	11.5
Hilda Peck	90	96	94	96	98	91	92.5
Sidney Wheelock	93	96	94	97	93	79	26.5
Kathryn MacDonald	93	96	97	94	76	91.8	3.5
Gertrude Wetherbee	93	100	96	98	90	81	89.6
Beatrice Regan	82	94	94	77	85	73	87.5
Gladys Manely	90	80	92	88	94	79	87.1
Porter Dakin	69	96	70	88	91	72	84.3
Hazel Dakin	88	86	85	78	87	80	84
Phyllis Regan	88	90	72	74	98	80	83.6
Mabel Burgher	93	94	78	84	89	61	83.1
Lois Murphy	92	92	69	74	98	72	82.8
Martin Mitchell	89	74	76	89	93	68	81.5
Laurence Smith	89	86	81	81	70	64	78.5
Max Sanford	85	96	58	84	79	62	77.3
Marguerite Schofield	87	80	77	59	91	55	74.8
Frank Shaw	85	78	72	65	76	67	73.8
Hope Forsythe	87	58	76	63	84	65	72.5
Joe Pierce	70	58	69	71	75	78	70.1
Earl Lynch	75	52	73	79	74	62	69.1
George Levy	88	68	63	56	77	59	68.5
Charlie Pineo	75	54	58	68	71	62	64.8
Grant Schofield	75	50	58	66	67	59	62.5
Roy Northover	74	52	58	60	63	66	62.1
Freeman Morine	70	72	55	53	67	52	61.5
Harold Spencer	70	54	67	50	60	62	60.5

Some changes have been made, we understand, in the faculty of Acadia University. Dr. F. E. Wheelock has been appointed Provost; Prof. H. G. Perry, Senior Dean of Arts and Sciences; Dr. W. H. Thomson, Junior Dean of Arts and Sciences; and Prof. Alex. Sutherland, Dean of Engineering. Dr. Spidle will continue to be Dean of Theology. The 1924 convention of the G. W. V. A. will be held in Nova Scotia.

HANTSPORT NOTES

Evelyn Louise Wall
In the death of Miss Evelyn Louise Wall, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wall and grand-daughter of Mrs. Geo. Yeaton, Hantsport has lost one of its brightest and most popular young ladies. Miss Wall's illness was of short duration. About three weeks ago she contracted pneumonia from which she partially recovered, but complications developed from which she failed to rally, passing peacefully away on Wednesday, July 4th. Of a bright and cheerful disposition, kind and sympathetic in her nature, musical in her tastes, she was a great favorite, not only among the young, but with all who knew her, and her demise has cast a gloom over the entire community. She was an adherent of the Methodist church, a member of the Sunday School and Young Peoples League of that church. The large number of people who gathered at the home to pay their tribute of respect indicated the high esteem in which she was held, and the wide circle of friends touched by her passing away. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved ones. The services were conducted on Friday by the Rev. A. B. Higgins, Pastor of the Methodist church, assisted by the Rev's W. A. Outerbridge, J. W. Prestwood, and G. J. Bigney. The hymns rendered by the choir were, "Some Day, Sometime We'll Understand" and "I Shall Know Him". The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Smith-Higgins
A pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized in the United Church, Yarmouth, on June 23rd, when Frances Dorothy Higgins, of Hantsport, became the bride of Bernard V. S. Smith, of St. George's, Bermuda. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. O'Brien, pastor of the church. The bride was given in marriage by her father Rev. A. B. Higgins. Miss Higgins was a very successful teacher in pianoforte at Mount Allison Music Conservatory, also of the Ladies College, Halifax. Mr. and Mrs. Smith visited several cities in the United States before sailing for Bermuda. Dr. and Mrs. Woodbury, of Halifax were among the guests. Many and sincere will be the good wishes from the citizens of Hantsport.

On Friday evening last the following elected and appointed officers of Helping Hand Rebekah Lodge, No. 40, I. O. O. F. were duly installed into their respective offices by the District Deputy Mrs. Regina Masters:
Noble Grand—Miss Marjorie Whitman
Rec. Secy.—Mrs. Alice Burns
Fin Secy.—Mrs. May Riley
Treas.—Mrs. Augustus Pattison
Chaplain—Mrs. Mabel Young
Warden—Miss Ethel Alley
Conductor—Miss Helma McKinley
R. S. N. G.—Mrs. Regina Masters
I. S. N. G.—Miss Eva Frizelle
L. S. N. G.—Mrs. Maudie McKinley
O. G. G. D. Cornstock
Palmers Boyd, eight year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Boyd, Hantsport, had a narrow escape from drowning in the Avon River on Tuesday afternoon. He, with some companions about his own age were out in a boat. When nearing the shore he had the misfortune of falling over board and was going down for the third time when some men working on the wharf noticed his predicament, and went to the rescue. He was conveyed to his home and the doctor summoned, who succeeded after a time in removing the water from his lungs. He is now suffering from an attack of pneumonia, the result of exposure.
Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins, of Musquodoboit, are enjoying a motor trip through the Annapolis Valley, visiting their son, Rev. A. B. Higgins, Hantsport, and daughter, Mrs. George Chisholm, Kentville, en route.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Yeaton and the Misses Audrey and Edith Yeaton, of Bridgewater, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Yeaton.

The Rev. A. B. Higgins spent Monday in Berwick in the interests of the Berwick Camp-meeting Association.

The Rev. Dr. Dickie addressed a Foresters meeting at Avonport on Sunday evening.

Miss Winning, trained nurse, of Halifax, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harris are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The exterior of the Baptist church has been very much improved by a coat of paint.

Capt. Young of the "Otis Wack" spent several days with his family recently.

Miss Claire Cogswell, of Port Williams, was the week end guest of her aunt Mrs. R. A. Beckwith.

Mrs. Capt. Young and Mrs. (Dr.) Dickie were in attendance at the Presbyterial meeting at Canard last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Helsby and Miss Cecelia were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shaw.

Mrs. (Capt.) A. McDonald is visiting relatives in Bedford.

Miss Clifford Sweet and sons Kenneth and Carl, of Kings county, are visiting Mrs. R. Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jefferson, of Halifax, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Holmes.

Mrs. Harry Rowan, of Weymouth, Mass., is a guest at the home of Dr. G. E. Scott.

INTEREST INCREASING

In Town Baseball League—First Series Ends Tonight

With only one more game to play in the first series of the Town Baseball League, the interest has increased greatly. The standing of the teams is now as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
West End	3	2
East End	3	3
The Hill	2	3

The final game of the series will be played tonight between the West End and The Hill. If the former win they will have the first series, while if The Hill wins there will be a three-cornered tie.

Last Friday evening a closely contested game was played between the East End and The Hill which resulted in a win for the former by the score of 8 to 7. The Hill took the lead in the first innings when they scored four runs, while the East End got only one. Munro knocked out a three-base hit but got into trying to make a home run. There was no score in the second innings. In the third The Hill scored one and the East End six, putting them in the lead. Prescott, who up until now had pitched fine ball for The Hill, weakened and was replaced by Dr. Ross. There was very little scoring for the remainder of the game and the East End held their lead. The teams were as follows: