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## UNITED FRUIT COMPANIES

Hold Annual Meeting at Kentville Largest Attendance in History of Organization

The eleventh annual meeting of the United Fruit Companies of Nova Scotia, Ltd., opened at Kentville on Tuesday with a record attendance—the largest in the history of the organization. A spirit of enthusiasm was manifest in the meeting, as shown by the discussions which were taken part in generally.

President F. W. Bishop presided, and after the reading of the minutes, his address was presented. This was a comprehensive review of operations during the past year, and contained practical suggestions for the future which were fully discussed by the delegates. The work of the Dominion Atlantic Railway Company in meeting the wishes of the shippers in supplying refrigerator cars for the movement of practically all the apples during the cold weather was favorably commented upon. The task of moving these apples was the most difficult and expensive ever experienced and the efforts of the D. A. R. officials was fully appreciated. Had conditions been normal, he was sure that the service would have been much better than that of former years. The excellence of the apple crop was commented upon, the handling of apples, supplies, etc., and thanks and commendation given to the managers and directors of subsidiary companies for their support of the central office.

The apple report was then read. This is always an interesting subject, and this time proved no exception, as it was very generally discussed. It dealt with the marketing of fruit, the quality and condition of arrival and transportation.

G. Herbert Taylor, of the firm of J. & H. Goodwin, Manchester, England, was present and was called upon to give his ideas concerning the quality of our fruit as compared with other fruit-growing countries, also the much-discussed question of boxes and barrels. Mr. Taylor maintained that Nova Scotia principally was a "barrel country", and while he thought a certain quantity of boxes necessary to maintain proper connections, the bulk of the business should be confined to barrels.

Various questions were asked and a very interesting discussion ensued. Mr. Taylor is familiar with all conditions in different countries and gave very satisfactory information.

At the opening of the afternoon session the important subject discussed was the apple pack. The discussion centered around the bad advertising Nova Scotia apples had received owing to bad packing. The United Fruit Companies, Ltd., have determined that if they cannot meet competition in the open markets of England, realising as they do the special flavor and high quality of our fruit, they would prefer annihilation, therefore, a most determined campaign was inaugurated whereby Nova Scotia producers in the United Fruit Companies place themselves on record to organize themselves to meet competition with competitive producers. That a notable improvement would be visible, whereby the United Fruit Companies will be prominent in this respect.

Pride was also expressed by the membership on account of the fact that Nova Scotia is in a fair position to produce a fifth successive large crop, and is distinguished not only by producing a clean crop, but by a pack that will become individual in merit.

The chief feature in connection with the discussion was a fair criticism of the weaknesses and strong support of anything which tended to the betterment of conditions and the advertising of the quality of Nova Scotia fruit.

The financial statement showed the organization in good standing. The future prospects, with possible changes in the matter of averages, placing the different companies on the merit of their pack, has enthused the various companies to enter into a competitive spirit, whereby premium will be placed on the best results. The slogan with which the meeting closed was: "Satisfaction to the Purchaser; the producer through his organization standing behind his product."

The management was returned practically unchanged. The general manager, A. E. McMahon, who has given such service to the organization, and with his officers and executive carrying on so successfully from year to year, with no doubt be unanimously placed in the same position.

The list of officers follows:—  
President—F. W. Bishop.  
Vice-President—E. H. Johnson.  
Sec.—Treas.—K. L. Pines.  
Board of Management—F. W. Bishop, E. H. Johnson, Dr. P. N. Balcom, V. B. Leonard, C. E. Ellis.  
Auditors—Oxley and Johnson.  
Directors Elected—S. B. Selinger, A. H. Harris, J. N. Chute, M. D. Newcomb, William Stronach, J. A. C. Wil-

## WOLFVILLE MAN MARRIED AT DARTMOUTH

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Smallman, Dartmouth, was the scene of a particularly pretty wedding on Wednesday evening of last week, when Rev. J. W. A. Nicholson, pastor of St. James Presbyterian church, united in marriage Miss Catherine Goodwin, sister of Mrs. Smallman, and Mr. Ralph B. Smallman, of Wolfville. The ceremony took place in the flower-banked drawing room and in the presence of a number of the relatives and friends of the happy young couple. Apple blossoms in profusion were arranged around the room, while tall vases of carnations lent a dainty touch. The ceremony took place under an arch of apple blossoms arranged in the corner of the long room.

Mrs. J. A. Rutledge, of Halifax, presided at the piano and rendered the wedding marches. The bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her brother, Ray Goodwin, by whom she was given in marriage. She was attired in a beautiful gown of white Canton crepe simply but beautifully designed. Her veil was of tulle with clusters of orange blossoms and she carried white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Betty Goodwin, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and wore pale yellow Canton crepe with hat in keeping and carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Little Miss Geraldine Clarke, the three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Clarke, of Port Williams, was a most entrancing flower girl. She wore a dainty frock of pale pink organdie with hat to correspond and carried a shower basket of pink carnations and sweet peas. Mr. Ralph Bagleigh, of Bridgewater, was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and luncheon was served, a group of the girl friends of the bride assisting in dispensing hospitality. They were Miss Grace Bolong, Miss D. Coughlan, Miss Smallman and Miss Smith. Among the out-of-town guests present for the ceremony were Mrs. L. J. Smallman and Miss Smallman, of Wolfville, mother and sister of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. James P. Smallman, of Prince Edward Island, who came to Dartmouth to be present at the ceremony.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Smallman left on a honeymoon trip through the Province. After spending the summer at Evangeline Beach they will reside in Montreal, where the groom will complete his medical studies next May. He is a brilliant and capable young man and a graduate of Acadia. Mrs. Smallman is a very charming and popular young lady and their many friends will join in wishing them happiness in their new life. The bride travelled in navy blue with neck piece of grey squirrel and accessories of grey.

The beautiful assortment of gifts testified to the popularity of the young couple and included a costly array of silver, cut glass and finens. Two showers were held during the past few weeks for the bride.

## BOYS' WORK NOTES

On Sunday morning next the Girl Guides, Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs will attend Church Parades at the Baptist church. They will meet at the Club-room at 10.30 and fall in at 10.45 sharp.

The regular Scout meeting will be held at the Club-room this evening, Roll Call at 8.15.

The Wolf Cubs were greatly disappointed at the non-appearance of their Windsor rivals on Saturday last. They were unable to come on account of the illness of some of the team. The game is called for 1.30 tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon on the School Grounds.

All young people and perhaps some of the older ones will be pleased to hear that plans are underway for the big Union Sunday School Picnic this year. The first meeting of the general committee will be held in the Baptist Church at 9 o'clock this evening.

The question of cheaper school books was taken up by the Women's Institutes convention at Truro. The following were appointed a committee to secure information to bring before the next convention: Miss Dora M. Baker, Truro; Mrs. D. C. Hilton, Carleton, and Mrs. A. H. Patterson, Horton Landing.

lett, R. Schaeffelin, A. S. Banks, S. B. Marshall, R. S. Newcombe, L. S. McGowan, M. V. Potter, S. M. Chute, B. S. Davidson, E. Leslie, K. Leslie, C. S. Pickford, S. C. Holmes, Scott Hebb, L. H. Currie, F. W. Wickwire, F. W. Foster, J. M. Nichols, A. M. Gold, C. Parker, E. L. Chipman, H. Vaughan, J. A. Harris, M. A. Rogers, G. H. Bishop, C. A. Crocker, J. C. Phinney, O. A. Jess, G. O. West, H. W. Fitzandolph, S. B. Chute, J. E. Taylor, A. T. Morse, A. S. Jefferson, H. E. Bent, W. S. Rawding, P. B. Kirkpatrick, H. A. Peck, E. L. Crosby, R. L. Palmer, Lewis L. Hanes, F. R. Henshaw and E. S. Elliott.

**DOMINION DAY**

The ties of love for our country Are linking the East and the West The North and the South, and all between In a land that is Heaven blest. Where hope in the nation, founded— On deeds of the present and past, Shall blaze with undimmed splendor For as long as the earth shall last.

DR. COLUMBIA, ALBERTA, SASK, MANITOBA, ONTARIO, QUEBEC, NOVA SCOTIA, N.BRUNSWICK, R.E.I.

## THREE CORNERED TIE

In Town Baseball League—East End Comes from Behind and Wins Two Games

A week ago the West End and The Hill were tied for first place in the Town Baseball League while the boys team of East End had not won a game. As things are changed and all three teams are tied. After losing two games the East Enders got busy and strengthened their team with the result that last Friday evening they defeated The Hill by the score of 7 to 3. Encouraged by this win they again put up a strong team on Monday evening and defeated the West End by the score of 11 to 8. With only three more games to play in this section the tie race is increasing. One of the teams has got to win two games in order to win the series.

Last Friday's game was very closely contested until the last innings. Gould scored for the East End in the first innings and this was the only tally until the fourth when Dr. Ross scored for The Hill. In the last innings the East End scored six and The Hill two, the large score being due to the fact that it was getting so dark. Munro pitched a fine game striking out fourteen. Farris pitched his first game for The Hill and struck out eight. The teams were as follows:

East End—Gould, ss; D. Munro, p; West and Ruffee, rf; Eagles, lb; C. Munro, c; Patriquin, 2b; Harrington, cf; Burgess, 3b; Leslie, lf.

The Hill—Baird, c; Russell, lb; Parsons, 2b; Ross, ss; Taylor and Rogers, lf; Farris, p; Walsh, 3b; Burgher, cf; Ruffee, rf.

Monday night's game was conspicuous for its errors and the score was so large that there was only time for five innings. There were very few strike-outs, Elderkin getting eight and Munro five. Each team scored two runs in the first innings. In the second, the East End scored five and their opponents were not able to overcome the lead. The teams were as follows:

East End—Gould, ss; D. Munro, p; West, 2b; Eagles, lb; C. Munro, c; J. Burgess, lf; Evans, 3b; Harrington, cf; Patriquin, rf.

West End—J. Elderkin, c; G. Rand, 3b; Ritchie, 2b; B. Elderkin, p; M. Burgess, cf; V. Rand and Boates, rf; Dick, ss; Johnson, lf; Bentley, lb.

Monday's game took the form of a bet for Elmer Kenzie, who sprained his ankle while playing two weeks ago. A collection was taken which amounted to over seven dollars. Mr. Kenzie wishes to thank all those who so kindly contributed.

The West End and The Hill will play tonight and a good game is expected. There will be no game on Monday night on account of it being a holiday when most of the players will probably be out of town. A week from tonight the East End and The Hill will play and the following Monday will be the final game of the series, unless there is another tie.

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## WINDSOR DEFEATS KINGS

In First Game of Valley Cricket League—Score 91 to 40

The first game of the Valley Cricket League was played on the college campus Wednesday afternoon, when the Windsor team, last year's champions, defeated the Kings county team by the score of 91 to 40. The scoring was as follows:

Kings County	
A. Beauchamp, c; C. McElhiney, b	17
G. C. McElhiney, .....	1
J. E. Smith, b McElhiney, .....	5
J. Miller, b McElhiney, .....	1
G. S. Bauld, b Weatherbed, .....	3
A. Doll, b McElhiney, .....	7
E. B. Lavelle, b McElhiney, .....	1
A. C. Cox, b Anslow, .....	1
H. Lowe, c Ewing, b McElhiney, .....	3
G. H. Ruffee, b McElhiney, .....	0
H. Waterbury, c Weatherbed, b Anslow, .....	1
H. Miller, not out, .....	0
Byes, .....	1
Total, .....	40

Windsor	
J. Weatherbed, b Bauld, .....	0
F. Caudle, c J. Miller, b Lavelle, .....	5
G. C. McElhiney, c Lowe, b Lavelle, .....	28
H. S. Anslow, c Ruffee, b Lavelle, .....	2
Geo. McElhiney, b Bauld, .....	0
C. Dill, c Lowe, b Lavelle, .....	2
C. McElhiney, b Bauld, .....	0
E. E. Ewing, c H. Miller, b Lavelle, .....	6
W. Smith, b Beauchamp, .....	14
H. Smith, not out, .....	11
G. Spence, b Bauld, .....	0
Byes, .....	5
Total, .....	91

## WOLFVILLE FRUIT COMPANY

The annual meeting of the Wolfville Fruit Co. Ltd. was held last Friday evening with a large and enthusiastic attendance. All the officers were re-elected as follows:

President—C. S. Fitch.  
Vice-President—F. B. Westcott.  
Secretary—H. A. Peck.  
Directors—W. J. Duncanson, F. L. Gertride, W. S. Eagles, H. D. Johnson.

The financial statement showed a small surplus on the year's business. While the prices for apples were last year disappointing, the average net price to the grower was \$1.85 per barrel.

## LOCAL TENNIS CONTEST

Throughout the latter part of last week the members of the Wolfville Tennis Club held several local tournaments, American style. Both ladies and men were divided into two classes, according to playing abilities, each class holding a separate tournament.

The winners were as follows:  
Men's Singles, Class A—1st, Dr. Leslie Eaton; 2nd, J. M. Beardsley.  
Class B—1st, O. H. Fosbay.  
Ladies' Singles, Class A—1st, Marjorie Chute; 2nd, Dorothy Holmes.  
Class B—1st, Jean Creighton.

## HANTSPORT ITEMS

Mrs. Sarah Robbins

News of the death of Mrs. Sarah Robbins, who passed away at Toronto on Thursday, June 21st, was received by Capt. Geo. Holmes and will be much regretted by her friends in Hantsport. Mrs. Robbins was a daughter of the late Capt. and Mrs. Whitman Holmes, of Hantsport, and resided here a number of years both before and after her marriage to James Robbins, of Yarmouth, who predeceased her by several years. She is survived by one daughter Blanche, of the staff of the "Toronto Globe", and one son, Rev. Clyde W. Robbins, who recently graduated from Newton Theological Seminary and who has held successful pastorates in different parts of the Province. Mrs. Robbins was a member of the Hantsport Baptist church and was very zealous in assisting in any work in connection with the church. Interment took place at Yarmouth.

A capacity house greeted the performers in the School Concert which took place in the Empire Theatre on Thursday evening. The concert was an unqualified success from every standpoint, each number on the programme eliciting enthusiastic applause. Much of the success of the concert is attributed to Mrs. Geo. Holmes who conducted the musical part of the programme and was also the pianist for the evening. At the close Mrs. Holmes was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of carnations and snapdragons. The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to school purposes.

About fifty-nine candidates are writing their Provincial examinations here this week, a number coming in from outside districts. Mr. Charles Wood, of Windsor, is in charge, with Mrs. B. Davison as assistant examiner.

A wedding of exceptional interest here took place on June 12th at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Webb, Chicago, the contracting parties being Violet, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. W. Churchill, "The Cedars", Hantsport, and Major Arthur Bigney, son of Rev. J. S. Bigney, also of Hantsport. Many and sincere will be the good wishes from the citizens here, both Mr. Bigney and bride being very popular in Hantsport.

A very impressive Forrester service was held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening. Besides the Hantsport Order there were representatives from Avoport and Windsor, the latter being accompanied by the Citizens Band. The Rev. Dr. Dickie, pastor of the church, addressed the Order in a very able manner. The choir rendered special music for the occasion.

The following delegates were appointed by the Hantsport Baptist church to attend the convention at Dartmouth this week: Mrs. (Rev.) J. C. Spurr, Mrs. J. E. Borden, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Misses Hart, Gladys Masters, Gladys Prizzle. Mr. B. C. Silver, Prin. of the Wolfville schools, was a recent visitor to Hantsport.

Sheriff and Mrs. Edwards, of Annapolis Royal, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asaph Newcombe.

Dr. McDougall, of Halifax, was in town on Friday on professional duties.

Rev. H. and Mrs. Barbour and little daughter Enid, of Canning, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Blackburn. Mr. Barbour took charge of the Sunday services in the Baptist church.

Mrs. Ralph Seely, of Halifax, was a recent guest of Mrs. Regina Masters. The Rev. Dr. Bullock returned recently from a visit with friends in Deep Brook, Annapolis county.

Mr. W. C. Currie and daughter, Miss Dora Currie, left on Monday for Summerside, P. E. I., making the trip by auto.

The Rev. Mr. Reynolds occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

The many friends of Miss Evelyn Wall will be glad to learn that her condition is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Wm. Sharpe, of Windsor, is the guest of her cousin Miss J. Fritz. The Misses Grace Blackburn and Thelmer Conrad, of the Prov. Normal College are home for the vacation season.

Mr. Percy Dickson, of Honduras, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Olivia Garrison, Avon street. Mr. Dickson, who has not seen his native county for a number of years, is being warmly welcomed by his many friends.

Miss Gladys Frizzle is visiting friends in Brooklyn, Hants county.

Mr. Frank Smith, of Truro, is enjoying two weeks vacation at his home here.

Miss Nellie McCrae, of Grand Pre, visited friends in town recently.

Mrs. Stanley Power and little daughter, of Lakeville is spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cohoon.

Mr. L. V. Masters is convalescing from a serious illness of pleura-pneumonia. Miss Marguerite Vincent, Tatamagouche, was a recent guest of Miss Gladys Frizzle.

Mrs. F. Porter and little daughter Olive are visiting relatives in Kings county. Master Addison Smith was taken to the P. M. Hospital, Windsor, on Satur-

## INDUCTION AT CANNING

Rev. H. T. Wright Enters Upon His Pastorate of United Baptist Congregation

One of the largest and most representative gatherings ever held in the United Baptist church, Canning, was that of Friday evening, the occasion being the induction of the pastor-elect, Rev. H. T. Wright. In the absence of L. M. Ward, Clerk, Warren Eaton presided. Rev. Charles Riseborough, Rev. G. D. Hudson, Rev. T. W. Hodgson, pastors of sister churches, occupied seats on the platform. The service opened with prayer and song followed by the reading of Scripture, Cor. 12.

Rev. G. D. Hudson next delivered his charge to the congregation, conveying the sisterly wishes of the First Cornwallis Baptist Church and expressing his pleasure at any opportunity that brought the churches together in the work of the Lord. His words to the church in connection with the new union formed were, first, the Duty of the Congregation to bear their minister to the throne of God in prayer. He feels the need of this to help him in his daily responsibilities where he is filling an extraordinary place and needs the strength which comes through intercession. The knowledge that his flock is bearing him to the Throne of Grace, will enable him to preach well. It will make him set a high standard unto which in his life and preaching he will aspire. Second, support the efforts of your pastor and defend his good name thus making him a greater power. Third, care for his physical wants that he may give his life to the work of the Master, without worrying distraction. Be not censorious of his preaching but looking for the good, co-operate with your Pastor and God will bless his efforts, and make him a power for good in the community.

Rev. Charles Riseborough conveyed the greetings of Pereaux Baptist church and chose for his theme, "The Godward Side of the ministry". May we like Paul never forget we are Ambassadors of God. As His minister, you are God's representative and have your sphere in God's Kingdom. Your first duty is to please Him. If any lack wisdom let Him ask of God. Your King is before you if you preach the right Christ. Some will be bright and you will feel God to be very near. Remember in darker days that he is still there and that you are here on "Business for the King". May God bless you and your wife and make you a power for Him.

Rev. T. W. Hodgson then conveyed the good wishes of the Methodist church and expressed the hope that the same friendly co-operation that had continued during the pastorate of Rev. H. Barber might prevail. We preach the same gospel, with a Crucified Risen, Living Christ. May we through co-operation extend the Kingdom of God and be the instruments of bringing men and women to the feet of the Master. Touching tributes were paid to the work of Rev. H. Barber, and the Methodist pastor congratulated the congregation on their choice of a successor.

Rev. H. T. Wright thanked all for their kind messages and advice, to congregation and pastor and expressed his desire to be the faithful ambassador of Jesus Christ. I realize the great responsibility that is mine and shall by the Grace of God do my best to measure up, but shall need the whole hearted support and co-operation of my congregation. Working together may we use all our God given power to extend the spirit of Christ in the community, and point it upward. Prayer meeting is the spiritual thermometer of the church. Without prayer we cannot live. May we wait upon God and joining hands may His richest blessing rest upon us all as we do His work.

Vocal duets by Miss Isabel Meek and Mr. Everett Lyons, Miss Messenger and Miss Kennedy, and special music by the choir added much to the beautiful service. At the close of the meeting more than 300 gathered to welcome Rev. H. T. Wright and Mrs. Wright, the reception committee being Mrs. L. M. Ward, Mrs. Reid Pelton, Mrs. Payzant Cox, Miss Marion Eaton. Supper was then served in the vestry, bringing to a close an evening long to be remembered.

Regret was felt that Dr. Patterson, of Acadia, Rev. G. A. Logan and Rev. Gordon C. Brown were unable to be present, all of whom expressed their regret.

day, where he was operated on for appendicitis. He is doing as well as can be expected.

Messrs. R. and N. Forsythe and M. Gertride, visited Halifax last week.

Miss Annie Reid, of Halifax, is enjoying a holiday at her home here.

Tennis seems to be the order of the day, the courts being in excellent condition and well patronized.

The Barge "Daniel Munroe" is undergoing minor repairs on the blocks. Capt. McDonald and Engineer Flemming are at their homes here.