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## ORITE HYMNS AND THEIR WRITERS

By Rev. Archer Wallace

### "SAVIOUR AGAIN TO THY DEAR NAME WE RAISE"

A few days before Christmas, 1824, a boy was born in London who was to write what next to "Abide With Me" has become the most popular hymn for closing evening services that the Christian Church has ever had. This boy was John Ellerton. He was brought up in an atmosphere which was decidedly religious. Later in life he said that his boyhood memories were largely of hearing religious themes reverently discussed. When he was eighteen he was sent to Cambridge University where he came under the influence of Frederick D. Maurice, an influence which remained with Ellerton all his life.

He began his ministry in 1850 and spent his life in small and obscure parishes. He was stricken with paralysis in 1861 and moved to Torquay where he died in 1893. Mr. Ellerton was a typical country parson; sympathetic and anxious to help, and much beloved by those he served. From being a hobby, the study, preparation and composition of hymns became the controlling interest of his life. He began, as have many other hymn writers, by composing hymns for children but continued to translate and compose hymns as long as he lived. As Dr. E. F. Benson says, "His hymns

were not sudden inspirations, or flashes of poetic fire. They were planned and wrought as contributions to the new hymnology of his church." He seems to have gone systematically as the average hymn writer does, and he has left behind him a certain number of hymns which are now in use.

It was inevitable that this "writing-up" to special occasions should result in some of the hymns having a decidedly mechanical ring. Altogether he wrote almost one hundred hymns and a large percentage are now in use. He wrote hymns to commemorate certain saints who have almost passed from memory, and one of his efforts was a hymn for "The Sunday After a Funeral." On the whole his hymns are marked by the true feeling and a real desire to make public worship helpful.

"Saviour, again to thy dear name we raise" was written to be sung at a festival of church choirs held in Crewe, in 1866. Mr. Ellerton had the tune before the hymn was composed, thus the usual order was reversed. The hymn itself was written by the author and as first written there were six stanzas of which only four are now in general use. Throughout his life Mr. Ellerton manifested great interest in any movement calculated to improve either choir or congregation singing, and is credited with having organized some of the finest choral associations in England. Other hymns of Mr. Ellerton's, now in general use are: "The Day of the Lord is Ended"; "Our Day of Praise is Done"; "This is the Day of Light"; "Now the Laborer's Task is O'er"; and the beautiful wedding hymn "O Father, All Creating."

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### Malpeque

The 1925 Xmas closing of Fanning school, Malpeque was devoted to an entertainment, with the allotted time for the distribution of gifts by Santa. The usual half yearly examination of this school was held on Wednesday, February 3rd. Notwithstanding the heavy snow fall of the previous day there was a good representation of parents and friends. The classes of the two departments were examined in practically all the subjects by their teacher, Misses Ross and MacFarlane, assisted by Mrs. Ralph Bealstro a former teacher of this school. Miss Rogers of Hamilton school was also present. The whole proceedings evidenced careful training by the teachers and cooperation on the part of the scholars—both of which are necessary in order to attain satisfactory results. The advancement made during the five months just closed was so marked that the closing at the end of the term will be anticipated by all interested in our school and in the education of those who will be the men and women of future years.

Mrs. George Bealstro, Malpeque, left on Thursday for Summerside, but owing to the storm was delayed at Kaninton for several days arriving in Summerside Sunday evening Feb. 7th, while there she will be the guest of the Misses Hunt.

Mrs. Lee Owen who has been visiting friends in Montreal and Toronto, spent Saturday in Cape Tormentine and arrived home on Sunday evening.

There are not very many homes in this community that have not been ministered to by the late Dr. MacNeill of Summerside and in very many homes he was a person of friend. The sympathy of all in this locality will be extended to Mrs. MacNeill and other relatives in their sorrow, and all will realize the nobility of his life and work.

## THE WESTERN GUARDIAN

—GUARDIANS ON SALE at the Guardian's western office in the McNeill Building, Summerside every day.

—FOR LATE WESTERN NEWS Page 3 is available.

—TELEPHONE MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Cascompec and Fortune Cove Rural Telephone Company was held in Cascompec Schoolhouse on Monday evening Feb. 1st. The president, G. R. Leard, was in the chair. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the secretary, R. H. Lyster, and approved. The financial statement was read and showed a small balance on hand, with all bills paid. The company accepted a flat rate with the P. E. Island Telephone Co. a year ago, and as they have received good satisfaction, decided to continue as last year. The president and secretary-treasurer were re-elected for the ensuing year, and the following directors were appointed: R. H. Lyster, M. J. Gordon, J. B. Thomas, Fred Gamble and G. R. Leard. After some other minor business the meeting adjourned.

—AULD LANG SYNE and Housewife's Calendars have been received at the Guardian's Western Office, McNeill Building, Summerside. These calendars will be given to those subscribing or renewing their subscription to the Guardian.

### Eastern Guardian

—J. W. MURDOCK, Montague received 1926 Calendars for Guardian readers renewing or subscribing. Also Dictionaries. Renew at once and get one.

—FORTUNE BRIDGE.—Mr. William Coffin of Bay Fortune is seriously ill. Mr. Coffin has reached the grand old age of ninety (90) and has been in very good health until lately. Miss Amy Townsend of Fortune Bridge who has been teaching in Annapolis has had to resign her position in order to be home with her mother who is not enjoying very robust health. Many people in Fortune and vicinity will regret to hear of the death of Mr. Greg. Bell, U. S. A. Mr. Bell formerly belonged here, and visited his friends two years ago.

—Mr. Lester Cain, a former resident of Bloomfield, has been visiting relatives and friends on the island. Mr. Cain left his native province over twenty years ago. He lived for a number of years in Port Arthur where he was a contractor.

### Bedeque Notes

—Miss Helen Hooper daughter of Mrs. Edward Hooper of Central Bedeque, who is a graduate nurse of North Adams Training School, was a recent candidate of the Misses Board of Trained Nurses. She was one of eight taking the examinations, and had the distinction of being second on the list, making an average of 96.5 marks.

We congratulate the young lady on her great success and friends look forward with much interest to her continuing progress in her chosen profession.

—The Bedeque Orchestra is in process of organization. Many men are taking new instruments and learning them. Dr. Sidey is willing to help beginners in this work. Any young people in the Community wishing to learn some instrument that will be useful in the orchestra can find out from him what is needed, and will be assured of a warm welcome by the Musical Fans of Bedeque.

—The Community Radio Fans, have been very pleased with the Broadcasting from Holman's at Summerside. It is a step in the right direction, and Prince Edward Island should be the envy of other territories at times. The reception of the opposing defence and the instruments, and especially is this encouraging during these days of atmosphere conditions that affect the good reception. It is hoped that this Home Broadcasting Station will have good success, and that the type of programme sent over will rival all other stations in this regard. It may be said, that in the modern jazz programme is not nearly so popular as many Broad-casting Stations consider it. The public are satiated with too much of the jazz type of entertainment. More and more one can hear expressed the desire for a programme with a constructive ideal. There is much talent on the island, and Radio Fans are looking forward to hearing from their Island Station, the Best Programmes they can hear through the Air.

—CHELTON SCHOOL.—Standing of Chelton School for the month of January.

Grade VIII.—1, Bernice Affleck; Grade VII.—1, Simpson Affleck; 2, Esther Pearson; 3, Robert Affleck.

Grade VI.—1, Duncanson Murray; 2, Mamie and Muriel Pearson equal; 3, Clara Affleck.

Grade V.—1, Waldo Gardiner; 2, Carman Rogers; 3, Verda Craig.

Grade IV.—1, Margaret Rogers; 2, Pansy Rogers; 3, Richard Rogers.

Grade III.—1, Marion Rogers.

Grade II. (a)—1, Fred Sherry.

Grade I. (b)—1, Pauline McCordle; 2, Esther Craig.

—Obituary.—When obstacles and trials seem like prison walls to be, do the little I can do, and leave the rest to thee.

## New Fur Farm Will Develop Huge Industry

TORONTO, Feb. 12.—A new industry for Ontario, the annual output of which is expected to reach \$3,000,000, is foreshadowed in the expert financial fur farm, for which the Ontario legislature will be asked to provide funds at the session which opens tomorrow.

The fur farm will be located at Balsam Lake, Victoria county. It is of an experimental nature, and will be put into actual operation as soon as the funds are available. Already the province owns 100 acres along the shore of the lake, and it is estimated that \$25,000 or less will erect the necessary buildings for the staff, and for the fur-farm animals to be raised there, fencing the property, and provide the needed equipment.

Dr. R. G. Law, son of the late Prof. Law of Toronto University, will be in charge of the farm.

The purpose of the farm is to show that fur-bearing animals can be bred and raised just as cattle, horses, and sheep, pigs and silver foxes are now farmed. On the experimental farm will be beaver, otter, fox, fisher, mink, muskrat and possibly other varieties.

"One of the main things is to discover a substitute food for the animals, as on a farm their natural food would not likely be available in sufficient quantities except at prohibited cost," said Deputy Minister MacDonald, of the game and fisheries department. "Already it is known that otter, live on mangles, apples and bread instead of the bark of trees.

"On the farm experiments will be made to determine the most successful and economical methods of raising fur-bearing animals. We have every reason to believe that it can be done successfully and profitably. All our findings we will make available to people fur farms.

"If the development of fur farms is as successful as we expect, I think it not exaggerating to say that within ten years the annual value of the fur from animals domestically raised, will be as great as from those who live naturally, and who are trapped for their fur. It will provide a profitable industry by itself, but also be made a side line in the winter for those farmers, woodsmen and others, who are in a position to engage in it."

## HOCKEY

The Albany "St. Pats" suffered a rather severe reverse at the hands of the "Royals" in a smart game of hockey at Cape Traverse last Wednesday evening. The Albany boys tried hard and at times looked like a pretty smart aggregation of puck chasers, but they could not solve the attack of the purple "Royals" and at the end of the game they were left with a 7-1 record. The Albany boys were outplayed in every respect, and the Royals simply parried the puck and sat down on the Albany defence. The Royals were very good with most of their passes, and especially is this encouraging during these days of atmosphere conditions that affect the good reception. It is hoped that this Home Broadcasting Station will have good success, and that the type of programme sent over will rival all other stations in this regard. It may be said, that in the modern jazz programme is not nearly so popular as many Broad-casting Stations consider it. The public are satiated with too much of the jazz type of entertainment. More and more one can hear expressed the desire for a programme with a constructive ideal. There is much talent on the island, and Radio Fans are looking forward to hearing from their Island Station, the Best Programmes they can hear through the Air.

First Period.—After a few preliminary skirmishes Gardiner scored from up in front of the Albany net. One minute later Gardiner repeated a hot one from the shillalah of Campbell. Bell in a corker gave a rush to the Royal defence, Ross rushed found the net on a long drive, but was blocked by Waddell. Waddell gave a clever exhibition of puck handling, passing, and a deft shot that sent the puck over the Royal goal. How minutes the game was ragged. No one seemed to be able to clear the puck from the general scramble, at his post. Gardiner got away to Waddell from centre ice, fooled both the defence men and beat Noonan chance who missed an excellent shot to notch one. S. Campbell was easy killing for the Albany net, but Waddell flashed up the right wing and looked dangerous, but Rogers used his stick as a reaping hook and spilled him. The referee forced to see it and he stayed on Bradshaw shot from in front of the Albany net, but the shot lacked steam. Some brilliant teamwork followed on the part of Gardner, Bell and "Kinky" Howatt, but Noonan held the fort. Bell was circling the Albany defence as the bell rang.

Second Period.—At the start of the second period, the prettiest combination of the night was pulled off. Waddell and Bradshaw finally broke through through the green and white defence, and Bell appeared to have an even chance to score but he was intercepted. S. Campbell drove it home before the goalie failed to pass to his uncovered goal.

Third Period.—For the first five minutes the puck was kept almost constantly in the green and white end and Waddell was forced to do parts of the Charlottetown to keep warm. Howatt was kept warm by Waddell and Bradshaw finally broke through through the green and white defence, and Bell appeared to have an even chance to score but he was intercepted. S. Campbell drove it home before the goalie failed to pass to his uncovered goal.



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had time to change his defence wing and his exertions were wasted. Noonan made a good save on a Bill's bullet shot. Doull made a pretty rush but went down too far. Ross wiggled a clever stick but tried to do it all alone and his effort though picturesque was not effective. Everybody took a chop at the disc for a period. Bell scored just as the game ended and Noonan attempted to stand on his head. Unsuccessful.

St. Pauls Scores are as follows:

St. Pauls	191	180	202
W. MacLeod	141	126	204
F. Carmody	153	210	205
E. Caswell	100	147	183
B. Valderstine	101	214	210
Total—2307	736	777	874

Some fishermen, those Albany boys. They certainly got a net full of fish. With a little more combination, the "St. Pats" would be formidable.

St. Peter's Scores are as follows:

R. Acorn	139	169	150
I. Williams	195	224	142
F. Brady	143	146	167
H. Day	117	132	168
.....	101	114	110
Howatt to Waddell to Gardiner to Bell. Nuff said.	695	765	645

Our idea of nothing at all: The defeat last night when Trinity defeated the Albany made after the first period.

Trinity Scores are as follows:

P. Down	173	190	199
J. Howatt	252	107	148
O. Gill	197	157	181
A. McEachern	135	170	217
Frizzell J. Bentley	97	128	207
Total—2534	824	759	951

NOTE—J. Bentley only rolled last game.

St. James Scores are as follows:

C. Sempel	191	174	76
H. Laphorne	134	126	145
T. Howatt	156	216	216
L. Stewart	97	191	218
W. Murley	159	160	147
Total—3303	706	807	790

### Y. M. C. A. Bowling

St. Pauls won their second game in the Church League by

—By George McManus

