

Frank Sweeney, 85

HAVERHILL — Frank Sweeney, Ph.D., 85, 1 Wharf Lane, Rocks Village, former superintendent of schools in Newburyport, died Sunday at the Amesbury Hospital. He was the husband of Myrtle (Jennings) Sweeney.

Born in Haverhill, the son of John M. and Mary Anne (Stokes) Sweeney, he attended local schools in Haverhill. He received an A.B. and master's degree from Harvard College and his doctorate from Southwestern University.

Mr. Sweeney, superintendent

of schools in Newburyport for five years, was president of Lemoyne College in Memphis, Tenn. for 10 years.

In 1916, he served as a civilian aid in the pursuit of the bandit Pancho Villa in old Mexico.

During World War I, he served with the Third Division in France and later with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

The funeral will be held Wednesday 10 a.m. from the Tilton, Rogers and Gale Funeral Home, 334 Main St., Haverhill. Calling hours at the funeral home are Tuesday evening from 7-9.