

### GRAND PRÉ

is three miles east of Wolfville. A summer visit to Acadia would be incomplete without a tramp through this land of song and legend—the home of Evangeline—made famous by the sweetest idyl in the English language.

“Fair was she to behold, that maiden of seventeen summers,  
Black were her eyes as the berry that grows on the thorn by the  
wayside;  
Black, yet how softly they gleamed beneath the brown shade of her  
tresses.”

It is entered by four different routes. 1st. By rail;—2nd. By foot; the pedestrian will take Main St., east through old time farms and orchards and return by the old road over the hill;—3rd. By carriage; up Highland Avenue and down the northern side of the Gaspereau River;—and 4th. cross over the river and down on the other side.

### PLEASANT DRIVES.

Gaspereau Mountain, 4 miles; Black River Falls, 5 miles; White Rock Mills, 5 miles; Starr's Point, 4 miles; Canard, 5 miles; Look Off, 13 miles; Blomidon, 21 miles; Grand Pré, 3 miles; Kingsport, 12 miles.

### LONGFELLOW'S

brother, Samuel, several years since, visited this Land of Evangeline, and when asked by the lady who had the honor of being his escort, made answer:—“After writing as he had, he was afraid the visit would be a disappointing one to himself.”

### EVANGELINE'S HOME.

“Busily plied the freighted boats; and in the confusion  
Wives were torn from their husbands, and mothers too late, saw their children  
Left on the land, extending their arms, with wildest entreaties.”

Longfellow's statement, that “Naught but tradition remains of the beautiful village of Grand Pré,” is wanting a little in the