

PREFACE.

It would have been interesting to mention many things in connection with the history of Windsor, which have occurred during the early part of this century, introducing the names of the prominent men of the town in those days; but the scope of this little work forbids this. In fact, a large volume could be written upon the history of Windsor, and made interesting, from cover to cover, with the many incidents which transpired during the progress of civilization, the growth of industry—agriculture, manufacture and shipping. Windsor was a very important point in the expulsion of the Acadians, yet history dwells very lightly upon this fact, and pictures, at large, the scenes enacted at other places.

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