

afterwards Prime Minister of Canada, and is still in the possession of his family, with the exception of the back portion of the



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property, which has been sold since his death. He built the present manor house, and restored to the *seigneurie* its ancient name of "Boisbriant." The ruins of the old fort, carefully preserved and covered with vines and creepers, form an interesting and picturesque feature in the landscape.

On the spot where the fort was afterwards built, the intrepid Dollard des Ormeaux and his devoted little band would most probably have rested to recruit after their week's struggle with the rapids of Ste.