

2. Elizabeth? b. in R. I., June 23, 1759, d. in St. John, N. B., Aug. 24, 1824.

He left issue as follows:

1. Elizabeth, b. 1780, d. Aug. 12, 1793.
2. John, b. 1783, m. (1) 1810, (2) 1832, d. July, 1871.
3. Sarah Ann, b. 1786, d. Oct. 22nd, 1821.
4. Ann Amy, b.? m. Samuel Belyea, d.?
5. Caroline Elizabeth, b.? m. 4th Feb., 1827, Robert Slater, of Newport, N. S., b.?

JOHN WIGHTMAN.

(U. E. Loyalist, No. 3).

This John Wightman, afterwards widely known as "Squire" Wightman, is fairly entitled to be numbered among the Loyalists, since he came with them, or immediately after, though an infant in arms. He was the only son, as above stated, of Lieut. John Wightman. He spent his early manhood in St. John, and for some years followed the sea and became a skilful navigator. He on a number of occasions visited London and saw his grandfather, the Lieut.-Colonel, before his death. For some years, also, he was a licensed pilot of the Bay of Fundy, and brought many emigrant and other ships into St. John harbor long before the days of fog-alarms, bell-buoys, efficient lights or steam tugs, never having met with any mishap. His family was visited with Asiatic cholera or ships' fever in 1829, and three children died within a few days. After this he built on his Bayswater estate, in the year 18—, and soon after moved his wife and family there. He himself continued to follow his calling in St. John till some years later. He, however, was seldom away more than a week or two at a time. He was married on August 14th, 1810, to Miss Margaret Gardiner, of Carleton, by whom he had three sons and eight daughters, some of whom still live.

He had a short but somewhat stirring experience in the war of 1812-14. Capt. Blythe, of the British