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347. 'The Edmundston Block-House is located exactly on the Graham and other detailed maps connected with the International Boundary Surveys. It is mentioned by Alexander in his "L'Acadie," II, 65, and a very full description of it when in use is contained in Lanman's "Adventures in the Wilds of the United States and British Provinces," 1856, I, 306.

Bouchette's map of 1831 marks Blockhouse at the present village of Petitcodiac, but I think this must be an error.



Map No. 40. From an Old Plax; x 1/2.

347. About the year 1817 it was intended by the British Government to fortify Grand Manan, a large appropriation being made for that purpose. Several references to the plan occur in contemporary documents. It was carried at least so far that sites were selected and drawn upon maps, and the accompanying map No. 40, reproduced from one in the Crown Land Office, exhibits the proposed locations and plan.