

## CHAPTER XII.

## CONCLUSION.

It is not the writer's intention to continue this sketch beyond the year 1793. It seems, however, for the sake of completeness, that some account should be given of the later doings of those whose labours have been brought prominently before us.

After the appointment of Mr. Tunstall as Assistant Minister at Montreal, Mr. Delisle, it is said, continued occasionally to preach sermons in French. He certainly was in charge of the Parish during the remaining years of his life. His death occurred at Montreal on the 30th of June, 1794.\*

I regret that I have not succeeded in tracing any descendants of Mr. Delisle. There is no doubt that many exist who can give an account of his life and labours, which all readers of the early days of English Church History in Canada would find very interesting.

Mr. DeMontmollin of Quebec appears to have had three sons who survived him, Samuel, John and Yodo. His three children born at Quebec, Frances, Jane and Lewes, died in their infancy. The descendants of John, his son, are now in the Southern States. A grand-daughter of Mr. DeMontmollin married Mr. Samuel Marler, whose descendants are well known in Canada. Mrs. DeMontmollin died at Nicolet, the beginning of the century, at the age of ninety years, and Mr. DeMontmollin at a still later day. He is supposed to have died at Quebec, although his burial is not recorded in the Parish Register. His last signature in the Register is as a witness to a marriage on the 9th of July, 1803.

As already related, Mrs. Veyssière died at Three Rivers on the 21st of July, 1789, at the age of fifty-six years. The descendants of her daughter, Mrs. George Dame, are still found in Canada, but Mrs. Waldro Kelly accompanied her husband and family to Ireland after the declaration of peace in 1783.

In the year 1791 we first see the name of Christiana Godson, Mr. Veyssière's second wife. It is a remarkable coincidence that he should have been the third husband of each of his wives. Christiana Godson's first husband, — Craig, has several descendants. Her

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